# MARYAM AKHBARI

# **CURRICULUM VITA**

Scientific degree: Assistant Professor of Organic Chemistry

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: Maryam Akhbari Birth Date: April 25, 1976 Place of Birth: Tehran, Iran

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**Current status:** Assistant Professor of Organic Chemistry

Research area: Phytochemistry, Biological activity of organic compounds, Organic synthesis

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### **UNIVERSITY EDUCATIONS**

1999-2003: Ph.D. in Organic Chemistry

Faculty of Chemistry, **Sharif University of Technology**, Tehran, I.R. Iran

1997-1999: M.Sc. in Organic Chemistry

Department of Chemistry, Faculty of Science, University of Tehran, Tehran, I.R. Iran

1993-1997: B.Sc. in Applied Chemistry

Department of Chemistry, Faculty of Science, K.N.T University of Technology, Tehran.

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#### HONORS/AWARDS

**1993:** Rank 2 among students in the field of Mathematical and Physics of **Shahid-Motahari High School** 

**1993:** The youngest B.Sc student at **K.N.T University of Technology** 

**1997:** Ranked first among all B.Sc graduate students of Chemistry, **K.N.T University of Technology** 

**1999:** Ranked first among M.Sc students of all branches of Chemistry, <u>Tehran University</u>

**1999:**Ranked first among 58 candidates in Ph.D entrance exam, **Sharif University of Technology** 

**2002:** The only Iranian student, selected for AIEJ student exchange program by <u>Tokyo</u> Institute of Technology

**2003:** Selected lecturer in National Conference of Teachers of Iranian Talented Students Center

**2003:** The youngest Ph.D graduate student at **Sharif University of Technology** 

From 2002 to now: Member of Institute of National Elite of Iran

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## Undergraduate Level

- 1- Organic Chemistry I, II&III
- 2- Laboratories of Organic Chemistry I &II
- 3- Organic Chemistry (and laboratory) for ChemicalEngineering Students
- 4- Organic Chemistry (and laboratory) for Biological science Students
- 5- Systematic Isolation and Identification of Organic Compounds
- 6- Spectroscopy of Organic Compounds
- 7- Studying Chemistry Texts and Literature

### Postgraduate Level

- 1- Advanced Organic Chemistry
- 2- Heterocyclic Chemistry
- 3- Physico-Chemical Control of Essential oils and Natural products and laboratory (For phytochemistry students)
- 4- Identification of natural products (For phytochemistry students)

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### A) Patents

 Micro scale rapid antioxidant evaluation kit (Iranian Patents, Declaration No: 139350140003004800, 2014) 2- Continues cold-vapor distillator (Iranian Patents, Registration No: 84392, **2014**)

## B) Translation

Heterocyclic chemistry at a glance, Written by: J. A. Joule, Published by:Wiley; Translated from English to Persian (2014), Daneshnegar publishing Co., Iran.

## C) Papers

- 1- "A novel one-pot synthesis of tetrasubstituted imidazoles under solvent-free conditions and microwave irradiation" Tetrahedron Letters, **2003**, 44(8), 1709–1711. (Third author)
- 2- "Oxidation of aromatic amines by iodic acid" *Monatsh. Chem*, **2003**, 134, 1561. (Second author)
- 3- "A novel and simple solvent free method for nucleophlic aromatic substituation" *Synth. Commun.***2004**, 34(15), 2783. (Second author)
- 4- "A new one-pot solvent free synthesis of diethyl 3,3-thiodipropenoate" *J. Sulfur Chem.***2004**, 25 (2-3), 95. (Second author)
- 5- "Oxidation of alcohols with 4-amino pyridinium chlorochromate" *Monatsh. Chem.* **2004**, 135, 793. (Second author)
- 6- "Efficient solvent free oxidation of phenols" *Russ. J. Org. Chem.* **2005**, 41, 935. (Second author)
- 7- "Solid phase regeneration of carbonyl compounds" *Lett. Org. Chem.* **2006**, 3, 121. (Second author)
- 8- "Comparative study of composition and biological activities of SDE prepared essential oils from flowers and fruits of two *Hypericum* species from Kashan, central Iran" *Nat. Prod. Res.***2012**, 26(3), 193-202. (First and corresponding author)
- 9- "Composition of essential oil and biological activity of extracts of *Viola odorata* L. from central Iran". **2012**, *Nat. Prod. Res.* 26(802), 802-809. (First and corresponding author)
- 10- "Comparative study on antioxidant activities of different extracts and composition of the oil extracted by n-hexane from Iranian *Vitex pseudo-negundo"*., **2012**, *Nat. Prod. Res.* (Second and corresponding author)

