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## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

Geneviève Girard was born on the 21<sup>st</sup> of February 1979 in Les Lilas (Seine-St Denis, France). After obtaining the baccalauréat in 1995, she started a 2-year study in the BCPST section (Biologie, Chimie, Physique et Sciences de la Terre/Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Geology) of the Lycée Hoche in Versailles (Yvelines, France). In 1997 she entered the Ecole Normale Supérieure in Cachan (Val de Marne, France). In 1999 she obtained a master degree in Biochemistry at the University Denis Diderot of Paris (Paris 7) and visited the Netherlands for the first time for a training period of 6 months at Genexpress (Biochemistry Laboratory, Leiden University) under the direction of Prof. Kees Pleij. In 2000 she got the agrégation of SVT (Sciences de la Vie et de la Terre/Biology and Geology). In 2001 she was back at the University of Leiden for a training period of 10 months at Genexpress in collaboration with the group of Prof. Herman Spaik (Molecular Cell Biology) and obtained a Master degree in Biology *cum laude*. She did her PhD study in the Microbiology group of Prof. Ben Lugtenberg between September 2001 and February 2006. She is currently working as a molecular virologist at Crucell in Leiden.

## SCIENTIFIC WORK

### Publications

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### Oral presentations

- Presentation at the EPS symposium in Amsterdam (10/01/2003): Set up of a micro-array technique to study the genetic regulation of phenazine production in biocontrol strain *Pseudomonas chlororaphis* PCL1391
- Presentation at the ALW Platform Molecular Genetics (28-29/10/2004) in Lunteren: Genetic regulation of the biosynthesis of the biofungicide phenazine-1-carboxamide in *Pseudomonas chlororaphis* PCL1391
- Poster at the 10<sup>th</sup> international congress on *Pseudomonas* in Marseille (27-31/08/2005): Regulatory roles of *psrA* and *rpoS* in phenazine-1-carboxamide synthesis by *Pseudomonas chlororaphis* PCL1391



