
CURRICULUM VITAE

NAME: Volodymyr DVORNYK

SCIENTIFIC INTERESTS

Comparative genomics, bioinformatics, microbiology, molecular evolution, molecular population genetics, epidemiology, medical genetics.

ACADEMIC RECORD AND DEGREES

- 1992 Ph.D. (Biology), Moscow Pedagogical State University, Moscow, Russia.
1979-84 M.Phil. (Zoology and Botany), V. Stus Donetsk State University, Donetsk, Ukraine.
*Graduated **Cum Laude**.*

ACADEMIC DISTINCTIONS, SCHOLARSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS, PRISES & HONOURS

- 2000 Visiting Scholar at the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, University of New Hampshire, USA.

POSITIONS HELD

- 2022-present *PROFESSOR OF GENETICS*, Department of Life Sciences, College of Science and General Studies, Alfaisal University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
2015-2022 *ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF GENETICS*, Department of Life Sciences, College of Science and General Studies, Alfaisal University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
2015-2018 *HONORARY ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR*, School of Biological Sciences, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR, PR China
2008-2015 *ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR*, School of Biological Sciences, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR, PR China
2005-08 *ASSISTANT PROFESSOR*, Department of Biological Sciences, Kent State University, Kent, OH, USA.
2000-05 *POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE*, Osteoporosis Research Center, Creighton University, Omaha, NE, USA.
1998-2000 *POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER*, Plant Genetics Group, Department of Biology, University of Oulu, Oulu, Finland.
1994-98 *HEAD*, Ecological Consulting Division, Khvyliya Co., Ukraine
1993-94 *RESEARCH SCIENTIST*, Department of Plant Tolerance Physiology, Donetsk Botanical Gardens, National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine.
1992-93 *JUNIOR RESEARCH SCIENTIST*, Department of Plant Tolerance Physiology, Donetsk Botanical Gardens, Ukraine

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1. Current teaching:

<i>Level</i>	<i>Course name</i>	<i>Credit hours</i>
Undergraduate	Biotechnology	3
	Human Anatomy and Physiology	3
	General Biology I and II	6
	Introductory Biology (for non-biology major)	3
	Microbiology	4
	Human Genetics	3
	Bioinformatics and Computational Genomics	3
	Conservation Biology	3

Past teaching:

<i>Level</i>	<i>Course name</i>	<i>Credit hours</i>
Undergraduate	Organic Evolution	3
	Medical Microbiology (with a lab component)	3
	Ecology, Evolution, and Society	3
	Biological Foundations	4
	Microbial Biotechnology (with a lab component)	3
	Biotechnology Industry	3
	Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution (with a computer lab component)	6
	Genetics (with a lab component)	3
Graduate	Organic Evolution	3
	Writing in Biological Sciences	1

CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT (courses I have designed or significantly modified to meet curriculum requirements)

- Virology (new course).
- Conservation Biology (new course)
- Bioinformatics and Computational Genomics (new course).
- Human Genetics (new course).
- Biotechnology (new course).
- Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution (new course).
- Basic Microbiology (with emphasis on medical and environmental microbiology).
- Case Studies in Biotechnology (problem-based learning course).

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- Ecology, Evolution, and Society.
 - Fall 2007 First Year Colloquium.
 - Biological Foundations (with emphasis on human anatomy, physiology, and genetics).
 - Organic Evolution.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- Research and Development Committee, College of Science and General Studies, Alfaisal University
- Grievance Committee, College of Science and General Studies, Alfaisal University
- *Ad hoc* member, Faculty Search Committee for Microbiologist, Alfaisal University, Spring 2015.
- Editorial Board, Faculty of Science Newsletter, University of Hong Kong, 08/2012-07/2015.
- Sub-group of Curriculum Review and Timetable Committee, University of Hong Kong, 03/2012-02/2013
- Faculty Human Resource Committee, Faculty of Science, University of Hong Kong, 11/2008-11/2010 term.
- Faculty Senate Member, Faculty of Science, University of Hong Kong, 2008-present.
- Member of the Editorial Board, Kent State University Press, 2007-2008.
- *Ad hoc* member, Faculty Search Committee for Environmental Microbiologist, Kent State University, Fall 2005.

