

Curriculum Vitae

Education

B.S. in Chemistry, Wuhan University, China	August 1982
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Professional appointments

1983 – 1989	Research Assistant, Department of Chemistry, University of California, Berkeley
1990 – 1992	Post-doctoral Research Associate, Department of Chemistry, Rice University
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Completed Publications

a. Chapters in books

1. “A Comparative Study of the Electronic Structure of the First Row Transition Metal Clusters”, (L. S. Wang and H. Wu), *Proc. Int. Symp. of the Sci. and Tech. of Atomically Engineered Materials* (Oct. 30-Nov. 4, 1995, Richmond, VA). Edited by P. Jena, S. N. Khanna, and B. K. Rao (World Scientific, New Jersey, 1996), pp. 245-250.
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6. “Clusters”, (L. S. Wang), *Encyclopedia of Chemical Physics and Physical Chemistry*. Edited by J. H. Moore and N. D. Spencer (IOP Publishing Inc., Philadelphia, 2001), pp. 2113-2130.
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b. Refereed journal articles

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3. "Molecular Beam Photoelectron Spectroscopy and Femtosecond Intramolecular Dynamics of H₂O⁺ and D₂O⁺" (J. E. Reutt, L. S. Wang, Y. T. Lee, and D. A. Shirley), *J. Chem. Phys.* **85**, 6928-6939 (1986).
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76. 10th National Chemical Dynamics Symposium, Dalian Bayshore Hotel, Dalian, China, September 20-24, 2007. Probing the Electronic and Structural Properties of Atomic Clusters Using Photoelectron Spectroscopy
77. AirUCI Annual Workshop, University of California-Irvine, January 23-24, 2008, Balboa Bay Club, Newport Beach, CA. Entropic Effect on the Conformation Changes of Hydrated Dicarboxylate Dianions.

78. American Physical Society 2008 March Meeting, New Orleans, LA, March 11-14, 2008,. Focused Session “Cluster Assembled Nanoscale Materials”. Probing the electronic and atomic structures of nanoclusters using photoelectron spectroscopy.
79. 235th American Chemical Society Meeting, New Orleans, LA, April 6–10, 2008. Symposium on Computational Spectroscopy. Cage clusters of gold and tin: golden buckyballs and stannaspherene.
80. 2008 Gordon Research Conference on Atomic & Molecular Interactions, Colby-Sawyer College, New London, NH, July 6-11, 2008. Photoelectron spectroscopy of multiply charged anions and very cold anions.
81. 2008 Gordon Research Conference on Water & Aqueous Solutions, Holderness School, Holderness, NH, July 27-August 1, 2008. Solvent stabilization and microsolvation of multiply charged and complex anions.
82. 236th American Chemical Society Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 17–21, 2008. Symposium on Spectroscopic Probes of Chemical Dynamics in Gaseous and Condensed Phases. Microsolvation of complex anions: solvation induced conformation changes and entropic effects.
83. 16th International Symposium on Boron, Borides and Related Materials (ISBB2008), Matsue, Shimane, Japan, September 7-12, 2008. Probing the electronic structure and chemical bonding of boron clusters using photoelectron spectroscopy of size-selected cluster anions.
84. AirUCI Annual Workshop, University of California-Irvine, January 27-28, 2009, Hotel Laguna, Laguna Beach, CA. Microsolvation of complex anions: the temperature effects.
85. Symposium on *Atomic and Molecular Clusters, Nanostructures and Nanocatalysis, and Novel Molecules and Chemical Bonding*, Departments of Chemistry, Physics, and Environmental Sciences and Engineering, Fudan University, Shanghai, July 1, 2009. Probing the unique electronic structures and chemical bonding in atomic clusters using photoelectron spectroscopy.
86. 238th American Chemical Society Meeting, Washington D.C., August 16–20, 2009. Symposium on 25 Years of ZEKE. Photoelectron Imaging of Multiply Charged Anions.
87. 2010 Gordon Research Conference on Photoions, Photoionization & Photodetachment. Hotel Galvez, Galveston, TX, January 31 – February 5, 2010. **Invited Talk:** Photodetachment photoelectron spectroscopy of atomic clusters and multiply charged anions.
88. 15th International Symposium on Small Particles and Inorganic Clusters (ISSPIC 15), September 19-24, 2010, Oaxaca, Mexico. **Invited Talk:** Probing the structural isomers, structural transitions, and O₂ reaction of gold clusters using photoelectron spectroscopy.
89. The 2010 International Chemical Congress of Pacific Basin Societies (Pacificchem 2010), Dec. 15-20, 2010, Honolulu. **Invited Talk:** Covalent Gold.

