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HIGHLIGHTS:

- ➤ USMS: Ultrafast Structural Mass Spectrometry for Human Disease-linked Proteins/Neuropeptides/Metabolites
- ➤ Skilled in Ion Mobility-MS Techniques for Disease-modifying Molecular Basis
- ➤ 18 Scientific Papers as (co-)1st Author, including: 2 Nat Commun, 4 Anal Chem, 1 Trends Anal Chem, 1 Chem Sci
- > 2019 ASMS Postdoctoral Career Development Award

Professional Preparation



University of Wisconsin-Madison (UW-Madison)

Aug 2017-Present Postdoctoral Research Associate, School of Pharmacy



University of Science and Technology of China (USTC)

Sep 2012-Jun 2017 Ph.D. in Analytical Chemistry, Department of Chemistry

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (UM)



Apr 2016-Aug 2016 Visiting Graduate Student, Department of Chemistry

July 2019-Aug 2019 Visiting Scholar, Department of Chemistry



Jiangxi Normal University (JXNU)

Sep 2008-Jun 2012 B.S. in Chemistry, College of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering

Research Experience



Aug 2017 ~ Present: Postdoctoral Research (UW-Madison)

Advisor: Prof. Lingjun Li

Project: Structural Probing of Glycoproteins and Chiral Aβ Self-Assembly by Ultrafast Structural Mass Spectrometry.



Sep 2012 ~ Jun 2017: Ph.D. Research (**USTC**)

Advisor: Prof. Guangming Huang

Projects: Development and Application of Ultrafast Electrophoresis-based In-cell Mass Spectrometry. Apr ~ Aug 2016: Visiting Graduate Research (UM)/July ~ Aug 2019: Visiting Scholar Research (UM)



Advisor: Prof. Brandon T. Ruotolo

Project: New Disassembly Pathway of a Multiprotein Complex in the Gas Phase Monitored by IM-MS.



Dec 2011 ~ Jun 2012: Undergraduate Research (JXNU)



Advisor: Prof. Li Wang

Project: Fabrication, Characterization and Application of a Versatile Electrochemical H_2O_2 Biosensor.

Highlighted Honors, Awards, Grants, Teaching Experiences & Academic Services

- **2020** Up to date (> 10 review invitations): Invited Reviewer for <u>Science Advances/JASMS/ABC/Scientific Reports/</u> ACS Omega/JMS/J Proteomics/BMC...
- **2019** Finalist for 2019 FACSS Innovation Award (FACSS: Federation of Analytical Chemistry and Spectroscopy Societies)
- **2019** Travel Award for *Chicago Mass Spec Day 2019*
- **2019** ASMS Post-Doctoral Career Development Award (<u>Highest Honor</u> of ASMS for Postdocs in MS)
- **2017** Best Poster Award of 2017 IUPAC International Congress on Analytical Sciences
- **2016** Fundamental Research Funds for the Central Universities of USTC (¥100k, ~\$16.0k)
- **2016** Fellowship of International Exchange (USTC/UM)
- **2015** *Guanghua* Scholarship of USTC
- **2014** The First Prize Scholarship of USTC
- 2013 Excellent Teaching Assistant Award of USTC (Analytical Chemistry 20-Student Class)
- 2012 Outstanding Undergraduate Award of JXNU (Highest Honor of JXNU Undergraduate Students)
- **2011** National Endeavor Fellowship of China
- **2010** The First Prize Scholarship of JXNU

Key Presentations & Conferences

- **11.** FACSS SciX 2019, Palm Springs Convention Center, Palm Springs, CA, October 13-18, 2019. (Invited Talk: Molecular Basis for Chirality-regulated Aβ Self-Assembly and Receptor Recognition Revealed by Ion Mobility-Mass Spectrometry)
- **10.** ACS Fall 2019 National Meeting, San Diego Convention Center, San Diego, CA, August 25-29, 2019. **(Oral**: *Ion Mobility-Mass Spectrometry Reveals the Effect of Sialylation on Glycoprotein Structures*)
- **9.** Chicago Mass Spec Day 2019, College of Pharmacy, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, July 19, 2019. **(Oral**: lon mobility MS investigation of naturally occurring chirality-driven oligomerization and recognition of $A\beta$)
- **8.** The 67th **ASMS** Conference on Mass Spectrometry and Allied Topics, Georgia World Congress Center, Atlanta, GA, June 2-6, 2019. (**Poster**: "Zero Charge Selection" Ion Mobility-Mass Spectrometry Reveals the Effect of Sialylation on Glycoprotein Structures)
- **7.** The 66th **ASMS** Conference on Mass Spectrometry and Allied Topics, San Diego Convention Center, San Diego, CA, June 3-7, 2018. **(Oral:** *An Integrative Chiral Anatomy Platform (iCAP) for Aβ Oligomerization and Recognition*)
- **6.** 2018 Gordon Research Conference-Molecular Structure Elucidation, Jordan Hotel at Sunday River, Newry, ME, August 12-17, 2018. **(Poster:** *An IM-MS Platform for Chiral Effects in Alzheimer's disease*)
- **5.** 2018 Wisconsin Human Proteomics Symposium, Promega Corporation Campus in Madison, Wisconsin, August 10, 2018. **(Poster:** *An IM-MS Platform for Chiral Effects in Alzheimer's disease*)
- **4.** 2017 International Congress on Analytical Sciences, Hainan International Convention & Exhibition Center, Hainan, May 5-8, 2017. **(Poster:** *In-cell MS: Towards Intracellular Protein Interactions via In-situ MS Analysis from Living Cells*)
- **3.** The 2nd Graduate Student Symposium (2016) on Chemistry and Materials Science at USTC, Nov 26-27, 2016. **(Oral**: *Binding States of Protein-Metal Complexes in Cells*)
- **2.** The 2nd National Mass Spectrometry Analytical Symposium of Chinese Chemical Society at Zhejiang University, October 16-19, 2015. **(Poster:** *Direct MS Identification of Spiked Proteins from Complex Biological Mixtures)*
- **1.** The 29th Chinese Chemical Society (CCS) Congress in Peking University, "Beautiful Chemistry", Beijing, China, August 4-7, 2014.

