# **Cibotaru Sandu**



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**Languages:** Romanian (mother tongue), Russian (excellent knowledge), English (good knowledge)

## Education

2014-2017	Bachelor degree in Chemistry
	"Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University, Iasi, Romania; Faculty of Chemistry,
	Specialization: Chemistry
	Thesis supervisor: Lect. Dr. Laura Sarbu
	Thesis title: "The obtaining of aromatic compounds from carbonyl compounds"
2017-2019	Master degree in Chemistry

Master degree in Chemistry
 "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University, Iasi, Romania; Faculty of Chemistry,
 Specialization: Environmental Chemistry and Food Safety
 Thesis supervisors: Lect. Dr. Dalila Belei
 Thesis title: "New phenothiazine derivatives. Synthesis and applications"

## **Current position**

#### Sept. 2019- present

**Research assistant** at "Petru Poni" Institute of Macromolecular Chemistry of Romania Academy, Laboratory of Polycondensation and Thermostable Polymers

#### Starting from 1 Nov 2019

PhD student at "Petru Poni" Institute of Macromolecular Chemistry of Romania Academy, Laboratory of Polycondensation and Thermostable Polymers
PhD supervisor: Dr. Luminita Marin
Thesis title: "New water-soluble phenothiazine derivatives. Synthesis, characterization, properties"

## **Participation in research projects**

2018- Closing the bioeconomy value chains by manufacturing market demanded innovative bioproducts – **PROSPER** (PN-III-P1-1.2-PCCDI-2017-0569)

#### Scientific achievements

I started my research activity in 2017, at "Petru Poni" Institute of Macromolecular Chemistry of Romanian Academy, Laboratory of Polycondensation and Thermostable Polymers as a volunteer. In the first year at "Petru Poni" Institute, I've gained remarkable knowledge in the field of phenothiazine chemistry and of its derivatives, specially designed for optoelectronic or biomedical applications. Since 2018, I was employed in the framework of the project PROSPER, being responsible for obtaining biologically and environmentally friendly phenothiazine derivatives with good optoelectronic properties, with the final aim to use them in the development of OLEDs. During this period, I've learned important techniques for the structural characterization of phenothiazine derivatives such as: <sup>1</sup>H-NMR, FTIR Spectroscopy, UV-VIS and fluorescence spectroscopy. Moreover, working with amphiphilic phenothiazine compounds able to form micelles, I've got familiar with dynamic light scattering techniques (DLS).

### Additional information –

## Dissemination in international and national meetings

**Poster:** Sandu Cibotaru, Dalila Belei, Luminita Marin "Water soluble Phenothiazine derivatives", ICOSECS, 9th Edition, Targoviste, 8-11 May 2019

**Poster:** Sandu Cibotaru, Dalila Belei, Elena Bicu, Luminita Marin "Derivati de fenotiazina solubili in apa", Scientific communication session for students, 10<sup>th</sup> Edition, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University, Faculty of Chemistry, Iasi, 20-21 June 2019

**Oral Comunication:** Sandu Cibotaru, Dalila Belei, Luminita Marin "PEGylated phenothiazine derivatives as water soluble precursors for biomaterials", 13<sup>TH</sup> STUDENTS' CONGRESS OF SCTM, Skopje, 19-21 September 2019