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS, COMMITTEES AND BOARDS

Editorial Board:

- *International Journal of Pharmacy and Pharmacology* – since 2014
- *Open Journal of Epidemiology* – since 2012
- *International Journal on Algae* – 2009-2019
- *The Scientific World Journal* – 2011-2014
- *Advances in Biology* – 2013-2017
- *World Journal of Experimental Medicine* – 2011-2019
- *World Journal of Medical Genetics* – 2011-2018

Reviewer for the journals:

- *Nature Reviews Microbiology*
- *International Journal of Systematic and Evolutionary Microbiology*
- *Journal of Biogeography*
- *Age*

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- *Brain Research*
 - *Breast Cancer Research and Treatment*
 - *Gene*
 - *Genes*
 - *International Journal of Molecular Sciences*
 - *Journal of Molecular Endocrinology*
 - *Journal of Clinical Endocrinology and Metabolism*
 - *Molecular Human Reproduction*
 - *BMC Medical Genetics*
 - *Saudi Medical Journal*
 - *Ethnicity & Disease*
 - *Medical Science Monitor*
 - *Central European Journal of Biology*
 - *International Journal on Algae*
 - *ScienceAsia – Journal of the Science Society of Thailand*
 - *Ukrainian Botanical Journal*
 - *Ecology and Noospherology*

Reviewer of grant proposals for the NSF (USA), Deutsch-Israelische Projektkooperation.

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

Ukrainian and Russian – native, English – fluent, some other Slavic languages (Polish, Czech, Bulgarian) – read and understood.

PUBLICATION NAMES

V. Dvornik, V. Dvornyk.

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES (SELECTED)**Epidemiology, Human Genetics and Genomics**

1. MINYAYLO O, PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2022. Polymorphisms of the matrix metalloproteinase 9 gene are associated with duodenal ulcer in a Caucasian population of Central Russia. *J King Saud University – Science*, **34**: 102142.
2. CHURNOSOV M, BELYAEVA T, RESHETNIKOV E, **DVORNYK V**, PONOMARENKO I. 2022. Polymorphisms of the filaggrin gene are associated with atopic dermatitis in the Caucasian population of Central Russia. *Gene*, **818**: 146219.
3. **DVORNYK V**, PONOMARENKO I, BELYAEVA T, RESHETNIKOV E, CHURNOSOV M. 2021. *Filaggrin* gene polymorphisms are associated with atopic dermatitis in women but not in men in the Caucasian population of Central Russia. *PLoS ONE*, **16**(12): e0261026.
4. **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M, DENG HW. 2021. Polymorphisms of the *TNF*, *LTA*, and *TNFRSF1B* genes are associated with onsets of menarche and menopause in US women of European ancestry. *Ann. Hum. Biol.*, **48**(5): 400-405. doi: 10.1080/03014460.2021.1987519.
5. **DVORNYK V**. 2021. Significant interpopulation differentiation at candidate loci may underlie ethnic disparities in the prevalence of uterine fibroids. *J. Genet.*, **100**, 90. doi: 10.1007/s12041-021-01342-x.
6. **DVORNYK V**, PONOMARENKO I, MINYAYLO O, RESHETNIKOV E, CHURNOSOV M. 2021. Association of the functionally significant polymorphisms of the *MMP-9* gene with *H. pylori*-positive gastric ulcer in the Caucasian population of Central Russia. *PLoS ONE*, **16**(9): e0257060.
7. ELISEEVA N, PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2021. The haplotype of the *CDKN2B-AS1* gene is associated with primary open-angle glaucoma and pseudoexfoliation glaucoma in the Caucasian population of Central Russia. *Ophthalmic Genet.*, **42**(6), 698-705. doi: 10.1080/13816810.2021.1955275.
8. MINYAYLO O, PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2021. Functionally significant polymorphisms of the *MMP-9* gene are associated with peptic ulcer disease in the Caucasian population of Central Russia. *Sci. Rep.*, **11**: 13515. doi: 10.1038/s41598-021-92527-y.
9. ELISEEVA N, PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2021. The *LOXLI* gene candidates for exfoliation glaucoma are also associated with a risk for primary open-angle glaucoma in a Caucasian population from Central Russia. *Mol. Vis.*, **27**: 262-269.
10. MOSKALENKO M, PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2021. Polymorphisms of the matrix metalloproteinase genes are associated with essential hypertension in a Caucasian population of Central Russia. *Sci. Rep.*, **11**: 5224. doi: 10.1038/s41598-021-84645-4.
11. RESHETNIKOV E, PONOMARENKO I, POLONIKOV A, VERZILINA I, SOROKINA I, YERMACHENKO A, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2021. Candidate genes for age at menarche are associated with uterine leiomyoma. *Front. Genet.*, **11**: 512940. doi: 10.3389/fgene.2020.512940.
12. STARIKOVA D, PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2021. Novel data about association of the functionally significant polymorphisms of the *MMP-9* gene with exfoliation glaucoma in the Caucasian population of Central Russia. *Ophthalmic Res.*, **64** (3): 458-464. doi: 10.1159/000512507.
13. PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, POLONIKOV A, VERZILINA I, SOROKINA I, ELGAEVA E, TSEPILO

