



## Curriculum Vitae

### ***A-Personal data***

Name: Ardeshir  
Family name: Rahimi Midani  
Date of birth: Sept.1958  
Place of birth: M.I.S. Iran  
I.D. number: 3-M.I. S  
Maternity status: Married

### **B-Educational and professional back ground:**

<b><i>Degree:</i></b>	<b><i>Name of University:</i></b>	<b><i>Year:</i></b>
1-B.Sc.Agriculture ...	Raj.Uni.(India).....	1985
2-M.Sc. (Horticulture)...	Raj. Agri. Uni. (India)...	1988
3-Ph.D. (Horticulture)...	IARI-New Delhi (India)...	2000

### ***C-Thesis Title:***

#### ***C-1: M.Sc. (Horticulture) thesis title:***

*"Effects of different mulching materials and irrigation intervals on vegetable production and yields."*

#### ***C-2: Ph.D. thesis title:***

*"Studying the cause of embryo abortion and its rescue in stenospermocarpy grapes genotypes (Vitis vinifera L.) Applying C<sub>14</sub> sucrose radio isotopes".*

### **D-Present status:**

Assistance professor at Seed and plant Certification and Registration Institute –Tehran-Iran. **(Retired)**

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### **E-Research and educational activities:**

E-1 Research paper in English and Persian languages:

1- A.R.Midani,H.C.Sharma and S.K.Singh,(2001),Effect of basal media on *invitro ovulo* embryo culture establishment in some genotypes of grape. Ann.agric.Res.New series Vol. 22(3):434-436.

2-A.R. Midani (2002) Ovule culture and embryo rescue in grape. Agr.Res. Indian Hort.

3- A.R.Midani (2004) Studying the embryo abortion in stenospermocarp grapes genotypes of local varieties in Iran.(2004) .Proceeding of Second national biotechnology congress in Iran.

4-A.R.Midani (2004).Effect of different mulching material on yield of cauliflower (*Brassica oleracea* var.PSB\_1 (1996) j. seed and plant improvement Vol.11(3)

5-A.R.Midani (1997).Studying irrigation and organic mulches on vegetable production.(1997)

J. seed and plant improvement.Vol.2 (4).

6-Persimon Germplasms in Iran.(1991).1<sup>St</sup>.national horticulture congress in Iran-Karaj.

7-A.R. Midani and M.F. Lahijie (2003) Ethylene level a cut flower (*Rosa hybrida L.*)1<sup>st</sup> national congress on cut flowers. karaj\_Iran.

8-A.R. Midani and M.F. Lahijie (2006) Effect of iron and zinc sulphate on shelve life of Gladiolus spp. (*Gladiolus spp.*).4<sup>th</sup> national congress on cut flower and bulbous flowers.

9-Studying grape Germplasms in Iran. Varamin Agriculture Research center .Tehran .Iran,

10. Applying radioactive materials to trace embryo abortion in fruits.2<sup>nd</sup> national conference .tehran

11. Plantation and maintenances of trees in urban area.

12. Trees and shrubs suitable for the dry regions in Iran.

13. Pome fruits certification program in Azrbajan province in Iran. Final reports published.2017.

14. Stone fruits certification program in Azerbaijan province in Iran. Final reports. Published.2018

15. Citrus spp. Certification program in Khozestan province in Iran. Final report.2018

16. Technical officer on sugar cane cultivation. Hatf Tappeh Sugar cane industries. Khuzestan. Haft Tappeh.Iran. 1978.

17- Field evaluation of date palm plant driven through tissue culture techniques in Iran date palm cultivation zones from 2001 – 2019.

#### F- Teaching /Course in charge:

1-Regional training course on "Fruit Trees Germplasms Conservation and use" FAO. (2005-6)

2-Fruit tree propagation (3+1) under graduate course Tehran University – Aboureihan Agricultural complex.

3-Advance horticulture 3+1

4- Applied Tissue culture propagation in fruit trees (3+1). Cham-ran Agricultural University \_Iran

5- Tropical and subtropical fruit tree (3+1). Azad University – Iran.

6- Sanitation & Tissue culture production of subtropical fruit tree. (3+1)

7 \_ Sanitation of Citrus fruit tree.

8- Ornamental &medical plant propagation.

#### G-Research Activities:

Research works conducting:

- Studying Grapes genotypes in Iran for fresh consumption.
  - Micro propagation of grape cv. Perlet, In Iran
  - Studying and conduction plant materials (fruit trees) certification program in Iran.
  - Registration of commercial fruit trees varieties in Iran, Namely: Pomegranate varieties, Grapes cultivars, Olive varieties, Date palm fruit trees
- 5-studying Persimmon cultivars in subtropical region in Iran.

H- International visit and seminar attended:

- 1-Visit and training grapes growing in Krasnodar region – Russia 2005
- 2-Short course training on tissue culture propagation in Sochi –Russia
- 3-training fruit certification and registration in EU.(2005-6). Bari –Italy.

K-Thesis research works guided:

- 1-studying bulbous cut flower Germplasms in central part of Iran .M.Sc. (hort.) Thesis.
- 2-Iris growing in northern Iran. M.Sc.(Hort.) Thesis.
- 3-Papaver seed physiology and germination. Research work studying.
- 4-Grass & lawn seed studying.M.sc (Hort.) thesis.
- 5-To study and propagation of Hyacinthus spp. Through embryogenesis. M.Sc. thesis research work.

L-Executive and professional responsibilities:

- 1- Deputy Director in research:  
Varamin agriculture Research center .Varamin –Tehran .Iran 2000\_2005
- 2-Head of Horticulture Division .Varamin Agriculture Research center 1992\_1996
- 3-Deputy director for Horticulture.  
Seed and plant certification and registration Institute. Karaj Iran .2005\_2008.
  - Principle scientist and Head of Division of Plant material certification Dept.2008.continuing.
  - Representative in Agricultural section in D-8 economic Group during 2015- 2017.

M-International conferences:

- 1- 2017 Asian conference of Plant pathology. Jeju. South Korea. Key speech. “Plant material certification program.”

P-Book:

Handbook of plant material certifications program. 2018  
Pp.156. Pub. By Areeo, ministry of Agriculture in Iran.

2. Grapes cultivation for organic winemaking .2019.Armina.

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