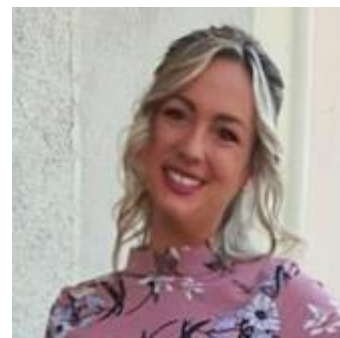


Curriculum Vitae et Studiorum

Personal information

Name
Nationality
Place of birth and date

Cristina Proserpio
Italian



Working experience

- December 2019 – present **Laboratory Researcher Assistant** at the Sensory & Consumers Science research group at the Dept. of Food, Environmental & Nutritional Science, University of Milan (Italy)
- January 2014 – present **Sensory Project Manager** provided by Italian Sensory Science Society (SISS) Responsible of training, design of interdisciplinary studies, development of research approaches and methods of investigation, interpretation of results and scientific dissemination in the sensory field
- February 2018 - December 2019 **Post-doc research fellowship (type A)** Dept. of Food, Environmental & Nutritional Science, University of Milan (Italy). Project's title: *'New foods with improved functionality: strategies to develop sustainable products through a sensory approach'* (tutor: prof. Ella Pagliarini)
- June 2017 - January 2018 **Post-doc research fellowship (type B)** Dept. of Food, Environmental & Nutritional Science, University of Milan (Italy). Project's title: *'ReMarcForFood - Biotechnological strategies for the conversion of winemaking by- products and their recycling into the food chain: development of new concepts of use'*(tutor: prof. Vera Lavelli)
- January 2014 - April 2017 **PhD in Food Systems** Dept. of Food, Environmental & Nutritional Science, University of Milan (Italy). Title of the thesis: *'Behavioral and physiological drivers of obesity: an investigation using a sensory approach'* (tutor: prof. Ella Pagliarini)
- March - June 2017 **Consulting activity** for QUARIS srl. Plate Project: "Phenilchetonuria Taste – Proteic amino acid-based substitutes vs GlycoMacroPeptide: acceptability and palatability in patients with phenylketonuria" (*supervision: prof. Ella Pagliarini, prof. Elvira Verduci*)
- August 2015 - December 2015 **Visiting researcher** at Division of Human Nutrition, Wageningen University, The Netherlands. Project's title: *'Study of the response to odors signaling different food products on appetite and food intake in normal weight subjects'* (*supervision: prof. Ella Pagliarini, prof. Kees de Graaf and prof. Sanne Boesveldt*)
- January - December 2011 **Billa Rewe-Group**
Consultant for sensory panel training, sensory evaluations and preparation of reports (*supervision: prof. Ella Pagliarini*)
- ### Education
- April 2017 **PhD in Food Systems**
Dept. of Food, Environmental & Nutritional Science, University of Milan (Italy). Thesis' title: *'Behavioral and physiological drivers of obesity: an investigation using a sensory approach'*(tutor: prof. Ella Pagliarini)

November 2014

Master degree in Food Science and Human Nutrition

Dept. of Food, Environmental & Nutritional Science, University of Milan (Italy).
Thesis' title: '*Synthesis of new derivatives isotiazolici with potential antifungal activity*'(tutor: prof. Sabrina Dallavalle)

April 2011

Bachelor degree in Food Science and Technology

Dept. of Food, Environmental & Nutritional Science, University of Milan (Italy).
Thesis' title: '*Evaluation of the perception of sweet taste of school- age children*'
(tutor: prof. Ella Pagliarini)

Expertise

Scientific research in the field of sensory and consumer science, food science and technology:

- food products optimization and sensory characterization
- sensory description and acceptability of new food products obtained by waste or by-products from the food chain
- sensory evaluation of food matrices for specific consumers target (e.g. vulnerable population)
- taste sensitivity evaluation in obese and normal weight subjects and implications on perception
- study of multisensory integration and odor influence on appetite and food intake

Award

- SISS Award (Italian Society of Sensory Sciences), 8th European Conference on Sensory and Consumer Research, Verona (Italy) September 2nd -5th, 2018
- Adacta International Award in Sensory & Consumer Science in memory of Annalisa Intermoia Participation in the conference: VI Conference of the Italian Sensory Society (SISS), Bologna (Italy) 30 November 30th - December 2nd, 2016
- E3S student's award granted by European Sensory Science Society. 7th European Conference on Sensory and Consumer Research, Dijon, (France) September 11th -14th, 2016

Personal skills

Native language

Italian

Other languages

English (fluent written and spoken)

Communication skills

- Excellent communicative-relational skills developed during the research career. Author of several scientific publications in peer-reviewed journals as well as results dissemination at national and international level
- Good ability to adapt to multicultural environments thanks to experiences carried out abroad

Organizational and management skills

- Excellent organizational skills
- Multitasking approach in developing and carrying out projects due to competences in food science and technology, human nutrition, sensory evaluation and consumer science
- Excellent skills in scheduling, managing time and meet deadlines
- Ability to communicate with team members to prioritize content tasks to achieve goals

Professional skills

- Excellent skills in carrying out sensory evaluations (discriminant, descriptive and hedonic methods) and consumers studies (e.g. eating behavior)
- Good skills in statistical processing of results as well as their interpretation improved over the years following specific courses:

- Basic & Advanced SAS University of Milan (Italy), June-July, September-October, 2014
- Multivariate Statistics University of Milan (Italy), May-June, 2016
- Preference mapping with sensory and consumer data, Alma Mater Studiorum University of Bologna, (Italy), January, 2014
- Multivariate Data Analysis –Level 1, Oslo Science Park, Oslo, (Norway) June, 2016
- Fizz-software solutions for sensory analysis and consumer tests. What's new? Camplus Living Bononia, Bologna (Italy), November, 2016

Digital skills

- Good knowledge of Windows, MacOS operating systems
- Habitual use of the Internet and the main e-mail programs
Excellent knowledge of the office package (Word, Excel and Power Point);
- Good knowledge of statistical analysis software:
 - Statgraphics
 - Fizz
 - SPSS
 - The Unscrambler
 - XLSTAT

Membership in groups / associations

- Member of the Italian Society of Sensory Sciences (since 2014)
- Italian representative of the Student and Early Stage Researcher Group of the European Sensory Science Society (E3S) (since 2015)

Scientific production

- <https://air.unimi.it/cris/rp/rp32702>

Driver license

B, car available

According to law 679/2016 of the Regulation of the European Parliament of 27th April 2016, I hereby express my consent to process and use my data provided in this CV and application for recruiting purposes

Milan, May 25th, 2022

Signature

Cristina Proserpio