Selected Publications (5 out of 29, Full Publication List: Attached/GoogleScholar/ResearchGate)

1. Gongyu Li and Lingjun Li* et al. <u>Nanosecond Photochemically Promoted Click Chemistry for Enhanced Neuropeptide Visualization and Rapid Protein Labeling</u>. *Nat. Commun.* 2019, *10*, 4697.

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- **2. Gongyu Li** and Lingjun Li* et al. <u>Molecular Basis for Chirality-regulated Aβ Self-Assembly and Receptor Recognition Revealed by Ion Mobility-Mass Spectrometry</u>. *Nat. Commun.* 2019, *10*, 5038.
- Gongyu Li and Guangming Huang* et al. <u>In Situ Living Cell Protein Analysis by Single-Step Mass Spectrometry</u>. *Anal. Chem.* 2018, 90, 3409-3415.
- **4. Gongyu Li** and Guangming Huang* et al. <u>Reliable Tracking In-solution Protein Unfolding via Ultrafast Thermal Unfolding/lon Mobility-Mass Spectrometry. *Anal. Chem.* 2018, *90*, 7997-8001.</u>
- **5. Gongyu Li** and Guangming Huang* et al. <u>Binding States of Protein-Metal Complexes in Cells</u>. *Anal. Chem.* 2016, 88, 10860-10866.

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Dr. Gongyu Li's Full Publication List (by February 15, 2020): Postdoc, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Prof. Lingjun Li's Lab, UW-Madison, 2017-Present

To be Published (6):

- 29. **Gongyu Li**, Zhen Zheng, Yuan Liu and Lingjun Li*. <u>Mechanistic Insights into Nanosecond Photochemical Reaction (nsPCR)</u> and its Application in Ultrafast Disruption of Aβ Self-assembly. (*To be submitted*)
- 28. **Gongyu Li**, Min Ma, Chae Kyung Jeon, Zhen Zheng, Brandon Ruotolo* and Lingjun Li*. <u>Epitope Domain-constrained Structural Flips Differentially Rescue Amyloid Cytotoxicity</u>. (*To be submitted*)
- 27. **Gongyu Li**, Ashley Phetsanthad, Min Ma, Qinying Yu, Ashita Nair, Zhen Zheng, Kellen DeLaney, Seungpyo Hong and Lingjun Li*. Expedited Structural Mapping of Glycoprotein Sialylations Associated with Alzheimer's Disease. (*To be submitted*)
- 26. **Gongyu Li**, Zhen Zheng, Junfeng Huang, Qinjingwen Cao, Lingjun Li*, Guangming Huang* and Brandon Ruotolo*. <u>Green Chemistry with Ammonium Bicarbonate: Chemically Crosslinking Subunits Confers Interface-Reflective Disassembly Pathway of Multiprotein Complexes. (*To be submitted*)</u>
- 25. Yang Liu, **Gongyu Li**, and Lingjun Li*. <u>Targeted Top-down Mass Spectrometry for the Characterization and Tissue-specific Functional Discovery Crustacean Hyperglycemic Hormones (CHH) and CHH Precursor-Related Peptides. (*To be submitted*)</u>
- 24. Kellen DeLaney,[‡] **Gongyu Li**,[‡] and Lingjun Li*. <u>Improvements in the Separation and Detection of Neuropeptides with Liquid Chromatography, Capillary Electrophoresis, and Ion Mobility-Mass Spectrometry</u>. *J. Am. Soc. Mass Spectrom*. 2020, *Invited Review*. (*To be submitted*)

