

**Part I: CURRICULUM VITAE****I. Personal**

- 1973 Born in Hadera, Israel  
1988 -1991 High-school education in Kibbutz Maagan-Michael  
1992 -1995 Military service

**II. University Education and Additional Training**

- 1999 – 2001 B.Sc. in Biology at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.  
2001 – 2003 M.Sc. in Genetics at the Department of Genetics, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.  
Title of thesis: Generation of a saturated tomato color mutant collection and cloning of the tomato color mutants white-flower and high-pigment 3, to study the genetic regulation of carotenoid biosynthesis in plants.  
Supervision by: Prof. Joseph Hirschberg  
2003 – 2008 Ph.D. in Genetics at the Department of Genetics, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.  
Title of thesis: Generation of a saturated tomato color mutant collection and cloning of the tomato color mutants white-flower and high-pigment 3, to study the genetic regulation of carotenoid biosynthesis in plants.  
Supervision by: Prof. Joseph Hirschberg  
2008 – 2010 Postdoctoral position at the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics, Max Planck Institute for Plant Breeding Research, Cologne, Germany.  
with Dr. Matthieu Reymond  
Title of research program: Using quantitative genetics and natural variation in *Arabidopsis thaliana* to study salt tolerance in plants.  
2012-2013 Postdoctoral position at the institute of Plant Sciences, Newe Ya'ar Research Center, Agricultural Research Organization, Israel.

with Dr. Nurit Katzir

Title of research program: Studying the genetic, molecular and physiological basis of fruit development and fruit quality traits in melon.

### **III. Positions Held and Academic Status**

2011-2012 Head of projects at NRGENE technologies. Job description: management of projects in which genomic and bioinformatic approaches are used for the development of DNA markers for rice and tomato breeding.

2014-present Banana and mango researcher at the Northern R & D.

### **LIST OF PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Articles in reviewed journals**

Cohen, S., Hadad, D., Lukyanov, V., Achiman, O., Tanny, J., **Galpaz, N.**, Israeli, Y., Londener, A., & Elingold, I. (2020). Exploiting dynamic changes in internal screenhouse climate to inform irrigation in bananas. *Acta Horticulturae*, 1268, 225–231.

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Portnoy V, Gonda I, **Galpaz N**, et al. Next-generation sequencing-based QTL mapping for unravelling causative genes associated with melon fruit quality traits. *Acta Horticulturae*. 2017;(1151):9-16.

Freilich S, Lev S, Gonda I, Reuveni E, Portnoy V, Oren E, Lohse M, **Galpaz N**, Bar E, Tzuri G, Wissotsky G, Meir A, Burger J, Tadmor Y, Schaffer A, Fei Z, Giovannoni J, Lewinsohn E, Katzir N. (2015) Systems approach for exploring the intricate associations between sweetness, color and aroma in melon fruits. *BMC Plant Biology* 15:71. IF: 3.631.

**2.a** Neuman H, **Galpaz N**, Zamir D and Hirschberg J. (2014). Map-based cloning of NEOXANTHIN-DEFFICIENT 1 (NXD1) in tomato sheds new light on neoxanthin synthesis. *Plant J*. 78:80-93. IF: 5.468.

**3.a** **Galpaz N**, Burger Y, Lavee T, Meir A, Tzuri G, Portnoy V, Bar E, Shimoni-Shor E, Saar Y, Saar U, Baumkoler F, Lewinsohn E, Schaffer A, Katzir N and TadmorY. (2013). Transcriptional up regulation of the carotenoid pathway revealed in fruits of the melon YOF mutant. *Arch Biochem Biophys*. 539: 117-25. IF: 3.01.

**4.a** **Galpaz N** & Reymond M. (2010). Natural variation in *Arabidopsis thaliana* revealed a genetic network controlling germination under salt stress.

Plos One, e15198. doi:10.1371 .IF: 3.23.

**5.a** **Galpaz, N.**, Wang Q., Menda N., Zamir D., Hirschberg J. (2008). Abscisic acid deficiency in the tomato mutant high-pigment 3 (hp3) leading to increased plastid number and higher fruit lycopene. *Plant J*. 53: 717-30. IF: 5.468.

**6.a** **Galpaz, N.**, Ronen G., Khalfa Z., Zamir D., Hirschberg J. (2006).

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**galfaz g, gal a, alingold u, bronstein sh, zitayi i** (2018): בוחנה ראשונית של רשותות תרמיות להגנת בונות מנזקי קרה. *עלון הנוטע*. 4: 35-40.

**galfaz g, priman s, loyi i** (2017): התמודדות עם מחלת פנמה בבונות: תובנות מסיור מקצועית באוסטרליה. *עלון הנוטע*. 5: 18-22.