CURRICULUM VITAE J N ELOFF
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# 1. BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Surname	Eloff	Eloff											
First names	Jacobus Nicolaas				•	IE N	) lumber	3	908195088	8001			
Citizenship	South	African			Title	Prof.		Female	)	Male √			
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Organisation	Univers	sity of Pr	etoria										
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1.2 ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS OBTAINED					
Degree/ Diploma	Field of study	Higher education institution	Year		
B.Sc.	Chemistry/Botany	Potchefstroom University	1959		
B.Sc. Hons	Chemistry	Potchefstroom University	1960		
MSc.	Chemistry	Potchefstroom University	1962		
B.Sc. Hons	Botany	Potchefstroom University	1963		
M.Sc.status	Plant Biochemistry	Potchefstroom University	1965		
D.Sc.	Plant Biochemistry	Potchefstroom University	1967		
Certificate	Executive Management	University Stellenbosch	1984		
Certificate	Strategic Management	University Stellenbosch	1986		

	1.3 WORK EXPERIENCE TO DATE	
Name of employer	Capacity and/or type of work	Period
Agricultural Research Institute	Professional Research Officer	1961-1964

Highveld Region		
University Pretoria	Lecturer Plant Physiology and Biochemistry	1964-1968
Potchefstroom University	Senior Lecturer Botany	1968-1969
Free State University	Professor, Head of Department of Botany	1970-1983
National Botanic Gardens Kirstenbosch	Executive Director and Harold Pearson Professor of Botany at University of Cape Town	1983-1989
National Botanical Institute	Director of Research and Honorary Professor University Pretoria, Stellenbosch, Rand Afrikaans University	1990-1993
Pro Scientia CC	Independent Consultant Scientific Services, Editor Scientific Journal, Teach RAU	1994-1995
University Pretoria	Senior Lecturer Pharmacology –Research on Medicinal Plants, Faculty of Health Sciences	1995-2001
University Pretoria	Leader Phytomedicine Programme and Research Professor, Faculty of Veterinary Science	2002-

# 2. TEACHING AND LECTURING DUTIES

# 2.1 Courses presented since 2000

Course	Level	Self developed (Yes or No)
Background to medicinal plants and isolation of bioactive compounds		
·	Masters and Doctorate	Yes
Scientific Basis to the use and quality control of herbal medicines	Professional Pharmacists and public	Yes
Challenges in commercializing of plant based products	Scientists for international workshops	Yes

# 3. POST GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH OUTPUTS

# 3.1 Former supervision or co-supervision (completed)

# 3.1.1 MSc students

Name of student	Degree and date, University, project title	Supervis	Co-super-visor(s)
		or	
1 Grobbelaar, J.U.	MSc 1971 (UOFS). Studies on open dynamic cultivation	E M van	J N Eloff
	systems for algae	Zinderen	
		Bakker	
2 Pretorius, J.A.	MSc 1978 (UOFS). Groei van Microcystis aeruginosa op	J N Eloff	
	agarmedium.		
3 Janse van Vuuren,	MSc 1979 (UOFS). Die invloed van ligintensiteit en ligkwaliteit	J N Eloff	
M.M.	op die groei van <i>Microcystis</i> .		
4 de Wet, J.S.	MSc 1980 (UOFS). Die groei van Microcystis met aminosure	J N Eloff	
	as stikstofbron.		
5 van Wyk, P.W.J.,	MSc1980 (UOFS). Ultrastrukturele karakterisering van sekere	J N Eloff	
	sellulêre insluitsels van <i>Microcystis</i> .		
6 Scott, G.	MSc 1985 (UCT). The systematic significance of certain	J N Eloff	
	flavonoids in the genus Protea L.		
7 van Schalkwyk,	MSc 1986 (UCT). Voorkoms van vry aminosure in die genus	J N Eloff	
A.J.,	Protea L.		
8 Powrie, L.W.	MSc 1986 (UCT). The distribution of free amino acids in	J N Eloff	
	Diastella Salisb., Leucospermum R.Br. and some other		
	members of the Proteaceae.		

9 Prosch, D	MSc 1986 (UCT). An evaluation of free amino acids as	J N Eloff	
	chemotaxonomic markers in <i>Protea</i> L. species.		
10 Smit, E.J.	MSc 1984 (UOFS). Pigment composition of different	J N Eloff	
	Microcystis isolates and variation with culture		
	conditions.		
11 Koning, G	MSc 1993 (UP). Fractionation of coal-derived humates.	J N Eloff	A van de Venter
12 Hamman, B	MSc 1993 (UP) Mode of action of coal-derived humates.	A van de	J N Eloff
		Venter	

	T	Livier of	T
13 Martini, N.	MSc 1998 (UP). Extraction and separation of antimicrobial	J N Eloff	
(distinction)	components from Combretum erythrophyllum.	IN EL.	
14 Kotzé, M	MSc 2000 <b>(UP)</b> . An investigation of antibacterial compounds in <i>Combretum microphyllum</i> (Klotsch)	J N Eloff	
15 Marais, A	MSc 2001 (UP). Increased-rate stability studies for St John's	J N Eloff	R van Brummelen
(distinction)	wort (Hypericum perforatum), Ginkgo biloba and Kava		
	Kava ( <i>Piper methysticum</i> ) under unfavourable		
1/ Dallat A O	environmental conditions.	J N Eloff	R van Brummelen
16 Retief, A C	MSc 2001 <b>(UP)</b> . Analysis of sterols and sterolins in <i>Hypoxis</i> hemerocallidea and related herbal medicine	J IN CIOII	R van brummelen
(distinction)		J N Eloff	R van Brummelen
17 Ntloedibe, D T	MSc 2002 <b>(UP)</b> . Identification of commercially used herbal material for quality control purposes.	J IN EIUII	R van brunnneien
(distinction)		J N Eloff	D Katerere
18 Famakin, J O	MSc 2002 <b>(UP)</b> . Isolation of antimicrobial compounds present in <i>Combretum woodii</i>	J IN EIUII	D Kalerere
(distinction)		J N Eloff	
19 Manana, J V	MSc 2003 <b>(UP)</b> . Developing techniques to identify commonly used traditional herbal medicine for quality control	J IN CIUII	
(distinction)	purposes		
20 Serage, S A	MSc 2003 (UP). Isolation of antimicrobial compounds present	J N Eloff	D Katerere
(distinction)	in <i>Combretum apiculatum</i> subsp apiculatum		
21 Moloto, Marea	MSc 2004 (Medunsa) Isolation of antibacterial compounds from	J Shai	J N Eloff
(distinction)	Ziziphus mucronota		
22 Chikoto, Havana	MSc. 2004 (UP). Development of a novel extraction system for	J N Eloff	
(distinction)	proanthocyanidins		
23 Naidoo, Vinnasan	MSc 2004 (UP). Screening of selected plants used in	J N Eloff	G E Swan
(distinction)	ethnoveterinary medicine for treatment of tick borne		
	diseases in South Africa, for antimicrobial and		
0.1.0	antiparasitic activity	I NI Floff	C Datha
24 Beukes, Suzette (distinction)	MSc 2004 (UP). In vitro antimicrobial activity of phytomedicine	J N Eloff	F Botha
25 Nchu, Felix	against oral bacteria  MSc 2004 (Medunsa) Developing methods to assay plant	S Magano	J N Eloff
(distinction)	extracts for tick control	o magano	3 IV LIOII
26 Zishiri, Vincent	MSc 2004 (UP). Potentising and application of a <i>Combretum</i>	J N Eloff	C J Botha
(distinction)	woodii leaf extract with high antibacterial and antioxidant		
	activity		
27 Komape, Patience	MSc 2005 (Limpopo) Biological activity of leaf extracts of	J N Eloff	S P Songca
	Combretum vendae and isolation of an antibacterial		
00.4	compound	I N Floff	L IMoCow
28 Angeh, Irene (distinction)	MSc 2006 (UP). Development of a antifungal plant extract to protect plants.	J N Eloff	L J McGaw
29 Mothibe, Mamza	MSc 2006 (Limpopo) The therapeutic and toxicological	JN Eloff	P van Wyk
27 MOUTINE, Martiza	properties of <i>Combretum woodii</i> leaf extracts	SIV LIOII	l van wyk
30 Zorloni, Alberto	MSc 2007 (UP). Evaluation of antitick activity of plant species	J N Eloff	B Penzhorn
(distinction)	used in Ethiopia		
31 Kgatle, Thomas	MSc 2007 (UP). Evaluation of antioxidant activity of members of	M Aderogba	J N Eloff
(distinction)	the Combretaceae		
32 Mokoka,	MSc 2007 (UP). Isolation and characterization of compounds	L J McGaw	J N Eloff
Tsholofelo	active against <i>Cryptococcus neoformans</i> from tree		
(distinction)	leaves	IN Cloff	S Magana
33 Mawela, Gloria	MSc 2008 (UP). Development of botanicals with insect toxicant	JN Eloff	S Mogane
24 Icca Muraina	and repellent properties for control of tick infestation	AO Adaudi	JN Eloff
34 Issa Muraina (distinction)	MSc 2008 (Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria, Nigeria) In vitro screening for safe and effective antimycoplasma plant(s)	AO Auduui	JIV LIUII
		L Mampuru	JN Eloff
35 Stanley Gololo 36 Adamu Kaikabo	MSc 2009 (UL) Isolation of active compounds of Senna species  MSc 2009 (UP). Isolation and characterization of antibacterial	JN Eloff	B Samuel
JU AUAITIU NAIKADU	I WISC 2007 (UF). ISOIANON AND CHARACTERIZATION OF ANTIBACTERIAL	SIN LIUII	Douniuci

