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### **Personal data**

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**Fields of Study:** fungal ecology and taxonomy, adaptation to cold extreme environments, biological control fungal agents, fungal bioremediation and biofertilization, antifungal activity of natural extracts, science and education.

### **Education and Professional Experience**

November 2014 – current. Associate Professor, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

1998-October 2014. Permanent Researcher, Department of Earth Science and Environments, University of Pavia (Italy)

1991-1998. Technician in the Botanic Garden of Tuscia University (Viterbo, Italy).

April 1990 qualification to practise the profession of Biologist.

October 1989-October 1990. Consultant for a fish farm

September 1988-February 1989. Associate researcher, Biology Institute, Department of Zoology and Marine Chemistry, University of Oslo (Norway), funded by the Research Counsel of Norway.

Focus on "Heavy metal concentration in *Tmetonix cicada* (Crustacea, Amphipoda) and *Pandalus borealis* (Crustacea, Dacapoda), from Oslo fjord (Norway)", supervisor Prof. M.I.Abdullah.

October, 27 1987. B.S. and Masters in Biological Sciences at the University of Rome "La Sapienza" (110/110). Thesis:

### **Teaching:**

**Botany** – Course A and B 6 CFU (Biological Science): A.A. 2013/2014

**Botany - Course B (Mycology) 3CFU** ( Biological Science) .- A.A. 2004/2005; 2005/2006; 2006/2007; 2008/2009; 2009/2010; 2011/2012

**Botanic Laboratory 9 CFU** (C.L. Experimental and Applied Biology) A. A. 2009/10 ; 2011/2012

**Mycology Laboratory 4 CFU** (L.S Natural Science) - A.A. 2007/2008; 2008/2009; 2009/2010;

**Mycology and Fungal Symbiosis - 3 CFU** - (C.L. Science and Technology for Nature) A.A. 2005/2006

**Ornamental Plants 2CFU** (C.L. Science and Technology for Nature).- A.A. 2002/03; 2003/04

**Plant Reproduction 3CFU** (C.L. SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FOR NATURE).- A.A. 2002/2003; 2003/04; 2005/06; 2006/07

### **Istitutional Activity**

**Vice President of the Bechelor of Science Course in Science and Technology for Nature and Environment, University of Pavia**

## **Member of the Doctoral School Committee**

### **Partecipant in the following funded Projects**

PRIN 1998 Funghi associati a licheni corticicoli. Correlazioni con le contaminazioni ambientali.  
20/12/1998- 12/01/2001

PRIN 2002. Banche dati on-line per l'identificazione automatica di funghi italiani (genere *Pleurotus*, alcune *Aphyllophorales*, delle leccete, demaziacei della lettiera, cheratinofili, psicrofili, termofili, parassiti e saprofagi del riso). 16/12/2002 - 18/01/2005

PRIN 2007. Prodotti naturali e loro analoghi sintetici ad attività antitumorale su specifici target molecolari 22/09/2008 - 19/10/2010 (consuntivo)

PRIN 2009 Isolamento e sintesi di prodotti naturali di differente origine (piante, funghi, stress ossidativo) e studio della loro bioattività contro specifici bersagli molecolari coinvolti in processi infiammatori e di crescita e soppressione dei tumori 17/10/2011 - 17/10/2013

2007 TEN Telediffusione E Natura Progetto co-finanziato dal MUR Ministero dell'Università e della Ricerca

Progetto PROKURDUP (ASTIL Progetto di Formazione Ricerca Salute Kurdistan-Università di Pavia -progetti di Cooperazione Scientifica e Tecnologica Internazionale nelle aree tematiche agroalimentare, energia-ambiente (ivi incluso il piano d'azione sul clima 2020 dell'UE), salute e manifatturiero avanzato (ivi inclusi nuovi materiali e tecnologie per i beni culturali). a valere sul "Fondo per la promozione di Accordi Istituzionali.DECRETO N. 6737 DEL 2 Luglio 2009

RISINNOVA progetto agroalimentare e ricerca - <http://risinnova.entecri.it/>  
2011

Progetto ECO.BRICK - Recupero dei fanghi biologici per la produzione di laterizi ad elevato isolamento termico e ridotto impatto ambientale."FONDO PER LA PROMOZIONE DELLE ESPRESSIONI DI INTERESSE DEI PRIVATI E AZIONI CONSEQUENTI" ISTITUITO CON DGR N. 7025 DEL 9 APRILE 2008

Progetto AGROMATRICI BIOATTIVE. PROGETTI DI RICERCA INDUSTRIALE E SVILUPPO Sperimentale NEI SETTORI STRATEGICI DI REGIONE LOMBARDIA E DEL MINISTERO DELL'ISTRUZIONE, DELL'UNIVERSITA' E DELLA RICERCA DI CUI AL DECRETO N. 7128 DEL 29 LUGLIO 2011

PROGETTO NAZIONALE DI RICERCA IN ANTARTIDE varie edizioni

Novel cold-active superoxide dismutase from Antarctic fungi:biotechnological production, chemical characterization and application (DO002-172/08), The National Science Fund of Ministry of Education and Science, BULGARIA

Biological monitoring for conservation and restauration of cultural monuments in Bulgaria (VU-B-302/07), The National Science Fund of Ministry of Education and Science, BULGARIA

