### **Curriculum Vitae**



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Nationality

E-mail

**IRANIAN** 

Date of birth

11 MARCH 1981

Gender

Male

**Education and training** 

2015-NOW Dates

Title of qualification awarded

Associate Professor

Name and type of organisation Islamic Azad University of Mashhad

**Dates** 

2012-2015

Title of qualification awarded

Post-Doctoral Fellow

Name and type of

University Putra Malaysia- Malaysia

organisation

2007-2011

Dates

Title of qualification awarded

PhD degree in Plant biotechnology (CGPA 3.97 of 4)

Main issues/Occupational

skills

awarded

Knowledge in different aspects such as plant secondary metabolite, Plant tissue and cell culture, functional bioactive compounds and their beneficial biological activities for human health, Anticancer, Antioxidant, Anti-Microbial and Anti Inflammatory Activities. Thesis title "Phytochemical Analyses and Biological Activities of Different Parts of Three Varieties of Labisia pumila Benth."

Name and type of organisation University Putra Malaysia- Malaysia

Dates

2004-2006

Title of qualification awarded

Master of Science in Plant Biology (physiology) (CGPA 19.35 of 20)

Main issues/Occupational

skills

Knowledge of aspects regarding to Enzyme activity under stress, Hydroponics' Culture, protein and carbohydrate determination

awarded

Thesis title: The potential of the glauconitic sandstone as a Potassium fertilizer for

olive plants.

Name and type of organisation Gorgan university of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, Iran

Dates

2001-2004

Title of qualification awarded

Bachelor of Science in Plant biology (CGPA 15.65 of 20)

Main issues/Occupational

skills

awarded

Knowledge of aspects regarding to plant science, Plant tissue culture

## Name and type of organisation

Gorgan university of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, Iran

### **Training, Workshop**

- Workshop on Herbal Processing and Product Formulation held at Institute of Bioproduct Development, UTM, Malaysia on 16-18 October 2012
- Workshop on Cell Division and Cancer Biology held at HKU-Pasteur Research Centre, Hong Kong on 15-27 April 2012
- Workshop on Robust Phylogenetic Tree from DNA Sequence held at UPM, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia on 22 June 2011
- Workshop on Animal Cell Culture, organized by Institute of Bioscience, University Putra Malaysia, 21 – 23th June 2010.
- Workshop on Mutation induction using chronic irradiation with gamma greenhouse held at Malaysian Nuclear Agency on 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> august 2009
- Workshop on Technique and skill improvement in using the 'integrated' SAS and EXCEL packages in data handling, statistical analysis, and the analysis output and presentation, organized by Graduate Studies, University Putra Malaysia, 1st – 2nd June 2009.
- Workshop on DNA Markers, From Phenotype to Genotype, organized by Faculty of Science, University Putra Malaysia. February 2009.
- Practical and Introduction Course to the Cultivation of Mushroom, organized by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mohd Noor Abdul Wahab, Faculty of Biotechnology and Biomolecular Science, University Putra Malaysia, 6th April 2009.
- Workshop on Ethics and Legal Issues in Journal Publications, organized by School of Graduate Studies, University Putra Malaysia, 29th May 2009.
- Workshop on Journal Writing Technique, organized by Institute of Bioscience, University Putra Malaysia, 7th May 2009.
- Workshop on handling and application of molecular genetic software, organized by Iranian students association Malaysia (ISAM), University Putra Malaysia, 19th-20th Dec. 2009.

## Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s)

Other language(s)

Self-assessment European level (\*)

Persian

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sessment	Understanding				Speaking					Writing
n level (*)		Listening Reading		ding	Spoken		Spoken			
					interaction		production			
English	A2	Advance	B2 Interr	nediate	A2	Advance	A2	Advance	A2	Advance

### Social skills and competences

- Team spirit.
- Good ability to adapt to multicultural environments, gained through experience.
- Good communication skills, gains through experience.

