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Dr. Habib Khoudi graduated from the National Institute of Agronomy of Tunisia in 1989. He was awarded a full scholarship to pursue graduate studies in North America where he obtained his Ph.D. in plant biology from LAVAL University, Canada, in 1998 and took up a postdoctoral position at university of Western Ontario, Canada and a research scientist position at University of Québec at Trois Rivières, Canada. In 2006, he joined the Center of Biotechnology of Sfax and he is currently focusing his research on the improvement of abiotic stress tolerance in plants mainly wheat, barley and tomato. He is also working on phytoremediation of industrial wastes and biofortification of crops. His major achievements were recognized by the issue of an international patent in genetic engineering of plants and a national patent on genetic transformation of wheat which received a medal in the International Invention Fair of the Middle East held in Kuwait in 2007. Dr Khoudi published several papers, acted as peer reviewer for international journals and supervised several national and international graduate students. He also gave several presentations in national and international conferences.