- 11- Study of free radical scavenging activity of water and ethanol extract of Artemisia sieberiBesser, **2012**, *Applied biology* (In Persian). (First and corresponding author)
- 12-Investigation of relationship between free radical scavenging activity and inhibition of lipid peroxidation of Artemisia dracunculus L., **2012**, *Applied biology* (In Persian). (First and corresponding author)
- 13-Investigation of anthocyanin contents and cytotoxic activity for different extracts of fruit peel of *Solanum melongena*L., **2013**, *Qom medical science university journal* (In Persian). (First and corresponding author)
- 14- Volatile fraction composition and biological activities of the leaves bark and fruits of *Caucasian wingnut* from Iran, **2013**, *Journal of Essential Oil Research*. (First and corresponding author)
- 15-Investigation of free radical scavenging fo*Mentha longifolia* L., **2012**, *Applied Biology* (In Persian). (First and corresponding author)
- 16-Effect of different essential oil extraction methods on quality and quantity of two species of *ZiziphoraL.*, **2013**, *Herbal medicines* (In Persian). (Second author)
- 17-Comparative Study of Antioxidant Activity of Extracts and Essential Oil Composition of *Artemisia absinthium*L. Prepared by Two Different Methods,**2014**, *Journal of Essential Oil, Bearing plants*. (First author)
- 18-Comparative Study of Antioxidant Activity of DifferentExtracts and Essential Oil Compositions Obtained from *Artemisia sieberi* Besser. using Two Different Methods, **2014**, *Oriental J. Chem.* (Second author)
- 19- SDE-prepared Oil Analysis and Evaluation of Antioxidant and Antibacterial Potentials of *Varthemia persica DC.*, **2014**, *Pharmaceutical sciences*. (First author)
- 20-Investigaton of chemical components of essential oil and antioxidant and antimicrobial activity of the extracted oil from *Mentha longifolia L.*, **2015**, *New Cellular and Molecular Biotechnology Journal*. (In Persian). (Accepted, First author)
- 21-Comparative study of hypericin contents and biological activity of *Hypericum perforatum* L. from different regions of Iran, **2015**, *Journal of Gorgan University of Medical Sciences*. (In Persian). (Accepted, First and corresponding author)
- 22-Evaluation of variation in chemical components and biological activity of Pterocarya fraxinifolia Lam. stems at different developmental stages, **2015**, *Journal of Medicinal Plants*. (Submitted, First author).

# D) Conferences

- 1- Composition of essential oils and antibacterial activity of extract of flowers and fruits of *Hypericum perforatum* L. from central Iran, **2010**, *International Medicinal and Aromatic Plants Symposium2*<sup>th</sup> *Iranian Phytochemistry Seminar*
- 2- Modifying β-carotene assay to evaluate antioxidant capacity in Aloe vera cream, **2010**, International Medicinal and Aromatic Plants Symposium2<sup>th</sup> Iranian Phytochemistry Seminar
- 3- Antibacterial activity of extract of Hypericum scabrum L. flowers and fruits from Kashan, Iran, **2010**, *International Medicinal and Aromatic Plants Symposium2*<sup>th</sup> *Iranian Phytochemistry Seminar*
- 4- Enhancement of free-radical scavenging activity in hydrating creams by addition of natural Aloe vera extract, 2010, International Medicinal and Aromatic Plants Symposium2<sup>th</sup> Iranian Phytochemistry Seminar
- 5- Comparative study of antioxidant activity in leaves and stems for two species of Hypericum from central Iran, 2010, International Medicinal and Aromatic Plants Symposium2<sup>th</sup> Iranian Phytochemistry Seminar
- 6- Free-radical scavenging activity & volatile oil constituents from *Stachys spectabilis*, **2011**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 7- Diphenylpicrylhydrazylinhibitoring potential and volatile oil constituents from *Demavendiapastinacifolia.*, **2011**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 8- "Radical scavenging property of *Pterocarya Fraxinifolia*L. methanol extract and constituents of the volatile oil"., **2011**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 9- "Comparative study of solvent polarity effects on radical-scavenging activity of fractions obtained from column chromatography for *Pterocarya fraxinifolia L.*, **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 10- "Phytochemical analysis of *Pterocarya fraxinifolia* L. from Guilan.", **2012**, *National conference*.
- 11-Cytotoxic and antimicrobial activity of *Achillea wilhelmsii* KOCH., **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 12-Influence of soxhlet and percolation techniques on antimicrobial activity of extracts of a ne endemic plantfrom juglandacea family, 2012, Iranian National conference.
- 13-Cytotoxic activity of a new species of pterocarya leaves and fruits from Iran, 2012, Iranian National conference.
- 14-Study of antimicrobial activity for essential oil of Pterocarya fraxinifolia L. from northern Iran, 2012, Iranian National conference.

