

YONGHUI DONG



EDUCATION

Oct.2010

Jun.2014

Trento University, Italy

PhD in Analytical Chemistry

Supervisors: Dr.Pietro Franceschi, Dr.Fulvio Mattivi & Prof.Guella Graziano

Thesis: Mass Spectrometry Imaging: Looking Fruits at Molecular Level

Sep.2008

Sep.2010

Bologna University, Italy

Munich University of Technology, Germany

BOKU University, Austria

Triple MSc. in Horticulture Science

Supervisors: Dr. Stefano Tartarini, Dr. Luca Dondini & Prof. Dieter Treutter

Thesis: QTL Analysis of Sugars and Organic Acids in Apricot

Sep.2003

Jun.2006

Northwest A&F University, China

BSc. in Bioengineering

Supervisor: Prof. Zhihui Cheng

Thesis: Effects of UV-C on the control of cucumber powdery mildew



RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Jan. 2021

Present

Researcher

Tel Aviv University, Israel

Dec. 2014

Dec. 2020

Postdoctoral Research Fellow

Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel

Supervisor: Prof. Asaph Aharoni

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Mass Spectrometry Imaging

Metabolomics

Chemoinformatics

SKILLS

Programming Languages:

R (8/10)

Python (6/10)

MATLAB (6/10)

R packages:

MSbox

Miso

CCWeights

RawHummus

Last updated on 2021-07-17.

Jul. 2014

Nov.2014

Research Associate

Trento University, Italy

Supervisor: Prof.Guella Graziano



PUBLICATIONS

2021

18. Characterization of the PRODUCTION OF ANTHOCYANIN PIGMENT 1 Arabidopsis Dominant Mutant using DLEMMA Dual Isotope Labeling Approach

Phytochemistry, 186

Yonghui Dong, Liron Feldberg, Ilana Rogachev, Asaph Aharoni

17. The GORKY glycoalkaloid transporter is indispensable for preventing tomato bitterness

Nature Plant, 7, 468-480

Yana Kazachkova, Itay Zemach, Sayantan Panda, Samuel Bocobza, Andrii Vainer, Ilana Rogachev, Yonghui Dong, Shifra Ben-Dor, Dorottya Veres, Christa Kanstrup, Sophie Konstanze Lambertz, Christoph Crocoll, Yangjie Hu, Eilon Shani, Simon Michaeli, Hussam Hassan Nour-Eldin, Dani Zamir, Asaph Aharoni

2020

16. High mass resolution, spatial metabolite mapping enhances the current plant gene and pathway discovery toolbox

New Phytologist, 2020, 228:1986-2002.

Yonghui Dong, Prashant Sonawane, Hagai Cohen, Guy Polturak, Liron Feldberg, Shelly Hen Avivi, Ilana Rogachev, Asaph Aharoni

15. Rhizosphere microbiome mediates systemic root metabolite exudation by root-to-root signaling

Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, 2020, 7:3874-3883.

Elisa Korenblum, Yonghui Dong, Jedrzej Szymanski, Sayantan Panda, Adam Jozwiak, Hassan Massalha, Sagit Meir, Ilana Rogachev, Asaph Aharoni

2019

14. Miso: an R package for multiple isotope labeling assisted metabolomics data analysis

Bioinformatics, 2019, 35:3524-3526.

Yonghui Dong, Liron Feldberg, Asaph Aharoni

13. A Multilevel Study of Melon Fruit Reticulation Provides Insight into Skin Lignosuberation Hallmarks

Plant Physiology, 2019, 179:1486-1501.

Hagai Cohen, Yonghui Dong, Jedrzej Szymanski, Justin Lashbrooke, Sagit Meir, Efrat Almekias-Siegl, Viktoria Valeska Zeisler-Diehl, Lukas Schreiber, Asaph Aharoni

12. In plaque-mass spectrometry imaging of a bloom-forming alga during viral infection reveals a metabolic shift towards odd-chain fatty acid lipids

Nature Microbiology, 2019, 3:527-538.

