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Work experience

Dates 2014 → until now

Occupation or position held Senior Scientist

Main activities and responsibilities Research and development in the field of safety and quality of foods
Application and solution of national and international research projects
Management of research projects and teams
Publication in scientific journals and evaluation of contributions
Presentation of research results in scientific platforms
Supervising of bachelor thesis, diploma thesis and PhD thesis
Supervising of foreign scientific missions
Expertise for national and international institutions and companies

Name and address of employer **National Agricultural and Food Centre, Hlohovecká 2, 951 41 Lužianky (Slovak Republic)**

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Priemyselná 4, 824 75 Bratislava, Slovak Republic

Type of business or sector Research and Development

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Main activities and responsibilities Research and development in the field of safety and quality of foods
Application and solution of national and international research projects
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Presentation of research results in scientific platforms
Supervising of bachelor theses, diploma theses and PhD theses
Supervising of foreign scientific missions
Expertise for national and international institutions and companies

Name and address of employer	VUP Food Research Institute Priemyselna 4, 824 75 Bratislava, Slovak Republic
Type of business or sector	Research and Development
Dates	2003 - 2003
Occupation or position held	Head of Department
Main activities and responsibilities	Head of accredited evaluating wine laboratory Trials and decisions on quality of wine products
Name and address of employer	VUVV Research Institute of Wine and Viticulture Bratislava, Slovak Republic
Type of business or sector	Research and Development
Dates	1987 - 2002
Occupation or position held	Researcher, Lecturer
Main activities and responsibilities	Lecturer on biochemistry and biotechnology Supervisor of diploma thesis Member of research team
Name and address of employer	Slovak University of Technology, Faculty of Chemical and Food Technology Bratislava, Slovak Republic
Type of business or sector	Research and Education
Education and training	
Dates	2004
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Course Safety and Modern Methods of Food Treatment Accreditation No 25/OP/2019
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Aeronautical University Nitra Nitra, Slovak Republic
Dates	2004
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Course Safety and Modern Methods of Food Treatment
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Primatec State Accredited educational company Bratislava, Slovak Republic

Dates	2000-04		
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	COSHH Safety and Training, Standard of Food Safety, Skills in the Analysis of Thermal Process Contaminants in Foods		
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Habettepe State University Ankara, Turkey		
Dates	2006		
Title of qualification awarded	Senior Scientist - qualification level II a		
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Chemistry and Food Analysis		
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Slovak Academy of Sciences Bratislava, Slovak Republic		
Dates	2004		
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Food Safety and Modern Methods of Food Treatment		
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Michigan State University Lansing, USA		
Dates	2003		
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Training school on gas chromatography		
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Slovak University of Technology, Faculty of Chemical and Food Technology, Department of Analytical Chemistry, Bratislava, Slovak Republic		
Dates	1987 - 1997		
Title of qualification awarded	PhD		
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Chemistry and Technology of Fermentation		
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Slovak University of Technology, Faculty of Chemical and Food Technology Bratislava (Slovak Republic)		
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 6		
Dates	1982 - 1987		
Title of qualification awarded	Dipl. Ing.		
Principal subjects / occupational skills covered	Chemistry of Fermentation and Bioengineering		
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Slovak University of Technology, Faculty of Chemical and Food Technology Bratislava (Slovak Republic)		
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5A		
Personal skills and competences			
Mother tongue(s)	Slovak		
Other language(s)			
Self-assessment			
	Understanding	Speaking	Writing

European level (*)	Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user
	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user

(*) [Common European Framework of Reference \(CEF\) level](#)