# Organisational skills and competences

- Leadership
- Good sense of organization

## Technical skills and competences

- High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC)
- Gas Chromatography (GC)
- Plant Tissue Culture and Cell Culture
- UV/Visible spectrophotometer

## Soft skills and competences

- Plant Physiology and Ecophysiology
- Plant Secondary Metabolite Isolation
- Anti-Cancer Activity
- Anti-Inflammatory Activity
- Anti-Microbial Activity (Fungi and Bacteria) Determination
- Antioxidant Activity, Phenolic and Flavonoid Determination in Food and Feed Material
- Enzyme Activity Determination

## Computer skills and competences

- Microsoft office (word, excel, power points)
- Statistical Analysis Software (SAS)
- Graphpad Prism Software (Biostatistics)
- Networking/Internet

### Other skills and competences

Sport activities: ping-pong, football, swimming.

## **Additional information**

### Membership

- Active member in Scientific Society of Biology
- Honor Student in the Academic and Research Activity
- The member of table tennis team of Putra University Malaysia, 2009-2011.

# Publication Conferences Proceeding

- **Karimi, E.** Mehraban joubani, P. Ghorbani Nohooji, M. Antibacterial and Antioxidant Potential of Methanolic Leave Extract of *Buxus Hyrcana*. 7<sup>th</sup> National Congress on Medicinal Plants. 12-14 May 2018, Shiraz, Iran.
- Mehraban joubani, P. Karimi, E. Ghorbani Nohooji, M. Abdolzadeh, A. Evaluation of Phytochemical Essential Oils and Antioxidant Activity in *Froriepia Subpinnata* as Local Herb. 7<sup>th</sup> National Congress on Medicinal Plants. 12-14 May 2018, Shiraz, Iran.
- Oskoueian, E. Karimi, E. Ebrahimi M. Suppressive Effects of Phenolic-enriched Fraction from Pistachio Hulls on the Expression of Inducible Pro-Inflammatory Genes in Murine Macrophages. 2 international and 10 national Biotechnology Congress. 29 -30 August 2017, Karaj, Iran.
- Karimi, E. Mehraban joubani, P. Ghorbani Nohooji, M. Total Phenolic and Flavonoid Content and Their Antioxidant Potential in Different Arial Parts of Galanthus Transcaucasicus. 6th National Congress on Medicinal Plants. 9-10 May 2017, Tehran, Iran.
- Karimi, E. Ghorbani Nohooji, M. Habibi, M. Mehrafarin, A. Khalighi-Sigaroodi F. A Comparitive Study of Antioxidant Acticity in Different Extracts of *Clematis Ispahanica*. 6th National Congress on Medicinal Plants. 9-10 May 2017, Tehran, Iran
- Karimi, E. Ghorbani Nohooji, M. Habibi, M. Mehrafarin, A. Khalighi-Sigaroodi F. Evaluation of Extraction Solvents on Total Phenolic and Flavonoid Content from *Clematis Orientalis*. 6<sup>th</sup> National Congress on Medicinal Plants. 9-10 May 2017, Tehran, Iran.
- Naji, Sh, **Karimi, E**. Hommayoni-Tabrizi, M. Iranshahi, M. The antioxidant and anticancer potential of ferutinin isolated from the roots of *Ferula ovina*. First International Congress of Nutrition. 6-8 September, 2017. Mashhad, Iran.
- Sajjadi, M, Karimi, E. Nemati, A. Iranshahi, M. Ferric Reducing Ability and Cytotoxic Activity of Galbanic acid. First International Congress of Nutrition. 6-8 September. 2017. Mashhad. Iran.
- **Karimi, E.** Oskoueian, E. Karimi, A. Hommayoni-Tabrizi, M. Phytoconstituents and Anticancer Potential of wild *Achillea Millefolium* L. Native to Khorasan Razavi, Iran. 2nd International Nastaran Cancer Symposium 2016. 28-29 September, 2016. Mashhad, Iran.
- Karimi, E. Oskoueian, E. Karimi, A. Hommayoni-Tabrizi, M. Bioactive Phytochemicals, Antioxidant and Anti-Cancer Potential of Hulls from Pistachio Grown in Khorasan Razavi, Iran. 2nd International Nastaran Cancer Symposium 2016. 28-29 September, 2016. Mashhad, Iran.
- **Karimi, E.** Oskoueian, E. Karimi, A. Hommayoni-Tabrizi, M. In Vitro Antioxidant and Anticancer Activities of *Borago Officinalis* L. Flower. First International Nastaran Cancer Symposium 2015. 28-29 September, 2016. Mashhad, Iran.

