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I. PERSONAL HISTORY AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**A. Educational Background**

University of Science and Technology of China (USTC), B.S., Biology, June 1992
California Institute of Technology, Ph.D., Chemistry, June 1998

B. List of Academic Positions since Final Degree

Centennial Endowed Chair of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, UIUC, 2008-date
Professor, Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, UIUC, August 2008-date
Associate Professor, Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, UIUC, August 2006-date
Assistant Professor, Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, UIUC, July 2000-August 2006
Faculty, Institute for Genomic Biology, UIUC, March 2004-date
Affiliate, Chemistry, UIUC, January 2004-date
Affiliate, Center for Biophysics and Computational Biology, UIUC, December 2000-date
Affiliate, Bioengineering, UIUC, December 2000-date
Affiliate, Biotechnology Center, UIUC, December 2000-date
Affiliate, Biochemistry, UIUC, August 2007-date

C. Other Professional Employment

Project Leader, Industrial Biotechnology, The Dow Chemical Company, San Diego, CA, April 1998 - May 2000

D. Honors, Recognitions, and Outstanding Achievements

Fellow of the American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering (AIMBE), 2009-date
Centennial Endowed Chair of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, UIUC, 2008-date
Engineering Council Award for Excellence in Advising, UIUC College of Engineering, 2008
Young Investigator Award, American Chemical Society (ACS) Division of Biochemical Technology, 2008
University Scholar, UIUC, 2007
Outstanding Overseas Young Chinese Scholars Award, 2007
Helen Corley Petit Scholar, UIUC College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, 2006
DuPont Young Professor Award, 2005
Xerox Award for Faculty Research, UIUC College of Engineering, 2005
W. H. Peterson Award for Best Poster Presentation, ACS Division of Biochemical Technology (to R. Woodyer), 2005
Beckman Fellow, UIUC Center for Advanced Study, 2005

NSF CAREER Award, 2004

Excellence in Teaching Award, UIUC School of Chemical Sciences, 2004

Collins Scholar, UIUC College of Engineering, 2001

Dow Chemical Company Special Recognition Award, 1999 and 2000

E. Invited Lectures and Invited Conference Presentations since Last Promotion

1. "Directed Evolution of Biocatalysts." The Dow Chemical Company, Midland, MI, October 20, 1997.
2. "Directed Molecular Evolution." Shanghai Institute of Biochemistry, Chinese Academy of Science, Shanghai, China, May 20, 2000.
3. "Directed Molecular Evolution." Institute of Life Sciences, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, May 22, 2000.
4. "A Dehalogenase Based Process for Epichlorohydrin Production." IBC Sixth Annual World Congress on Enzyme Technologies, San Diego, CA, February 28, 2001.
5. "Directed Evolution of Enzymes and Pathways for Bioprocess Development." Bristol-Myers Squibb, New Brunswick, NJ, March 12, 2001.
6. "Directed Molecular Evolution: Technology and Applications." Department of Pharmacology, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL, February 5, 2002.
7. "Directed Molecular Evolution." Cabot Corporation, Boston, February 26, 2002.
8. "Outrunning Nature: *in vitro* Evolution of Enzymes." Biotechnology Research Institute, Canadian National Research Council, Montreal, Canada, March 28, 2002.
9. "Directed Evolution of Enzymes and Industrial Biocatalysis." Green Chemistry Workshop, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, April 19, 2002.
10. "Directed Evolution of Superior Biocatalysts." Maxygen, Redwood City, CA, May 6, 2002.
11. "Directed Evolution and Biocatalysis." Department of Energy (DOE) Workshop on Catalysis, Gaithersburg, Maryland, May 14, 2002.
12. "Directed Evolution of Enzymes, Pathways and Genomes." U.S. Army Research Office (ARO) Workshop on Bio-Fuel Cells, Washington, DC, July 1, 2002.
13. "Directed Evolution of Human Manganese Superoxide Dismutase." ACS Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, August 21, 2002.
14. "Biomolecular Engineering in the Post-genomic Era." Molecular and Chemical Biology Symposium, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, January 17, 2003.
15. "Directed Evolution of Enzymes and Multi-enzyme Complexes." Strategic Research Institute's First Annual Meeting on "Enzymes and Biocatalysis for Drug Discovery and Development." San Diego, CA, January 30, 2003.
16. "Biosynthesis of Thermally Stable Energetic Compounds through Rational Design and Directed Evolution." Office of Naval Research's Coolfont V meeting, Coolfont, West Virginia, April 13, 2003.
17. "Biocatalysts Engineering Through Rational Design and Directed Evolution." Schering-Plough, Union, NJ, August 5, 2003.
18. "Biocatalysts Engineering Through Rational Design and Directed Evolution." Cargill, Minneapolis, MN, September 9, 2003.
19. "Biomolecular Engineering in the Post-Genomic Era." Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, September 25, 2003.