(distinction)	compounds from a Garcinia livingstonei (Clusiaceae) leaf extract.		
37 Moraba Meela (distinction)	MSc 2009 (UP). Evaluation of alien invasive weedy plants for activity against plant pathogenic fungi	JN Eloff	LK Mdee
38 Dr Clement Kandu Lelu	MSc 2010 <b>(UP)</b> . The in vitro and in vivo activity of <i>Cereus janthelicum</i> against anthelminthic parasites	JN Eloff	A Vatto
39 Nana Boaduo (distinction)	MSc 2010 (UP). Plant compounds used in the treatment of diabetes	V Naidoo	JN Eloff
40 Tshepiso Makhafola (distinction)	MSc 2010 (UP). Isolation of an antibacterial compound from a plant used to enhance animal productivity	JN Eloff	B Samuel
41 Ms Costa Sebothoma (distinction)	MSc 2010 <b>(UL)</b> Characterization of antibacterial compounds present in <i>Rhus leptodictya</i>	JN Eloff	S Songca
42 Thanyani Ramadwa (distinction)	MSc 2010 <b>(UP)</b> . Isolation and characterization of antimicrobial compounds from <i>Funtumia africana</i> (Apocynaceae) leaf extracts	JN Eloff	E Elgorashi
43 Dr Ishaku Leo (distinction)	MSc 2011 <b>(UP)</b> . Evaluating plant extracts for anticholinesterase activity	JN Eloff	E Elgorashi
44 Ms Modipa Irene	MSc 2011 (UNW)Isolation of antibacterial compounds from Terminalia gazensis	J Breytenbach	JN Eloff
45 Bellonah Sakong (distinction)	MSc 2011 ( <b>UP</b> ) Evaluating the safety and efficacy of <i>Curtisia</i> dentata leaf extracts for treating immune compromised patients against <i>Candida</i> infections	L McGaw	JN Eloff
46 Selaelo Raphatlelo (distinction)	MSc 2011 ( <b>UP</b> ) Development of a product to protect poultry against <i>Aspergillus fumigatus</i> infections	L McGaw	JN Eloff

# 3.1.2 PhD students completed

1 van Rensburg W L	D.Sc 1977 (UOFS). Groeireserwes by <i>Themeda triandra</i>	J N Eloff	
	Forsk		
2 Krüger, G.H.J.	PhD 1979 (UOFS). The effect of physico-chemical factors	J N Eloff	
	relevant to the mass culture of <i>Microcystis</i> under		
	sterile conditions.		
3 Venter, H.J.T.	PhD 1980 (UOFS). A monograph of Monsonia L.	A Leeuwenberg	J N Eloff
4 van der Westhuizen,	PhD 1984 (UOFS). Biochemiese studies van die toksiene	J N Eloff	
A.J	van Microcystis aeruginosa		
5 Smith, V.R.	PhD 1985 (UOFS). Seasonal dynamics of standing crop	J N Eloff	E M van Zinderen
	and chemical composition in Marion Island (Sub-		Bakker
	antarctic) vegetation.		
5 de Wet, J.S.	PhD 1986 (UOFS). Fitoplankton produksiestudies op	JU Grobbelaar	J N Eloff
	Roodeplaatdam.		
6 Martini, N D	PhD 2002 (UP). Isolation and characterization of	J N Eloff	J Snyman
	antibacterial compounds from Combretum		
	erythrophyllum		
7 Kruger, Johann	PhD 2004 (UP). Isolation and characterization of	J N Eloff	D Katerere
-	antibacterial compounds from three Terminalia spp		
8 Ntloedibe, Theresa	PhD <b>2005 (UP)</b> . Potentising and application of plant	J N Eloff	
	extracts which can be used as alternative for		
	antibiotic feed additives in poultry production.		
9 Angeh, Jerry	PhD 2005 (UP). Isolation and characterization of	J N Eloff	GE Swan
	antibacterial compounds present in members of		
	Combretum section Hypocrateropsis		
10 Chikoto, Havana	PhD 2006 (UP). Development of a product derived from	J N Eloff	G E Swan
	plant extracts to replace antibiotic feed additives		
	used in poultry production		

11 Masoko, Peter	PhD 2006 (UP). The characterization of antifungal	J N Eloff	J Picard
	compounds from Terminalia and Combretum species		
12 Samdumu, Faga	PhD <b>2007 (UP)</b> . Isolation of antiviral compounds from Combretum paniculatum	JN Eloff	L J McGaw M van Vuuren
13 Teffo, Snow		J N Eloff	R Toms
14 Rösemann, Magda	PhD <b>2007 (UP)</b> . Developing sensitive methods to detect pyrrolizidine alkaloids in food	J N Eloff	C J Botha
15 Dr Bizimenyera, Edmund	PhD <b>2007 (UP)</b> . Isolation and characterization of antibacterial compounds from <i>Peltophorum africanum</i>	G E Swan	J N Eloff
16 Shai, Jerry	PhD <b>2008 (UP)</b> . Isolation and characterization of compounds active against <i>Candida albicans</i> from <i>Curtisia dentata</i>	J N Eloff	L J McGaw
17 Nchu Felix	PhD <b>2009 (UP).</b> Development of formulations and delivery systems for entomopathogenic fungi for control of <i>Amblyomma variegatum</i>	JN Eloff	NK Maniana N Ahmed
18 Mokgotho Phineas	PhD <b>2010 (UL)</b> Isolation and characterizsion od bioactive compounds from <i>Commelina benghalensis</i> Linn: Biological activity analysis of extracts against Wil-2 NS lymphoma cancer lines and selected pathogenic microorganisms	LJ Mampuru	JN Eloff
19 Suleiman Mohammed	PhD 2010 (UP). Isolation of compounds active against Aspergillus fumigatus and its in vivo activity	JN Eloff	V Naidoo
20 van Heerden Ilse	PhD <b>2010 (UP)</b> . Characterization of antimicrobial plant compounds with proven commercial potential in poultry production	JN Eloff	J Picard
21 Mahlo Salome	PhD <b>2010 (UP)</b> . Characterising and applying plant antifungals from leaves of selected tree species	JN Eloff	LJ McGaw
22 Würger Gabriele	PhD <b>2010 (UP)</b> A rational in vitro evaluation of 53 medicinal plants used in the treatment of diarrhoea and the potential use of <i>Deinbollia oblongifolia</i> (Sapindaceae) extracts	JN Eloff	LJ McGaw
23 Netshiluvi Thiambi	PhD 2011 (UP) Influence of environmental parameters on efficacy of herbal medicines	JN Eloff	
24 Bagla Victor	PhD <b>2011 (UP)</b> Developing an in vitro system for detecting biological activity of slow growing parasites to test plant extracts	JN Eloff	LJ McGaw J Godfroid
25 Aroke Ahmed	PhD 2011 (UP) Animal productivity and health properties of polar compounds in extracts of selected plants from SA	JN Eloff	N Moodley V Naidoo LJ McGaw
26 van Wyk Candice	PhD <b>2011 (UP)</b> Evaluation of plant extracts to treat oral <i>Candida albicans</i> infections	F Botha	JN Eloff
29 Mukandiwe Lilian	PhD <b>2012 (UP)</b> Evaluation of plant species that are used to control maggots in production animals	V Naidoo	JN Eloff PJ Masika
30 Olaokun Oyinlola	PhD 2012 (UP) Evaluation of plants used traditionally against diabetes	V Naidoo	JNEloff
31 Adamu Mathew	PhD <b>2012 (UP)</b> Evaluation of plants species used traditionally to combat helminth infections in production animals	V. Naidoo	JN Eloff
32 van Rijssen Wilna	PhD <b>2013 (UP)</b> Risk assessment of crop phytopesticides and genetically modified organisms: credible pre-regulatory governance	JN Eloff	J Morris
33 Mawela Gloria	PhD 2013 (UP) Optimization of rantes analogue used as microbicides	JN Eloff	R Chikwambe E Chakauya
34 Nndivhaleni Masheve	PhD 2013 (UP) Isolation and characterization of antifungal compounds from Clerodendron glabrum var glabrum (Verbenaceae) a plant used traditionally to treat candidiasis in Venda, South Africa	JN Eloff	LJ McGaw
35 Richard Nyanzi	PhD 2013 (TUT Potential health benefits of PhD synbiotic mageu made with multiple probiotic cultures	PJ Jooste	JN Eloff

# 3.2 Current post-graduate students

# 3.2.1 Current MSc students

Name of student	Degree, 1st registration	Project title	Supervisor	Co-supervisor
Mary Magashoa	MSc 2009	Isolating and characterizing antifungal compounds from Combretum molle	IN Floff	D Macaka
Mary Magashoa	140 0040		JN Eloff	P Masoko
Cindy Mabunda	MSc 2010	Evaluation of the use of TLC in identifying important herbal medicines used in industry	JN Eloff	R van Brummelen
Dr Erika van Zyl	MSc 2011	The <i>in vitro</i> and <i>in vivo</i> use of plants to control helminth infections in sheep.	JN Eloff	FS Botha
A R Mudau	MSc2012 (UNISA)	Ethnobotanical survey of six medicinal plants and their antifungal activities in Vhembe district, Limpopo Province, South Africa	SM Mahlo	JN Eloff