Guy Schleyer, Nir Shahaf, Carmit Ziv, Yonghui Dong, Roy A Meoded, Eric JN Helfrich, Daniella Schatz, Shilo Rosenwasser, Ilana Rogachev, Asaph Aharoni, Jörn Piel, Assaf Vardi

- 2018 ● **11. DLEMMA-MS-imaging for identification of spatially localized metabolites and metabolic network map reconstruction**
Analytical Chemistry, 2018, 17:10231-10238.
Liron Feldberg, **Yonghui Dong (co-first author)**, Uwe Heinig, Ilana Rogachev, Asaph Aharoni
- **10. Mapping of cell wall aromatic moieties and their effect on hygroscopic movement in the awns of stork's bill**
Cellulose, 2018, 25: 3827-3841.
Yael Abraham, **Yonghui Dong**, Asaph Aharoni, Rivka Elbaum
- 2017 ● **09. TLC surface integrity affects the detection of alkali adduct ions in TLC-MALDI analysis**
Analytical and Bioanalytical Chemistry, 2017, 409: 5661-5666.
Yonghui Dong, Ruggero Ferrazza, Andrea Anesi, Graziano Guella, Pietro Franceschi
- **08. Engineered gray mold resistance, antioxidant capacity, and pigmentation in betalain-producing crops and ornamentals**
Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, 2017, 14: 9062-9067.
Guy Polturak, Noam Grossman, David Vela-Corcia, **Yonghui Dong**, Adi Nudel, Margarita Pliner, Maggie Levy, Ilana Rogachev, Asaph Aharoni
- **07. Impact of tissue surface properties on the desorption electrospray ionization imaging of organic acids in grapevine stem**
Rapid Communications in Mass Spectrometry, 2016, 30: 711-718.
Yonghui Dong, Graziano Guella, Pietro Franceschi
- 2016 ● **06. More than pictures: when MS imaging meets histology**
Trends in Plant Science, 2016, 21: 686-698.
Yonghui Dong, Bin Li, Asaph Aharoni
- **05. Sample preparation for mass spectrometry imaging of plant tissues: a review**
Frontiers in plant science, 2016.
Yonghui Dong, Bin Li, Sergey Malitsky, Ilana Rogachev, Asaph Aharoni, Filip Kaftan, Aleš Svatoš, Pietro Franceschi
- **04. Identification of microRNAs and their targets associated with fruit-bagging and subsequent sunlight re-exposure in the "Granny Smith" apple exocarp using high-throughput sequencing**
Frontiers in plant science, 2016.
Dong Qu, Fei Yan, Rui Meng, Xiaobing Jiang, Huijuan Yang, Ziyi Gao, **Yonghui Dong**, Yazhou Yang, Zhengyang Zhao
- **03. Analytical capabilities of mass spectrometry imaging and its potential applications in food science**
Trends in Food Science & Technology, 2016, 47: 50-63.
Bin Li, Sage JB Dunham, **Yonghui Dong**, Sohee Yoon, Maomao Zeng, Jonathan V Sweedler
- 2015 ● **02. High production of small organic dicarboxylate dianions by DESI and ESI**
Journal of The American Society for Mass Spectrometry, 2015, 26: 386-389.
Yonghui Dong, Graziano Guella, Fulvio Mattivi, Pietro Franceschi

- 2012 ● **01. Combining intensity correlation analysis and MALDI imaging to study the distribution of flavonols and dihydrochalcones in Golden Delicious apples**
Journal of experimental botany, 2012, 63: 1123-1133.
Pietro Franceschi, **Yonghui Dong**, Kerstin Strupat, Urska Vrhovsek, Fulvio Mattivi



POSTERS & TALKS

- 2017 ● **Application of MS Imaging in Plant Sciences (Talk)**
Mass Spectrometry Imaging Symposium (France)
- **More than Pictures: When MS Imaging Meets Histology (Talk)**
Spring School for Advanced Imaging in Biological Research (Israel)
- 2015 ● **Mass Spectrometry Imaging of Plant Metabolites (Poster)**
Isranalytica 2015 (Israel)
- 2014 ● **Tissue Surface Properties Jeopardize Quantitative DESI Imaging of Organic Acids in Grapevine Stem (Poster)**
20th International Mass Spectrometry Conference (Switzerland)
- 2013 ● **MS Imaging of Metabolites in Fruits (Poster)**
3rd MS Food day (Italy)
- 2012 ● **MS Imaging of Small Metabolites in Fruits (Talk)**
Ourense Conference on Imaging Mass Spectrometry (Spain)



HONORS & AWARDS

- 2014 ● **COST Action FA1101 trainee fellowship in saffronomics, Spain**
- 2011 ● **Trento University PhD scholarship, Italy**
- 2010 ● **FEM GMPF scholarship, Italy**
- 2008 ● **Erasmus Mundus Scholarship, European Union**
- 2005 ● **Undergraduate Mathematical Modeling Contest, First Prize, China**