



Rodica Diana CRISTE

PERSONAL DATA

Date place of birth: October 26, 1955, Nasaud (County of Bistrita-Nasaud),

Romania

Nationality: Romanian

Family: married, one children

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STUDIES:

1975-1979: Faculty of Chemistry, The Polytechnic Institute of Bucharest (in present, Politehnica University of Bucharest), Romania

1999: PhD in Animal Science, Academy of Agricultural and Forestry Sciences (ASAS) -Bucharest, Romania

Thesis title: Research on iron requirements in pigs

MAIN TRAININGS:

1979-1980: Specialization (one year) at The Polytechnic Institute of Bucharest, Romania, on analytical chemistry

1989: Specialization (3 months) at The Polytechnic Institute of Bucharest, Romania, Post university course: "Quality checking of the products"

PROFESSION:

1980 - present: National R&D Institute for Biology and Animal Nutrition - IBNA Balotesti, Romania

Evolution:

- § September 1980 April 1988: chemist Laboratory of Nutrition Physiology
- § April 1988- June 1990: scientific researcher- Laboratory of Nutrition Physiology
- § June 1990- May 1999: senior researcher 3rd degree- Laboratory of Nutrition Physiology § May 1999 December 2003: senior researcher 2nd degree- Laboratory of Chemistry and Biotechnology
- § December 2003- present : senior researcher first degree- Laboratory of Chemistry and **Nutrition Physiology**

Experience in research management:

- § 1999 2003: Head of the Laboratory of Chemistry and Biotechnology
- § 2003 present: Head of the Laboratory of Chemistry and Nutrition Physiology

Subjects: pig & poultry nutrition, foods for the groups of consumers running high risks of illness, mineral metabolism & bioavailability, development of nutritional solutions to limit the polluting risks, quality check of feeds and animal products

Scientific activity: experience in coordinating national research projects (8 projects as coordinator, major participation in other 10); good work experience in FP6 and FP7 projects; experience in setting-up analytical laboratory for feed and animal products quality control; rich publication activity (50 articles and communications as first author & co-author) and one book (first author);

Other professional activities:

- associat member of the Romanian Academy for Agricultural and Forestry Sciences (ASAS) Bucharest, Romania
- vice-president of the Scientific Council of the National R&D Institute for Biology and Animal Nutrition IBNA Balotesti, Romania
- editorial activity (member of the Editorial Board of Archiva Zootechnica);
- supervising PhD students & young researchers activity;
- good contacts with SMEs in FSQ of animal products (notably trough common research projects)
- project evaluators within the Romanian national research-development programs

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

English (well)

OTHER:

- good knowledge related to the development of the portfolio of methods for feed quality check
- good experience in the development of the experimental facilities
- good experience in forming the young researchers
- experience in acquiring and adapting new experimental techniques;
- experience in running complex research programs,
- good knowledge of computer programs