Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

- (2007-2011); Doctor of Philosophy Host Department: Poultry Science Texas A&M University, U.S. Major Professor: Huaijun Zhou
- (2003-2006); Doctor of Philosophy Host Department: Animal Breeding and Genetics Northeast Agricultural University, Harbin, China Major Professor: Hui Li
- (2000-2003); Master of Science Host Department: Animal Breeding and Genetics Northeast Agricultural University, Harbin, China Major Professor: Hui Li
- (2000); **Bachelor of Science** Major: Animal Science Northeast Agricultural University, Harbin, China

Professional Appointments:

• (2012-Present); **Postdoctoral Scholar** Department of Animal Science University of California, Davis, CA

Research specialties: Functional genomics; Medical genetics – human and animal; Molecular, cellular, and developmental genetics; Host-pathogen interactions for both bacteria and viruses.

Training in: high-throughput sequencing, library preparations, advanced bioinformatics data analysis, cell culture, cell-infectivity experiments, functional genomics, and microarray design / labeling / hybridization whole proteome profiling by MASS spectrometry and other basic techniques for the bench work of molecular genetics.

• (2007-2011); Graduate Research Assistant Department of Poultry Science Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas

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• (2000-2006); **Graduate Research Assistant** Department of Animal Breeding and Genetics Northeast Agricultural University, Harbin, China

Research specialties: Molecular and functional genomics in chicken adipose metabolism.

Training in: Cell culture; gene silencing protocols; Nucleic acid isolation; RFLP gels, DNA sequencing, PCR, RT-PCR, real-time quantitative PCR, electrophoresis, blotting, radiological labeling, BAC library screening, cDNA library construction, SNP marker development, gene cloning and gene quantification, protein expression, SDS PAGE, polyclonal antibody production, western blotting and bioinformatics.

Professional Experience:

- (2012-present); **Postdoc** in Animal Science Department, University of California, Davis.
- (2013); **Guest lecturing** for the undergraduate course "Avian Development and Genetics" AVS 103 at University of California, Davis.
- (2011); **Guest lecturing** for the undergraduate course "Avian Genetics and Breeding" POSC 414 at Texas A&M University.
- (2009); **Teaching** the lab section of the undergraduate course "Avian Genetics and Breeding" POSC 414 at Texas A&M University.

<u>Research Experience:</u>

1. Animal handling and participated animal trials

- ♦ Avian influenza virus challenging of chickens, sampling and preparation organisms.
- ♦ Campylobacter challenging of chickens, sampling and preparation organisms.
- ♦ Salmonella T. challenging of chicken, sampling and preparation organisms.
- ♦ Newcastle Disease virus challenging of chickens, sampling and preparation organisms
- ♦ Sampling and preparation organisms for knockout mice studies.

2. Functional Annotation of Animal Genome (Farm animal ENCODE project)

- ♦ Collecting samples from chickens, pigs and cattle
- Standardize core assays such as RNA-Seq, DNase-Seq, Chip-Seq and ATAC-Seq and experimental protocols
- ♦ Analyze data, coordinate and facilitate data sharing
- ♦ Provide high quality functional annotation of animal genomes

3. Salmonella Heidelberg mRNA sequencing

- ♦ Using Illumina mRNA sequencing technology.
- ♦ Prepare the bacterial mRNA libraries for sequencing.
- \diamond Compare the transcriptome profiles of SH with different treatments.
- ♦ Analyze the data by Agilent Genomic Workbench.

4. USAID Feed the Feed the Future Innovation Lab for Genomics to Improve Poultry

- ♦ Genetically enhance disease resistance to Newcastle Disease Virus infection and heat stress in poultry
- ♦ Using mRNA sequencing technology to identify genes associated with NDV resistance and heat stress in different chicken population.
- ♦ Using GWAS to identify genetic markers associated with NDV resistance and heat stress in different chicken population.

5. The role of chaperone-usher fimbriae in the colonization and persistence of Salmonella Typhimurium in chickens

- \diamond Inoculate the birds with wild type and Chaperone-usher fimbriae mutant ST.
- ♦ Using Illumina small RNA sequencing technology.
- ♦ Compare the miRNA expression profiles of infected and control birds.
- ♦ Identify chicken miRNAs associated with the ST colonization and persistence.

6. Chicken small RNA deep sequencing

- ♦ Using Illumina Solexa Deep Sequencing technology.
- ♦ Prepare the small RNA libraries for sequencing by using.
- ♦ Compare the microRNA expression profiles of AIV infected and non-infected birds.
- ♦ Confirm the results by microRNA northern blotting and realtime PCR.
- ♦ Identifying novel microRNAs

7. Microarray study on chicken immunogenetics responding to avian influenza virus (AIV) infection

- ♦ Identify the influence of AIV infection to chickens on the mRNA level.
- ☆ The gene expression profiling of infected and non-infected birds with AIV challenge using Agilent custom microarray.
- ♦ R language, SAS, JMP, DAVID and Genepix were used to analyze the data.

8. Chicken transcriptome analysis (RNA-Seq)

- ♦ Using Illumina mRNA sequencing technology.
- ♦ Prepare the mRNA libraries for sequencing.
- ♦ Compare the transcriptome profiles of AIV infected and non-infected birds and also between genetic lines.
- ♦ Analyze the data by Agilent Genomic Workbench.

9. Genomic studies on chicken Mx gene

 ✤ Identify polymorphisms of chicken Mx gene by sequencing; genotyping individual birds by using the PCR-RFLP protocol or sequencing the coding region.