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- YA, YERMACHENKO A, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2020. Candidate genes for age at menarche are associated with endometriosis. *Reprod. Biomed. Online*, **41**(5): 943-956. doi.org/10.1016/j.rbmo.2020.04.016.
14. GOLOVCHENKO O, ABRAMOVA M, PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, ARISTOVA I, POLONIKOV A, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2020. Functionally significant polymorphisms of *ESR1* and *PGR* and risk of intrauterine growth restriction in population of Central Russia. *Eur. J. Obstet. Gynecol. Reprod. Biol.*, **253**: 52-57. doi.org/10.1016/j.ejogrb.2020.07.045.
 15. PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, POLONIKOV A, SOROKINA I, YERMACHENKO A, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2020. Candidate genes for age at menarche are associated with endometrial hyperplasia. *Gene*, **757**: 144933. doi.org/10.1016/j.gene.2020.144933.
 16. PONOMARENKO I, RESHETNIKOV E, ALTUCHOVA O, POLONIKOV A, SOROKINA I, YERMACHENKO A, **DVORNYK V**, GOLOVCHENKO O, CHURNOSOV M. 2019. Association of genetic polymorphisms with age at menarche in Russian women. *Gene*, **686**:228-236.
 17. RESHETNIKOV E, ZARUDSKAYA O, POLONIKOV A, BUSHUEVA O, ORLOVA V, KRIKUN E, **DVORNYK V**, CHURNOSOV M. 2017. Genetic markers for inherited thrombophilia are associated with fetal growth retardation in the population of Central Russia. *J. Obstet. Gynaecol. Res.*, **43**(7): 1139-1144.
 18. YERMACHENKO A, MOGILEVKINA I, GURIANOV VG, GETSKO O, **DVORNYK V**. 2017. Non-genetic risk factors for early and late menarche in Eastern Ukrainian females. *Anthropol. Anz.*, **74**(1): 45-56.
 19. YERMACHENKO A, **DVORNYK V**. 2016. *UGT2B4* previously implicated in the risk of breast cancer is associated with menarche timing in Ukrainian females. *Gene*, **590**(1): 85-89.
 20. YERMACHENKO A, **DVORNYK V**. 2015. A meta-analysis provides evidence that prenatal smoking exposure decreases age at menarche. *Reprod. Toxicol.*, **58**: 222-228.
 21. RESHETNIKOV EA, AKULOVA LYU, DOBRODOMOVA IS, **DVORNYK V**, POLONIKOV AV, CHURNOSOV MI. 2015. The insertion-deletion polymorphism of the *ACE* gene is associated with increased blood pressure in women at the end of pregnancy. *J. Renin Angiotensin Aldosterone Syst.*, **16**(3): 623-632.
 22. YERMACHENKO A, **DVORNYK V**. 2014. Nongenetic determinants of age at menarche: a systematic review. *BioMed Res Int* vol. 2014, Article ID 371583, 14 pp., doi:10.1155/2014/371583.
 23. LITOVKINA O, NEKIPELOVA E, **DVORNYK V**, POLONIKOV A, EFREMOVA O, ZHERNAKOVA N, RESHETNIKOV E, CHURNOSOV M. 2014. Genes involved in the regulation of vascular homeostasis determine renal survival rate in patients with chronic glomerulonephritis. *Gene*, **546**(1): 112-116.
 24. **DVORNYK V**, UL-HAQ W. 2012. Genetics of age at menarche: a systematic review. *Hum. Reprod. Update*, **18**(2): 198-210.
 25. SUN L, TAN L, YANG F, LUO Y, LI X, DENG HW, **DVORNYK V**. 2012. Meta-analysis suggests that smoking is associated with earlier age at natural menopause. *Menopause*, **19**(2): 126-132.
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 26. PAN R, LIU YZ, DENG HW, **DVORNYK V**. 2012. Association analyses suggest the effects of *RANK* and *RANKL* on age at menarche in Chinese women. *Climacteric*, **15**(1): 75-81.
 27. LU Y, LIU YZ, LIU PY, **DVORNYK V**, DENG HW. 2011. A bootstrap-based regression method for comprehensive discovery of differential gene expressions: the application to osteoporosis studies. *Eur. J. Med. Genet.*, **54**(6): e560-e564.

