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## **C) Publications:**

### **C.1) Research Papers:**

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2. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Vector design, construction, cloning and expression of human interleukin-1 receptor antagonist in *Escherichia coli* BL21 (DE3). No. 95-01-36-11913, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
3. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Enhancement of human interleukin-1 receptor antagonist production in high cell density cultivation of *Escherichia coli* using fed-batch cultivation strategy. No. 95-01-36-11914, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
4. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Culture medium optimization to maximize the human interleukin 1 receptor antagonist production and minimize the acetate excretion. No. 95-01-36-11915, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
5. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Aghaleh, M., Evaluating the cytotoxicity of monolayered and multilayered carbon nanotubes as a scaffold for human chondrocyte stem cell precursors and optimizing the operating conditions. No. 1396-01-36-14521, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
6. Morowvat, M.H., Farshad, O., Evaluating the cytotoxicity of monolayered and multilayered carbon nanotubes on three different human cell lines. No. 1396-01-36-14612, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
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8. Morowvat, M.H., Cloning, expression and enhancement of recombinant human teriparatide production in *Escherichia coli*. No. 1396-01-36-16033, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
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10. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Abdollahi, E., Irajie, C., Laboratory scale production of the biosimilar form of pegylated uricase (Pegloticase). No. 1396-01-106-16312, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
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14. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Studying the effects of different phosphorous concentrations on biomass and  $\beta$ -carotene production in nitrogen starved *Dunaliella salina*. No. 95-01-36-11911, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
15. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Effect of sulfur starvation on growth rate, biomass and lipid contents in the green microalgae *Scenedesmus obliquus*. No. 95-01-36-11912, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
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26. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Evaluation of antioxidant properties of some naturally isolated microalgae Identification and characterization of the most efficient strain. No. 93-01-36-7941, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
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30. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Optimisation of culture medium for enhanced biomass production by *Dunaliella salina*. No. 93-01-36-7749, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
31. Morowvat, M.H., Ghasemi, Y., Screening of some naturally isolated microalgal strains for poly unsaturated fatty acids (PUFA) production. No. 93-01-36-7750, Research deputy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran.
32. Morowvat, M.H., Vahidi, H., Babaeipour, V., Rajabi-Memari, H., Study of the effects of *ackA* and *pta* inhibition by antisense RNA on acetate excretion and recombinant beta interferon expression in *Escherichia coli*, No. 1391-1-94-9518, Research deputy, Faculty of Pharmacy, Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran.
33. Morowvat, M.H., Vahidi, H., Babaeipour, V., Enhancement of recombinant human interferon- $\beta$  production in high cell density cultivation of *Escherichia coli* including RNA antisense of *ackA* and

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34. Morowvat, M.H., Determination of growth kinetics of *Escherichia coli* BL21 (DE3) during interferon beta production, No. 1391-1-150-9422, Student Research Committee, Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran.
  35. Morowvat, M.H., Down regulation of acetate production using antisense RNA technology in *Escherichia coli*, No. 1391-1-150-9404, Student Research Committee, Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran.
  36. Morowvat, M.H., Enhancement of recombinant human interferon- $\beta$  production in high cell density cultivation of *Escherichia coli* using metabolic engineering method, No. 1391-1-150-9413, Student Research Committee, Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran.
  37. Morowvat, M.H., Application of different methods to regulate acetate production in *Escherichia coli* during recombinant protein production, No. 1391-1-150-9415, Student Research Committee, Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran.
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#### **D) Workshops:**

1. EndNote, July 11, 2012, Tehran, Iran.
2. Writing and Publishing a Scientific Paper, July 10, 2012, Tehran, Iran.
3. IPM-NUS Workshop on Computational Biology, April 5-7, 2011, Tehran, Iran.
4. Gene Delivery. January 29, 2009, Tehran, Iran
5. PCR amplification and electrophoresis of small subunit nuclear rRNA gene of microorganisms. December 25, 2007, Shiraz, Iran, (as lecturer).
6. Introduction to medical databases, December 14, 2007, Shiraz, Iran.
7. Two-dimensional electrophoresis and proteomics, November 27-29, 2007, Tehran, Iran.
8. Principles and Usage of Microarray technique in Molecular Biology, October 29-November 1, 2007, Shiraz, Iran.
9. Advance methods in DNA & RNA electrophoresis, October 29-November 1, 2007, Shiraz, Iran.
10. Two-Dimensional Electrophoresis and IEF, October 29-November 1, 2007, Shiraz, Iran.
11. Real Time PCR, October 29-November 1, 2007, Shiraz, Iran.

12. Bioinformatics and its Application in Biotechnology, October 23-27, 2007, Tabriz, Iran.
13. The first International workshop on Microalgal Biotechnology, September 9-10, 2007, Tabriz, Iran.

