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EDUCATION

- 1986 B.Sc. in Electrical Engineering
University of Sciences and Technology of China
- 1990 M.S. in Electrical Engineering
The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD
- 1996 Sc.D. in Radiological Sciences
Harvard-MIT Division of Health Sciences and Technology, Cambridge, MA

POSTDOCTORAL TRAINING

- 1996-1999 Research Associate in Radiology, Duke University Medical Center

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

- 1999-2001 Instructor in Medicine, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO
- 2001-2004 Affiliate Lecturer in Biomedical Engineering, Washington University, St. Louis, MO
- 2001-2004 Research Assistant Professor of Medicine, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO
- 2004- Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH
- 2006- Associate Professor of Radiology, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH
- 2009- Associate Professor of Physiology and Biophysics, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH
- 2009- Associate Professor with Tenure, Department of Biomedical Engineering, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 1989-1990 Wolman Fellowship of W.G.C. Whiting School of Engineering, The Johns Hopkins University
- 1993-1994 Clement Vaturi Fellowship in Biomedical Engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 2008 Research Award, Case School of Engineering, Case Western Reserve University

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

- 1999- International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine

2001- American Association for the Advancement of Science
2001-2004 Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance
2002- American Heart Association
2005- IEEE Engineering in Biology and Medicine Society
2006- The Academy of Cardiovascular Research Excellence
2007- International Society of Heart Research

JOURNAL REVIEWER

2000 Journal of Molecular and Cellular Cardiology
2002 NMR in Biomedicine
2004 Annals of Biomedical Engineering
2005 Journal of Magnetic Resonance Imaging
2005 American Journal of Physiology
2006 Journal of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance
2006 Magnetic Resonance in Medicine
2008 Investigative Radiology
2008 Computerized Medical Imaging and Graphics
2008 International Journal of Biomedical Imaging

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

2004-2008 Undergraduate Education Committee, Dept. of Biomedical Engineering, Case Western Reserve University
2005- Abstract grader for ISMRM
2005 Secretary, Cleveland Biomedical Imaging Group
2006 Treasurer, Cleveland Biomedical Imaging Group
2006-2008 Undergraduate Studies Committee, Case School of Engineering, Case Western Reserve University
2007-2008 Steering Committee, Systems Biology Ph.D. Program, Case Western Reserve University
2007 Publications & Communications Committee, International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine
2007-2009 Faculty Search Committee, Department of Biomedical Engineering
2008 Organizing committee, CSMRM & OCSMRM Joint Meeting 2008 and ESMRMB Workshop, Shenzhen, China
2008 Graduate Education Committee, Dept. of Biomedical Engineering, Case Western Reserve University
2008-2009 Vice Chairman, Graduate Studies Committee, Case School of Engineering, Case Western Reserve University
2009 Grant reviewer, R2 - Bioengineering and Biotechnology, American Heart Association
2009 Grant reviewer, SBIB-V (58)R Challenge Grant Panel #23, NIH
2009 Grant reviewer, ZHL1 CSR-Y (F1), Cardiac Translational Research Implementation Program (C-TRIP), NHLBI
2009-2010 Chairman, Graduate Studies Committee, Case School of Engineering, Case Western Reserve University
2009-2012 Faculty Council, School of Medicine, Case Western Reserve University
2009 Grant reviewer, R4 - Bioengineering and Biotechnology, American Heart

RECENT PUBLICATIONS

1. W Li, J Zhong, X Yu. Quantification of myocardial strain at early systole in mouse heart: restoration of undeformed tagging grid with single-point HARP. *JMRI*, In press, 2010.
2. J Zhong and X Yu. Strain and torsion quantification in mouse hearts under dobutamine stimulation using 2D multi-phase MR DENSE. *Magn. Reson. Med.* In revision, 2010.
3. W Li, M Griswold, X Yu. Rapid T1 mapping of mouse myocardium with saturation recovery Look-Locker method. *Magn. Reson. Med.* In revision, 2010.
4. W Li, F Bian, P Chaudhuri, X Mao, H Brunengraber, X Yu. Delineation of substrate selection and anaplerosis in citric acid cycle of the heart by ¹³C NMR spectroscopy and mass spectrometry. *NMR in Biomed.* In revision, 2010.
5. W Li, W Liu, J Zhong, X Yu. Early manifestation of alteration in cardiac function in dystrophin deficient mdx mouse using 3D CMR tagging. *J. Cardiovasc. MR.* **11**:40-50, 2009
6. W Li, M Lu, S Banerjee, J Zhong, A Ye, J Molter, X Yu. Ex vivo diffusion tensor MRI reflects microscopic structural remodeling associated with aging and disease progression in normal and cardiomyopathic Syrian hamsters. *NMR in Biomed.* **22**:819-25, 2009
7. J Zhong, W Liu, X Yu. Transmural myocardial strain in mouse: quantification of high-resolution MR tagging using HARP analysis. *Magn. Reson. Med.* **61**:1368-1373, 2009
8. M Lu, L Zhou, WC Stanley, ME Cabrera, GM Saidel, X Yu. Role of the malate-aspartate shuttle on the metabolic response to myocardial ischemia. *J. Theor. Biol.* **254**:466-475, 2008.
9. J Zhong, W Liu, X Yu. Characterization of three-dimensional myocardial deformation in the mouse heart: an MR tagging study. *J. Magn. Reson. Img.* **27**:1263-1270, 2008
10. D Jeyaraj, L Wilson, J Zhong, C Flask, J Saffitz, X Yu, DS Rosenbaum. Segmental strain as novel mechanism for ventricular electrical remodeling underlying T-wave memory. *Circulation*, **115**:3145-3155, 2007
11. W Liu, MW Ashford, J Chen, MP Watkins, TA Williams, SA Wickline, X Yu. MR tagging demonstrates quantitative differences in regional ventricular wall motion in mice, rats, and men. *Am. J. Physiol.* **291**:H2515-H2521, 2006
12. J Chen, W Liu, H Zhang, L Lacy, X Yang, SK Song, SA Wickline, X Yu. Regional ventricular wall thickening reflects changes in cardiac fiber and sheet structure during contraction: quantification with diffusion tensor MRI. *Am. J. Physiol.* **289**:H1898-H1907, 2005