Colloquia

- 030/6/00 Department of Chemistry, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN. Probing Solution Phase Chemistry in the Gas Phase: Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions Using Electrospray.
- 04/24/00 Department of Chemistry, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH. Probing Solution Phase Chemistry in the Gas Phase: Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions Using Electrospray.
- 04/26/00 Department of Chemistry, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL. Probing Solution Phase Chemistry in the Gas Phase: Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions Using Electrospray.
- 04/27/00 Argonne National Laboratory, Argonne, IL. Probing Solution Phase Chemistry in the Gas Phase: Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions Using Electrospray.
- 05/19/00 Department of Physics, Universitat Kaiserslautern, Kaiserslautern, Germany. Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions.
- 05/22/00 Theoretische Chemie, Physikalisch-Chemisches Institut, Universitat Heidelberg, Germany. Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions.
- 05/24/00 Institut fur Organische Chemie, Technische Universitat, Berlin, Germany. Searching for Pentaatomic Tetracoordinate Planar Carbon Molecules.
- 09/15/00 Department of Chemistry, Gonzaga University, Spokane, WA. Tetracoordinate Planar Carbon Molecules.
- 09/26/00 Department of Chemistry, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA. Probing solution phase chemistry in the gas phase: photodetachment of multiply charged anions.
- 10/09/00 Department of Chemistry, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA. Probing solution phase chemistry in the gas phase: photodetachment of multiply charged anions.
- 11/10/00 Department of Chemistry, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY. Probing the electronic structure of novel clusters using anion photoelectron spectroscopy.

- 01/26/01 Department of Chemistry, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. Probing solution phase chemistry in the gas phase using electrospray and photoelectron spectroscopy
- 02/08/01 Department of Chemistry, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS. Photodetachment of Gaseous multiply charged anions
- 05/10/01 Department of Physics, University of Missouri-Rolla, Rolla, MO. Photodetachment Spectroscopy of Cluster Anions
- 07/18/01 Department of Chemistry, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico. Probing the electronic structure of metal clusters using anion photoelectron spectroscopy
- 09/18/01 Department of Physics, Washington State University. Probing condensed phase phenomena in the gas phase: from solid to solution
- 10/01/01 Department of Chemistry, Washington State University. From tetracoordinate planar carbon molecules to all-metal aromatic molecules
- 07/01/02 Department of Physics, Fudan University, Shanghai, China. Probing Free Atomic Clusters Using Photoemission.
- 07/02/02 Department of Chemistry, Fudan University, Shanghai, China. From Tetracoordinate Planar Carbon Molecules to All-Metal Aromatic Molecules.
- 07/03/02 Shanghai Institute of Optics and Fine Mechanics, Chinese Academy of Sciences. Probing Free Atomic Clusters Using Photoemission.
- 07/15/02 Department of Chemistry, Wuhan University, Wuhan, China. From Tetracoordinate Planar Carbon Molecules to All-Metal Aromatic Molecules.
- 10/08/02 Department of Chemistry, University of California, Berkeley. Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions: From Solution to Gas Phase.
- 10/22/02 Department of Chemistry, Johns Hopkins University. Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions: From Solution to Gas Phase.
- 10/25/02 Department of Chemistry, Yale University. Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions: From Solution to Gas Phase.
- 11/18/02 Department of Physics, University of Idaho. From Gas Phase Clusters to Nanomaterials.
- 08/11/03 Department of Chemistry, Stanford University. Probing the Electronic Structures of Multiply Charged Anions and Fe-S Clusters in the Gas Phase.
- 10/13/03 Department of Chemistry, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea. Probing Solution Chemistry in the Gas Phase.
- 10/14/03 Department of Chemistry, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology, Daejeon, Korea. Synthesis and Characterization of Helical Nanowires.
- 10/15/03 Department of Chemistry, Pohang University of Science and Technology, Pohang, Korea. Planar Clusters: From Tetracoordinate Planar Carbon to Aromaticity.
- 12/12/03 Research Institute for Green Technology, National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST), Tsukuba, Japan. Probing the Electronic Structure of Size-Selected Clusters.
- 01/15/04 Laboratory of Structural Biology, Division of Computer Research & Technology, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, National Institute of Health, Bethesda, MA. Probing the Electronic Structures of Multiply-Charged Anions and Fe-S Clusters.
- 01/15/04 Department of Chemistry, Georgetown University, Washington, DC. Planar Clusters: From Planar Carbon Molecules to Aromatic Clusters.
- 03/17/04 Department of Chemistry, University of Marburg, Germany. Planar Clusters: From Planar Carbon Molecules to Aromatic Clusters.
- 03/18/04 Department of Chemistry, University of Karlsruhe, Germany. Probing the Electronic Structures of Mulyiply-Charged Anions and Fe-S Clusters.
- 03/19/04 Department of Physics, Freiburg University, Germany. Probing the Electronic Structure of Size-Selected Clusters.
- 04/28/04 Department of Chemistry, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. From Planar Tetracoordinate Carbon Molecules to Aromatic Clusters.
- 07/02/04 Department of Chemistry, Fudan University, Shanghai, China. Aromatic and Antiaromatic Clusters.
- 01/13/05 Department of Chemistry, University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona. Probing the Electronic Structure of Free and Size-Selected Nanoclusters Using Photoelectron Spectroscopy.

