






**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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**WORK EXPERIENCE**

- 2007 to present Full professor of Agronomy and Field Crops at the Department of Agrifood, Environmental and Animal Sciences, University of Udine;
- 1996-2007 associate professor of Agronomy and Field Crops at the Department of Agricultural and Environmental Science, University of Udine;
- 1992-1996 associate professor of Agrometeorology at the Department of Agronomy and Plant Genetics, University of Napoli Federico II;
- 1986-1992 researcher at the Institute of Field Crops, University of Udine;
- 1984-1986 research fellow at the Institute of Agronomy, University of Padova.

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

- 1984 degree in Agricultural Science, University of Padova (cum laude); dissertation in field crops (soybean and rapeseed);
- 1977 graduation in humanities, Liceo Classico C. Marchesi, Padova.

**Mother tongue** Italian

**Other languages**

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	B2	C1	B2	C1	C1
French	B1	B2	B1	B1	B1

**Organisational/managerial skills**

- Deputy Rector for Quality Assurance, University of Udine (2022-)
- director of the Department of Agrifood, Environmental and Animal Sciences, University of Udine (about 120 faculties, 65 staff) (2015-21);
- president of the FVG Center for Research and Technology Transfer in Agriculture (2015-21);
- director of the Department of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, University of Udine (about 70 faculties, 40 staff) (2013-15);
- member of the Academic Senate, University of Udine (2012-21);
- deputy Rector for Quality Assurance, University of Udine (2012-13);
- member of the Education Committee, University of Udine (2010-12);
- coordinator of the undergraduate and graduate courses in Environmental Science, University of Udine (2008-2012)
- member of the regional working group on the Nitrate Directive (2007-09);
- member of the working group on the Regional Development Plan (2004-06);
- evaluator of EU RTD projects "Quality of life and management of living resources (2001-02);
- member of the Board of Advisors of the Italian Society of Agronomy (1996-2007);
- assistant Editor of the Italian Journal of Agronomy (1996-2005).

**Research**

The research interests are focused on: Agriculture-environment relationships, evaluation of novel farming systems (including organic), fate of nutrients and herbicides in cultivated fields; Agrometeorology, crop phenology and ecophysiology of field crops; Irrigation and drainage, irrigation scheduling, evapotranspiration and crop yield; manure management, use and reuse of wastes.

Author of more than 120 scientific papers and of a handbook of Agrometeorology, he is the Editor in Chief of the Handbook of Agronomy published under the auspices of the Italian Society of Agronomy.

**Teaching**

During his career, prof. P. Ceccon was in charge of the courses of Vegetable Crops (1991), University of Udine; Agrometeorology (1992-1995) and Fertilization of Field Crops (1996), University of Napoli; Agronomy and Field Crops (1993-99), Field Crops (2000-2004), Fertilization of Field Crops (2005-2010), Organic Farming (2005-2010), Meteorology and Climatology (2003-), Statistical Methods in Agriculture (2004-2021), and Agronomy (2022-), University of Udine.

**Additional distinctions**

- Vice-President of the Fondazione Attilio Maseri (2024-);
- member of the Scientific Board of the Fondazione De Claricini-Dompacher (2023-);
- member of the Rotary Club Udine (2017-);
- member of the Accademia dei Georgofili, Firenze (2015-);
- vice-President of the Italian Society of Agronomy (2008-2012).

**Communication skills**

Very good communication skills gained through my experience as Deputy Rector and Director of Department at the University of Udine

**Digital skills**

Information processing	Communication	SELF-ASSESSMENT			Problem solving
		Content creation	Safety		
Proficient user	Proficient user	Proficient user	Independent user	Proficient user	