Published Online (23):

- 23. Gaoyuan Lu, Xiaowei Xu, <u>Gongyu Li</u>, Nian Wang, Yinxue Zhu, Ning Wan, Yatao Shi, Lingjun Li, Haiping Hao*, and Hui Ye*. Sub-residue Resolution Footprinting of Ligand-Protein Interactions by Carbene Chemistry and Ion Mobility-Mass Spectrometry. *Anal. Chem.* 2020, 92, 947-956. [Link]
- 22. **Gongyu Li**, Fengfei Ma, Qinjingwen Cao, Zhen Zheng, Kellen DeLaney, Rui Liu and Lingjun Li*. Nanosecond Photochemically Promoted Click Chemistry for Enhanced Neuropeptide Visualization and Rapid Protein Labeling. *Nat. Commun.* 2019, *10*, 4697. [Link]

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- 21. **Gongyu Li**, Kellen DeLaney, and Lingjun Li*. Molecular Basis for Chirality-regulated Aβ Self-Assembly and Receptor Recognition. *Nat. Commun.* 2019, *10*, 5038. [Link]
- 20. <u>Gongyu Li</u>, Daniel Delafield, and Lingjun Li*. Improved Structural Elucidation of Peptide Isomers and Their Receptors Using Advanced Ion Mobility-Mass Spectrometry. *Trends Anal. Chem.* 2019, in press. [Link] [Invited Review]
- 19. Qinjingwen Cao, Yijia Wang, Bingming Chen, Fengfei Ma, Ling Hao, **Gongyu Li**, Chuanzi Ouyang, and Lingjun Li*. Visualization and Identification of Neurotransmitters in Crustacean Brain via Multifaceted Mass Spectrometric Approaches. **ACS Chem. Neurosci.** 2019, *10*, 1222-1229. [Link]
- 18. **Gongyu Li**, Qinjingwen Cao, Yang Liu, Kellen DeLaney, Zichuan Tian, Eugene Moskovets and Lingjun Li*. Characterizing and Alleviating Ion Suppression Effects in Atmospheric Pressure Matrix-Assisted Laser Desorption/Ionization (AP-MALDI). *Rapid Commun. Mass Spectrom.* 2019, 33, 327-335. [Link]

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17. Yuting Chen,[‡] **Gongyu Li**,[‡] Siming Yuan, Yang Pan, Yangzhong Liu and Guangming Huang*. Ultrafast Micro-Electrophoresis: Behind Direct Mass Spectrometry Measurement for Proteins and Metabolites in Living Cell/Cells. **Anal. Chem.** 2019, *91*, 10441-10447. (†, co-first author) (Link)

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- 14. **Gongyu Li**,[‡] Shihui Zheng,[‡] Yuting Chen, Zhuanghao Hou and Guangming Huang*. Reliable Tracking In-solution Protein Unfolding via Ultrafast Thermal Unfolding/Ion Mobility-Mass Spectrometry. **Anal. Chem.** 2018, *90*, 7997-8001. [Link]
- 13. **Gongyu Li**, * Siming Yuan, * Shihui Zheng, Yangzhong Liu* and Guangming Huang*. In-situ Living Cell Protein Analysis by Single-step Mass Spectrometry. **Anal. Chem.** 2018, *90*, 3409-3415. [Link]
- 12. **Gongyu Li**,[‡] Siming Yuan,[‡] Shihui Zheng, Yuting Chen, Zhen Zheng, Yangzhong Liu* and Guangming Huang*. The effect of salts in promoting specific and competitive interactions between zinc finger proteins and metals. *J. Am. Soc. Mass Spectrom.* 2017, *28*, 2658-2664. ([‡], co-first author) [Link]
- 11. Zhen Zheng,[‡] Peiyao Chen,[‡] **Gongyu Li**,[‡] Yunxia Zhu,[‡] Zhonghua Shi, Yufeng Luo, Chun Zhao, Ziyi Fu, Xianwei Cui, Chenbo Ji, Fuqiang Wang,^{*} Guangming Huang^{*} and Gaolin Liang^{*}. Mechanistic study of CBT-Cys click reaction and its application for identifying bioactive N-terminal cysteine peptides in amniotic fluid. *Chem. Sci.* 2017, *8*, 214-222. ([‡], co-first author) [Link]
- 10. Zhen Zheng, **Gongyu Li**, Chengfan Wu, Miaomiao Zhang, Yue Zhao, and Gaolin Liang*. Intracellular synthesis of D-aminoluciferin for bioluminescence generation. *Chem. Commun.* 2017, *53*, 3567-3570. [Link]
- 9. **Gongyu Li**, Siming Yuan, Yang Pan, Yangzhong Liu and Guangming Huang*. Binding states of protein-metal complexes in cells. *Anal. Chem.* 2016, *88*, 10860-10866. [Link]
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