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RECENT RESEARCH FIELDS

1. Plant virology
2. Disease-resistant transgenic plants and plant bioreactors
3. Optimization of transgene expression in plants

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1979-1981 Visiting Scholar in Laboratory of Molecular Biology,

The State University of Ghent, Belgium.

1985-1988 Visiting Scientist in Laboratory of Plant Molecular Biology,
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MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

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