20. "Protein Engineering of Phosphate Dehydrogenase for the Development of a Novel NAD(P)H Regeneration System." ACS Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, March 28, 2004.
21. "Biomolecular Engineering for Biomedical Applications." Department of Biomedical Engineering, University of Irvine, Irvine, CA, April 1, 2004.
22. "Protein Engineering of Nanomachines." Beckman Institute, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, April 14, 2004.
23. "Directed Evolution of Human Estrogen Receptors for Fun and Profits." Symposium on the Evolution of Biomolecular Structure, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, June 4, 2004.
24. "Directed Molecular Evolution for Fun and Profit." Monsanto, St. Louis, MO, July 7, 2004.
25. "Biocatalyst Development through Rational Design and Directed Evolution." Roquette, Lestrem, France, November 15, 2004.
26. "Protein Stabilization by Directed Evolution." DARPA/HHS Protein Preservation Workshop, Fairfax, VA, January 12, 2005.
27. "Biocatalyst and Bioprocess Development via Biomolecular Engineering." Kraft, Glenview, IL, January 31, 2005.
28. "Directed Evolution: Technology and Applications." Dow AgroSciences, Indianapolis, IN, February 7, 2005.
29. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, February 8, 2005.
30. "Directed Molecular Evolution for Fun and Profit." Argonne National Laboratories, Argonne, IL, February 17, 2005.
31. "Biomolecular Engineering of Genetic Switches and Biological Catalysts." Division of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, February 24, 2005.
32. "Biomolecular Engineering of Genetic Switches and Biological Catalysts." Department of Chemical and Environmental Engineering, University of California, Riverside, CA, February 25, 2005.
33. "Development of a Novel Enzymatic NAD(P)H Regeneration System." The Tenth Institute of Biological Engineering, University of Georgia, Athens, GA, March 4-6, 2005.
34. "Biomolecular Engineering for Biocatalyst and Bioprocess Development." Symposium on Biocatalysis, ACS Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, March 13, 2005.
35. "Biomolecular Engineering of Genetic Switches and Biological Catalysts." Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, April 14, 2005.
36. "Development of a Novel Enzymatic NAD(P)H Regeneration System for Industrial Biocatalysis." Biochemical Engineering XIV, Harrison Hot Springs, BC, Canada, July 14, 2005.
37. "Directed Evolution of Proteins and Pathways." U.S. Government's Science and Technical Expert Partnership (STEP) Program Workshop on Synthetic Biology, McLean, VA, July 27, 2005.
38. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, September 13, 2005.
39. "Directed Evolution: Technology and Applications." Air Force Office of Science and Research Cell-Like Entity (CLE) workshop, Fairborn, OH, September 14, 2005.

