

# **Europass Curriculum Vitae**



### Personal information

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Nationality Romanian

Date of birth Gender М

Work experience

**Dates** 2012-present

Occupation or position held Lector

Main activities and responsibilities Didactic and scientific research in the field of Toxicology

Victor Babeş" University of Medicine and Pharmacy, Piata Eftimie Murgu Nr. 2, 300041, Timisoara, Name and address of employer

Romania

**Dates** 2017-2022

Occupation or position held Assistant

Main activities and responsibilities Didactic and scientific research in the field of Toxicology

Name and address of employer Victor Babeş" University of Medicine and Pharmacy, Piata Eftimie Murgu Nr. 2, 300041, Timisoara,

Romania

2015 - 2017Dates

Occupation or position held Assistant researcher - Department of Genetics, "Vasile Goldis" West University of Arad, Romania

Main activities and responsibilities Scientific research activities

Name and address of employer Vasile Goldiş West University of Arad, B-dul Revolutiei nr. 94, Romania

> 2015 - 2017Dates

Occupation or position held Researcher - Department of Toxicology, "Victor Babes" University of Medicine and Pharmacy,

Timisoara, Romania

Main activities and responsabilities Scientific research activities

"Victor Babes" University of Medicine and Pharmacy, Piata Eftimie Murqu Nr. 2, 300041, Timisoara,

Name and address of employer

Romania

**Education and training** 

04.03.2015 - 01.06.2015 **Dates** 

Title of qualification awarded Traineeship Certificate

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Quality Analysis and Evaluation of Food Products; overall mark for training: A (excellent)

covered

Name and type of organisation University of Technology and Life Sciences Faculty of Agriculture and Biotechnology, 6 Bernardynska providing education and training St., 85-029 Bydgoszcz, Poland

> 05.10.2014 - 03.03.2015 Dates

Title of qualification awarded Traineeship Certificate

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Bioalcohol Extraction from Different Sources; overall mark for training: A (excellent)

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

University of Technology and Life Sciences Faculty of Agriculture and Biotechnology, 6 Bernardynska

St., 85-029 Bydgoszcz, Poland

Dates 2013 - 2015

Title of qualification awarded Master degree

Principal subjects/occupational skills Processing Systems Natural Bioactive Principles

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Faculty of Food Processing Technology, Banat's University of Agricultural Science and Veterinary

Medicine "King Mihai the first of Romania" from Timisoara, Romania

Prof.dr. Gergen losif Thesis supervisor

> Thesis title Qualitative characterization of two types of flour

**Dates** 2009 - 2013

Title of qualification awarded **Bachelor Degree** 

Principal subjects/occupational skills Food Chemistry and Biochemical Technologies

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Faculty of Food Processing Technology, Banat's University of Agricultural Science and Veterinary

Medicine "King Mihai the first of Romania" from Timisoara, Romania

Thesis supervisor Dr. ing. Despina - Maria Bordean

> Thesis title Functional and Hypocaloric Food

> > **Dates** 2004 - 2008

Title of qualification awarded High school Degree

Name and type of organisation providing education and training High school Technology "Al. Vlahuta" Sendriceni, Dorohoi, Romania

# Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) Romanian

Other language(s) English, Spanish

Self - Assessment

	Understanding		Spe	Speaking		Writing
European level (*)	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production		
English	B2	B2	B2	B2	B2	
Spanish	A2	A1	A1	A1	A1	

### (\*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

- Social skills and competences good communication skills gained through my experience on trainerships
  - good communication skills gained through presentation and participation of science conference
  - good communication skills gained on Erasmus +

Organisational skills and competences

Strong sense of leadership; Highly organized; dynamic; planning skills with great attention to detail and ability to prioritize work, ability to work under pressure

- Technical skills and competences Molecular Biology, genetic: spectrophotometry, RT-PCR, DNA, RNA,
  - Analytical chemistry: Gas Chromatography, UV-VIS, Karl Fischer titration, FOSS Infratec, Infratec™ 1241 Grain Analyser.
  - animal models: snail and mice

Computer skills and competences

Competent with Microsoft Office™ (Word™, Excel™, Visio and PowerPoint™), Statistic 8, ImageJ, PhotoShop

full, clean (B category) Driving licence

#### **Additional information**

### Member of:

Save the Children in Romania

### Research grants:

# Member of the research projects teams:

"Clinical utility of DNA based biomarkers in prostate cancer hormonal treatment decision making" - PN-II-RU-TE-2014-4-2854, acronym: PROEPIMARKS,