- 03/29/05 Department of Physics, Washington State University, Pullman, WA. Probing the Electronic Structure of Size-Selected Nanoclusters Using Photoelectron Spectroscopy.
- 04/25/05 Division of Chemistry, Argonne National Laboratory, Argonne, IL. Probing the Electronic Structure of Free Size-Selected Clusters Using Photoelectron Spectroscopy.
- 09/22/05 Department of Physics, Tsinghua University, Beijing, China. Probing the Unique Size-Dependent Electronic and Structural Properties of Nanoclusters Using Photoelectron Spectroscopy and Ab Initio Calculations.
- 09/23/05 Institute of Chemistry, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China. Probing the Unique Size-Dependent Electronic and Structural Properties of Nanoclusters Using Photoelectron Spectroscopy and Ab Initio Calculations.
- 11/14/05 Institute of Physical Chemistry, University of Karlsruhe, Karlsruhe, Germany. Boron Clusters.
- 03/21/06 Department of Physics, Washington State University, Pullman, WA. Photodetachment of Multiply Charged Anions.
- 07/10/06 Institute of Organic Chemistry and Biochemistry, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic and the Center for Complex Molecular Systems and Biomolecules, Prague. Photoelectron Spectroscopy of Nanoclusters, Multiply Charged anions, and Solution Phase Species in the Gas Phase.
- 07/18/06 Institute of Physical Chemistry, University of Karlsruhe, Karlsruhe, Germany. Sn_{12}^{2-} : Stannaspherene.
- 08/04/06 Institute of Physical Chemistry, University of Karlsruhe, Karlsruhe, Germany. Low-Temperature Electrospray Photoelectron Spectroscopy, Multiply Charged Fullerenes, and Hollow Golden Cages.
- 10/05/06 Department of Physics, Washington State University. Physics 501 Lecture. Probing the Unique Electronic and Atomic Structures of Size-Selected Nanoclusters.
- 12/06/06 Department of Chemistry, Fudan University, Shanghai. Probing the Unique Electronic and Atomic Structures of Nanoclusters.
- 01/18/07 Department of Chemistry, Columbia University. Probing the Unique Electronic and Atomic Structures of Nanoclusters.
- 01/19/07 Department of Chemistry, Johns Hopkins University. Probing the Unique Electronic and Atomic Structures of Nanoclusters.
- 03/08/07 Institute of Physical Chemistry, University of Karlsruhe, Karlsruhe, Germany. Structural Evolution of Gold Clusters.
- 06/12/07 Department of Chemistry, Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany.
Cluster Model Studies of Early Transition Metal Oxide Catalysts
- 06/18/07 Institute of Physics, University of Rostock, Germany. Probing the Electronic and Structural Properties of Atomic Clusters Using Photoelectron Spectroscopy
- 06/22/07 Fritz-Harbor-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft, Berlin, Germany.
Probing the Unique Electronic and Atomic Structures of Nano-Clusters
- 06/25/07 The Berliner Elektronenspeicherring-Gesellschaft für Synchrotronstrahlung (BESSY), Berlin, Germany.
Probing the Unique Electronic and Atomic Structures of Nano-Clusters Using Photoelectron Spectroscopy
- 06/26/07 Department of Chemistry, Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany.
Probing the Electronic and Atomic Structures of Size-Selected Clusters Using Photoelectron Spectroscopy
- 06/28/07 Institute of Chemistry, Technical University Berlin, Germany.
Cage Clusters of Gold and Tin: Golden Buckyballs and Stannaspherenes
- 05/29/08 Institute of Physics, National University of Mexico (UNAM), Mexico City. Probing the electronic and atomic structures of nanoclusters using photoelectron spectroscopy.
- 06/30/08 Institute of Physical Chemistry, University of Karlsruhe, Karlsruhe, Germany. Recent progresses on clusters and multiply charged anions.
- 09/26/08 Department of Chemistry, Brown University, Providence, RI. Probing the unique electronic and atomic structures of nano-clusters and solution chemistry in the gas phase
- 06/15/09 Department of Chemistry, Xinzhou Teacher's University, Xinzhou City, Shanxi Province. Probing the unique electronic and atomic structures of nano-clusters using photoelectron spectroscopy
- 06/26/09 Department of Chemistry, Fuzhou University, Fuzhou City, Fujian Province. Cage clusters of tin and gold: stannaspherene and golden buckyballs