40. "Development of a Novel Enzymatic NAD(P)H Regeneration System for Industrial Biocatalysis." Biotechnology Research and Development Consortium (BRDC) workshop, Chicago, IL, September 15, 2005.
41. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Chemical Engineering, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA, September 22, 2005.
42. "Development of a Novel Enzymatic NAD(P)H Regeneration System for Industrial Biocatalysis." ECI Enzyme Engineering XVIII, Gyeong-Ju, Korea, October 13, 2005.
43. "Biocatalyst and Bioprocess Development via Biomolecular Engineering." International Symposium on Biocatalysis and Bioprocess Engineering II, Shanghai, China, October 17, 2005 (keynote lecture).
44. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Chemical Engineering, Tsinghua University, Beijing, China, October 18, 2005.
45. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Institute of Biophysics, Chinese Academy of Science, China, October 19, 2005.
46. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." College of Life Sciences, University of Science and Technology of China, Hefei, Anhui, China, October 20, 2005.
47. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Biochemistry, Nanjing University, Nanjing, China, October 21, 2005.
48. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Chemical Engineering, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN, October 25, 2005.
49. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Chemical Engineering, University of California, Los Angeles, CA, January 13, 2006.
50. "Biomolecular Engineering of Proteins and Pathways." School of Molecular and Cell Biology, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, January 21, 2006.
51. "Biomolecular Engineering of Proteins and Pathways." Department of Chemical Engineering, University of Delaware, Newark, DE, February 10, 2006.
52. "Biomolecular Engineering of Genetic Switches and Biological Catalysts." Department of Chemistry, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, February 13, 2006.
53. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Chemical Engineering, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, February 23, 2006.
54. "Bioinformatics Tools for Biomolecular Engineering." The First UIUC Bioinformatics Summit, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, March 9, 2006.
55. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Chemical Engineering, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY, March 27, 2006.
56. "Biomass Conversion through Biomolecular Engineering." Symposium on Sustainable Bioenergy: Focus on the Future of Biofuels and Chemicals, Urbana, IL, April 13-14, 2006.
57. "Biocatalyst Development through Biomolecular Engineering." Society for Industrial Microbiology Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, August 2, 2006.
58. "Directed Evolution of Genetic Switches and Circuits." Nano-Bio Group, Urbana, IL November 3, 2006.
59. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Chemical Engineering and Materials Science, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, MN, November 21, 2006.
60. "Biomolecular Engineering of Genetic Switches and Biological Catalysts." Department of Physics, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, March 9, 2007.

61. "Directed Evolution of Gene Switches and Enzyme Biocatalysts." Northern Illinois University, April 27, 2007.
62. "Directed Evolution of Gene Switches and Enzyme Biocatalysts." Shanghai Institute of Plant Physiology, Chinese Academy of Science, Shanghai, China, May 11, 2007.
63. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." School of Chemical Engineering and Technology, Tianjin University, May 15, 2007.
64. "Directed Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." School of Biochemical Engineering, East China University of Science and Technology, May 22, 2007.
65. "Industrial Biotechnology: Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology." Department of Chemical Engineering and Materials Science, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, MN, June 7, 2007.
66. "Biosynthesis of Xylitol from Renewable Biomass." ECI Biochemical Engineering XV, Quebec City, PQ, Canada, July 16, 2007.
67. "Evolution in Reverse: Engineering a Xylose-Specific Xylose Reductase." Society for Industrial Microbiology Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, August 1, 2007.
68. "Biomolecular Engineering for Industrial Biotechnology and Bioenergy." Biotechnology Institute, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, MN, August 23, 2007.
69. "Discovery, Characterization, and Engineering of Phosphonic Acids." Department of Chemistry, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, September 10, 2007.
70. "Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology." Department of Chemical Engineering, University of Colorado, Denver, CO, October 30, 2007.
71. "Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology." Department of Chemical Engineering, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, December 12, 2007.
72. "Biomolecular Engineering for Fun and Profit." Department of Biomedical and Chemical Engineering, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY, February 29, 2008.
73. "Synthetic Biology for Fun and Profit." 2nd Annual IGB Fellows Symposium, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, April 4, 2008.
74. "Development of New Biocatalysts for Pharmaceutical Applications." Pfizer Global R & D, Groton, CT, April 7, 2008.
75. "Microbial Synthesis of Phloroglucinol and Xylitol." Fifth World Congress on Industrial Biotechnology and Bioprocessing, Chicago, IL, April 30, 2008.
76. "Production of fine chemical phloroglucinol and antimalarial drug FR900098 in *E. coli*." ECI Natural Products II, Whistler, Canada, June 24, 2008.
77. "Microbial Synthesis of Phloroglucinol and Xylitol." The 2008 Korean Society of Microbiology and Biotechnology (KMB) International Symposium and Annual Meeting, Seoul, Korea, June 26, 2008.
78. "Industrial Biotechnology: Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology." Kongkuk University, Seoul, Korea, June 27, 2008.
79. "Enzymatic and Microbial Synthesis of Xylitol from Renewable Biomass." Gordon Research Conference on Biocatalysis, Smithfield, RI, July 6-11, 2008.
80. "Metalloenzymes: Mechanisms, Structures, and Applications." NSF CENTC Summer School, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, July 24, 2008.
81. "Discovery, Characterization, and Engineering of Novel *N*-Oxygenases." Society for Industrial Microbiology Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, August 12, 2008.