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28. LU Y, LIU P, RECKER RR, DENG HW, **DVORNYK V**. 2010. *TNFRSF11A* and *TNFSF11* are associated with age at menarche and natural menopause in white women. *Menopause*, **17**(5): 1048-1054.
29. LIU P, LU Y, RECKER RR, DENG HW, **DVORNYK V**. 2010. Association analyses suggest multiple interaction effects of the methylenetetrahydrofolate reductase polymorphisms on timing of menarche and natural menopause in whites. *Menopause*, **17**(1): 185-190.
30. LIU P, LU Y, RECKER RR, DENG HW, **DVORNYK V**. 2010. *ALOX12* gene is associated with the onset of natural menopause in white women. *Menopause*, **17**(1): 152-156.
31. HE L, RECKER RR, DENG HW, **DVORNYK V**. 2009. A polymorphism of the *APOE* gene is associated with age at natural menopause in Caucasian females. *Maturitas*, **62**(1): 37-41.
32. **DVORNYK V**, LIU YZ, LU Y, SHEN H, LAPPE J, LEI SF, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2007. Effect of menopause on gene expression profiles of circulating monocytes: a pilot *in vivo* microarray study. *J. Genet. Genomics*, **34**(11): 974-983.
33. **DVORNYK V**, LONG JR, LIU PY, SHEN H, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2006. Polymorphisms of the vitamin D receptor gene predict the onset of surgical menopause in Caucasian females. *Gynecol. Endocrinol.*, **22**(10): 552-556.
34. LIU YZ, GUO YF, XIAO P, XIONG DH, ZHAO LJ, SHEN H, LIU YJ, **DVORNYK V**, LONG JR, DENG HY, LI JL, DENG HW. 2006. Epistasis between loci on chromosomes 2 and 6 influences human height. *J. Clin. Endocrinol. Metab.*, **91**(10): 3821-3825.
35. **DVORNYK V**, LONG JR, ZHAO LJ, SHEN H, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2006. Predictive factors for age at menopause in Caucasian females. *Maturitas*, **54**(1): 19-26.
36. LIU YZ, XIAO P, GUO YF, XIONG DH, ZHAO LJ, SHEN H, LIU YJ, **DVORNYK V**, LONG JR, DENG HY, LI JL, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2006. Genetic linkage of human height is confirmed to 9q22 and Xq24. *Hum. Genet.*, **119**(3): 295-304.
37. DENG FY, LEI SF, LI MX, JIANG C, **DVORNYK V**, DENG HW. 2006. Genetic determination and correlation of body mass index and bone mineral density at the spine and hip in Chinese Han ethnicity. *Osteoporos. Int.*, **17**(1): 119-124.
38. LEI SF, WU S, **DVORNYK V**, DENG HW. 2005. Two strategies to identify genes underlying complex diseases. *Curr. Genomics*, **6**(7): 551-561.
39. SHEN H, LONG JR, XIONG DH, LIU YJ, LIU YZ, XIAO P, ZHAO LJ, **DVORNYK V**, ZHANG YY, ROCHA-SANCHEZ S, LIU PY, LI JL, DENG HW. 2005. Mapping quantitative trait loci for cross-sectional geometry at femoral neck. *J. Bone Miner. Res.*, **20**(11): 1973-1982.
40. LONG JR, XU H, ZHAO LJ, LIU PY, SHEN H, LIU YJ, XIONG DH, XIAO P, LIU YZ, **DVORNYK V**, LI JL, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2005. The estrogen receptor α gene is linked and/or associated with age of menarche in different ethnic groups. *J. Med. Genet.*, **42**(10): 796-800.
41. YANG YJ, **DVORNYK V**, JIAN WX, XIAO SM, DENG HW. 2005. Genetic and environmental correlations between bone phenotypes and anthropometric indices in Chinese. *Osteoporos. Int.*, **16**(9): 1134-1140.
42. LIU* YZ, **DVORNYK*** V, LU Y, SHEN H, LAPPE J, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2005. A novel pathophysiological mechanism for osteoporosis suggested by an *in vivo* gene expression study of circulating monocytes. *J. Biol. Chem.*, **280**(32): 29011-29016 (*contributed equally).
43. **DVORNYK V**, LIU PY, LONG JR, ZHANG YY, LEI SF, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2005. Contribution of genotype and ethnicity to bone mineral density variation in Caucasians and Chinese: a test for