- Karimi, E. and HZE, Jaafar. Response of CO<sub>2</sub> Enrichment on Phytochemical Screening, Fatty acid Content and Their Antioxidant Activity on *Labisia pumila* var. *alata*. International Conference of Plant Physiology 2014 (ICPP 2014). 26-28 August 2014, Bali, Indonesia.
- Sima Taheri, Thohirah Lee Abdullah, and **Ehsan Karimi**. 2014. Bioactive compounds profiling and their antioxidant properties in the leaves of *Curcuma alismatifolia* (Zingiberaceae). International Conference of Plant Physiology 2014 (ICPP 2014). 26-28 August 2014, Bali, Indonesia.
- **Karimi**, E. and HZE, Jaafar. Profiling of bioactive compounds in the leaves, stem and root of Malaysian medicinal herb *Labisia paucifolia*. International food safety conference, 2-3 December 2013, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- **Karimi**, **E**. and HZE, Jaafar. The application of ISSR-PCR to determine the genetic relationship among *Labisia pumila* (Myrsinaceae) species. International conference on crop improvement issues and prospects for biotechnology, 25-26 November 2013, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- Karimi, E. and HZE, Jaafar. Anticancer activity of the water extract of the roots from three varieties of *Labisia pumila* Benth. International conference on natural product, 11-12 September 2013, Mashhad, Iran.
- Oskoueian, E., Karimi, E. and Oskoueian, A. Pharmacological screening of Zataria Multiflora Boiss leaves extract. International conference on natural product, 11-12 September 2013, Mashhad, Iran.
- **Karimi, E.**, HZE, Jaafar., S Ahmad, A, Rahmat and M Abdul Aziz. Antimicrobial screening of the leaf, stem and root extracts of three varieties of *Labisia pumila* Benth. 23rd Malaysian Society of Plant Physiology Conference, 18-20 December 2012, Bayview Hotel, Langkawi, Malaysia
- Karimi, E and HZE, Jaafar. Bioactive compounds and anticancer activities of leaves extract from three varieties of Labisia pumila Benth. International Agriculture Congress. 4-6 September 2012, Marriott Hotel, Putrajaya, Malaysia.
- Karimi, E., HZE, Jaafar., S Ahmad, A Rahmat and M Abdul Aziz. Comparison of Antioxidant activity, Phenolic and Flavonoid contents of ethyl acetate extracts of two varieties of *L. pumila* Benth. obtained by different extraction methods. International Conference on Natural Products Metabolomics. 14-16 November 2011, Palm Garden Hotel, IOI Resort Putrajaya, Malaysia
- Karimi, E., HZE, Jaafar., S Ahmad, A Rahmat and M Abdul Aziz. Analyses of Some Phenolic and Flavonoid Compounds Using HPLC in Microwave Obtained Extracts of Three Varieties of *Labisia pumila* Benth. 22<sup>nd</sup> Malaysian Society of Plant Physiology Conference, 20-23 November 2011, Johor, Malaysia.
- Karimi, E., HZE Jaafar. Phytochemical contents, Antifungal and Antioxidant Activities of aqueous Extract from three varieties of *Labisia pumila* Benth. International conference on applied biology, 1-2 September 2011, Mashhad, Iran.
- Oskoueian, A., Sadrabadi Haghighi, R., Oskoueian, E., Karimi, E., khaiat moghadam, M., Nazeran, H. Study of the amount of phenolic and flavonoid as germination inhibitors in stratification stages of Prunus mahalab .L. Second national conference on seed science and technology, organized by faculty of agriculture, Azad University of Mashhad, Iran, 26-27th October 2011.
- **Karimi, E.**, HZE Jaafar. Different light intensities effect on total phenolic and flavonoids content and antioxidant activities in leaf of 3 varieties of Labisa pumila Benth. International conference on food security under chnaging climate, 6-7 December 2010, ParkRoyal Hotel, Penang, Malaysia.