- 15-Analysis of phytochemicals in methanol Extract of *Achillea wilhelmsii* KOCH. from Kashan, **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 16-Essential oil composition and antioxidant activity of *Tanacetum pinnatum*Boiss. From Kashan., **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 17- Antimicrobial Activity of Methanol Extract of *Ziziphora clinopodioides*L. From Qamsar-Kashan, **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 18-Inhibition of lipid peroxidation ability of *Ziziphora tenuior* L. and *Ziziphoraclinopodioides*L.extract.,**2012**,*Iranian National conference*.
- 19-Free-radical scavenging activity of Methanol Extract of Ziziphoratenuior L. and Ziziphoraclinopodioides L. from Qamsar., 2012, Iranian National conference.
- 20-Qualitative phytochemical analysis and evaluation of phenolic contents of methanol extract from *Ziziphoratenuior* L., **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 21-Cytotoxic activity of two species of Ziziphora from Qamsar., 2012, Iranian National conference.
- 22-Essential oil composition & antioxidant activity of *Rheum ribes* L from Ghamsar, Iran., **2011**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 23-Evaluation of total phenolic contents of two enflorence extracts of *Rheum ribes* L. **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 24-Comparative study of biological activity of methanol extracts from roots and stems of *Rheum ribes* L. **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 25-Antioxidant activity of methanol extract from aerial parts of *Sophora mollis* Backer from Kashan, **2013**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 26-Comparative study of total phenolic contents and antimicrobial activities for flowers, leaves and stems of *Sophora mollis* Backer, **2013**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 27-Chemical composition of stem essential oils of *Pterocarya fraxinifolia*L., **2013**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 28- Antioxidant activities of the bark of *Pterocarya fraxinifolia L.*, **2013**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 29- Antibacterial activity of extracts of *Salvia ceratophylla* L. from Kashan, **2013**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 30-Analysis of the essential oil components of *Mentha aquatic* L. collected in Tehran province, **2013**, *Iranian National conference*.

- 31-Comparative study of antioxidant activity of polar and non-polar extracts from aerial parts of *Salvia ceratophylla* L., **2013**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 32-Evaluation of free radical scavenging activity of plant extracts and essential oil of *Mentha Aquatica* L., **2013**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 33- Inhibition of lipid peroxidation activity of different extracts of *Salvia ceratophylla* L. from Kashan, **2013**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 34-Evaluation of Gallic acid equivalent of phenolic compounds in *Moltikia coerulea* L. from Iran, **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 35-Study of essential oil composition of *Tanacetum pinnatum* Boiss. extracted using different distillation methods, **2012**, *Iranian National conference*.
- 36- Comparative study of free radical scavenging activity for methanol extract of *Moltikia* coerulea L. from two regions, **2013**, *Iranian national conference*.
- 37-Encapsulated essential oils, researches, economy, trade, **2013**, *Iranian national conference*.
- 38-Investigation of relationship between hypericin contents and biological activity of *Hypericum perforatum* L. from different regions of Iran. **2015**, *Iranian national conference*.
- 39-Investigation of anthocyanin content and cytotoxic activity in different extracts of *Solanum melongena* L. **2015**, *Iranian national conference*.

### D) Theses

### D-1) PhD Thesis:

- 1- Investigation of phytochemical, cytogenetical and genetical characteristics of *Smirnovia iranica* L., **2013, Tehran University** (Supervisor).
- 2- Phytochemical investigation of Nepeta menthoides and evaluation of acetylcholine esterase inhibition activity, **2016**, **Tehran University** (Advisor).

## D-2) M.Sc Thesis:

1- Isolation and partial characterization of indiagenous moderate thermophilic bacteria, active in degrading polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons, **2008** (Advisor).

