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*“Researching to contribute to maintaining sustainable agricultural production in the era of global climate change, and train next-generation scientists.”*

## RESEARCH EXPERTISE

- Plant adaptation to environmental stresses
- Genetic engineering for improvement of crop performance
- Signaling molecules and crosstalk
- Gene and metabolite regulatory networks

## PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION

- M.Sc. (Biotechnology) Godollo University of Agricultural Sciences, Hungary, 1994
- Ph.D. (Biological Sciences) Godollo University of Agricultural Sciences, Hungary, 1997

## FAVORITE ARTICLE

Li, W., Herrera-Estrella, L., & Tran, L. S. (2019). Do cytokinins and strigolactones crosstalk during drought adaptation? *Trends in Plant Science* 24, 669-672.  
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.tplants.2019.06.007>

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