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#### **Education and training**

Dates 1980 1994
Title of qualification awarded engineer PhD

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Chemical engineering Chemical engineering

Name and type of organisation providing education

University Politehnica f Bucharest

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and training

Level in national or international classification

### **Professional experience**

Dates	1982-1991	1991-1997	1997-2004	2004-present	
Occupation or position held	assistant	lecturer	associate professor	professor	
Main activities and	Seminars,	Lectures, seminars,	Lectures and	Lectures in	
responsibilities	laboratories and	laboratories and	seminars in	chemical,	
	projects in chemical	projects in chemical	chemical	biochemical and	
	engineering	engineering	engineering	biological reactors	
	domains	domains	domains		
Name and address of	University Politehnica of Bucharest				
employer					
Type of business or sector	Teaching, research and development				

#### Academic and research interests

Time Scales of Biological Processes – Dynamics and Time-Delays; Biological, Biochemical and Chemical Reactors; Systems Optimization and Optimal Control; Unit Operations in (Bio)Chemical Technology; Artificial Neural Networks and Evolutionary/Genetic Algorithms; Process Integration and Intensification

#### **Teaching activity**

Se completeaza conform indicatiilor din tabel

se completed a conjoint indicatition with tuber					
Ciclu studi	Denumire	Cod disciplina din	Titlu disciplina	Tip activitate	
(Master/licenta)	specializare	planul de		(curs/proiect/laborato	
		invatamant		r etc)	
BSc	FILS		Chemical Reactors	lecture	
MSc	Biofuels		Chemical and	lecture	
			Biochemical		
			Reactors		
MSc	Chemical		Heterogeneous	lecture	
	Engineering		Reactors		

# Publication (selective): Books

- 1. Irina Dana Ofiţeru, V. Lavric and A. Woynaroschy *Introduction in Animal Cell Bioengineering* (Romanian), Matrix Rom, Bucuresti, 2003 (ISBN: 973-685-584-8).
- 2. V. Lavric, Irina Dana Ofiţeru and A. Woinaroschy, Animal *Cells Bioreactor Modeling* (Romanian), Matrix Rom, Bucuresti, 2004 (ISBN: 973-685-690-9).

#### Articles (eventual cu link-uri care lucrarile publicate on-line)

- 1. Márton, M.-R., Krumbein, A., Platz, S., Schreiner, M., Rohn, S., Rehmers, A., Lavric, V., Mersch-Sundermann, V., Lamy, E., 2012, *Determination of bioactive, free isothiocyanates from a glucosinolate-containing phytotherapeutic agent: A pilot study with in vitro models and human intervention*, Fitoterapia, **12**, DOI:10.1016/j.fitote.2012.12.016
- 2. Alupului, A., Lavric, V., 2012, Artificial Neural Network Modeling of Ultrasound and Microwave Extraction of Bioactive Constituents from Medicinal Plants, Rev. Chim., **63**(7), 743-748
- 3. Dogaru, L., Lavric, V., 2012, Pareto approach in designing optimal semi-continuous water networks, Industrial and Engineering Chemistry Research, **51**(17), 6116–6136
- 4. Ofiteru, I. D., Ferdes, M., Knapp, C. W., Graham, D. W., Lavric, V., 2012, Conditional confined oscillatory dynamics of Escherichia coli strain K12-MG1655 in chemostat systems, Applied Microbiology and Biotechnology, **94**(1), 185-92
- 5. Stoenică, M., Buzatu, P., Lavric, V., 2012, *Multi-criteria optimization of a bioreactor-separator system used for biological treatment of wastewater, Rev. Chim.*, **63**(3), 298-304
- 6. Tudor, R., Lavric, V., 2011, *Dual-objective Optimization of Integrated Water/Wastewater Networks, Computers and Chemical Engineering* **35**(12), 2853-2866
- 7. Stoenică, M., Buzatu, P., Ferdeş, M., Ofiţeru, I.D., Graham, D., Lavric, V., 2011, Comparison of laboratory wastewater treatment systems with settlers: Effect of cycloheximide and recirculation ratio, Rev. Chim.. **62**(6), 633-638
- 8. Buzatu, P., Lavric, V., 2011, Optimal operating strategies of a submerged membrane bioreactor for wastewater treatment, Chem. Biochem. Eng. Q. **25** (1) 89–103.
- 9. Dogaru, L., Lavric, V., 2011, *Dynamic Water Network Topology Optimization of Batch Processes*, *Industrial and Engineering Chemistry Research*, **50**, 3636-3652
- Dinculescu, D., Lavric, E.D., Konnov, A.A., De Ruyck, J., Lavric, V., 2011, Experimental study of local axial mixing in a pilot-scale cold burner, Industrial and Engineering Chemistry Research, 50, 1070–1078
- Chi Fru, E., Ofiteru, I.D., Lavric, V., Graham, D.W., 2011, Non-linear Population Dynamics in Chemostats Associated with Live-Dead Cell Cycling in Escherichia coli strain K12-MG1655, Applied Microbiology and Biotechnology, 89, 791–798
- 12. Stoenică, M., Lavric, V., 2010, Searching for efficient operating conditions of wastewater treatment processes, Rev. Chim., **62** (10), 972-978.
- 13. Tudor, R., Lavric, V., 2010, Optimization of Total Networks of Water–Using and Treatment Units by Genetic Algorithms, Industrial and Engineering Chemistry Research, **49**, 3715-3731
- 14. Stoenică, M., Lavric, V., 2010, *Time scale behavior of a biological wastewater facility, Rev. Chim.*, **61**(4), 407-418
- 15. Popescu, A.R., Lavric, V., 2010, A new approach in modeling the flocs from biological wastewater treatment bioreactors, Rev. Chim., **61**(2), 206-212
- 16. Lavric, V., Graham, D., 2010, Birth, Growth and Death as Structuring Tools in Bacterial Population Dynamics, Journal of Theoretical Biology, **264**, 45-54
- 17. Woinaroschy, A., Ofiteru, I.D., Lavric, V., 2009, Exploratory investigation of bioprocesses sustainability improvement by multicriteria multilevel optimization, Environmental Engineering and Management Journal, 8 (3), 521-526
- 18. Alupului, A., Lavric, V., 2009, Extraction intensification using ultrasounds Case study: Glycosides from Stevia rebaudiana Bert., Rev. Chim., **60**(5), 497-500.
- 19. Iancu, P., Plesu, V., Lavric, V., 2009, Regeneration of internal streams as an effective tool for wastewater network optimisation, Computers & Chemical Engineering, 33 (3), 731-742

#### Research projects ( eventual cu link-uri care paginile web daca exista)

- Coordinator of two bilateral Belgian Romanian scientific projects:
- 1) Application of chemical pinch methodology in process industries (Co-promoter: prof. Jacques De Ruyck, VUB), WDGO339, April 2003 December 2004
- 2) Flame Characterization and NOx Reduction through Residence Time Distribution Analysis (Co-promoter: prof. Jacques De Ruyck, VUB),BWS04/05/MECHWER2, Jan.2005 Dec.2006
- Director of a PN2 project:

Complex behavior of mixed microbial populations induced by time scales and segregation. Case study: wastewater biological treatment process, PN2 – Ideas, 175/1.10.2007, Oct. 2007 – Sept. 2010

#### Other information

Recipient of the *Nicolae TECLU award* of the Romanian Academy's Chemical Division for *The Applications of Artificial Neural Networks in Chemical Engineering* – **1998**