

Birth place: Udine (Italy)

Birth date: January, 6th, 1959

EDUCATION

1978: School leaving examination taken after five years of "classic liceo" (High school major)

1985: Degree in Biology (MBA) University of Padua (Italy)

1986: State certification to practise the free profession

ACADEMIC POSITION

1985-1988: Awarded a three year scholarship from the Friuli-Venezia Giulia Region for a residency at the Institute of Food Technologies, University of Udine.

1988-1990: Ph.D. Program, obtained a scholarship for a doctorate in Food Technology and started my graduate programme at Udine University, Food Science Department.

1991-present: researcher at the Food Science Department (working group on Food Chemistry). Since 1990 I have mainly worked on lipids and dairy products fields.

1994: confirmed as a researcher, after nationwide curriculum examination

TEACHING POSITION

1996-1999: teacher of "Quality Control and Management", Viticulture and Winemaking program, University of Udine Birth place: Udine (Italy)