82. "Directed Evolution for Fun and Profit." American Chemical Society Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 20, 2008.
83. "New Tools for Pathway Engineering." Gevo, Denver, CO, August 25, 2008.
84. "Development of New Tools for Gene Therapy." Cystic Fibrosis Focus Group, University of Illinois, Urbana, September 11, 2008.
85. "Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology: Turning Trash to Cash." University of California, Berkeley, CA, September 29, 2008.
86. "Microbial Synthesis of Phloroglucinol and Xylitol." The Thirteenth International Biotechnology Symposium and Exhibition, Dalian, China, October 15, 2008.
87. "Industrial Biotechnology: Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology." Jiangnan University, Wuxi, China, October 17, 2008.
88. "Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology: Turning Trash to Cash." Institute of Process Engineering, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China, October 20, 2008.
89. "Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology: Turning Trash to Cash." Beijing University of Chemical Technology, Beijing, China, October 21, 2008.
90. "Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology: Turning Trash to Cash." Genencor Shanghai R&D Center, Shanghai, China, October 23, 2008.
91. "Harnessing the Power of Synthetic Biology and Chemical Biology." Shanghai Jiaotong University, Shanghai, China, October 24, 2008.
92. "Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology: Turning Trash to Cash." Novozymes, Davis, CA, November 3, 2008.
93. "Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology: Turning Trash to Cash." Rice University, Houston, TX, January 8, 2009.
94. "Harnessing the Power of Chemical and Synthetic Biology." Department of Statistics, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, March 5, 2009.
95. "Surfing the Third Wave of Biotechnology: Turning Trash to Cash." SUNY at Buffalo, Buffalo, NY, April 8, 2009.

F. Offices Held in Professional Societies

Program Chair (2009), Division of Biochemical Technology, American Chemical Society
 Program co-Chair (2008), Society for Industrial Microbiology
 Program Chair (2009), Society for Industrial Microbiology

G. Editorships of Journals or Other Learned Publications

Editorial Board Member, Applied Biochemistry and Biotechnology, 2004-present

H. Consultancy

OMT, Inc., Palo Alto, CA, 2008-date
 Pfizer, Groton, CT, 2008-date
 zuChem, Peoria, IL, 2007-present
 British Petroleum (BP), Naperville, IL, 2007-2008
 Member of Scientific Advisory Board, Gevo, Pasadena, CA, 2006-present
 Maxygen, Redwood City, CA, 2005-present
 Cabot Corporation, Boston, MA, 2002
 Fox/Atkins Development, Urbana, IL, 2002

The Dow Chemical Company, Midland, MI, 1997
Diversa, Inc., San Diego, CA, 1996

II. PUBLICATIONS AND CREATIVE WORKS

Publication Key:

- # Denotes any publication derived from the candidate's thesis.
- * Denotes publication that has undergone stringent editorial review by peers.
- + Denotes publication that was invited and carries special prestige and recognition.