Progetto "Ricerca, sperimentazione, tecnologie innovative, sostenibilità

ambientale ed alta formazione per il potenziamento della filiera risicola nazionale „POLORISO” finanziato dal Ministero delle Politiche Agricole Alimentari e Forestali (Mipaaf) inizio progetto gennaio 2012

### Member of

**C.I.St.R.E.** (Centro Interdipartimentale di Studi e Ricerche in Etnobiofarmacia Università di Pavia)  
**C.R.A.** (Centro di Ricerca sulle Acque) Università di Pavia  
Centro Interdipartimentale di Ricerca per la Didattica e la Storia delle Scienze, Università di Pavia  
**SBI** (Società Botanica Italiana)

### Collaboration with:

Servizio Fitosanitario Regione Emilia-Romagna, Laboratorio di Nematologia Bologna, (Italy)  
Fondazione Edmund Mach di San Michele all'Adige S. Michele all'Adige (TN) –(Italy)  
Tuscia University, Viterbo (Italy)  
Bulgarian Academy of Science, Sofia (Bulgaria)  
Sofia University St. Kl. Ohridski, Sofia (Bulgaria)  
Department of Plant Pathology, Nematology Laboratory, Belgrade (Serbia)  
Universidad Tecnica Particular de Loja (Ecuador)  
Universidad Politecnica Salesiana de Cuenca y Quito (Ecuador)  
Salahaddin University, Erbil (Iraq)

### Most relevant papers

Abbruscato P, **Tosi S**, Crispino L, Biazz E, Menin B, Picco AM, Pecetti L, Avato P, Tava A. (2014). Triterpenoid glycosides from *Medicago sativa* as antifungal agents against *Pyricularia oryzae*. **Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry**, **19;62(46):11030-6**

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Nicola L., **Tosi S.**, Savini D. (2014). In vitro evaluation of nematophagous activity of fungal isolates. **Journal of Basic Microbiology** (Issn:0233-111x) p. 1 - 5 Vol. 54,

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Maggi O., **Tosi S.**, Angelova M., Lagostina E., Fabbri A.A., Pecoraro L., Altobelli E., Picco A. M., Savino E., Branda E., Turchetti B., Zotti M., Vizzini A. & Buzzini P. (2013). Adaptation of fungi, including yeasts, to cold environments. **Plant Biosystems** (Issn: 1126-3504) p. 247 - 258 Vol. 147,

Selbmann L. , Egidi E., Isola D., Onofri S., Zucconi L., De Hoog G.S. , Chinaglia S., Testa L., **Tosi S.**, Balestrazzi A., Lantieri A., Compagno R., Tigini V. & Cristina Varese G.C.

(2013). Biodiversity, evolution and adaptation of fungi in extreme environments.

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Pellegrini A., Corneo P.E., Camin F., Ziller L., **Tosi S.**, Pertot I. (2013). Isotope ratio mass spectrometry identifies soil microbial biocontrol agents having trophic relations with the plant pathogen *Armillaria mellea*. **Applied Soil Ecology** (Issn:0929-1393) p. 142 - 151 Vol. 64,

Gloria Brusotti, **Solveig Tosi**, Aldo Tava, Anna M. Picco, Pietro Grisoli, Ilaria Cesari, Gabriele Caccialanza (2013). Antimicrobial and phytochemical properties of stem bark extracts from **Piptadeniastrum africanum** (Hook F.) Brenan. **Industrial Crops and Products** (Issn:0926-6690) p. 612 - 616 Vol. 43 ,

Brusotti G., Cesari I., Gilardoni G., **Tosi S.**, Grisoli P., Picco A.M., Caccialanza G. (2012). Chemical composition and antimicrobial activity of *Phyllanthus muellerianus* (Kuntze) Excel essential oil. *Journal of Ethnopharmacology* (Issn:0378-8741) p. 657 - 662 Vol. 142 ,

Pellegrini A., Corneo P.E., Camin F., Ziller L., **Tosi S.**, Pertot I. (2012). Studying trophic interactions between a plant pathogen and two different antagonistic microorganisms using a 13c-labeled compound and isotope ratio mass spectrometry. **Rapid Communications in Mass Spectrometry** (Issn:0951-4198) p. 510 - 516 Vol. ,

Persiani Anna Maria, **Tosi Solveig**, Del Frate Giuseppe, Granito Vito Mario, Guglielminetti Maria Lidia, Lunghini Dario, Maggi Oriana, Mulas Bonaria, Pasqualetti Marcella, Picco Anna Maria, Rambelli Angelo, Rodolfi Marinella, Solari Nadia, Tempesta Sabrina (2011). High spots for diversity of soil and litter microfungi in Italy. **Plant Biosystems** (Issn:1126-3504) p. 969 - 977 Vol. 145,

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the survival and environmental fate of the biocontrol agent *Trichoderma atroviride* sc1 in vineyards in northern Italy. **Journal of Applied Microbiology** (Issn:1364-5072) p. 1549 - 1557 Vol. 106,

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Caretta Giuseppe, **Tosi Solveig**, Piontelli Edoardo, De Hoog Gs (2006). *Phialophora sessilis*, a lithobiont fungus. **Mycotaxon** (Issn:0093-4666) p. 281 - 284 Vol. 95,

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**S. Tosi**; Annovazzi L.; Tosi I.; Iadarola P.; Caretta G. (2002). Collagenase production in an Antarctic strain of *Arthrobotrys tortor* Jarowaja. **Mycopathologia** (Issn:0301-486x) p. 157 - 162 vol. 153,

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