"A epitoxogenomic approach to cadmium hepatotoxicity: a gastropod perspective" - PN-II-RU-TE-2014-4-0776 - Project Manager: Dr. Dragoş Nica (2015 - 2017)

"In vitro and in vivo evaluation of phamacokinetic and pharmacodynamic profile of triterpenic compounds nanoformulations with antitumoral effect" - PN-II-RU-TE-2014-4-2842 - Project Manager: Conf. Dr. Farm Dorina Coricovac

### Internships:

Graduate Certificate, Smithfield Romania Internship Program

#### **Annexes**

# **Published Work:**

## ISI publications:

- Georgescu, M., Drăghici, G. A., Oancea, E. F., Dehelean, C. A., Şoica, C., Vlăduţ, N. V., & D. V. (2021). Effects of Cadmium Sulfate on the Brown Garden Snail Cornu aspersum: Implications for DNA Methylation. Toxics, 9(11), 306.
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- Dan Manea ,Anișoara Aurelia Ienciu ,Ramona Ștef ,\*,Ioan Peţ ,Laura Șmuleac ,Ioana Grozea ,Alin Cărăbeţ ,George Andrei Drăghici and Dragoş Vasiles Nica ,. "The "Sandwich" System: A Potential Solution for Protecting Overwintering Cornu aspersum Snails Reared in Semi-Intensive Heliciculture Farms in Colder Climates." Animals 11.5 (2021): 1420. https://doi.org/10.3390/ani11051420 FI 2.752
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  Used in Pediatric Dentistry: An Insight of Their Biosecurity Prole by Applying In Vitro Methods. *Materials*, 14(20), 6215.
   <a href="https://doi.org/10.3390/ma14206215">https://doi.org/10.3390/ma14206215</a> FI 3.623
- Kazakova, O., Mioc, A., Smirnova, I., Draghici, G. A., Baikova, I., Voicu, A., Vlaia, L., ... & Şoica, C. (2021). Novel Synthesized N-Ethyl-Piperazinyl-Amides of C2-Substituted Oleanonic and Ursonic Acids Exhibit Cytotoxic Effects through Apoptotic Cell Death Regulation. *International journal of molecular sciences*, 22(20), 10967. <a href="https://doi.org/10.3390/ijms222010967">https://doi.org/10.3390/ijms222010967</a> FI 5.924
- Kazakova, O., Şoica, C., Babaev, M., Petrova, A., Khusnutdinova, E., Draghici, G. A., Poptsov, A., ... & Voicu, A. (2021). 3-Pyridinylidene Derivatives of Chemically Modied Lupane and Ursane Triterpenes as Promising Anticancer Agents by Targeting Apoptosis. *International journal of molecular sciences*, 22(19), 10695. <a href="https://doi.org/10.3390/ijms221910695">https://doi.org/10.3390/ijms221910695</a> FI 5.924
- Watz, C. G., Moacă, E. A., Vlaia, L., Marcovici, I., Macaşoi, I. G., Borcan, Draghici, G. A., & Dehelean, C. A. (2021). Oleogel Formulations for the Topical Delivery of Betulin and Lupeol in Skin Injuries—Preparation, Physicochemical Characterization, and Pharmaco-Toxicological Evaluation. *Molecules*, 26(14), 4174. <a href="https://doi.org/10.3390/molecules26144174">https://doi.org/10.3390/molecules26144174</a> FI 4.412
- Simu, S., Marcovici, I., Dobrescu, A., Malita, D., Dehelean, C. A., Coricovac, Draghici, G. A., & Navolan, D. (2021). Insights into the Behavior of Triple-Negative MDA-MB-231 Breast Carcinoma Cells Following the Treatment with 17β-Ethinylestradiol and Levonorgestrel. *Molecules*, 26(9), 2776. https://doi.org/10.3390/molecules26092776 FI 4.412
- Coricovac, D., Dehelean, C. A., Pinzaru, I., Mioc, A., Aburel, O. M., Macasoi, I Draghici, G. A., & Muntean, M. D. (2021).
   Assessment of Betulinic Acid Cytotoxicity and Mitochondrial Metabolism Impairment in a Human Melanoma Cell
   Line. International Journal of Molecular Sciences, 22(9), 4870. <a href="https://doi.org/10.3390/ijms22094870">https://doi.org/10.3390/ijms22094870</a> FI 5.924
- Fabricky, M., Gabor, A. G., Milutinovici, R. A., Watz, C. G., Avram, Ş., Drăghici, G., ... & Sinescu, C. (2021). Scaffold-Type Structure Dental Ceramics with Different Compositions Evaluated through Physicochemical Characteristics and Biosecurity Proles. *Materials*, 14(9), 2266. <a href="https://doi.org/10.3390/ma14092266">https://doi.org/10.3390/ma14092266</a> FI 3.623
- Iftode, A., Drăghici, G. A., Macaşoi, I., Marcovici, I., Coricovac, D. E., Dragoi, R., ... & Dehelean, C. (2021). Exposure to cadmium and copper triggers cytotoxic effects and epigenetic changes in human colorectal carcinoma HT-29 cells. Experimental and Therapeutic Medicine, 21(1), 1-1. <a href="https://doi.org/10.3892/etm.2020.9532">https://doi.org/10.3892/etm.2020.9532</a> FI 2.447
- Drăghici, G. A., Dehelean, C., Pinzaru, I., Bordean, D. M., Borozan, A., Tsatsakis, A. M., ... & Nica, D. (2019). Soil copper uptake by land snails: A semi-eld experiment with juvenile Cantareus aspersus snails. *Environmental toxicology and pharmacology*, 72, 103243.
- Chioibas, R., Susan, R., Susan, M., Mederle, O., Vaduva, D. B., Radulescu, M., Drăghici, G. A., & Marti, D. (2019).
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- **Dr**ăghici, G. A., Dehelean, C. A., Pinzaru, I., Bordean, D. M., Pop, G., & Nica, D. (2019). An 112-Days Experiment on Dietary Cadmium Retention in Hepatopancreas in Adult Cantareus aspersus Snails. *REVISTA DE CHIMIE*, 70(8), 2803-2804.
- Moacă, E. A., Farcaş, C., Coricovac, D., Avram, S., Mihali, C. V., Drăghici, G. A., ... & Dehelean, C. (2019). Oleic Acid Double Coated Fe3O4 Nanoparticles as Anti-Melanoma Compounds with a Complex Mechanism of Activity—In Vitro and In Ovo Assessment. *Journal of biomedical nanotechnology*, 15(5), 893-909. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1166/jbn.2019.2726">https://doi.org/10.1166/jbn.2019.2726</a> FI 3.25
- Zsolt Gyori, Monica Susan, Razvan Susan, Andrada Iftode, Cristina Trandarescu, Adelina Cheveresan, Mircea Berceanu, **George Draghici**, Tiberiu Bratu. (2019). Melanoma cell lines role in obtaining new drug candidates for combating the malignant pathology of the cutaneous organ. *Rev Chim*, 70(3). DOI: 10.37358/RC.19.3.7036 FI 1.775
- Nica, D. V., Draghici, G. A., Andrica, F. M., Popescu, S., Coricovac, D. E., Dehelean, C. A., ... & Tsatsakis, A. (2019). Short-term effects of very low dose cadmium feeding on copper, manganese and iron homeostasis: A gastropod perspective. *Environmental toxicology and pharmacology*, 65, 9-13. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.etap.2018.10.005 FI 3.292
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- Pirvulescu L., Bordean DM, Popescu I, Sirbulescu C, Drăghici George, Profile of mineral compounds from ginger (Zingiber officinale), Facultatea de Management Agricol, Lucrări Ştiinţifice, SERIA I, VOL.XVI (4), 2014, p.132-135, http://www.lsma.ro/index.php/lsma/article/view/590/316, CNCSIS, categoria B+ şi este indexat în următoarele Baze de Date Internaţionale: DIRECTORY OF OPEN ACCESS JOURNALS (DOAJ), EBSCO, CABI Full Text, INDEX COPERNICUS.
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### **Abstract publications:**