A. Doctoral Thesis Title

1. *Enzyme Design by Directed Evolution*, 1998.

B. Books Authored or Co-Authored (in print or accepted)

not applicable

C. Books Edited or Co-Edited (in print or accepted)

not applicable

D. Chapters in Books (in print or accepted)

1. # H. Zhao, J. C. Moore, A. A. Volkov and F. H. Arnold. "Methods for Optimizing Industrial Enzymes by Directed Evolution." In *Manual of Industrial Microbiology and Biotechnology*, 2nd Ed. (A. L. Demain and J. E. Davies, Eds.) pp. 597-604, ASM Press, Washington, DC, 1999.
2. *+ H. Zhao and W. Zha. "Evolutionary Methods for Protein Engineering." In *Enzyme Functionality: Design, Engineering and Screening*, (A. Svendsen Ed.) pp. 353-373, Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, NY, 2003.
3. W. Zha, T. Zhu, and H. Zhao. "Family Shuffling with Single-stranded DNA." In *Methods in Molecular Biology*, Volume 231, pp. 93-99: Directed Evolution Library Creation: Methods and Protocols, (F.H. Arnold and G. Georgiou, Eds.), Humana Press Inc., Totowa, NJ, 2003.
4. O. Esteban, R. D. Woodyer, and H. Zhao. "*In vitro* DNA recombination by Random Priming." In *Methods in Molecular Biology*, Volume 231, pp. 101-106: Directed Evolution Library Creation: Methods and Protocols, (F.H. Arnold and G. Georgiou, Eds.), Humana Press Inc., Totowa, NJ, 2003.
5. H. Zhao. "A pH Indicator Based Screening Method for Hydrolytic Haloalkane Dehalogenase." In *Methods in Molecular Biology*, Volume 230, pp. 213-221: Directed Enzyme Evolution: Screening and Selection Methods (F.H. Arnold and G. Georgiou, Eds.), Humana Press Inc., Totowa, NJ, 2003.
6. + R. D. Woodyer, T. Johannes, and H. Zhao. "Cofactor Regeneration for Biocatalytic Applications." In *Enzyme Technology*, (A. Pandey, C. Webb, C. S. Soccol, and C. Larroche, Eds.) pp. 83-101, Asiatech Publishers, Inc., New Delhi, India, 2004.
7. *+ T. Johannes, M. Simurdiak and H. Zhao. "Biocatalysis." In *Encyclopedia of Chemical Processing*, (S. Lee, Ed.) pp. 101-110, Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, NY, 2006.