- Karimi, E., E. Oskoueian, R. Hendra, H. Z.E., Jaafar. Isoflavonoid, Flavonoid and Phenolic Compounds of Common Protein Supplements in Animal Feed. The 14th Animal Science Congress of the Asian-Australasian Association of Animal Production Societies, 23-27 August 2010, National Pingtung University of Science and Technology (NPUST), Pingtung, Taiwan.
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- Karimi, E., HZE Jaafar, MH Ibrahim, S Ahmad, A Rahmat and M Abdul Aziz. Antioxidant activity and phenolic contents of leaf stem and root extracts of a medicinal Malaysian herb of Labisia pumila var. Lanceolata. Agriculture Congress. Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, 2009.
- **Karimi**, **E**., E. Oskoueian, R. Hendra, H. Z.E., Jaafar, Solid state fermentation effects on pistachio hulls antioxidant activities, The 3<sup>rd</sup> international conference on fermentation technology for value added agriculture products, Khon kaen, Thiland August 26<sup>th</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> 2009.
- **Karimi, E.**, E. Oskoueian, R. Hendra, H. Z.E., Jaafar, Antioxidant activity evaluation of *crocus sativus L.* (Saffron), 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Biotechnology for the Wellness Industry. Putra Word Trade Centre, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, 2009.
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- Oskoueian, E., Hendra, R., and Karimi, E. 2008. Antioxidant activity and total phenolic contents of *Citrus aurantium* bloom extract. 10th of Malaysian Socoiety of Applied Biology. Serawak Kuching. Abstract p.87.
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  Galbanic acid: Induced antiproliferation in estrogen receptor-negative
  breast cancer cells and enhanced cellular redox state in the human
  dermal fibroblasts. Journal of Biochemical and Molecular Toxicology
  33 (11), e22402
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- Karimi E, Mehrabanjoubani P, Es-Haghi A, Chamani J. (2019) Phenolic Compounds of Endemic Buxus Plants in Caspian Hyrcanian Forest (Buxus Hyrcana Pojark) and Their Biological Activities. Pharmaceutical Chemistry Journal 53 (8), 741-747

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- Ghorbani, P., Namvar, F., Homayouni-Tabrizi, M., Soltani, M., Karimi, E., Yaghmaei. P. (2018). Apoptotic efficacy and antiproliferative potential of silver nanoparticles synthesized from aqueous extract of sumac (*Rhus coriaria* L.). IET Nanobiotechnology, 1-4.
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- Ghasemzadeh, A., Jaafar, H.Z.E., Karimi, E., Ashkani, S. (2014). Changes in Nutritional Metabolites of Young Ginger (*Zingiber officinale* Roscoe) in Response to Elevated Carbon Dioxide. Molecules, 19(10), 16693 16706.
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  pharmaceutical activity from curry leaf (*Murraya koenigii* L.) using response
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#### **Awards**

- Bronze Medal, Malaysian Association of Research Scientist (MARS, 2013), Novel Antioxidant Activities and Secondry Metabolite Enhancement of Different Varieties of Labisia pumila Benth. Under manipulation of Green Houce Irradiance. Malaysian Technology Expo, Invention and Innovation Awards, 2013.
- Silver Medal, Malaysian Association of Research Scientist (MARS, 2013), Novel CO2 Enrichment Techniques for Improvement of Pharmaceutical Qualities of Labisia pumila Benth. Malaysian Technology Expo, Invention and Innovation Awards, 2013.
- Bronze Medal, Pameran Rekacipta, Penyelidikan Dan Inovasi (PRPI, 2011), Novel antibacterial properties of the leaf, stem and root of different varieties of Labisia pumila Benth. Komersialisasi inovasi kea rah kelestarian ekonomi dan kesejahteran komuniti, 19-21 July 2011, Pusat Kesenian Sultan Abdul Aziz Shah, UPM.
- Awards of the best graduate doctoral student, October 2012