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- five candidate genes for bone mass. *Chin. Med. J. (Engl.)*, **118**(15): 1235-1244.
44. LEI SF, DENG FY, **DVORNYK V**, LIU MY, XIAO SM, JIANG DK, DENG HW. 2005. The (GT)_n polymorphism and haplotype in the *COL1A2* gene, but not the (AAAG)_n polymorphism in the *PTHRI* gene, are associated with bone mineral density in Chinese. *Hum. Genet.*, **116**(3): 200-207.
 45. LONG JR, LIU PY, LU Y, XIONG DH, ZHANG YY, **DVORNYK V**, ELZE L, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2005. Tests of linkage and/or association of *TGF-β1* and *COL1A1* genes with bone mass. *Osteoporos. Int.*, **16**(1): 86-92.
 46. LIU YZ, XU FH, SHEN H, LIU YJ, ZHAO LJ, LONG JR, ZHANG YY, XIAO P, XIONG DH, **DVORNYK V**, LI JL, CONWAY T, DAVIES KM, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2004. Genetic dissection of human stature in a large sample of multiplex pedigrees. *Ann. Hum. Genet.*, **68**(5): 472-488.
 47. HUANG QY, XU FH, SHEN H, ZHAO LJ, DENG HY, LIU YJ, **DVORNYK V**, CONWAY T, DAVIES KM, LI JL, LIU YZ, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2004. A second stage genome scan for QTLs influencing BMD variation. *Calcif. Tissue Int.*, **75**(2): 138-143.
 48. SHEN H, ZHANG YY, LONG JR, XU FH, LIU YZ, XIAO P, ZHAO LJ, XIONG DH, LIU YJ, **DVORNYK V**, ROCHA-SANCHEZ S, LIU PY, LI JL, CONWAY T, DAVIES KM, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2004. A genomewide linkage scan for bone mineral density in an extended sample: evidence for linkage on 11q23 and Xq27. *J. Med. Genet.*, **41**(10): 743-751.
 49. XU FH, LIU YJ, DENG HY, HUANG QY, ZHAO LJ, SHEN H, LIU YZ, **DVORNYK V**, CONWAY T, LI JL, DAVIES KM, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2004. A follow-up linkage study for bone size variation in an extended sample. *Bone*, **35**(3): 777-784.
 50. LONG JR, ZHAO LJ, LIU PY, LU Y, **DVORNYK V**, SHEN H, LIU YJ, ZHANG YY, XIONG DH, XIAO P, DENG HW. 2004. Patterns of linkage disequilibrium and haplotype distribution in disease candidate genes. *BMC Genet.*, **5**:11.
 51. **DVORNYK V**, XIAO P, LIU YJ, SHEN H, DENG HW. 2004. Systemic approach to the study of complex bone disorders at the whole-genome level. *Curr. Genomics*, **5**(2): 93-108 (invited review).
 52. LONG JR, ZHANG YY, LIU PY, LIU YJ, SHEN H, **DVORNYK V**, ZHAO LJ, DENG HW. 2004. Association of estrogen receptor α and vitamin D receptor gene polymorphisms with bone mineral density in Chinese males. *Calcif. Tissue Int.*, **74**(3): 270-276.
 53. **DVORNYK V**, LONG JR, XIONG DH, LIU PY, SHEN H, ZHANG YY, LIU YJ, ZHAO LJ, ROCHA-SANCHEZ SMS, XIAO P, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2004. Current limitations of SNP data from the public domain for studies of complex disorders: a test for ten candidate genes for obesity and osteoporosis. *BMC Genet.*, **5**:4.
 54. LIU YJ, XU FH, SHEN H, LIU YZ, DENG HY, ZHAO LJ, HUANG QY, **DVORNYK V**, CONWAY T, DAVIES KM, LI JL, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2004. A follow-up linkage study for quantitative trait loci contributing to obesity-related phenotypes. *J. Clin. Endocrinol. Metab.*, **89**(2): 875-882.
 55. LIU YZ, XU FH, SHEN H, DENG HY, LIU YJ, ZHAO LJ, **DVORNYK V**, CONWAY T, LI JL, HUANG QY, DAVIES KM, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2003. Confirmation linkage study in support of the X chromosome harboring a QTL underlying human height variation. *J. Med. Genet.*, **40**(11): 825-831.
 56. LONG JR, LIU PY, ZHANG YY, SHEN H, LIU YJ, **DVORNYK V**, DENG HW. 2003. Interaction effects between the estrogen receptor α gene, the vitamin D receptor gene, age and sex on bone mineral density in Chinese. *J. Hum. Genet.*, **48**(10): 514-519.
 57. **DVORNYK V**, LIU XH, SHEN H, LEI SF, ZHAO L, HUANG QR, QIN Y, JIANG DK, LONG J, ZHANG