8. *+ Z. Chen and H. Zhao. "Protein Design." In *Encyclopedia of Chemical Processing*, (S. Lee, Ed.) pp. 2467-2477, Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, NY, 2006.
9. *+ Shao, Z., Ang, E. and H. Zhao. "Biomolecular Engineering." In *Encyclopedia of Chemical Processing*, (S. Lee, Ed.) pp. 171-182, Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, NY, 2006.
10. *+ T. Johannes, R. Woodyer, and H. Zhao. "High Throughput Screening Methods for Oxidoreductases." In *Enzyme Assays: High-throughput Screening, Genetic Selection and Fingerprinting*, (J.L Reymond, Ed.) pp. 77-93, Wiley VCH-Verlag GmbH, Weinheim, Germany, 2006.
11. *+ S. Rubin-Pitel, C. M.-H. Cho, W. Chen, and H. Zhao. "Directed Evolution Tools in Bioproduct and Bioprocess Development." In *Bioprocessing for Value-Added Products from Renewable Resources: New Technologies and Applications*, (S.-T. Yang, Ed.) pp. 49-72, Elsevier Science, New York, NY, 2006.
12. *+ N. U. Nair and H. Zhao. "Improving Proteins by Directed Evolution." In *Handbooks for Metabolic Engineering*, (C. Smolke, Ed.) CRC Press, Taylor and Francis Group, Boca Raton, FL, accepted.
13. *+ F. Wen, M. McLachlan, and H. Zhao. "Novel and Improved Enzymes through Directed Evolution." In *Wiley Encyclopedia of Chemical Biology*, John Wiley & Sons, Hoboken, NJ, 2008, DOI: 10.1002/9780470048672.wecb125.
14. *+ M. DeSieno, J. Du, and H. Zhao. "Protein Engineering of Enzymes with Altered Substrate and Cofactor Specificity." In *Protein Engineering Handbook*, (S. Lutz, U. Bornscheuer, Eds.), Wiley-VCH Verlag GmbH & Co. KGaA, Weinheim, Germany, accepted.
15. *+ M. Mclachlan, R.P. Sullivan, and H. Zhao. "Directed Enzyme Evolution and High Throughput Screening." In *Biocatalysis for the Pharmaceutical Industry-Discovery, Development, and Manufacturing*, (J. Tao, G., Lin, and A. Liese, Eds.) John Wiley and Sons, in press.
16. *+ F. Wen, S. Rubin-Pitel, and H. Zhao. "Engineering of Therapeutic Proteins." In *Protein Engineering and Design*, (J. Cochran and S. Park, Eds.), CRC Press, Taylor & Francis Group, Boca Raton, FL, accepted.

E. Monographs (in print or accepted)

not applicable

F. Articles in Journals (in print or accepted)

1. *# Y. Shi, H. Zhao and C. Wang. "Relative Binding Free Energy Calculations of DNA to Daunomycin and its 13-Dihydro Analogue." *International Journal of Biological Macromolecules*, 15, 247-251 (1993).
2. *# H. Zhao and F. H. Arnold. "Optimization of DNA Shuffling of High Fidelity Recombination." *Nucleic Acids Research*, 25, 1307-1308 (1997).
3. *# H. Zhao and F. H. Arnold. "Functional and Non-functional Mutations Distinguished by Random Recombination of Homologous Genes." *Proceedings of National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*, 94, 7997-8000 (1997).
4. *# H. Zhao and F. H. Arnold. "Combinatorial Protein Design: Strategies for Screening Protein Libraries." *Current Opinion in Structural Biology*, 7, 480-485 (1997).
5. *# Z. Shao, H. Zhao, L. Giver and F. H. Arnold. "Random-Priming *in vitro* Recombination: An Effective Tool for Directed Evolution." *Nucleic Acids Research*, 26, 681-683 (1998).