- 2- Identification of essential oil composition and antioxidant properties of *Hypericum scabrum* L. and utilizing it as a reagent in oxidation-reduction reactions, **2009** (Supervisor).
- 3- Study of biological properties and isolation of active components from an Iranian endemic plant species (*Pterocarya fraxinifolia* L.) using column chromatography, **2010** (Supervisor).
- 4- Investigation of anti-corrosion and antioxidant properties of *Hypericum perforatum* L., **2011** (Supervisor).
- 5- Investigation of anti-corrosion and antioxidant properties of *Pterocarya fraxinifolia* L. on steel, copper and aluminium, **2011** (Supervisor).
- 6- Identification of essential oil composition and antioxidant properties of *Artemisia dracunculus* L., **2011** (advisor).
- 7- Study of effects of parameters on yield and biological properties extracts from two species of *Mentha*, extracted under microwave irradiation, **2011** (Supervisor).
- 8- Study of effects of parameters on yields and biological properties of extracts from different parts of two species of *Allium*, extracted under microwave irradiation, **2011** (Supervisor).
- 9- Evaluation of hypericin content in different parts of *Hypericum perforatum* L. and study of its effect on antioxidant activity of the plant, **2011** (Supervisor).
- 10-Design of new method to evaluate antioxidant activity of hydrating and *Aloe-vera* cosmetic creams, **2012** (Supervisor).
- 11-Isolation of new compounds from *Pterocarya fraxinifolia* L. using column chromatography and structure identification via spectroscopic methods and comparative study of biological activity in phonological period, **2012** (Supervisor).
- 12-Study of quantitative and qualitative specifications of natural perfumes, extracted from *Rosa damascena* Mill.and investigation of environmental condition on it before and after harvesting, **2012** (Supervisor).
- 13- Design of a new apparatus of cold-vapor essential oil extraction and comparison of it with general methods for two endemic species from compositae family and investigation of phytochemical and biological properties of these plants, **2012** (supervisor).
- 14-Comparison of thermal methods with a novel method of cold vapor essential oil extraction from Ziziphora teniou and *Ziziphora clinopodioides* from Qamsara and investigation of phytochemical and biological properties of these plants, **2012** (supervisor).

- 15-Optimization of effective parameters in microwave assisted essential oil extraction from *Rosmarinus officinalis* via CCD method, **2013** (Supervisor).
- 16-Design of novel in-vitro assays to evaluate antioxidant activity of organic compounds, plant essential oils and extracts, **2013** (Supervisor).
- 17- Synthesis and investigation of in-vitro cytotoxicity of asymmetric bisbenzylidines and using them as standard of cytotoxicity of plant samples, **2013** (Supervisor).
- 18-Synthesis and investigation of in-vitro biological activity of symmetric bisbenzylidines and using them as standard of biological activity of herbal samples, **2013** (Supervisor).
- 19-Isolation and identification of molecular structure of some new compounds from *Cleome iberica* and evaluation of their anticancer activity on uterine cancer cells, **2013** (Supervisor).
- 20-Investigation of microwave irradiation effects on extraction yield and qualitative characteristics of natural products, extracted from *Hypericum scabrum* L. from Kurdistan, Iran, **2013** (Supervisor).
- 21-Synthesis of benzothiazole derivatives and comparative study of their antimicrobial effects, **2014** (Supervisor).
- 22-Preparation of polymer shell microcapsules of *Rosa damascene* essential oil, **2014** (advisor).
- 23-Optimization of effective parameters on qualitative and quantitative characteristics of *Rosa damascena* essential oil extraction, **2014** (Supervisor).
- 24-Investigation of Eeffects of some environmental stress on changing in essential oil composition of *Rosmarinus officinalis* L. , **2014** (advisor).
- 25-Nanocapsulation of flowers from *Rosa damascena* essential oil via SLN method and study of effective parameters on physical properties and amount of essential oil loading, **2014** (advisor).
- 26-Nanocapsulation of *Menthapiperita* essential oil and feasibility study about using it as a flavor and antibacterial additive in dairy products, **2014** (Supervisor).
- 27-Investigation of effects of parameters on yield and biological activity of essential oil and total extract from *Rosemarinus officinalis*, extracted using microwave irradiation in comparison with thermal condition, **2015** (Supervisor).
- 28-Study of novel method of ultrasonic generated-steam distillation for extraction of volatile oil from *Mentha spicata* L. **2015** (Supervisor).

### E) Projects

- 1- Reduction of aldehydes using hydroquinones in the presence of zinc powder, **2008**. Sponsor: Qom Branch, Islamic Azad University, Iran, 30,000,000 Rls.
- 2- Investigation of essential oil composition and biological activity of Viola odorata L. from Kashan, **2009**, Qom Branch, Islamic Azad University, Iran, 50,000,000 Rls.
- 3- Investigation of essential oil composition and biological activity of Pterocarya fraxinifolia L. and Hypericum scabrum L., **2011**, University of Kashan, Iran. 18,000,000 Rls.
- 4- Changing of ostrich oil smell, **2012**, Kamoo agro-industrial Co. 10,000,000 Rls.
- 5- Study of solvent effect on anthocyanin content in the extract of Solanum melongena L., cultivated in Iran, **2012**, University of Kashan, Iran. 10,500,000 Rls.
- 6- Investigation of microwave irradiation effect on extraction of hypericin from Hypericum perforatum L., **2013**, University of Kashan, Iran. 12,000,000 Rls.
- 7- Analysis of active components from the extract of a *Nepata plant* species, Homa Natural products Co. Iran. **2016-2017**, 160,000,000 Rls.
- 8- Isolation of some new flavonoides from a *Nepata* plant species using preparative HPLC. Homa Natural products Co. Iran. **2016-2017**, 135,000,000 Rls.