- ♦ Compare the difference of Mx mRNA expression between different Mx genotypes.
- ♦ DNAMAN, BIOEDIT, SAS and JMP were utilized to analyze the data.

10. MASS spectrometry proteomics analysis

- ♦ Prepare protein samples by the differential detergent fragmentation protocol.
- ♦ Identify differentially expressed proteins by statistical analysis.

11. AIV pathogenesis studies on chicken DF-1 cells

- ♦ Determine virus titers by plaque assays.
- ♦ Challenge chicken DF-1 cells by low pathogenic AIV with the optimized MOI.
- ♦ Characterize AIV replication in chicken DF-1 cells by plaque assays or real-time PCR.
- ☆ Test the basic expression level of chicken Mx gene and microRNA (miR-155) by real-time PCR.

12. miRNA microarray analysis

- ♦ Using Agilent custom designed miRNA microarray.
- ♦ Compare the miRNA expression profile of infected and non-infected birds with AIV infection.
- ♦ R language, SAS, JMP, DAVID and Genepix were used to analyze the data.

13. miRNA functional analysis

- \diamond Confirm the expression of miR-155 for the three treatment groups by real-time PCR.
- ♦ Determine the viral titers in the supernatant of AIV infected cells from the three treatments, in order to see if miR-155 affects the replication of AIV.
- ♦ Construct the lentiviral vectors expressing miR-155 or miR-155 target sequence. Infect chicken DF-1 cells by those two well packaged lentiviruses and select the positive cells by puromycin. Investigate the function of miR-155 by these two purified cell lines.

14. Chicken Mx gene functional analysis

- \diamond Analyze the function of chicken Mx gene by RNAi.
- \diamond Design three target sequencings of siMx by online software.
- ♦ Construct the lentiviral vectors expressing the three siMxs. Infect chicken DF-1 cells by those three well packaged lentiviruses and select the positive cells by purmycin.
- ♦ Analyze the silencing efficiency of the three siMxs by GFP expression and Mx gene realtime PCR, find the most effective siMx lentiviral plasmid.
- Pick up the highest efficient siMx, infect DF-1 cells by this lentivirus, select the positive cells by purmycin and keep the Mx down-regulated cell line. Do follow up experiments to study the function of chicken Mx mRNA on AIV infection.

15. Full length cDNA library preparation

- Prepare the chicken full length cDNA library from different tissues to do the PacBio RS from Pacific Bioscience to sequence the full length cDNAs
- ♦ Analyze the data by CLC genomic workbench and get a better annotated chicken genome

16. Functional analysis of chicken PPAR gamma gene by RNAi

- ♦ Separate chicken primary adipocytes from adipose tissue.
- ↔ Over express PPAR gamma gene at mRNA level or down regulate its expression by transfection with siPPARγ.
- \diamond Test the over-expression and down-regulation by real-time PCR.
- Measure the phenotypic traits of the primary adipocytes to determine the function of chicken PPAR gamma gene.

Publications:

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Competitive Funding:

- (2014) The FAANG travel award to attend the 26th Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.
- (2014) The travel award to attend the 34th international society of animal genetics conference, Xi'an, China.
- (2014) The travel award to attend International Symposium on Vaccines Against Antigenically Variable Viruses, Ames, IA
- ♦ (2014) The USDA travel award to attend the 22nd Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.
- (2013) The CBD travel award to attend the The 24th CDB Meeting "Genomics and Epigenomics with Deep Sequencing", KOBE, Japan.

- (2013) The USDA travel award to attend the 21th Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.
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- (2011) Texas A&M University College of Agriculture and life sciences Tom Slick Graduate Research fellowship Award. College Station, TX.
- (2011) Plant and Animal Genome student Neal A. Jorgenson Travel Grant Award to attend the 19th Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.
- (2011) Texas A&M University College of Agriculture and life sciences Lechner Travel Grant to attend the 100th Poultry Science Annual Meeting. St. Louis, MO.
- (2008) Texas A&M University graduate student office Research and Presentation Grant to attend the 16th Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.

Conferences and Workshops in Attendance:

- (Jan 2016) 24th Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.
- (May 2015) 5rd Annual Bay Area Symposium on Viruses. Berkley, CA
- (Mar 2015) XVIIth Bay Area Microbial Pathogenesis Symposium, San Francisco, CA
- (Jan 2015) 23rd Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.
- (July 2014) The 34th international society of animal genetics conference, Xi'an, China.
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- (Jan 2014) 22nd Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.
- (Nov. 2013) 8th Annual UC Davis Retreat on Host Microbe Interaction, Tahoe city, CA.
- (Mar 2013) XVIth Bay Area Microbial Pathogenesis Symposium, San Francisco, CA
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- (Apr 2012) 3rd Annual Bay Area Symposium on Viruses. Berkley, CA
- (Mar 2012) XVth Bay Area Microbial Pathogenesis Symposium, San Francisco, CA
- (Jul 2011) 100th Poultry Science Annual Meeting. St. Louis, MO.
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- (Jan 2011) 19th Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.
- (Nov 2010) Illumina next-generation sequencer User's Group meeting. Houston, TX.

- (Nov 2010) The Laboratory for Genome Bioinformatics: Workshops in Computational Genomics. Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.
- (May 2010) TAMU GO workshop, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.
- (Jan 2010) 18th Annual Plant and Animal Genome Conference. San Diego, CA.
- (Jul 2009) 98th Poultry Science Annual Meeting. Raleigh, NC.
- (Jun 2009) Bioinformatics series workshops, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.
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