6. *# H. Zhao, L. Giver, Z. Shao, J. A. Affholter and F. H. Arnold. "Molecular Evolution by Staggered Extension Process (StEP) *in vitro* Recombination." *Nature Biotechnology*, 16, 258-261 (1998).
7. *# H. Zhao and F. H. Arnold. "Directed Evolution Converts Subtilisin E into a Functional Equivalent of Thermitase." *Protein Engineering*, 12, 47-53 (1999).
8. *+ H. Zhao, K. Chockalingam and Z. Chen. "Directed Evolution of Enzymes and Pathways for Industrial Biocatalysis." *Current Opinion in Biotechnology*, 13, 104-110 (2002).
9. * Z. Chen and H. Zhao. "A Highly Efficient and Sensitive Screening Method for Trans-activation Activity of Estrogen Receptors." *Gene*, 306, 127-134 (2003).
10. * J. Sun, J. A. Katzenellenbogen, H. Zhao, and B.S. Katzenellenbogen. "DNA Shuffling Method for Generating Estrogen Receptor α and β Chimeras in a Yeast System." *Biotechniques*, 34, 278-288 (2003).
11. *+ W. A. van der Donk and H. Zhao. "Recent Developments in Pyridine Nucleotide Regeneration." *Current Opinion in Biotechnology*, 14, 421-426 (2003).
12. *+ H. Zhao and W. A. van der Donk. "Cofactor Regeneration for Use in Biocatalysis." *Current Opinion in Biotechnology*, 14, 583-589 (2003).
13. * R.D. Woodyer, W. A. van der Donk and H. Zhao. "Relaxing the Nicotinamide Cofactor Specificity of Phosphite Dehydrogenase by Rational Design." *Biochemistry*, 42, 11604-11614 (2003).
14. *+ R. D. Woodyer, W. Chen and H. Zhao. "Outrunning Nature: Directed Evolution of Superior Biocatalysts." *Journal of Chemical Education*, 81, 126-133 (2004).
15. *+ H. Zhao. "Staggered Extension Process (StEP) *in vitro* DNA Recombination." *Methods in Enzymology*, 388, 42-49 (2004).
16. * W. Zha, Z. Shao, J. W. Frost, and H. Zhao. "Rational Pathway Engineering of Type I Fatty Acid Synthase Allows Biosynthesis of Triacetic Acid Lactone from D-Glucose *in vivo*." *Journal of the American Chemical Society*, 126, 4534-4535 (2004).
17. * O. Esteban, and H. Zhao. "Directed Evolution of Soluble Single-chain Human Class II MHC Molecules on the Yeast Cell Surface." *Journal of Molecular Biology*, 340, 81-95 (2004).
18. * Z. Chen, B. S. Katzenellenbogen, J. A. Katzenellenbogen, and H. Zhao. "Directed Evolution of Human Estrogen Receptor Variants with Significantly Enhanced Androgen Specificity and Affinity." *Journal of Biological Chemistry*, 279, 33855-33864 (2004).
19. * R. Woodyer, M. Simurdiak, W. A. van der Donk, and H. Zhao. "Heterologous Expression, Purification and Characterization of a Highly Active Xylose Reductase from *Neurospora crassa*." *Applied and Environmental Microbiology*, 71, 1642-1647 (2005).
20. * Z. Chen and H. Zhao. "Rapid Creation of a Novel Protein Function by *in vitro* Co-evolution." *Journal of Molecular Biology*, 348, 1273-1282 (2005).
21. * K. Chockalingam, Z. Chen, J. A. Katzenellenbogen, and H. Zhao. "Directed Evolution of Specific Receptor-Ligand Pairs for Use in the Creation of Gene Switches." *Proceedings of National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*, 102, 5691-5696 (2005).
22. * J. Achkar, M. Xian, H. Zhao, and J. W. Frost. "Biosynthesis of Phloroglucinol." *Journal of the American Chemical Society*, 127, 5332-5333 (2005).
23. * K. Chockalingam and H. Zhao. "Creating New Specific Ligand-Receptor Pairs for Transgene Regulation." *Trends in Biotechnology*, 23, 333-335 (2005).