# 3.2.2 Current PhD students

Lita Pauw	PhD 2007	Evaluating the predictive value of a database developed from the antimicrobial activities of leaves of several hundred southern African tree species	JN Eloff	
Noluthando Nkoana	PhD 2007	Project on plant extracts promoting animal production to be finalized	JN Eloff	N Crouch
Emelina Mathe	PhD 2009	Evaluation of plant extracts that can be used to treat aspergillosis in animals.	V Naidoo	JN Eloff
Nana Boaduo	PhD 2010	Chemical and microbiological evaluation of a plant species successfully used to replace antibiotic feed additives	JN Eloff	J Wallace
Daniel Shuping	PhD 2010	Potetensing extracts of Melanthus species to control plant fungal pathogens	FS Botha	JN Eloff
Tshepiso Makhafola	PhD 2010	Evaluation genotoxicity and antigenotoxicity of plants used traditionally and isolating the active compounds	JN Eloff	L McGaw
Thanyani Ramadwa	PhD 2011	Investigating the metabolism and pharmacokinetics of labelled antifungal compounds from plants	JN Eloff	Jan R Zeevaart
Rinah Sathekge	PhD 2011	Invesitgating plant extracts to control plant fungal pathogens	FS Botha	JN Eloff
R N Mudziwa	PhD 2012	The variability in agronomic and biological activities within <i>Moringa</i> oleifera plants	E du Toit	T Vahrmeyer JN Eloff
Prudence Kabonga	PhD 2012 UNISA	Evaluating the activity of selected plant extracts against Mycobacterium species infecting animals	LJ McGaw	JN Eloff L Obi
Abimbola Aro	PhD 2012	Evaluating the activity of selected plant extracts against different Mycobacterium species	LJ McGaw	JN Eloff
Salmon Adebayo	PhD 2012 (TUT)	Evaluating plants used traditionally to treat pain and inflammation in humans and animals	JN Eloff	J Shai
Bellonah Sakong	PhD 2013 (UP)	Evaluating plants used for treating diarrhoea	LJ McGaw	JN Eloff
Ishaku Leo	PhD 2013 (UP)	Evaluating the mechanism of activity of extracts and isolated compounds with excellent antifungal activities	JN Eloff	LJ McGaw
Raduis Melong	PhD 2013 (UP)	Identification and structure elucidation of bioactives metabolites from Parkia biglobosa (Fabaceae),	JN Eloff	
Sanusi Mada	PhD 2013 (UP)	The curative effect of aqueous extract of Momordica charantia linn on lead induced genotoxicity in male albino rats	C Botha	JN Eloff
Emmanuel Nyahangare	PhD 2013 (UP)	Evaluating plants that are used traditionally to control ticks in Zimbabwe	JN Eloff	B Mvumi G Fouche
Sanah				
Xolani				

# Post doctoral Fellows guided

3.3

Name	Research speciality	Period	Funder	Home country
Dr David Katerere	Phytochemistry of Combretaceae	1999-2003	UP	Zimbabwe
Dr Lyndy McGaw	Bioassays, guiding students	2002-2007	Claude Leon	South Africa
Dr John Githiori	Parasitology	2004-2005	NRF	Kenia
Dr Mutalib Aderogba	Phytochemist, anti-oxidant activity	2005-2006	NRF	Nigeria
Dr Ladislaus Mdee	Phytochemist	2005-2007	NRF	Tanzania
Dr Ezekiel Iwalewa	Pharmacologist	2007	NRF	Nigeria
Dr Lyndy McGaw	Toxicology	2008	UP Research Fellow	South Africa
Dr Chima Igwe	Phytochemist	2007-2008	NRF	Nigeria
Dr Esam Elgorashi	Bioassays and guiding students	2008-2009	NRF and UP	Sudan
Dr Babatunde Samuel	Phytochemist	2008-2009	NRF	Nigeria
Dr Isaiah Ademola	Pharmacologist	2008-2009	NRF	Nigeria
Dr Philip Kerr	Chemistry	2009	NRF	Australia
Dr Lyndy McGaw	Bioassays, toxicology	2010-2011	UP Research Fellow	South Africa
Dr Maurice Awouafack	Phytochemistry	2012-2013	UP	Cameroon
Dr Jean Paul Dzoyem	Microbiology	2013-2015	UP	Cameroon

# 3.4 Obtaining research funds 2000-2013

Origin of research funds	Title of research project or programme	Duration	Funds R
NRF-IKS	Ethnoveterinary medicine infections	2000-2004	c.1 364 000
NRF-EGIC	Quality control and Medicinal Plants	2001-2003	595 000
THRIP partners Biomox Pharmaceuticals, Bioextracts, Healthtech laboratories, Aloe Africa	Phytomedicine in human and animal health	1999-2004	c. 518 000
THRIP	Phytomedicine in human and animal health	1999-2004	c. 518 000
Industrial companies	Several small ad hoc projects\$	2001-2006	c. 90 000
University of Pretoria	Post doctoral fellowships and PDP bursaries	2001-2007	c. 760 000
University of Pretoria	Capital equipment	2000-2006	c. 120 000
Biopad-BRIC	Plant extracts replacing antibiotic feed additives	2004-2005	2 200 000
EU Committee for Developing of Enterprise	Quality Control Monographs African Medicinal Plants. Phase 1	2004-2005	c. 320 000
EU-CTA	International Workshop for AMPS project	2005	c. 160 000
NRF-IKS	Ethnoveterinary medicine infections	2005-2009	2 785 000
NRF-SL	Antimicrobial and antiparasitic plants	2005-2009	1 945 000
UP Veterinary Science Research Committee.	Student projects	2003-2006	c. 159 000
Claude Leon Foundation	Post doctoral fellowship	2004-2007	330 000
University of Pretoria	Commercialization award and Research Fellowship	2007-2008	250 000
EU Committee for Development of Enterprise	Managing Quality Control Monographs African Medicinal Plants Phase 2	2007-2008	c. 536 000
NRF SA Regional Development Cooperation	Agents with antifungal activity against plant fungal pathogens from invasive and weedy species	2005-2007	530 000
NRF Research Niche Area	Phytomedicine and Ethnoveterinary medicine	2007-2012	2 350 000
UP Research Niche Area	Phytomedicine and Ethnoveterinary medicine	2007-2012	900 000
EU Pro€invest	Managing Development of Association for African Medicinal Plant Standards	2007	c. 797 000
NRF Economic Growth	Plant extracts in animal and plant production	2008-2011	1 105 000
NRF Thuthuka Programme	Toxicity of indigenous medicinal plants	2007-2008	196 000
ICART-SADC	Commercial use of SADC plants, book and symposium	2009	c. 249 000
Gesellschaft Pflanzenwissenschaften	Project on diarrhoea of production animals	2009	c. 70 800
NRF South Africa-Belgium KIST initiative	Evaluating genotoxicity of plant extracts	2009-2011	370 000
MRC	Treating opportunistic infections of HIV AIDS patients with tree leaf extracts	2010-2012	390 000
NECSA NTeMBI	Using isotopes to evaluate bioavailability and metabolism of bioactives compounds isolated from plants	2011-2013	180 000
Eskom NSTF award for capacity development	For delivering 21 PhD and 27 MSc students past ten years 84% black students	2012	100 000
MRC	Research on treating infection related diarrhoea with plant based products	2013-2015	600 000
UP post doctoral fellowships	Various aspects on Phytochemistry and microbiology of medicinal plants	2012-2015	600 000
TIA Tshwane Animal Health Cluster	Collaboration with CSIR to find commercially useful products from plants to control ticks and parasites	2013-2016	2 100 000

# 4. RESEARCH OUTPUTS

4.1 Publications in peer-reviewed journals and published full-length conference papers and chapters in books

1. **ELOFF, J N**. 1965. Extraction of soil humic compounds with sodium hydroxide plus stannous chloride. South African Journal of Agricultural Science 8: 673-680.

## 1967

2. **ELOFF, J N** and N GROBBELAAR. 1967. Isolation and characterization of N-methyl-L-alanine, a novel amino acid from Gifblaar (*Dichapetalum cymosum*). Journal of the South African Chemical Institute 20: 190-193.

#### 1968

3. **ELOFF, J N** and N GROBBELAAR. 1968. The microscale synthesis of fluoroacetate-2-14C. South African Journal of Science 64: 252-254.

#### 1969

4. **ELOFF, J N** and N GROBBELAAR. 1969. Isolation and characterization of N-methyl-L-serine from *Dichapetalum cymosum*. Phytochemistry 8: 2201-2204.

#### 1970

5. **ELOFF, J N** and L FOWDEN. 1970. The isolation of Hypoglycin A and related compounds from *Billia hippocastanum*. Phytochemistry 9: 2423-2424.

#### 1971

6. **ELOFF**, **J N** and B VON SYDOW. 1971. Experiments on the fluoroacetate metabolism of *Dichapetalum cymosum* (Gifblaar). Phytochemistry 10: 1409-1415.

#### 1972

- 7. **ELOFF, J N**. 1972. Evidence for the occurrence of a Krebs cycle in the fluoroacetate containing plant *Dichapetalum cymosum*. Zeitschrift für Pflanzenphysiologie 67: 207-211.
- 8. **ELOFF**, **J N**. 1972. The occurrence and other aspects of N-methyl-alanine (NMA) and N-methyl-serine (NMS) in *Dichapetalum cymosum* (Engl.) (Gifblaar) and other members of the Dichapetalaceae. Transactions of the Royal Society of southern Africa 40: 41-47.
- 9. **ELOFF**, **J N** and N GROBBELAAR. 1972. A preliminary evaluation of the metabolic fate of fluoroacetate and acetate in *Dichapetalum cymosum* and *Parinari capensis*. Journal of the South African Chemical Institute 25: 109-114.

#### 1973

10. TUSTIN, R C , S J VAN RENSBURG and **J N ELOFF**. 1973. Hepatic damage in the primate following ingestion of toxic algae. Proceedings of the International Liver Congress. S J Saunders & J Terblanche (eds.). pp. 383-385. Pitman, London.