Social skills and competences	<p>Team work: I have worked in various research teams in different positions</p> <p>Mediating skills: I attended the course for the development of communication skills, solicitorship and social consulting</p> <p>Intercultural skills: I have worked with many foreign partners in the frame of international projects</p> <p>Publicity: I have presented science and research in professional (congresses, conferences etc.) and public platforms (TV, mass media, social networks)</p>
Organisational skills and competences	<p>Organizer of international conferences and tutorials (Meeting of COST Action 927 2008, CEFood 2010, Bratislava, Mini-conferences 2011, 2012, Bratislava, Tutorials 2012, Bratislava, Workshops, 2018, Graz, 2022 Bratislava)</p>
Technical skills and competences	<p>Training on gas chromatography, Slovak University of Technology, Faculty of Chemical and Food Technology, Department of Analytical Chemistry, Bratislava, Slovak Republic, 2003</p> <p>COST Action 927 Training School: Building Skills on the Analysis of Thermal Process Contaminants in Foods, Hacettepe University, Ankara, Turkey, 2007</p> <p>Course of sensory evaluation of bakery products, Prompt Ltd., accredited educational company, Bratislava, Slovak Republic, 2013</p> <p>Counselling in agriculture, Accreditation No 25/OP/2019, Agroinstitute Nitra, Slovak Republic, sine 2019</p>
Computer skills and competences	Competent with most Microsoft Office programmes, specific software EndNote, statistical programmes
Other skills and competences	<p>Expertises:</p> <p>an expert in the European Commission, Directorate-General Health and Consumers, Unit E.3 Chemicals, contaminants, pesticides since 2004;</p> <p>a supervisor for PhD study in the specialization Chemistry and Technology of Foods since 2006;</p> <p>an expert in the Advisory Forum EFSA since 2008;</p> <p>an international expert for the Romanian Research Assessment Exercise since 2011;</p> <p>a member of Advisory Board of Polish Journal of Food and Nutrition Sciences (2011 – 2015);</p> <p>a representative of the Slovak Chemical Society in Food Chemistry Division of EUChemS since 2014</p> <p>Grant Awarding Coordinator in COST Action 20128 PIMENTO</p> <p>WG leader in COST Action 21149 ACRYRED</p>
Driving licence(s)	B
Additional information	<p>Publications:</p> <p>55 WoS publications / 62 SCOPUS publications</p> <p>1032 citations in WoS / 1156 citations in SCOPUS</p> <p><i>h</i>-index WoS 19/ Scopus 20</p> <p>Scopus Author Identifier: 8708943400</p> <p>9 national and international licences and applications</p> <p>More than 100 invited lectures and contributions on international conferences</p> <p>List of CC publications and other activities in attachment</p>

THE MOST IMPORTANT PUBLICATIONS IN DATABASES WEB OF SCIENCE AND SCOPUS (NUMBER OF CITATIONS):

1. Ciesarová, Z., Šmogrovičová, D., Šajbidor, J., Magdolen, P.: Characterization of yeast amylolytic enzymes by HPLC maltooligosaccharides determination. *Biotechnology Techniques* **9** (12), 1995, s. 869-872.
Cited: 3x (Scopus), 3x (Web of Science)
2. Šajbidor, J., Ciesarová, Z., Šmogrovičová, D.: Influence of ethanol tolerance on the lipid content and fatty acid composition of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. *Folia Microbiologica* **40** (5), 1995, s. 508-510.
Cited: 32x (Scopus), 35x (Web of Science)
3. Ciesarová, Z., Šmogrovičová, D.: A study of ethanol tolerance in yeasts (in Slovak). *Chemické listy* **90** (6), 1996, s. 365-370.
Cited: 4x (Scopus), 4x (Web of Science)
4. Ciesarová, Z., Šmogrovičová, D.: Possibilities of amylolytic yeast applications for starch fermentation (in Slovak). *Chemické listy* **90** (8), 1996, s. 497-501.
Cited: 0x (Scopus), 2x (Web of Science)
5. Ciesarová, Z., Šmogrovičová, D., Dömöny, Z.: Enhancement of yeast ethanol tolerance by calcium and magnesium. *Folia Microbiologica* **41** (6), 1996, s. 485-488.
Cited: 35x (Scopus), 31x (Web of Science)
6. Ciesarová, Z., Šajbidor, J., Šmogrovičová, D., Bafrncová, P.: Effect of ethanol on fermentation and lipid composition in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. *Food Biotechnology* **10** (1), 1996, s. 1-12.
Cited: 9x (Scopus), 8x (Web of Science)
7. Ciesarová, Z., Dömöny, Z., Šmogrovičová, D., Pátková, J., Šturdík, E.: Comparison of ethanol tolerance of free and immobilized *Saccharomyces uvarum* yeasts. *Folia Microbiologica* **43**, 1998, s. 55-58.
Cited: 26x (Scopus), 21x (Web of Science)
8. Šajbidor, J., Lamačka, M., Baláž, Š., Huong, L.M., Ciesarová, Z.: Influence of new fenpropimorph fungicides on the growth and sterol composition in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*: Relationship between structure and activity. *Journal of Pharmacy and Pharmacology* **50** (3) 1998, s. 297-301.
Cited: 2x (Scopus), 2x (Web of Science)
9. Ciesarová, Z., Balasová, V., Kiss, E., Kolek, E., Šimko, P., Kováč, M.: Comparison of two methods for acrylamide determination and dietary intake of acrylamide from potato crisps in Slovakia. *Czech Journal of Food Sciences*, **22** (Special Issue) 2004, s. 251-254.
Cited: 0x
10. Ciesarová, Z.: Minimization of acrylamide content in food (In Slovak). *Chemické listy* **99** (7), 2005, s. 483-491.
Cited: 11x (Scopus), 12x (Web of Science)
11. Kiss, E., Ciesarová, Z., Kolek, E., Kováč, M.: The comparison of the acrylamide formation in the model system with two starch matrices. *Chemické listy* **99** (Special Issue) 2005, s. 295-297.
Cited: 1x
12. Šimko, P., Kolek, E., Ciesarová, Z.: Mechanism of acrylamide formation in model food systems. *Chemické listy* **99** (Special Issue) 2005, s. 260-261.
Cited: 1x
13. Ciesarová, Z., Kiss, E., Kováč, M.: Study of factors having effect on acrylamide level in model system. *Czech Journal of Food Sciences*, **24**(3) 2006, s.133-137.
Cited: 38x (Scopus), 30x (Web of Science)
14. Ciesarová, Z., Kiss, E., Boegl, P.: Impact of L-asparaginase on acrylamide content in potato products. *Journal of Food and Nutrition Research* **45** (4), 2006, s. 141-146.
Cited: 99x (Scopus), 93x (Web of Science)

