

## ANNUAL DECLARATION OF INTERESTS (ADoI)

*(Please note that high quality of scientific expertise is by nature based on prior experience and that therefore having an interest does not necessarily mean having a conflict of interest)*

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**Title:** Dr.

**Profession:** Plant Virologist

**Current EFSA involvements:** Member-PLH Panel 2015-2018 (PLH), Chair-Vitis response to Xylella fastidiosa CoDiRO (EFSA-Q-2015-00547) (PLH)

Nature of Activities	Period	Organisation	Subject matter
<b>I. Economic interest</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>II. Member of a managing entity or equivalent structure</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>III. Member of a scientific advisory entity</b>	05/2011 - now	-Name: Dutch Plant Protection service (Q-bank), NETHERLANDS	www.Q-bank.eu  Q-bank curator of the database of regulated plant pests. Plant Virus database development, Curator of data input and validation, curating physical accessions and inventory, establishing minimal datasets for virus isolate descriptions and quality control.

<b>IV. Employment</b>	06/1995 - now	-Name: Leibniz Institut DSMZ-Deutsche Sammlung von Mikroorganismen und Zellkulturen GmbH - German Collection of Microorganisms and Cell Cultures, Plant Virus Collection, Braunschweig, GERMANY	Plant Virus Diagnosis. Primary diagnosis and identification of virus, virus indexing techniques, protocols and reagents.
<b>V. Occasional consultancy</b>	01/2008 - now	-Name: FAO IPPC (International Plant Protection Organisation)	Main author of the diagnosis protocols for viruses transmitted by Bemisia tabaci. This diagnostic protocol is under development for the IPPC Technical Panel on diagnostic protocols (TPDP, <a href="https://www.ippc.int/index.php?id=1110710">https://www.ippc.int/index.php?id=1110710</a> ), to be adopted, once completed, by the IPPC Commission on Phytosanitary Measures and published as Annex to the ISPM 27 in the IPPC webportal.
	06/1995 - now	-Name: Julius Kuehn Institute, Federal Research Centre for Cultivated Plants, Institute for Plant Health	Virus and viroid diagnosis. Provision of baseline data for risk assessment of viruses and viroids: Virus and viroid world distribution, host range, diversity and biological features of strains and geographic isolates, vector transmission and occurrence of insect vectors. Reference testing.  Non remunerated.
<b>VI. Research funding</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>VII. Intellectual property rights</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>VIII. Other memberships or affiliations</b>	01/2007 - now	-Name: Deutsche Phytomedizinische Gesellschaft	Membership, plant pathology and virology, plant protection.
	01/2000 - now	-Name: European Plant Protection Organisation EPPO	Ad hoc member of viroid diagnostics group
	01/1996 - now	-Name: Society of Microbiology American Phytopathology Society	Membership, plant pathology and virology, plant protection
<b>IX. Other relevant interest</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>X. Interests of close family members</b>			NO INTEREST

I hereby declare that I have read both the Guidance Document on Declarations of Interests and the Procedure for identifying and handling potential conflict of interests and that the above Declaration of Interests is complete.

Date: 30/09/2015      Signature: **SIGNED**