### 1975

- 11. **ELOFF**, **J N** and F W PAULI. 1975. The extraction and electrophoretic fractionating of soil humic compounds. Plant and Soil 42: 413-
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Journal	number of publications	5year impact factor

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Phytomedicine	5	3.26
Veterinary Parasitology	13	2.61
BMC Compl. & Altern. Medicine	9	2.08
South African Journal of Botany	22	1.50
Pharmaceutical Biology	8	1.06
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- South African patent **2007/04235** "**Antimicrobial Extract**" on developing an ointment from a plant extract to combat skin infections has been submitted. Product "Phytobiotic cream" is in the market.
- South African patent on protecting animals against blowflies with a plant extract has been registered.
- South African patent on protecting sheep against helminths has been submitted
- South African patent on controlling Candida infections with a compound more active and saver than commercial antimycotic agent has been submitted
- South African patent application on developing a combined plant extract from three non-toxic plants to replace antibiotic feed additives is in preparation
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1977

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1980

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1982

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- Botanic Gardens and Education in South Africa. First International Meeting on Botanic Gardens and Conservation. Las Palmas. May 1985
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1987

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1988

- A South African perspective of the role of Botanic Gardens in Nature Conservation. IUCN-BGCS/NBG International Conference: Conservation through Research, Horticulture and Education in Botanic Gardens. Cape Town. August 1988.
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1989

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1989

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1991

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1993

ls *ex situ* conservation a viable option for the conservation of cycads? Cycad 93 International Conference. Pretoria, 1993 **Plenary Lecture** 

1996

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1997

Conservation of medicinal plants: Selecting medicinal plants for research and conservation. DNA Banknet Conference, Nairobi, Kenya. July 1997 **Keynote Lecture** 

- Isolation of antimicrobial components from *Combretum erythrophyllum*. World International Conference on Innovative Integrated Medicine, Beijing, China April 1999. [N D Martini]
- Herbarium specimens may be a valuable resource in bioprospecting for antibacterial compounds. 2000 years of natural products research—past, present and future. Amsterdam July, 1999. Poster
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- Combretaceae a good source of antibacterial and anti-inflammatory compounds. September 2001 International Immunopharmacology Congress, Sun City, South Africa.

#### 2002

The analysis of plant metabolomics applied to traditional medicine. First International Congress on Plant Metabolomics. April 2002, Wageningen, Netherlands. Poster

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- Antibacterial and antioxidant activity of *Sutherlandia frutescens*. International Society for Ethnopharmacology, January 2003, Pretoria. [DRP Katerere]
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- Isolation and characterisation of three antibacterial flavonoids from *Combretum apiculatum* subsp. *apiculatum*. International Society for Ethnopharmacology, January 2003, Pretoria.
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Biological activity of seven antibacterial flavonoids isolated from *Combretum erythrophyllum* (Combretaceae). Congress of Gesellschaft für Artzneipflanzenforschung, Kiel Germany, August 2003.

### 2004

- Bridging the gap between laboratory research and use of plants for primary health care. **Invited paper** Ninth International Congress of Ethnobiology, Canterbury UK, June 2004
- Why has there been so little success in finding new high activity antimicrobial compounds from plants? **Invited Paper** World Conference on dosing of anti-infectives. Nuremberg, Germany September 2004.

#### 2005

- The Phytomedicine Programme an opportunity for co-operation, University of Mauritius, Reduit Mauritius. **Invited Lecture**Seminar presentation. February 2005
- Cooperation possibilities on medicinal plant research. **Invited Lecture** before staff and students Noguchi Institute, University of Ghana, Accra. April 2005
- Medicinal plants and the AMPS project-cooperation opportunities. **Invited Lecture** Seminar presentation to staff and students of Centre for Scientific Research into Plant medicine, Mampong, Ghana April 2005
- 57 The living database approach to the Medicinal Plant Standards project. International workshop on African Medicinal Plant standards funded by CTA-EU and CDE-EU, Pretoria May 2005
- Quality Control in the Phytomedicine Programme, University of Pretoria. International workshop on African Medicinal Plant standards funded by CTA-EU and CDE-EU, Pretoria May 2005
- Isolation of an antibacterial and antioxidant compound from *Combretum woodii* leaves [JO Famakin and VK Zishiri] International Botanical Congress Vienna, July 2005. Poster
- The creation of the Association for African Medicinal Plant Standards. From the product to the shelf: side event IBC Congress Vienna, July 2005.
- Extracts of 30 South African *Combretum* and *Terminalia* species have antifungal activities with MIC's as low as 20 μg/ml Congress Society for medicinal plant research, Florence, Italy August 2005.Poster
- The African Medicinal Plant Standards [AMPS] project has identified the most important African medicinal plant species and developed an open access database. Congress Society for medicinal plant research, Florence, Italy August 2005. Poster
- A simplified but effective system to identify medicinal plants by TLC. Congress Society for medicinal plant research, Florence, Italy August 2005. Poster
- Athrixia phylicoides (bush tea): possibilities for a new health-promoting beverage [L.J. McGaw] Congress Society for medicinal plant research, Florence, Italy August 2005.Poster. [L McGaw]
- Novel biologically active triterpenoids from two African *Combretum* species [J. Angeh, G. Swan, S. Huang, I. Sattler] Congress Society for medicinal plant research, Florence, Italy August 2005.
- Identification of anti-babesial activity for four ethnoveterinary plants *in vitro*. [V Naidoo] [Naidoo, Zweygarth, Eloff, Swan]The 20<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the World Association for the Advancement of Veterinary Parasitology, Christchurch, New Zealand October 2005. Poster.
- Evaluation of South African Ethnoveterinary plants for *in vitro* biological activity. [McGaw]. [McGaw, van der Merwe, Eloff] 2005
- Plants rich in antioxidants warrants study for neurodegenerative diseases. International Conference on Neurosciences November 2005, Al Ein, Emirates.. [ES Bizimenyera, M Aderogba, GE Swan, JN Eloff]
- The potential of antioxidants from *Bauhinia tomentosa* Linn (Fabaceae) in treatment of neurological disorders. International Conference on Neurosciences, November 2005 Al Ein, Emirates. [MA Aderogba, ES Bizimenyera AO Ogundaini, JN Eloff]

- AAMPS, a strategy to develop the economic potential and use of African Medicinal Plants. **Invited Lecture** Africa Herbal antimalaria meeting. CDE congress Nairobi, Kenya March 2006.
- Is there a case for using complex plant extracts as antimicrobial agents from plants? Academy of Pharmaceutical Sciences Congress "Natural products active against human pathogens" Kew, London April 2006.
- Developing an antifungal product for plant protection from *Melianthus comosus*. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana. July 2006
- Anticoccicidial effects of plant-derived extracts in chickens. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006 [ L J McGaw, J N Eloff]
- Development of botanicals with tick-repellent activities. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006 [K Mawela, J N Eloff]
- The aims and successes of the Association for African Medicinal Plant Standards. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006
- Isolation and characterization of antioxidant compounds from *Combretum apiculatum* spp. *apiculatum*. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006. [ T Kgatle, J N Eloff ]

- Antibacterial and antioxidant activities of isolated flavonoids from *Dodonaea viscosa*. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006. [ S Teffo, J N Eloff ]
- In vivo antifungal activity of *Combretum* and *Terminalia* extracts and isolated compounds in rats. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006. [P Masoko, J N Eloff]
- 79 Screening for antifungal activity in invasive plants . Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006. [M Meela, J N Eloff]
- Prospects for use of *Peltophorum africanum* extracts in neurodegenerative disorders. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006. [E Bizimenyera, J N Eloff]
- Are complex antimicrobial plant extracts as prone to microbial resistance as antibiotics? Indigenous Plant Use Forum.

  Botswana July 2006. [I van Heerden, J N Eloff ]
- 82 Antimicrobial activity of *Maytenus undata* leaves. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006. [T Mokoka, J N Eloff]
- The activity of extracts of some southern African invasive plant species on fungal phytopathogens. Indigenous Plant Use Forum. Botswana July 2006. [LMdee, J N Eloff]
- The potential of antioxidant-based therapeutics from *Peltophorum Africanum* in treatment of neurogenerative diseases [ E S Bizimenyera, JN Eloff, G E Swan]
- Possible role of *Bauhinia galpini* (N. E. Br) in alleviating neuroactivedisorders. [MA Aderogba, ES Bizimenyera, AO Ogundaini, JN Eloff]
- Building Capacity In Science to ensure Conversion of Natural Products into Health Products. **Invited Keynote Lecture** WANNPRES, (Western Africa network of natural product research scientists) Elmina, Ghana August 2006
- Increasing the economic potential and use of African Medicinal Plants through AAMPS. **Invited Lecture** Congress of International Society for Ethnopharmacology, Nanning, China August 2006
- Structure and biological activities of antimicrobial compounds recently isolated from southern African *Combretum* and *Terminalia* species. Annual Congress Society for Medicinal Plant Research, Helsinki, Finland, September 2006
- A plant antifungal product from *Melianthus comosus* (Melianthaceae) leaf extracts. Annual Congress Society for Medicinal Plant Research, Helsinki, Finland, September 2006
- Screening plants for antibacterial and antifungal activities. **Invited lecture**. Dept Pharmacognosy, University of Oslo, Norway, September 2006
- Are ethnoveterinary leads useful in developing products to treat animals against microbial diseases? Ethnoveterinary Medicine Conference: Harvesting Knowledge, Pharming Opportunities. Conference of British Society for Animal Science. Chelmsford Essex, England, September 2006
- A new approach is required to develop antimicrobial agents from plants. **Invited paper**. International Health Sciences Conference, Durban, December 2006.
- Isolation and bioactivity of antibacterial triterpenoids from *Curtisia dentata* leaves. International Health Sciences Conference, Durban December 2006. Poster [Shai, Mdee, McGaw and Eloff]
- Antimicrobial compounds from *Combretum paniculatum*. International Health Sciences Conference, Durban, December 2006 [Eloff, McGaw and Samdumu]

