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EDUCATION

- 2016-2020 PhD in Biophysics, Institute of Biophysics and Biomedical Engineering, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences. Thesis title: Structural stability and intermolecular interactions of the main light-harvesting complexes in higher plants and cyanobacteria
 2014-2015 M.Sc. in Plant Biotechnology, Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski, Sofia, Bulgaria
- 2010-2014 B.Sc. in Molecular Biology, Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski, Sofia, Bulgaria

CURRENT WORKPLACE AND POSITION

Biological Research Centre, Szeged, Institute of Plant Biology, H-6726 Temesvári krt. 62, Szeged, Hungary. Position: research associate

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

2014-2020 Institute of Biophysics and Biomedical Engineering, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences; Position: junior research associate

• GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2022	Postdoctoral Research Grant by NKFIH (Hungary), 2022-2025
2019	Award for best young scientist's project by the Bulgarian Ministry of Education and Science and
	the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences
2019	Travel grant by the European Biophysical Societies' Association (EBSA)
2018	Erasmus+ Grant for practical training at the Institute of Plant Biology, Biological Research Centre,
	Szeged, Hungary
2017	Research Grant by the Bulgarian Ministry of Education and Science within the Program for
	support of young scientists and PhD students in the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences – 2017
2017	Travel grant by the Sao Paolo School of Advanced Science to participate in workshop 'Biophysical
	Methods to Study Biomolecular Interactions'
2016	Research grant by the World Federation of Scientists, Switzerland

LANGUAGE SKILLS

English (advanced), Russian (advanced), Bulgarian (native)

• FAVOURITE EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Baking, hiking

PUBLICATIONS (08.09.2023)

Number of articles published in refereed journals:	12	
Sum of impact factors:	41.372	
The sum of the impact factors of first or last author articles:	15.481	
Corresponding authorship (*):	1	
Total number of references:	67	
Number of independent references:	57	
Hirsch index:	5	
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