### **E) Laboratory and Technical skills:**

- PCR, Gel electrophoresis, SDS PAGE, Gel doc.
- DNA and RNA extraction, Plasmid extraction, RFLP, Transformation, Cloning
- Cell culture of microalgae, some bacteria and some mammalian cells
- Scale-up of recombinant proteins production using bioreactor
- Medium and strain optimization for recombinant protein production
- Isolation of microorganisms from nature and screening them for production of bioactive compounds
- Gram staining of bacteria
- 16S rRNA and 18S rRNA amplification of microalgae and plants and some bacteria
- Application of bioinformatics in biotechnology
- Extraction of lipids from microalgae, esterification and detecting them using GC-MS apparatus
- Antimicrobial activity, MIC, and composition of essential oils of plants using GC/MS apparatus
- Common laboratory skills (PH meter, Spectrophotometry, Centrifuge ...)
- Computer based skills (Microsoft office word, power point, publisher, Photoshop ...)
- Language based skills (professional in English, expert in German, acquaintance to Old Persian languages).

### **F) Activities:**

- Member of editorial committee of the Microbial Fuel Cell, July 2010-now.
- Member of editorial committee of the Iranian Journal of Pharmaceutical Research (IJPR), January 2010-now.

- Member of editorial committee of the Biofuel Research Journal, August 2014-now.
- Member of the referee committee of the 14<sup>th</sup> seminar of Iranian pharmacy students, February 11-14, 2009, Ahvaz, Iran.
- Member of the referee committee of the 1<sup>st</sup> global student scientific-research congress of regional cooperative committees-west division, March, 11-13, 2009, Khoram Abad, Iran.
- Member of the referee committee of 10<sup>th</sup> Students' International Conference on Biomedical and Interdisciplinary Research (SICOBAIR), May, 14-16, 2009, Tehran, Iran.
- Member of Research committee of students, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, 2007-8.
- Member of executive committee of the 9<sup>th</sup> Iranian congress of Toxicology, May, 15-17, 2007, Shiraz, Iran.
- Member of executive committee of the 6<sup>th</sup> Research Day of Pharmacy Students, January, 2, 2007, Shiraz, Iran.
- Member of executive committee of the university cultural week, December, 1-6, 2006.
- Member of executive committee of the 11<sup>th</sup> Seminar of Iranian Pharmacy Students, November, 9-11, 2005, Shiraz, Iran.
- Member of editorial committee of Ahouraii magazine, 2004-5.

### **G) Awards:**

- Awarded prize for the best elite researcher in 4<sup>th</sup> Congress of Iran's National Elites, Oct 2010, Tehran, Iran.
- Awarded prize for the best researcher student in 15<sup>th</sup> Razi Research Festival on Medical Sciences, Jan 2010, Tehran, Iran.
- Awarded prize for the best researcher student in Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Dec 2008, Tehran, Iran.
- Awarded prize for the best poster presentation at the 11<sup>th</sup> Seminar of Iranian Pharmacy Students, Nov, 9-11, 2005, Shiraz, Iran.

### **H) Membership:**

- Iran's National Elites Foundation
- Medical Council of Islamic Republic of Iran
- Iranian Society of Bioinformatics
- Iranian Society of Biotechnology

### **I) Research Interests:**

- Metabolic and Bioprocess Engineering of *Escherichia coli*
- Systems and Synthetic Biology
- Microalgal Biotechnology
- Pharmaceutical Biotechnology
- Microalgal Biofuels
- Monoclonal Antibodies Production

### **J) Work Experiences:**

- Technical assistant at Sina Darou Pharmaceutical Company
- Visitor researcher at CinnaGen Pharmaceutical Biotechnology Company
- Visitor researcher at Zist Darou Danesh Pharmaceutical Biotechnology Company
- Novel Technologies Advisor at Shafa Pharmed Pharmaceutical Biotechnology Company
- Scientific Advisor at Iranian Green Future (Algomed®) Pharmaceutical Company

### **K) Teaching Experiences:**

- Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, to Pharmacy students, School of Pharmacy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran; 2014-now.
- Biological Products, to Pharmacy students, School of Pharmacy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran; 2014-now.

- Fundamentals and Principles of Engineering in Medical Biotechnology, to PhD students of Medical Biotechnology, School of Advanced Medical Sciences and Technologies, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran; 2014-now.
- Biosafety, to PhD students of Medical Biotechnology, School of Advanced Medical Sciences and Technologies, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran; 2014-now.
- Nanobiotechnology, to PhD students of Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, School of Pharmacy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran; 2014-now.
- Cell Culture, to PhD students of Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, School of Pharmacy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran; 2014-now.
- Biology and Genetic Engineering, to PhD students of Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, School of Pharmacy, Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran; 2014-now.

#### **L) Supervised Theses and Dissertations:**

- Pharm. D. students' theses, 15.
- PhD. Students, 5
- DDS Students, 2

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