- 95 Indigenous Herbs, 10th Annual Congress International plant propagators Conference Pretoria, March 2007
- Beneficiation of plant products to improve animal health and productivity. An application of plant extracts to improve poultry production. **Invited Keynote Lecture** ICS Unido Expert Group Meeting, Trieste, Italy. August 2007
- Are ethnobotanical leads useful to develop products to protect animals against microbial diseases? **Invited lecture** ICS Unido Expert Group Meeting, Trieste, Italy. August 2007
- The possible interaction between an edible insect and five antibacterial kaempferol methyl ethers isolated from *Dodonaea viscose* Jacq.var.*angustifolia*(Sapindaceae) leaf extracts. 55<sup>th</sup> International Congress Gesellschaft fuer Arzneipflanzenforschung, Graz. Sept 2007 [Eloff JN, Teffo LS, Toms RB, Aderogba MA]
- Ethnoveterinary plants with antiviral activity against feline herpesvirus type 1. 55th International Congress Gesellschaft fuer Arzneipflanzenforschung Graz. Sept 2007[ McGaw LJ, Bagla VP, Eloff JN] Poster
- Bovine tuberculosis: a zoonotic target for medicinal plants. 55th International Congress Gesellschaft fuer Arzneipflanzenforschung Graz. Sept 2007 [McGaw, L.J., Lall, N., Hlokwe, T., Michel, A., Meyer, J.J.M., Eloff, J.N.] Poster
- Antifungal and antibacterial activities of six different extracts of *Harungana madagascariensis* stem bark. 55<sup>th</sup> International Congress Gesellschaft fuer Arzneipflanzenforschung Graz. Sept 2007.[ Iwalewa E O, Suleiman M M, Mdee M M and Eloff J NI Poster
- A comparison of work on volatile versus non-volatile antimicrobial plant compounds. 38th International Symposium on Essential Oils, Graz, Austria, Sept 2007
- AAMPS and PROTA the potential for collaboration. **Invited lecture** Second PROTA International Workshop and Investors' Forum, Nairobi, Kenya, Sept 2007
- The African Medicinal Plant Standards Project. Second PROTA International Workshop and Investors' Forum, Nairobi, Kenya, Sept 2007.Poster

Quality control methods for the Trading Standard Profiles of AAMPS. **Plenary Lecture**. Workshop of AAMPS-CRIAA, Windhoek, December 2007.

#### 2008

- A potentised leaf extract of *Melianthus comosus* has higher activity than six commercial products used against plant fungal pathogens **Invited Lecture** International Conference IOCD and ISDNP, Kasane, Botswana [Eloff, JN, Angeh, I, McGaw LJ]
- The use of plant extracts to replace antibiotic feed additives in poultry production. **Plenary Lecture** 10th Meeting International Society for Ethnopharmacology, Sao Paolo, Brazil, September 2008..
- Interaction between different compounds determines the antibacterial and antifungal activity of plant extracts. GA symposium "Plants systems biology and medicinal plants" Leiden, Netherlands
- A.A. Kaikabo, M. M. Suleiman, Babatunde B. Samuel, J. N. Eloff (2008) Antibacterial activity of eleven South African plants use in treatment of diarrhoea in folkloric medicine. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- N. Masevhe, J. N. Eloff (2008) Evaluating plant species used in Venda (RSA) to address HIV/AIDS side effects. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- 111 K. Mayekiso, J. N. Eloff, L. McGaw (2008) Screening of South African plants for antibacterial and antimycobacterial activity. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- M.M. Suleiman, L. J. McGaw, J. Picard, V. Naidoo, J. N. Eloff (2008) Detection of antimicrobial compounds by direct bioautography in some South African plants. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- Ahmed A. S., C. Igwe, J. N. Eloff (2008) Preliminary studies of the antibacterial activities of Combretum vendae leaf extract. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- Kaikabo, B. B. Samuel, M. M. Suleiman, J. N. Eloff (2008) Evaluation of antibacterial activity of several South African trees and isolation of two biflavonoids with antibacterial activity from Garcinia livigstonei. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- P. Masoko, L. K. Mdee, L. J. Mampuru, J. N. Eloff(2008) Isolation of a antifungal triterpenes from Combretum nelsonii (Combretaceae) leaves. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- Muraina I R, L. J. McGaw, J. Picard, J. N. Eloff (2008) Preliminary investigation into antimycoplasmal activity of traditionally used Nigerian plants. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November
- 117 M. P. Mokgotho, K. W. Lebogo, V. G. Mbazima, P. Masoko, J. N. Eloff, L. J. Mampuru (2008) Anti-proliferative activity of Commelina benghalesis a medicinal plant against wil-2 ns lymphocytes. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- M. Mokgotho, P. Masoko, V. Mbazima, J. N. Eloff, R. Howard, L. Mampuru (2008) Antimicrobial activity of traditionally used indigenous medicinal plant from Limpopo province. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- 119 C. Igwe, J. N. Eloff, R. van Brummelen (2008) Extraction, potentiation and quantitative determination of resveratrol from South African red 'concord' grape pumice using assay-guided methods. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- 120 C. Igwe, A. Ahmed, O. Olatunji, J. N. Eloff (2008) Evaluation of the methods of production of sweeteners from Thaumatoccocus danielli and Synsepalum dulcificum of Nigerian origin. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- J.N. Eloff (2008) A mixture of plant extracts can be more effective than a commercial antibacterial feed additive in poultry challenged with Clostridium perfringens. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- N. P. M. Komape, L. J. McGaw, J. N. Eloff (2008) Preliminary screening of plant species that may be useful in controlling diarrhoea in production livestock. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- J. McGaw, V. P. Bagla, T. A. Mokoka, E. E. Elgorashi, J. N. Eloff (2008) South African ethnoveterinary plant extracts with antimicrobial and antiviral potential. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- G. Wuerger, L. J. McGaw, C. Franz, J. N. Eloff (2008) Evaluation of the activity of leaf extracts of trees that have been used to treat diarrhoea in humans and animals. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- S,M. Mahlo, L. McGaw, J. N. Eloff (2008) Plant antifungal extracts active against plant pathogenic fungi. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.
- M. Meela, L. Mdee, J. N. Eloff (2008) Prospects for use of alien invasive weed extracts against fungal phytopathogens. World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants IV, Cape Town, November.

- JN Eloff (2009) Using plants in animal health and production. **Invited Lecture** University of Utrecht, March 2009.
- J.N.Eloff, L. Pauw (2009) The random screening of leaves of trees for antimicrobial activity provides valuable leads for the commercial use of plants. Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- TJ Makhafola, J.N.Eloff (2009) Isolation of two antibacterial biflavonoids and a sterol from *Ochna pretoriensis*. Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September

- A. Aroke, J.N.Eloff (2009) Evaluation of Antibacterial and Antioxidant activities of polyphenolic-rich leave extract of *Combretum bracteosum.* Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- V. Bagla, L.J. McGawJ.N.Eloff (2009) Can toxicity and biological activity of plant extracts be separated by selective extraction. Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- M Suleiman, V. Naidoo, J.N.Eloff (2009) Developing a product to combat aspergillosis in poultry. Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- 133 C. Kandu-Lelo, A. Vatta, J.N.Eloff (2009) Use of the invasive *Cereus jamacaru* (Cactaceae) Queen of the night to control worm infection in sheep. Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- KG Mawela, R. Chiworo, J.N.Eloff (2009) Optimising and testing of plant-made RANTES analogues as topical microbicides. Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- M. Adamu, J.N.Eloff (2009) Anthelminthic efficacy of aqueous extract of the leaf of Acanthus montanus against nematode parasites of small ruminants. Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- G. Würger, J.N.Eloff (2009) Evaluation of the activity of leaf extracts of trees that have been used to treat diarrhoea in humans and animals Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- J Kruger, J.N.Eloff (2009) Developing an antibacterial ointment to treat skin diseases. Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- J.N.Eloff (2009) Bioextracts Pty Ltd. An example of collaboration between industry and Academia. Green Gold ICART-SADC International Symposium, Pretoria September
- J.N., Eloff ,I.A, Muraina, L.J. McGaw (2009) Should we first screen for toxicity before screening for biological activity in medicinal plants? 7<sup>th</sup> Congress on toxicology developing countries. Sun City
- J. N. Eloff, M. Rösemann (2009) LC-MS-MS Can Distinguish Between Toxic and Non-Toxic Pyrrolizidine Alkaloids in Plants. 21. Wissenschaftliche Tagung der Österreichischen Pharmazeutischen Gesellschaft, Vienna
- J.N.Eloff (2009) Why has there been so little success in developing antimicrobial products from plants? Plants from High Altitude –Phytochemistry and Bioactivity University Centre Obergurgl/Tyrol, Austria
- J.N.Eloff (2009) Using plants to address opportunistic infections associated with HIV/AIDS. **Invited Lecture** International Symposium on HIV/AIDS, Medicinal Plants and Geophagia, Walter Sisulu University, Mthatha