- 06/29/09 Xiamen University (Nan Chiang Lectureship), Xiamen City, Fujian Province. Probing the unique electronic and atomic structures of nano-clusters using photoelectron spectroscopy
- 10/01/09 Department of Chemistry, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO. Probing the unique electronic and atomic structures of nano-clusters and solution chemistry in the gas phase.
- 10/02/09 Department of Chemistry, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO. Probing the unique electronic and atomic structures of nano-clusters and solution chemistry in the gas phase.
- 11/13/09 Department of Chemistry, Brown University, Providence, RI. Probing the size-dependent chemical and physical properties of Nanoclusters.
- 11/17/09 Institute of Physical Chemistry, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Karlsruhe, Germany. Recent progress on the investigation of gold clusters.
- 04/16/10 Department of Chemistry, Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT. Probing the unique electronic and atomic structures of nano-clusters and solution chemistry in the gas phase.
- 12/06/10 Department of Physics, Brown University, Providence, RI. Probing the electronic and atomic structures of nanoclusters and multiply charged anions.

Service

- Affiliate Senior Chief Research Scientist, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Richland, Washington (1993-2009)
- National Science Foundation Review Panel, Physical Chemistry, May 2001, Arlington, Virginia.
- Co-organizer, Symposium on “New Frontier in Chemical Bonding”. Joint Regional meeting of the Northwest and Rocky Mountain Sections of the American Chemical Society. June 6-9, 2004, Logan, Utah.
- Organizer, *Symposium on Atomic and Molecular Clusters*, 4th Joint Meeting of Chinese Physicists World-Wide and International Conference on Physics Education & Frontier Research. Shanghai, June 28 – July 1, 2004.
- Co-organizer, American Chemical Society Petroleum Research Fund Summer School on Photoelectron Spectroscopy, June 12-16, 2005; University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona.
- International Advisory Committee, *International Symposium of Small Particles and Inorganic Clusters* (ISSPIC), 2004 to present.
- International Advisory Committee, *International Symposium on Size Selected Clusters* (S³C), 2004 to present.
- Editorial Advisory Board, *Journal of Physical Chemistry*, 2007 - present
- Editorial Board Member, *Chinese Journal of Chemical Physics*, 2006 – present.
- Panel member, BESAC New Era Subcommittee Workshop on Solving Science and Energy Grant Challenges with Next Generation Photon Sources “Photon Workshop”, U. S. Department of Energy, October 26-29, 2008; Rockville, MD.
- International Advisory Board, Karlsruhe Center for Functional Nanostructures (CFN), Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Germany, 2008 to present.
- Guest Professor, Department of Chemistry, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, 2003 to present.
- Chair, Gordon Research Conference on *Clusters, Nanostructures & Nanocrystals*, 2011.

Academic Honors

- 2007 Elected AAAS Fellow
- 2007 Sahlin Faculty Excellence Award for Research, Scholarship & Arts, Washington State University
- 2006 Senior Humboldt Research Award
- 2005 John Simon Guggenheim Fellow

- 2005 Distinguished Faculty Award, College of Sciences, Washington State University
- 2003 Fellow, American Physical Society
- 2001 Creativity Award, U.S. National Science Foundation
- 1997 Westinghouse Distinguished Professor in Materials Science and Engineering
- 1997 Alfred P. Sloan Research Fellow
- 1996 NSF CAREER Award
- 1983 Chinese Academy of Sciences Fellowship