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Summary:

Ph.D. & M.Sc. in Pharmacology from Canada with experience in academia and pharmaceutical drug discovery. Teaching, managing, training and leading students and independent investigators. Expertise in general pharmacology, toxicology, molecular mechanism of drug action, receptor biology, G-protein-coupled receptors (GPCRs), signal transduction pathways, cardiovascular, central nervous system, and ophthalmology.

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- 1987 – 1990 **Associate Research Scientist, Department of Pharmacology, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, CT, USA**
- 1985 – 1987 **Post-Doctoral Fellow, Department of Pharmacology & Therapeutics, Cell Regulation Group, Faculty of Medicine, The University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, Canada**
- 1980 – 1985 **PhD Graduate studies, Department of Pharmacology & Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C., Canada**
- 1978 – 1980 **MSc Graduate Studies, Department of Pharmacology, Faculty of Medicine, Dalhousie University, Halifax, N.S., Canada**
- 1977 – 1978 **Assistant Lecturer, Dept. of Food Chemistry & Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Tehran University, Tehran, Iran**
- 1975 – 1977 **Research Investigator, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Faculty of Pharmacy, Tehran University, Tehran, Iran**

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- 2017 - 2017 **Project Director, NEOMED Institute, Montreal, Québec, Canada**
- 2014 - 2016 **Vice President & Head of Discovery Biology, Advinus Therapeutics Ltd., Pune, Maharashtra, India**
- 2010 – 2014 **Director, GPCR BioSciences Inc., Laval, Québec, Canada**
- 2005 - 2009 **Director of Research, Acucela Inc., Bothell, WA, USA**
- 2004 - 2005 **Director of Drug Discovery Biology, Avance Pharma Inc., Laval, Québec, Canada**
- 1997 - 2003 **Sr. Principal Scientist, CV & CNS Pharmacology, Schering-Plough Res. Inst., NJ, USA**
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Education:

- Ph.D.** (1985) **Division of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, The University of British Columbia, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.**
- M.Sc.** (1980) **Dept. of Pharmacology, Faculty of Medicine, Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada.**
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- Pharm.D.** (1974-75) **Faculty of Pharmacy, Tehran University, Tehran, Iran.**
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Publications: 65 research articles & 43 presentations and abstracts in international symposia.

Professional Activities at the New York Academy of Sciences (NYAS) (1990 - 2010)

Organized and chaired several symposia at the NYAS (1990-2003).

Member of the executive committee of the NYAS Biochemical Pharmacology Discussion Group (BPDG) (1992 - 2010).

Program coordinator of the BPDG at the NYAS (2000 - 2001).

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS in International Journals

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- 7) Ho, G.D., Anthes, J., Bercovici, A., Caldwell, J.P., Cheng, K.C., Cui, X., **Fawzi, A.**, Fernandez, X., Greenlee, W.J., Hey, J., Korfmacher, W., Lu, S.X., McLeod, R.L., Ng, F., Torhan, A.S., Tan, Z., Tulshian, D., Varty, G.B., Xu, X., and Zhang, H. (2009): The discovery of tropane derivatives as nociceptin receptor ligands for the management of cough and anxiety, *Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett.* 19(9): 2519-2523.
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