- The random screening of leaves of trees for antimicrobial activity provides valuable leads for the commercial use of plants. (2009) **Invited Lecture** Biodiversity and Health: emerging and re-emerging diseases. Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie. Antananarivo, Madagascar June
- Safety of medicinal plants and food plants and health. *(2010)* **Invited Plenary Lecture** ICART-SADC Symposium on economically useful plants of southern Africa, Lusaka, Zambia June
- 145 Comparative antibacterial activity of five *Ochna* species (2010) ICART-SADC Symposium on economically useful plants of southern Africa, Lusaka, Zambia June [Makhafola TJ, Samuel BB, Elgorashi EE, and Eloff JN]
- In vitro antibacterial activity of seven plants used traditionally to treat wound myiasis in animals in Southern Africa (2010) ICART-SADC Symposium on economically useful plants of southern Africa, Lusaka, Zambia June [Mukandiwa L, Naidoo, V and Eloff JN]
- 147 Using plant extracts to protect animals and plants against infections. (2010) **Invited Lecture** ICART-SADC Symposium on economically useful plants of southern Africa, Lusaka, Zambia June
- A Strategy to Enhance Success Rate in Obtaining Research Funding (2010) **Invited Plenary Lecture ICART SADC**Symposium on Strengthening Linkages between Proposal Development Professionals, Scientific Writers and Communication Skills Specialists for Improved Agricultural Research Resource Mobilization Lilongwe, Malawi, July.
- A crude extract of *Loxostylus alata* (Anacardiaceae) is as effective in treating aspergillosis in poultry as a commercial drug (2010) Society for Medicinal Plant Research, Berlin August Eloff JN, Suleiman MM, Naidoo Poster
- 150 Cytotoxicity and mutagenicity investigation of extracts of common South African ethnoveterinary plants (2010) Society for Medicinal Plant Research, Berlin August [McGaw, L; Elgorashi, E; Eloff, JN] Poster
- 151 Is the published African Herbal Pharmacopoeia, the start or end of a successful international collaboration? (2010) Society for Medicinal Plant Research, Berlin August.
- Evaluation of some plants species traditionally used to treat myiasis in southern Africa for antibacterial and larval growth inhibition(2010) Invited Plenary Lecture SANA XXII Meeting Medicine plants/Animal Breeding, Bologna, Italy September (JN Eloff, L Mukandiwa, V Naidoo)
- Extracts or compounds from plants can be as effective as currently used antifungal agents in animal and plant production. (2010) **Invited Plenary Lecture** 14th International Biotechnology Symposium and Exhibition Biotechnology for the Sustainability of Human Society Rimini, Italy September
- Developing commercially useful products from plants (2010) **Invited Lecture** and organizer of a Symposium within the 11th Congress of the International Society of Ethnopharmacology (ISE 2010) Continuity and change in ethnopharmacology: Transdisciplinary science for our future. Albacete, Spain, September

Indigenous Knowledge and Innovation: Challenges for development. (2010) Invited Plenary Lecture Science, Indigenous Knowledge and Innovation: Implications for ACP Agriculture Science, CTA Advisory Committee on Science and Technology for ACP Agricultural and Rural Development, Johannesburg, South Africa, November

#### 2011

- The use of African medicinal Plants. (2011) **Invited Plenary Lecture** African Congress on Complementary Medicine, Johannesburg, May
- Lessons an academic had to learn beyond the patenting stage to get a product into the market (2011) **Invited Plenary Lecture**. Innovation, Research and Development for effective Leader ship and Management Conference, Johannesburg, May
- Research on the use of plant extracts to enhance animal productivity in southern Africa (2011) **Invited Plenary Lecture**AAMPS EVM Conference Using plants to enhance animal productivity in Africa, Nairobi, Kenya August
- Why has there been hardly any success in developing antimicrobial products from medicinal plants? ) **Invited Plenary Lecture** NAPRECA Conference, Nairobi, August
- With a different approach it is possible to develop commercially useful antimicrobial products from plants. Society for Medicinal Plant Research, Antalya, Turkey September
- Using plants to enhance animal productivity in Africa: a report on an AAMPS-NAPRECA meeting held in Nairobi 2011 **Invited**Plenary Lecture Herban 2011 Herbal products in animal health and nutrition Antalya, Turkey September
- The African Herbal Pharmacopoeia: a model towards developing the commercial potential of medicinal plants from areas with a high plant biodiversity (2011) **Invited Plenary Lecture ICMAN5** Conference, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia, October
- Lessons learned from determining the activity of leaf extracts from more than 600 tree species against 8 important bacterial and fungal pathogens (2011) **Invited lecture** Research Seminar James Cook University, Townsville, Australia 5 October 2011
- Some examples of plant-based useful veterinary products developed from random screening of plant extracts and from traditional use (2011) **Invited lecture** Research Presentation Griffith University, Gold Coast, Australia 10 October 2011.
- Some lessons learned in trying to develop commercially useful products from plant extracts (2011) **Invited lecture** Research Seminar Southern Cross University, Lismore, Australia 17 October 2011

- 166 Comparing random screening and ethnic use in developing products to increase animal and plant production. **Plenary Lecture**, 12<sup>th</sup> International Society for Ethnopharmacology Congress, Kolkata, India February 2012
- Developing compounds with a commercial potential against microbial infections in plants and production animals. **Invited**Lecture, RIKILT, University of Wageningen, Netherlands May 2012
- Using plant extracts against microorganisms and parasites to promote animal health and productivity. . **Invited Lecture**, Lelystad Campus, University of Wageningen, Netherlands May 2012
- Lessons learned in the process of developing commercially useful products from plant extract. **Invited Lecture** Federal Institute for Industrial Research, Oshido, Lagos Nigeria, July 2012
- The Interaction between Science Technology and Traditional knowledge in research on medicinal plants and development of the African herbal Pharmacopoeia. **Invited Lecture** Nigeria Natural Medicine Development Agency, Federal Ministry of Science and Technology, Victoria Island, Lagos Nigeria August 2012.
- Other possibilities of developing commercially useful products from plants to increase the quality of life of poor people in Africa. **Invited Lecture**, National Institute for Pharmaceutical Research and Development, Federal Ministry of Health, Abuja, Nigeria, August 2012
- The high road, low road and third road approach to develop commercially useful products from plants. **Plenary Lecture** 5th Western Africa Network of Natural Products Research Scientists (WANNPRES), Ada, Osun State, Nigeria, August 2012
- A new approach can deliver commercially useful plant based products in human, plant animal health and productivity **Invited Lecture**. University of Ljubljana, Slovenia. August 2012
- 174 Infection of production animals by blowflies, worms and fungi can be treated with extracts of plant species used traditionally or discovered by wide screening. 13th International Society for Ethnopharmacology, Congress, Graz, Austria, Sept. 2012
- Successes and failures in developing plant based products to promote animal health and productivity, **Plenary Lecture** The 3rd International Symposium on Medicinal Plants, Their Cultivation and Aspects of Uses, Petra, Jordan, Nov. 2012

  2013
- Developing products that can control helminths and blowflies in animal health and production from ethnoveterinary knowledge. 2013 IKS International Conference "The value of Indigenous Knowledge (IK) in the 21st century" OR Tambo Conference Centre, Gauteng April 2013
- The efficacy of plants used against helminths in ethnoveterinary medicine against *Haemonchus contortus* and the correlation with antifungal activity (Eloff JN, Adamu M and Naidoo V) Phytopharm 2013 XVII International Congress, Vienna July 2013
- The potential of plants to deliver commercially useful products in animal and plant health and production. **Invited Lecture** University of Szeged, Hungary July 2013
- 179 Is there a correlation between the taxonomy and antimicrobial activity of plant extracts? (JN Eloff, E Pauw) Joint Symposium of the Phytochemical Society of Europe (PSE) and the Austrian Pharmaceutical Society (ÖPhG), Obergurgl, Austria July 2013

- Beyond the African Herbal Pharmacopoeia: Recent progress towards new quality standards for African Herbal Products (Abegaz B, Brendler T, <u>Eloff JN</u>, Gurib-Fakim A, Phillips D) 61<sup>st</sup> International Congress Society for Medicinal and Natural Products Research, Münster, Germany September 2013
- Extracts of ethnoveterinary plants used to control myasis caused by blowflies in animals are effective in several mechanisms and may have valuable practical applications (JN Eloff, L Mukandiwa, V Naidoo) **Invited lecture** by animal healthcare and veterinary medicine group. 61st International Congress Society for Medicinal and Natural Products Research, Münster, Germany September 2013
- Developments in using plants for animal health. **Invited lecture** Workshop Animal Healthcare/Veterinary Medicine. 61st International Congress Society for Medicinal and Natural Products Research, Münster, Germany September 2013
- The application of African ethnoveterinary knowledge in developing products with a commercial potential to control internal and external animal parasites. **Plenary Lecture**. NAPRECA, Khartoum, Sudan.

#### Current teamwork and collaboration with others:

### Other research institutions (National and International)

Prof J van Staden, University of Natal, Prof A Jäger, Denmark, Prof C Franz and Prof H Stuppner Austria, Mr E Mabogo, Venda, Dr D Luseba, Onderstepoort Veterinary Institute, Prof Swan and Prof Botha, Pharmacology and Toxicology, UP, Prof. A Vlietinck and Dr L Maes, Antwerpen University, Belgium, Dr SL Magano and Prof P van Wyk Limpopo University, Prof M van Vuuren, and Dr J Picard, University of Pretoria, Dr S Venter, Roodeplaat Research Institute, ARC, Prof J Breytenbach, Northwest University, Prof J Olivier, Geography Unisa, Dr I Sattler, Hans Knöll Institute, Germany, Mr Denzil Philips, CDE European Union, United Kingdom, Prof A Gurib-Fakim, Mauritius, Prof B Abegaz, Botswana.

#### Industry

Dr R. van Brummelen Biomox Pharmaceuticals, Mr J Mentz, Bioextracts, Dr J Oosthuyse, Healthtech Laboratories, , Mr D Neser, Organic Aloe Africa, Mr D Malherbe, Afriplex, Mr R Genade, Brenn-O Kemm

# 5.3 Membership in national and international bodies

- South African Chemical Institute (previously)
- South African Association of Botanists (Founder Member, President, Honorary Life Member)
- Suid-Afrikaanse Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns (Full Member since 1981, Board member since 2000, Member Executive Committee of Board since 2005)
- Southern African Association of Aquatic Sciences (Life Member)
- Microbiological Society of South Africa [previously]
- AETFAT (Association for the taxonomic study of the Flora of Tropical Africa)
- Botanical Society of South Africa (Board member previously)
- Phycological Society of South Africa (previously)
- International Horticultural Society (previously)
- International Protea Association (Honorary Member, previously)
- South African Pharmacology Society
- Gesellschaft für Artzneipflanzenforschung [Society for Medicinal Plant Research]
- Phytochemical Society of Europe
- Society for Economical Botany USA previously
- International Society for Ethnopharmacology [Member of Board]
- Toxicological Society of South Africa
- Association for African Medicinal Plant Standards [First Chairman of the Board, Currently Chairman Research Advisory Committee]
- Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain (previously)
- International Council for Medicinal and Aromatic Plants [Member Executive Committee previously, now representative for Africa]

### 5.4 Visits to local and overseas universities or research institute as guest professor or researcher

Spent several periods overseas

- Amino acid metabolism of plants. (University College, London, 1969/70).
- Autecological studies of toxic freshwater cyanobacterium *Microcystis aeruginosa* (Hadassah Hospital, Jerusalem, Israel – 1974 and Hebrew University, Jerusalem, 1979)
- Toxicological studies on Microcystis aeruginosa (Brookhaven National Laboratory, New York, USA, 1981)
- Many Institutes and Botanical Gardens on extended lecture tour of Asia and Australia, 1988.
- Several visits to Laboratories and Institutes in Austria, Australia, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Ghana, Hungary, Italy, Kenya, Mauritius, Netherlands, Nigeria, Norway and Slovenia 2000-2013.

