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Dear Colleagues,

As the Editor-in-Chief of *Horticulturae*, it is my great pleasure to announce the winner of the 2021 Best PhD Thesis Award. This prize was designed to highlight the achievement of a doctor who has produced a highly anticipated academic potential thesis.

## 2021 BEST PHD THESIS AWARD WINNER

The award has been granted to:

“Effect of pre- and post-harvest treatments on quality, organoleptic and nutraceutical properties of wild edible plants” By Costanza Ceccanti, University of Pisa, Italy.

The winner will receive 800 CHF, a certificate, and a chance to publish a paper in *Horticulturae* in 2022.

On behalf of the evaluation committee, I would like to congratulate the winner on their accomplishments. We would also like to take this opportunity to thank all the nominated research groups for their contributions to *Horticulturae* and the Award Committee for voting and helping with this award.

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