15. Vranova, J., Bednarikova, A., Ciesarova, Z.: In-house validation of a simple headspace gas chromatography-mass spectrometry method for determination of furan levels in food. *Journal of Food and Nutrition Research* **46** (3), 2007, s. 123-127.
Cited: 18x (Scopus), 17x (Web of Science)
16. Ciesarová, Z., Suhaj, M., Horváthová, J.: Correlation between acrylamide level and antioxidant activity of spice extracts in a model food system. *Journal of Food and Nutrition Research* **47** (1), 2008, s. 1-5.
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17. Ciesarová, Z.: Approaches to minimization of acrylamide level in foods. *Chemické listy* **102** (Special Issue), 2008, s. 540-543.
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18. Ciesarová, Z., Kukurová, K., Bednáriková, A., Hozlár, P., Ruckschloss, I.: Amino acids profile of selected wholegrains important to acrylamide formation in cereal-based products. *Chemické listy* **102** (Special Issue), 2008, s. 613-614.
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19. Ciesarová, Z., Kukurová, K., Bednáriková, A., Morales, F.J.: Extension of asparaginase application to acrylamide minimization from potato to cereal products. *Chemické listy* **102** (Special Issue), 2008, s. 610-612.
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20. Vranová, J., Ciesarová, Z.: Furan in food – a review. *Czech Journal of Food Sciences* **27** (1), 2009, s. 1-10.
Cited: 95x (Scopus), 88x (Web of Science)
21. Ciesarová, Z., Kukurová, K., Bednáriková, A., Morales, F.J.: Effect of heat treatment and dough formulation on the formation of Maillard reaction products in fine bakery products – benefits and weak points. *Journal of Food and Nutrition Research* **48** (1), 2009, s. 20-30.
Cited: 50x (Scopus), 45x (Web of Science)
22. Kukurová, K., Morales, F.J., Bednáriková, A., Ciesarová, Z.: Effect of L-asparaginase on acrylamide mitigation in a fried-dough pastry model. *Molecular Nutrition and Food Research* **9**, 2009, p. 1-8.
Cited: 52x (Scopus), 50x (Web of Science)
23. Ciesarová, Z., Kukurová, K., Bednáriková, A., Marková, L., Baxa, S.: Improvement of cereal products safety by enzymatic way of acrylamide mitigation. *Czech Journal of Food Sciences* **27** (S), 2009, p. S96-S98.
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24. Kukurová, K., Ciesarová, Z., Bednáriková, A., Marková, L.: Effect of inorganic salts on acrylamide formation in cereal matrices. *Czech Journal of Food Sciences* **27** (S), 2009, p. S425-S428.
Cited: 15x (Scopus), 10x (Web of Science)
25. Ciesarová, Z., Kukurová, K., Bednáriková, A., Marková, L., Baxa, S.: Influence of food processing on acrylamide level in gingerbreads and cookies. *Aspects of Applied Biology* **97**, 2010, p. 87-92.
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26. Ciesarová, Z., Kukurová, K., Benešová, C.: Enzymatic elimination of acrylamide in potato-based thermally treated foods. *Nutrition and Food Science* **40** (1), 2010, p. 55-63.
Cited: 7x (Scopus), 7x (Web of Science)
27. Kukurová, K., Bednáriková, A., Kolek, E., Marková, L., Belková, R., Ciesarová, Z.: Porovnanie GC/MS a LC/MS na stanovenie obsahu akrylamidu v cereálnych výrobkoch. *Chemické listy*, Vol. **104**, 2010, p. 649-652. ISSN 0009-2770.
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39. Przygodzka, M., Zielinska, D., Ciesarová, Z., Zielinski, H.: Screening of the antioxidant capacity of selected spices by updated analytical strategies. *Polish Journal of Food and Nutrition Sciences*, **61**, 2011, p. 93-94, ISBN 1230-0322.
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Cited: 14x (Scopus), 12x (Web of Science)
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Cited: 21x (Scopus), 20x (Web of Science)
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