### 6. MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES (LEADERSHIP)

The Department of Paraclinical Sciences consists of 4 Divisions i.e. Pharmacology and Toxicology, Pathology, Veterinary Public health and Phytomedicine. I am in charge of the Phytomedicine Division with practically all funding for the students and technical staff coming from external sources. The Division is only involved with post-graduate students and the activities are extremely interdisciplinary with the only communal factor being the use of plant secondary compounds. [See www.up.ac.za/phyto]

The success of the group is evident from the growth in student numbers, the results obtained by students [c. 80% of MSc students last decade passed with a distinction]. Students have won prizes for presentation at congresses including funding to intend congresses in China, Germany, Italy, New Zealand and Emirates. The substantial research funding obtained in competition with other scientists as well as funding from industry shows that efforts are appreciated by peers and that our research is in line with national priorities.

Phytomedicine has been identified as a research focus area of the Faculty of Veterinary Science and also as a developed Research Niche Area by the National Research Foundation.

### 7. COMMUNITY SERVICE OR PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

# 7.1 Outreach projects

- 7.1.1 Programme in Ethnoveterinary medicine has contact with rural communities. Delivered a presentation at black farmer's day in Limpopo Province. Active in Mnisi outreach programme of Faculty of Veterinary Science at Hans Hoheizen Research Centre.
- 7.1.2 Mentorship of students and staff members at historically black universities.
- We have developed techniques that are used by many Historically Black Universities in South Africa. We have received students from many Universities in Africa and in South Africa for short periods to learn techniques here. In some cases this has led to the students completing the whole study period here, but in many cases they apply the methods in their own laboratories. Staff members of several HBUs are also enrolled for further study here. Especially the Universities of Limpopo Medunsa and Turloop, Transkei, Fort Hare, Walter Sisulu, Tshwane University of Technology, Vaal University of Technology, Venda and University of South Africa make regular use of our facilities and knowledge.
- We have also used many TUT interns as part of their experiential training within our group. With decreased funding from the NRF these options of support are now much more limited.
- 7.1.3 Other ways of supporting colleagues from historically black universities
- I have been invited to give prestige lectures to staff and students at Universities of Limpopo-Medunsa, Limpopo-Turfloop, Walter Sisulu, and Vaal University of Technology.
- I have been requested to help the Universities of Venda, Northwest, Limpopo-Turfloop and Universities in Zimbabwe, Nigeria and India in evaluating the promotion of staff members.

### 7.2 Professional service performed

Involved in solving problems in the herbal medicine industry from time to time and I am Chairman of the Western Herbal Medicine Review Committee of the Herbal Products Association of South Africa

### POPULAR SCIENTIFIC PUBLIC LECTURES

## **OVERSEAS**

Seventeen popular scientific lectures were held in Australia, USA, Israel, Singapore, Hong Kong, Germany and Botswana, to audiences ranging from 8 to 250.

#### SOUTH AFRICA

More than 130 popular scientific lectures were held in South Africa before audiences of among others the S<sub>2</sub>A<sub>3</sub>, Botanical Society, Wildlife Society, Afrikaanse Studentebond, Natuurwetenskap studentevereniging (UOFS), Church youth groups, Rotary International Clubs, Lion Clubs, Institute of Citizenship, Royal Society, Suid-Afrikaanse Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns, South African Association of Botanists, S.A. Nurseryman's Association, Institute for Parks and

Recreation Administration, Farmers Days, Soroptomist Club, Leserskringe, Youth Leadership Courses, Rapportryers, Schools, S A Aloe Breeders Society, Vroue Landbou Unie, National Museums, Art Exhibitions and Flower Shows in many different towns, Several Lectures on medicinal plants in Pretoria, Cape Town and Durban for BMH Continued Education.

Have led a number of strategic planning and group building courses within the National Botanical Institute and at the Rand Afrikaans University.

### RADIO TALKS

Apart from many radio and television interviews, since beginning of 1990 wrote a weekly 5-minute talk on nature conservation for SABC to translate and broadcast into Africa for two years. Have presented series of 5-10 minute talks on Radio Pulpit [National Christian Radio Station] on the Wonders of Nature.

#### 7.3 Involvement with other universities/scientific institutions

- Founder member and was longest serving Member of Council of South African Association of Botanists. Was member of executive committee for many years and was youngest President yet elected to this position. Wrote Congress Planning Manual still in use.
- Full member of the South African Academy for Science and Arts [1981]. Was member of Council of OFS branch for several years as well as Secretary (4 years) and Chairman (2 years). Member, Deputy Chairman and Chairman of Council, Cape Branch. Chairman Biological Section (Stellenbosch). Was Chairman Council Section for Biological Sciences and member of Faculty for Science and Technology.
- Was member/chairman of several Senate and Faculty Committees of several Universities.
- Was chairman of CSIR Threatened Plant Research Working Group and member of Steering Committee of Committee for Nature Conservation Research of National Programme for Ecosystem Research, CSIR. Member of FRD evaluation committee for Indigenous Plant Use Research Programme and allocation of bursaries.
- Was appointed by Minister of Agriculture as member of Board of Trustees National Botanic Gardens (1971-1982)
- Was member of Council: of the Limnological Society of southern Africa (now Southern African Society for Aquatic Sciences).
- Was member of Committee for Environmental Management. Chairman of Subcommittee for Management of Threatened Species and member of Subcommittee for Nature Conservation Dept. of Environment Affairs.
- Was member of S. African Nature Foundation Conservation Advisory Committee.
- Was an ex officio member of the Board of the Botanical Society of South Africa from 1983-1990
- Was member Committee of Cape Peninsula Regional Development Association.
- Was member of Committee of Heads of Cultural Institutions.
- Member and was Deputy Chairman of Professional Advisory Committee for Botany: Plant Sciences-South African Council for Natural Scientists. Was alternate member of Council of SACNAS.
- Was member of Advisory Committee for Horticulture Cape Technicon.
- Was member of Council and several committees of Botanical Society of South Africa.
- Was member Cape Peninsular Natural Area Management Advisory Committee.
- Appointed by Government Commission for Administration as Chairman of Implementation Committee for amalgamation of National Botanical Gardens and Botanical Research Institute.
- Appointed in 1993 by Minister of National Education on Committee for Scientific Publications to evaluate and Manage National Scientific Journals
- Regularly evaluated research proposals for NRF
- Appointed on review committee for Dept of Botany UKZN 1995 and as assessor for personal promotion of staff members UNP 1996 and as external examiner for undergraduate and post-graduate courses 1999-2005.
- Appointed on review committee of the Medical Research Council to evaluate research programs of the Universities of Cape Town and Western Cape.
- Appointed to Review the establishment of a Medicinal Plant Research Centre, University of Fort Hare, 2005.

### 7.4 Refereeing duties

- Evaluated more than 120 MSc and PhD theses for practically all South African Universities and some Universities in Nigeria, India and in Finland in many different fields.
- Evaluated research programmes for MRC and many research proposals for NRF as well as research proposals from the UK, Sweden, India and Israel.
- Invited to referee manuscripts for the following **165 scientific journals**: (Was a top reviewer for Elsevier in 2010 received a certificate and a small prize for reviewing more than 70 manuscripts.)

