

PERSONAL INFORMATION



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Sex Male | Date of birth February 27, 1988 | Nationality Slovak

CURRENT POSITION

Postdoc

WORK EXPERIENCE

2017–onwards

Postdoc

Laboratory of Algal Biotechnology, Centre Algatech, Institute of Microbiology, Czech Academy of Science, Třeboň, Czech Republic

2016-2017

Research Scientist, Biological Center CAS, Institute of Soil Biology, České Budějovice, Czech republic

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2012-2016

PhD in molecular biology

Faculty of Science, Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovak republic

2010-2012

MSc in molecular biology

Faculty of Science Comenius, University in Bratislava, Slovak republic

2007-2010

Bc in biology

Faculty of Science, Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovak republic

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)

Slovak

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	B2	B1	B1	B1	B1
Czech	C1	C1	C1	C1	B1
German	A2	A1	A2	A2	A1
Polish	A1	A2	A2	A2	A2

Levels: A1/A2: Basic user - B1/B2: Independent user - C1/C2: Proficient user  
[Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Computer skills

MS Windows, MS Office

Biological Programs: GenBank Database BLAST, RAST annotation server, Chromas DNA sequencing software

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Experience in microalgae cultivation, determination of their physiological status by chlorophyll fluorescence methods; experience during master and PhD study in analysing microbial communities by cultivation-dependent and cultivation-independent methods, identification of bacteria and characterization of their biodegradation properties, isolation of nucleic acids, hybridization methods, preparation of metagenomic and 16S rRNA gene libraries.

**Pedagogical experience**

Teaching Molecular biology methods during doctoral studies at Comenius University, Faculty of Natural Sciences in Bratislava (2012-2015).

**Gained professional experiences**

November 2015 - participation in the workshop - DNA microarrays and Next generation sequencing workshop: Basics of bioinformatic data processing, Institute of Molecular Biology SAS, Bratislava

**Research topics**

Cultivation regimes of microalgae; development of chlorophyll fluorescence monitoring; genetically modified microalgae

## LIST OF SELECTED PUBLICATION

1. Microbial communities responsible for the degradation of poly(lactic acid)/poly(3-hydroxybutyrate) blend mulches in soil burial respirometric tests. Jeszeová, L., Puškárová, A., Bučková, M., Kraková, L., Grivalský, T., Danko, M., Mosnáčková, K., Chmela, Š., Pangallo, D. (2018) *World Journal of Microbiology and Biotechnology* 34(7).
2. Aerobic biodegradation of aromatic aliphatic copolyester induced by bacteria obtained from different environments. Grivalský, T., Rychlý, J., Rychlá, L., Bučková, M., Kraková, L., Puškárová, A., Orovčík, Ľ., Pangallo, D. (2018) *Journal of Polymers and Environment*. 26(2).
3. Assessment of microbial diversity in Saudi springs by culture-dependent and culture-independent methods. Selim, S., Hassan, S., Hagagy, N., Kraková, L., Grivalský, T., Pangallo, D. (2016) *Geomicrobiology*. 34(5).
4. Investigation of bacterial and archaeal communities: Novel protocols using modern sequencing by Illumina MiSeq and traditional DGGE-cloning. Kraková, L., Šoltys, K., Budiš, J., Grivalský, T., Ďuriš, F., Pangallo, D., Szemes, T. (2016) *Extremophiles*. 20(5).
5. Water-related environments: A multistep procedure to assess the diversity and enzymatic properties of cultivable bacteria. Grivalský, T., Bučková, M., Puškárová, A., Kraková, L., Pangallo, D. (2016) *World Journal of Microbiology and Biotechnology*. 32(3).
6. Biodeterioration of epoxyresin: A microbial survey through culture-independent and culture-dependent approaches. Pangallo, D., Bučková, M., Kraková, L., Puškárová, A., Šaková, N., Grivalský, T., Chovanová, K., Zemánková, M. (2015) *Environmental Microbiology*. 17(2).
7. Improved method for high-efficiency electrotransformation of *Escherichia coli* with the large BAC plasmids. Nováková, J., Izsáková, A., Grivalský, T., Ottmann, C., Farkašovský, M. (2014) *Folia Microbiologica*. 59(1).