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- Y, GONG G, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2003. Differentiation of Caucasians and Asians at bone mass candidate genes: implication for ethnic difference of bone mass. *Ann. Hum. Genet.*, **67**(3): 216-227.
58. **DVORNYK V**, RECKER R, DENG HW. 2003. Gene expression studies of osteoporosis: implications for microarray research. *Osteoporos. Int.*, **14**(6): 451-461.
59. LEI SF, DENG FY, LIU XH, HUANG QR, QIN Y, ZHOU Q, JIANG DK, LI YM, MO XY, LIU MY, CHEN XD, WU XS, SHEN H, **DVORNYK V**, ZHAO L, RECKER RR, DENG HW. 2003. Polymorphisms of four bone mineral density candidate genes in Chinese populations and the comparison with other populations of different ethnicity. *J. Bone Miner. Metab.*, **21**(1): 34-42.

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60. **DVORNYK V**. (Editor). 2013. *Current Topics in Menopause*. Bentham Science Publishers, Sharja, UAE.
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63. **DVORNYK V**, XIAO P, LIU YJ, SHEN H, DENG HW. 2005. Studying osteoporosis at the whole-genome level: problems and prospects. In: *Current Topics in Osteoporosis*, Deng HW, Liu YZ (Eds.), World Scientific Publishing Company, Singapore, pp. 464-498.

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64. ZHANG X, LIU K, LI P, JIAO J, **DVORNYK V**, GU JD. 2019. Molecular existence and diversity of nitrite-dependent anaerobic methane-oxidizing (n-damo) bacteria in the lakes of Badain of the Gobi Desert. *Geomicrobiology J.*, **36**(6): 522-532.
65. ZHOU Z, CHEN J, MENG H, **DVORNYK V**, GU JD. 2017. New PCR primers targeting hydrazine synthase and cytochrome c biogenesis proteins in anammox bacteria. *App. Microbiol. Biotechnol.*, **101**(3): 1267-1287.
66. **DVORNYK V**. 2016. Evolution of the circadian clock system in cyanobacteria: a genomic perspective. *Int. J. Algae*, **18**(1): 5-20.
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68. MEI Q, SADOVY Y, **DVORNYK V**. 2015. Molecular evolution of cryptochromes in fishes. *Gene* **574**(1): 112-120.
69. MEI Q, **DVORNYK V**. 2014. Evolution of PAS domains and PAS-containing genes in eukaryotes. *Chromosoma*, **123**(4): 385-405
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- cyanobacteria: Evolutionary constraints versus architectural diversification. *J. Mol. Evol.*, **70**(5): 453-465.
73. **DVORNYK V.** 2006. Evolution of the circadian clock mechanism in prokaryotes. *Isr. J. Ecol. Evol.*, **52**(3-4): 343-357.
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