Acta Tropica, African Entomology, Advances in Pharmacological Sciences, African Journal of Agricultural Research, African Journal of Biochemical Research, African Journal of Biotechnology, African Journal of Microbiology Research, African Journal of Pharmacy and Pharmacological Research, African Journal of Plant Science, African Journal of Pure and Applied Chemistry, African Journal of Traditional Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Agronomy, American Journal of Plant Sciences, Arabion Journal of Chemistry, Anti-Infective Agents, Antiviral Research, Annual Review & Research in Biology, Applied Microbiology, Biochemistry and Pharmacology, Biocontrol, Biotechnology and Applied Biochemistry, Biotechnology Research International, Bioprocess and Biosystems Engineering, BMC Complementary and Alternative Medicines, Brazilian Journal of Veterinary Parasitology, British Journal of Applied Science and Technology, British Journal of Medicine and Medical Research, British Microbiology Research Journal, Cameroon Journal of Experimental Biology, Croatian Journal of Food Technology, Biotechnology and NutritionCrop Rotation, Current Medicinal Chemistry, Current Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, Educational Research and Reviews, European Journal of Chemistry, European Journal of Integrative Medicine, European Journal of Medicinal Plants, Evidence-Based Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Experimental Parasitology, FEMS Immunology & Medical Microbiology, FEMS Yeast Research, Folia Histochemica et Cytobiologica, Food Additives and Contaminants, Food and Chemical Toxicology, Food Bioscience, Food Chemistry, Foodchem, Food Technology and Biotechnology, Future Microbiology, Free Radicals and Antioxidants, Global Journal of Medical Sciences, Global Research Journal of Microbiology, Human and Experimental Toxicology, Industrial Crops and Products, International Journal of Biochemistry Research & Review, International Journal of Biodiversity and Conservation, International Journal of Biological and Chemical Sciences, International Journal of Nutrition and Metabolism, International Journal of Physical Sciences, International Journal of Plant & Soil Science, International Journal of Green Pharmacy, International Journal of Molecular Sciences, International Journal of Phytomedicine, International Journal of Tropical Disease & Health, International Journal of Zoology, International Research Journal of Biochemistry and Bioinformatics, International Journal of Biochemistry Research & Review, International Research Journal of Biotechnology, International Research Journal of Plant Science, International Research Journal of Library, Information and Archival Studies, International STD Research & Reviews, International Journal of Tropical Disease & Health, Jordan Journal of Biological Sciences, Journal Aquatic Sciences in Africa, Journal for Herbs, Spices and Medicinal plants, Journal of Agricultural and Biological Sciences, Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry, Journal of Agricultural Science and Technology, Journal of Agriculture and Biodiversity Research, Journal of Animal and Cell Biology, Journal of Applied Microbiology, Journal of Applied Animal Research, Journal of biologically active compounds from nature, Journal of Biomedicine and Biotechnology, Journal of Cell and Animal Biology, Journal of Essential Oil Bearing Plants, Journal of Ethnobiology and Ethnomedicine, Journal of Ethnopharmacology, Journal of Food Processing, Journal of Food Safety, Journal of Fungal and Yeast Research, Journal of Geography and Regional Planning, Journal of Horticulture, Journal of Histology and Cytology, Journal of Human and Experimental Toxicology, Journal of King Saud University (Science), Journal of Medicinal Food, Journal of Medicinal Plant Research., Journal of Medicine and Medical Sciences, Journal of Pathogens, Journal of Parasitology and Vector Biology, Journal of Pharmacognosy and Phytotherapy, Journal of Phycology, Journal of Visualized Experiments, Journal of the American College of Nutrition, Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture, Journal of the Limnological Society of southern Africa, Journal of the St. Paulo Inst. of Tropical Medicine, Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture, Journal of the Veterinary Society of South Africa, Journals of Agriculture and Biological Sciences, Journal of Visualized Experiments, Letters in Applied Microbiology, Letters in Drug Design & Discovery, Life Sciences, Microbial & Biochemical Technology, Microbiological Research, Microbial Drug Resistance, International, Mini Reviews in Organic Chemistry, Molecules, Natural Product Research, Natural Products Communications, Nigerian veterinary Journal, Nutrients, Oman Medical Journal, Onderstepoort Journal Veterinary Science, Online Journal of Medicinal Plant Research, Parasitology Research, Peak Journal of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Pharmaceutical Biology, PhCog Mag, Phytochemistry, Phytomedicine, Phytotherapy Research, Plant Ecology, Planta Medica, PLOS One, Plant Signaling & Behavior, Preparative Biochemistry & Biotechnology, Research in Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, Research Journal of Agricultural and Environmental Management, Saudi Medical Journal, Plant Science, Science Journal of Environmental Engineering Research, Scientia Pharmaceutica, Scientific Research and Essays, South African Journal of Botany, South African Journal of Science, South African Journal of Zoology, Suid-Afrikaanse Tydskrif vir Natuurwetenskap en Tegnologie, The African Journal of Plant Science and Biotechnology, Tropical Biomedicine, The Open Pain Journal, The Scientific World, Veterinary Parasitology, Veterinary Research Communication, Veterinary Research Communication, Water SA, WebmedCentral. WebPub Journal of Medical Research, WebPub Journal of Scientific Research, World Mycotoxin Journal, Wudpecker Journal of Pharmacy and Pharmacology

## 7.5 Editorial activities scientific journals

- Was Editor-in-Chief of Journal of South African Botany Vol. 49 and Vol. 50 [1983/1984] before this journal amalgamated with the South African Journal of Botany
- Scientific Editor of South African Journal of Botany from 1984 to 1999
- Member Editorial Board South African Journal of Botany from 2000-
- Was Co-Editor of Veld & Flora (1984-1989) Quarterly Journal of the Botanical Society of South Africa.
- Editor-in Chief Suid-Afrikaanse Tydskrif vir Natuurwetenskap en Tegnologie [South African Journal of Science and Technology] from 2000-

- Invited to become member of Editorial Board Cameroon Journal of Experimental Biology, Open Journal of Alternative Medicine, Open Pain Journal, for Inflammation & Allergy Drug Targets, Anti-cancer and Cancer Preventing Plant Products from Nature, BIOINFO Vaccine Sciences, International Journal of Parasitology Research, The Open Complementary Medicine Journal, Discovery Phytomedicine, Bioinfo publications. Did not accept invitations.
- Member of Editorial Advisory Board, African Journal of Traditional Alternative and Complementary Medicine
- Member Editorial Committee Evidence based complementary and alternative medicine (2010 resigned in 2013)
- Appointed as Editor in Chief of International Journal of Phytomedicine (2010)
- Section Editor BMC Complementary and Alternative Medicine (2013)

#### 7.6 Editorial activities books

- Was Editor of volume 13 of Supplement to Journal of South African Botany and of vol. 14-19 of Annals of Kirstenbosch Botanic Gardens which superseded the Supplementary Volumes.
- Co-Editor Green Gold Success stories using Southern African Plant species. .AAMPS Publishing, Mauritius (2010)
- Co-Editor African Herbal Pharmacopoeia. AAMPS Publishing, Mauritius (2010)
- Co-Editor Chemistry for the Sustainable development in Africa. Springer-Verlag, Germany (2012).

#### 7.7 Evaluation status as scientist

Directly after FRD [then NRF] started was evaluated C "established researcher". Was then in management position without the possibility to be involved in research. In 1999 when returned to academic world evaluated in the L category ("Late entry into research" and in 2004 in the "established researcher" category, C3 and in 2008 in the "internationally acclaimed scientist" category B3.

### 7.8 Citation of publications

Different results were obtained from Web of Science and Google Scholar. H factor according to Web of Science on 9 April 2013 was 24 and H factor based on Google Scholar was 32. The i10 factor was Based on Google Scholar top ten publications were cited an average of 175 times.

### 8. DISTINCTIONS AND AWARDS

- Book prizes for academic achievement at school
- Bilingualism bursary Transvaal Education Department
- British Council Bursary for Research in London (1969/70)
- Several CSIR post-doctoral fellowships and Travel Grants for overseas research and international congresses.
- Financial support from USA Dept. of Agriculture (Jan-Dec '81) towards sabbatical study
- Patron Cape Natural History Club [1983-1993]
- Honorary Member International Protea Association (1988-1993)
- Foundation member and later Honorary Member Kirstenbosch Club of Rotary International
- Appointed Chairman of Cape Flora Specialist Group of IUCN Species Survival Commission (1988-1992)
- Appointed Honorary Professor of Botany at University of Stellenbosch for two terms 1987-1988
- Appointed Extraordinary Professor at University of Pretoria 1990-1993
- Appointed part time Professor at Rand Afrikaans University 1992-1995
- Received the Senior Medal for Botany from South African Association of Botanists and honorary life membership "in recognition of outstanding research and/or other contribution to Botany" in January 1993.
- Volume 65 of South African Journal of Botany, 1999 dedicated to J N Eloff
- Negotiated contract for substantial Research Funding by industry and THRIP on medicinal plant research. Also carried out contract research for inter.alia. CSIR, Sasol and Krygkor.
- Elected member of Faculty Board and member of Board of South African Academy of Arts and Sciences 1999, 2004.
- Elected Chairman Biological Sciences Management Section South African Academy of Arts and Sciences, 1999.
- Elected Chairman Editorial Committee South African Journal of Science and Technology 2000-
- Received Havenga Prize for outstanding research in Biological Sciences from Suid-Afrikaanse Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns June 2003
- One of 14 Biopad BRIC projects selected for funding [R2.2m for 2004-2005].
- Elected on Board of International Society for Ethnopharmacology June 2004-.
- Appointed by Committee for Development of Enterprise of the European Union as Leader of a Pan-African project to develop a series of monographs on the quality control of African Herbal Medicines for export to Europe 2005.
- Member Executive Committee of Council Suid-Afrikaanse Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns 2005-
- Elected as first Chairman of the Board of the Association for African Medicinal Plant Standards based in Mauritius [www.aamps.org] 2005

- Appointed as Chairman of the Scientific Advisory Committee of Association for African Medicinal Plant Standards
- Elected member Executive Committee of International Council for Medicinal and Aromatic Plants.
- Organized the world congress on medicinal and aromatic plants (WOCMAP IV) in South Africa in 2008 with the small but dedicated Phytomedicine Programme team.
- Received funds from NRF focus areas close to R1 million per year for five years, 2005-2009.
- Leader of an established Research Niche Area of the National Research Foundation with excellent funding from 2007 to 2013
- Received the Bronze medal from the International Horticultural Society in recognition of organizing the World Conference on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants (WOCMAP IV in 2008)
- Received the Gold medal of the Suid-Afrikaanse Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns for Scientific and Technological Achievement 2009
- Appointed Editor-in-Chief International Journal of Phytomedicine 2010
- Received the first award as Outstanding Scientific Achiever in Faculty of Veterinary Science in 2010
- SA Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns Douw Greeff prize for best publication in SA Tydskrif vir Natuurwetenskap en Tegnologie in 2011
- Received the National Science and Technology Forum Eskom award for Research Capacity Development in all scientific
  disciplines in South Africa from the Minister of Science and Technology in 2012. This included a R100 000 grant for
  research support
- Received the Gold medal highest award of the Academy for Science of South Africa (ASSAf) for contribution of "Science for Society" in South Africa 2012
- Received the Gold medal, highest award the from the South African Association of Botanists, January 2013
- Received the Prize from the Afrikaanse Taal en Kultuurverening (ATKV) and the Suid-Afrikaanse Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns for the best scientific paper published in Afrikaans. October 2013.