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Identification the virus /viroids infecting fruit trees and fungi, and interaction between the virus /viroids infecting fruit trees and fungi and their hosts.

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Editor board member of Hubei Plant Protection, Review editor of Frontiers in Microbiology. Reviewer for Molecular Plant Pathology, Invited editor for the special issue of Viruses, Frontiers in microbiology, etc.

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Professor of Plant pathology in College of Plant Science and Technology, Huazhong

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Lecturer and associate professor of Plant pathology in College of Plant Science and

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Visiting scholar in Department of biochemistry, Sherbrooke University, Canada

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Academic exchange in plant viroid, in the Institute of Molecular and Cellular Biology of Plants (IBMCP), Joint center of the Polytechnic University of Valencia (UPV) and the Higher Council for Scientific Research (CSIC)). Ingeniero Fausto Elio, s/n 46022 Valencia, Spain

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Ph.D. and M.S. degrees in plant pathology (study the molecular characterization ofViroid using modern genetics techniques). Huazhong Agricultural University, Wuhan,430070, China.

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B.S. degree in plant protection (study the basic knowledge of plant disease). Huazhong Agriculture University, Wuhan, 430070, China.

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- Z. H. Wang, Z. X. Zhao, N. Hong, Dejiang Ni, L. Cai\*, W. X. Xu\*, and Y. N. Xiao. Characterization of causal agents of a novel disease inducing brown-black spots on tender tea leaves in China. *Plant Disease*, 2017, 101(10):1802-1811.
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**Additional Information** 

### MAJOR HONORS AND AWARDS

 2016, "The Outstanding Person of Plant Protection Field in Hubei Province in 2016 Year" by Hubei Plant Protection Society and Hubei Plant Pathology Society.

2. 2015, "The Outstanding Person of the Third Hubei Province Science Popularization Works" by Government of Hubei province.

3. 2008, "Hubei Province Science and Technology Progress Award" by Government of Hubei province.

4. 2014, "The First Prize of Hubei Province Outstanding Scientific Research Paper" by Hubei Science and Technology Association.

5. 2014, Winner for Hubei Province Dawn Plan, by Government of Hubei province, and Hubei Science and Technology Association.

6. 2017, The Excellent Master's Thesis in Hubei Province for the Thesis "Genome Cloning and Molecular Characterization of Two New Viruses in *Rosaceae*", by Government of Hubei province.

7. 2016, "The Outstanding Person of Social Service Work in 2015" by Huazhong Agricultural university.

## Introduction

Xu Wenxing, Professor in College of Plant Science and Technology, Huazhong Agricultural University, Vice chairman of Hubei Plant Protection Society, and Vice director of Key Lab of Plant Pathology in Hubei Province. My research interests include identification of the viruses and viroids infecting horticultural crops and fungi, and the interaction between viruses and viroids and their hosts. I have contributed a significant addition to understanding the mycoviruses, e.g., identified the first dsRNA virus that is encapsidated within filamentous particles, which are the longest among known viral particles. I have published more than 40 research papers in the journals such as Nature Communications, The ISME Journal, Persoonia, Journal of Virology, Molecular Plant Pathology, and Plant Disease. I have achieved many honors including the "5th Youth Science and Technology Award" in 2017 issued by China Plant Protection Society, the "Outstanding Person of Plant Protection Field in Hubei Province in 2016 Year" by Hubei Plant Protection Society and Hubei Plant Pathology Society, "Outstanding Person of the Third Hubei Province Science Popularization Works" in 2015 by Government of Hubei province, and "Hubei Province Science and Technology Progress Award" in 2008 by Government of Hubei province, etc.