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- Aurica Breica Borozan, Cojocariu L, Sandoiu I, Despina Maria Bordean, Marinel Horablaga, George Andrei Draghici, Moldovan C, The bacterial component of soil as a result of using annual fodder mixes as green fodder, The 20th International Symposium on Analytical and Environmental Problems, 22 September 2014, Szeged, HUNGARY, p.151-154
- Despina-Maria Bordean, Gergen I., Catargiu A., Borozan A.B., George Andrei Drăghici, Luminita Pirvulescu, Camelia Ciobanu, Liana Alda, Ioan Gogoasa, Chemical Fingerprint of some mint teas available on the romanian market, The 20th International Symposium on Analytical and Environmental Problems, 22 September 2014, Szeged, HUNGARY, p.155-158
- Diana Moigradean, Mariana-Atena Poiana, Liana-Maria Alda, Simion Alda, George-Andrei Draghici, Evaluation of Tomato Yield
  Using Statistical Tests, Proceedings of the 21st International Symposium on Analytical and Environmental Problems University of
  Szeged 2015 ISBN 978-963-306-411-5
- Despina-Maria Bordean \*, Marinel Horablaga, Ioan Gogoasa, George Andrei Draghici, Lidia Sida, Luminita Pirvulescu \*\*, Luminita Cojocariu, Aurica Breica Borozan, Influence of Termic Treatment on Armoracia Rusticana Roots and Leaves, Total Polyphenols Content, Proceedings of the 21st International Symposium on Analytical and Environmental Problems University of Szeged 2015 ISBN 978-963-306-411-5
- Liana Maria Alda, Simion Alda, Diana Moigradean, Teodor Cristea, George Andrei Draghici, Luminita Pirvulescu, Iosif Gergen,
   *The Influence of Total Chromium Soil Content on the Maize Zinc Levels, in a Polluted Area,* Proceedings of the 21st International
   Symposium on Analytical and Environmental Problems University of Szeged 2015 ISBN 978-963-306-411-5
- Ioan Gogoaşă, Liana Maria Alda, George Andrei Drăghici, Despina-Maria Bordean, Adina Negrea, Gheorghiţa Jigoria, Ariana Velciov, Maria Rada, Antonela Cozma, Iosif Gergen, Bio-Minerals Contribution of Seasonal Fruits to the Recommended Dietary Allowances, Proceedings of the 21st International Symposium on Analytical and Environmental Problems University of Szeged 2015 ISBN 978-963-306-411-5
- George Andrei Draghici, Dragos Nica, Ioan Gogoasa, Liana Alda, Iosif Gergen, Despina-Maria Bordean, Polish white flour quality
  evaluation, Faculty of Food Processing, Banat's University of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine "King Michael I of
  Romania" from Timişoara
- Andrei Dorel Catargiu, Dan Raican, George Andrei Draghici, Lavinia Sarbu, Ioan Gogoasa, Iosif Gergen, Despina-Maria Bordean, Total antioxidant capacity of a functional food mix based on beeshoney, cocoa and green coffee beans - The 6th International Conference on Food Chemistry, Engineering Food Chemistry, Engineering &Technology

