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### **Scientific research:**

I am particularly interested in the following topics:

- Adaptations shown by aquatic organisms to the Mediterranean climate
- Water beetles (Hydrophilidae, Dytiscidae, Hydraenidae, Helophoridae, Haliplidae, Hydrochidae)
- Freshwater Molluscs (bivalves, prosobranchs and pulmonates)
- Freshwater leeches (Hirudinea)
- Freshwater crabs
- Water mites (Acari, Hydrachnidia, Halacaroidea)
- Amphipoda (Gammaridae)
- Nematomorpha

### **Further projects:**

- Cave beetles (Cholevidae, Leptodirinae)
- Cerambycidae
- Water beetles (larval stages)

### **Education:**

- Undergraduate studies in Biochemistry, Department of Biology, Annaba University, 1990
- Postgraduate studies in Biochemistry. Department of Biology, Annaba University, 1994
- Doctoral thesis: "Taxonomical and ecological studies of water beetles (Hydrophilidae, Dytiscidae, Hydraenidae, Helophoridae, Haliplidae, Hydrochidae) of the North Eastern part of Algeria. (Under the supervision of Dr. Nard BENNAS, Tétouan, Morocco).

### **Current Teaching:**

- General Biochemistry
- Cellular and Molecular Physiology
- Molecular and Cellular aspects of Development

### **Publications:**

1. **Bouzid, S.** & Ü. Incekara (2006) Distributional notes on Northeastern Algerian Hydrophilidae (Coleoptera) with three new records. *Turkish Journal of Zoology*, 30: 305-308
2. Incekara, Ü. & **S. Bouzid** (2007) A red data book water beetle, *Hydrochus nitidicollis* Mulsant 1844 (Coleoptera: Hydrochidae) a species new for Algerian fauna. *Mun. Ent. & Zool.*, Vol.2, No.2: 533-535.
3. Incekara, Ü., H. Ibncherif & **Bouzid, S.** ( In preparation ) A contribution to Algerian aquatic Coleoptera ( Helophoridae) fauna, with two new records and a discussion on total aedeagophore length of *Helophorus aquaticus* (Linnaeus, 1758).