

Curriculum Vitae



PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name	PERATA PIERDOMENICO
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Date of Birth	24/03/1962

ACADEMIC CAREER

From 08/05/2013	Rector of Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies (Pisa)
From 20/01/2012 to 08/05/ 2013	Vice Rector of Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies (Pisa)
From 07/12/2010 to 08/05/ 2013	Dean of School of Experimental Sciences at Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies (Pisa)
From 2011	Coordinator of the International PhD in Agrobiodiversity at Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies (Pisa)
From 2004	Full professor in Plant Physiology at Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies (Pisa)

From 2003 to 2004	Vice-Dean of Faculty of Agriculture at University of Modena and Reggio Emilia
From 2000 to 2004	Full professor in Plant Physiology at University of Modena and Reggio Emilia
From 1999 to 2000	Associate professor in Plant Physiology at University of Bari
From 1991 to 1999	Assistant Professor in Plant Physiology at University of Pisa
From 1996 to 1997	Visiting Scientist at Nagoya University (Japan)
From 1991 to 1992	JSPS post-doctoral fellow at Nagoya University (Japan)
1987	Visiting Scientist at Researching Centre SCLAVO spa (Siena)
University Belonging	Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies
Type of business or Sector	University
Occupation or position held	Research and Academic Professorship
Main activities and responsibilities	Rector

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

1987-1990	PhD in Agricultural Biology (University of Pisa)
1986-1987	Specialization in Plant Physiology, with full marks (Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies)
1985	Degree in Agricultural Sciences, with full marks (Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies)
1985	Degree in Agricultural Sciences with full marks (University of Pisa)

PUBLICATIONS

The research activity of Pierdomenico Perata concerns **Plant Physiology** with a main approach in molecular biology. Themes of study are stress physiology, the interaction between primary metabolism and hormonal physiology, the synthesis of nutraceutical pigments.

He is author of over **100 scientific publications** on international magazines reviewed by the database ISI- Web of Knowledge, with **over 4300 citations**. H-index (ISI, Web of Knowledge) = 36. H-index (Google Scholar h-index=40)
[. \(http://scholar.google.com/citations?user=iUhcm8AAAAJ&hl=en\)](http://scholar.google.com/citations?user=iUhcm8AAAAJ&hl=en).

His researches are published on the most prestigious magazine, among which *Plant Physiology*, *Plant Journal*, *Plant Cell*, *Planta*, *Trends in Plant Science*, *Nature*.

During his assistant professors' career he has supposed and shown experimentally as starch's metabolism represents an essential metabolic intersection for plants tolerance to hypoxia (*Planta* 188, pp.611- 618, 1993; *Planta*, 191, pp.402- 408, 1993; *Plant Physiology*, 109, pp.1069- 1076, 1995). An other noteworthy discovery is the cross-talk between plant hormones and metabolic signals (*Plant Cell*, 9, 2197- 2208, 1997). In these last years his researches have strongly oriented toward the study about molecular physiology of plant's hypoxia, with the recent discovery of oxygen's sensor inside plants (*Nature*, 479, 419- 422, 2011).

The complete list of publications is available on www.sssup.it/perata and in the web-site of the laboratory www.plantlab.sssup.it.

HONOURS

- 1994 **FESPP Award** (Awarded by the Federation of European Societies of Plant Physiology at its bi-annual FESPB Congress to two young scientists under the age of 35, for excellence in their scientific achievements. The FESPP AWARD is the Federation's most prestigious award.).
- From 2009 **Member of "National Academy of Sciences known as Academy of the XL"**
- From 2008 **Member of "Accademia dei Georgofili"**

LANGUAGES SKILLS

MOTHER TONGUE **ITALIAN**

OTHER LANGUAGES

ENGLISH

- Reading Excellent
- Writing Excellent
- Speaking Excellent

FRENCH

- Reading Good
- Writing Elementary
- Speaking Good

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