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WORK EXPERIENCE	
• Dates (from – to)	from 2005 – present - Chief Assistant Professor of Genetics - University of Plovdiv (laboratory practice; seminars; lectures of Genetics; Cytogenetics);
	from 2002 to 2005 - Senior Assistant Professor of Genetics - University of Plovdiv (laboratory practice);
	from 1995 to 2002 - Assistant Professor of Genetics - University of Plovdiv (laboratory practice);
	from 1992 to 1995 – biologist in Department of Medical Biology; Medical University of Plovdiv;
Name and address of employer	
 Type of business or sector 	
 Occupation or position held 	
 Main activities and responsibilities 	
EDUCATION AND TRAINING	
• Dates (from – to)	2008 – PhD (Genetics), Scientific Council of Agronomy and Silviculture, BAS, Sofia; Title of PhD thesis: Obtaining and genotype investigations of androgenic haploids from Bulgarian pepper (Capsicum annuum L.) varieties.
	1986-1991 B.Sc. and M.Sc., Biology and Nature Protection; Teacher of Biology; University of Plovdiv "Paisii Hilendarski", Bulgaria 1986 Secondary School 1981 Primary School
Name and type of organization	
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 Principal subjects/occupational 	
skills covered	
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PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES Acquired in the course of life and career but not necessarily covered by formal certificates and diplomas.	
MOTHER TONGUE	Bulgarian
OTHER LANGUAGES	
 Reading skills Writing skills Verbal skills 	English, Russian
ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES Coordination and administration of people, projects and budgets; at work, in voluntary work (for example culture and sports) and at home, etc.	 Training of students, working with graduate students, participation in research projects, coordination of project activities Lead of educative work in the scope of genetics, cytogenetics and mutagenesis; work with computers and software products, optical equipment, etc. (Windows, MS Office, Word, Excel, Internet, Power Point, Media Player), mechanical and optical equipment in biology; microscopic technique; microphotography; laminar box and other devices and equipment required for specific academic and research work;

DRIVING LICENCE(S)

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2. Ivanova E., Staykova T., Irikova T. 2002. Handbook of genetics, pp. 90. (In Bulgarian)

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Irikova T., S. Grozeva, I. Denev, 2012. Identification of BABY BOOM and LEAFY COTYLEDON genes in sweet pepper (Capsicum annuum L.) genome by their partial gene sequences. Plant Growth Regul. 67(2):191-198. DOI 10.1007/s10725-012-9676-4. IF 2.333

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