#### **Oral Presentations**

George Andrei Drăghici, Lidia Sida, Dan Raican, Tivadar A.S., Sirbu L., Borozan A.B., Pirvulescu L., Bordean D-M, Total
antioxidant capacity of Armoracia Rusticana leaf and root alcoholic extract-The 6th International Conference on Food Chemistry,
Engineering & Technology

- George Andrei Drăghici, Dragos V. Nica, Ioan Gogoasa, Liana Alda, Iosif I. Gergen, Despina-Maria Bordean, Polish white flour quality evaluation- The 6th International Conference on Food Chemistry, Engineering & Technology
- Andrei Dorel Catargiu, Dan Raican, George Andrei Drăghici, Lavinia Sarbu, Ioan Gogoasa, Iosif Gergen, Despina-Maria Bordean- The 6th International Conference on Food Chemistry, Engineering & Technology
- George Andrei Draghici, Coandras L-A, Liana Alda, Ioan Gogoasa, Aurica Breica Borozan, Simion Alda, Despina-Maria Bordean, Iosif Gergen Water Content in Peel and Pulp of Some Apples and Pears Assortments Available on the Romanian Market – The 5thInternational Conference on Food Chemistry, Engineering & Technology

### **Posters**

- Nica, D., Popescu, C., Draghici, G.A., Andrica, F.M., Privistirescu, I.A., Suciu, M., Stöger, R. Association of global DNA hydroxymethylation with cadmium in gastropod hepatopancreas 2 nd Danube Conference on Epigenetics, October 5- 8, 2016, Budapest, Hungary
- Nica, D.V., Popescu, C., Draghici, G.A., Andrica, F.M., Privistirescu, I.A., Stöger, R., Cadmium hepatotoxicity: an epigenetic gastropod-based approach, Symposium SETAC/iEOS Joint Focused Topic Meeting, September 12-15, 2016, Ghent, Belgium
- Nica, D.V., Draghici, G.A., Bordean, D.M., Andrica, F.M., Privistirescu, I.A., Gergen, I.I., Manganese, but not Copper, is Highly Responsive to Cadmium Accumulation in Snail Hepatopancreas 8 th National Congress with International Participation and 34thAnnual Scientific Session of the Romanian Society for Cell Biology
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- George Andrei Drăghici, Lidia Sida, Dan Raican, Tivadar A.S., Sirbu L., Borozan A.B., Pirvulescu L., Bordean D-M, Total antioxidant capacity of Armoracia Rusticana leaf and root alcoholic extract-The 6th International Conference on Food Chemistry, Engineering & Technology
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