24. * E. Ang, H. Zhao, and J. P. Obbard. "Bioremediation of Persistent Organic Pollutants via Biomolecular Engineering." *Enzyme and Microbial Technology*, 37, 487-496 (2005).
25. * R. Woodyer, H. Zhao, and W. A. van der Donk. "Mechanistic Investigation of a Highly Active Phosphite Dehydrogenase Mutant and its Application for NADPH Regeneration." *FEBS Journal*, 272, 3816-3827 (2005).
26. * T. Johannes, R. Woodyer, and H. Zhao. "Directed Evolution of a Thermostable Phosphite Dehydrogenase for NAD(P)H Regeneration." *Applied and Environmental Microbiology*, 71, 5728-5734 (2005).
27. * J. Lee, M. Simurdiak, and H. Zhao. "Reconstitution and Characterization of Aminopyrrolnitrin Oxidase that Catalyzes Unusual Arylamine Oxidation." *Journal of Biological Chemistry*, 280, 36719-36728 (2005).
28. * Z. Chen and H. Zhao. "A Highly Sensitive Selection Method for Directed Evolution of Homing Endonucleases." *Nucleic Acids Research*, 33, e154 (2005).
29. * J. Lee and H. Zhao. "Mechanistic Studies on the Conversion of Arylamines into Arylnitro Compounds by Arylamino-pyrrolnitrin Oxygenase: Identification of Intermediates and Kinetic Studies." *Angewandte Chemie International Edition*, 45, 622-625 (2006).
30. * D. Xie, Z. Shao, J. Achkar, W. Zha, J. W. Frost, and H. Zhao. "Microbial Synthesis of Triacetic Acid Lactone." *Biotechnology and Bioengineering*, 93, 727-736 (2006).
31. * R. Woodyer, W. A. van der Donk, and H. Zhao. "Optimizing a Biocatalyst for Improved NAD(P)H Regeneration: Directed Evolution of Phosphite Dehydrogenase." *Combinatorial Chemistry and High Throughput Screening*, 9, 237-245 (2006).
32. * S. Rubin-Pitel and H. Zhao. "Recent Advances in Biocatalysis by Directed Enzyme Evolution." *Combinatorial Chemistry and High Throughput Screening*, 9, 247-257 (2006).
33. * T. Johannes and H. Zhao. "Directed Evolution of Enzymes and Biosynthetic Pathways." *Current Opinion in Microbiology*, 9, 261-267 (2006).
34. * M. Simurdiak, J. Lee, and H. Zhao. "A New Class of Arylamine Oxygenases: Evidence that *p*-Aminobenzoate *N*-Oxygenase (AurF) is a Diiron Enzyme and Further Mechanistic Studies." *ChemBioChem*, 7, 1169-1172 (2006).
35. * J. Lee, E. Ang, and H. Zhao. "Probing the Substrate Specificity of Aminopyrrolnitrin Oxygenase (PrnD) by Mutational Analysis." *Journal of Bacteriology*, 188, 6179-6183 (2006).
36. * W. Zha, S. Rubin-Pitel, and H. Zhao. "Characterization of the Substrate Specificity of PhID, a Type III Polyketide Synthase from *Pseudomonas fluorescens*." *Journal of Biological Chemistry*, 281, 32036-32047 (2006).
37. * K. Chockalingam, J. Luba, H. S. Nick, D. N. Silverman, and H. Zhao. "Engineering and Characterization of Human Manganese Superoxide Dismutase Mutants with High Activity and Low Product Inhibition." *FEBS Journal*, 273, 4853-4861 (2006).
38. * R. Woodyer, Z. Shao, P. M. Thomas, N. L. Kelleher, J. A. V. Blodgett, W. M. Metcalf, W. A. van der Donk, and H. Zhao. "Heterologous Production of Fosfomycin and Identification of the Minimal Fosfomycin Biosynthetic Cluster." *Chemistry & Biology*, 13, 1171-1182 (2006).
39. * H. Zhao and W. Zha. "In vitro 'Sexual' Evolution through the PCR-based Staggered Extension Process (StEP)." *Nature Protocols*, 1, 1865-1871 (2006).
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(3) Awards and Honors by Students

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 - Eugene Rabinowitch Graduate Fellowship, Center for Biophysics and Computational Biology, 2006
2. Karuppiiah Chockalingam
 - Best Oral Presentation, The 18th CMG/MB Research Symposium, Urbana, IL, 2005
 - Second Best Poster Award, GSAC Research Symposium, Urbana, IL, 2005
 - Best Poster Award, UIUC Biotechnology Job Fair, Urbana, IL, 2005
3. Ryan Woodyer
 - W. H. Peterson Award for Best Student Poster Presentation, ACS Biochemical Technology Division, 2005
 - Henry Drickamer Graduate Fellowship, Department of Chemistry, UIUC, 2004-2005
4. Sheryl Rubin-Pitel
 - NSF Graduate Research Fellowship, 2005-2007
 - Second Place Award for Poster Presentation, 7th GSAC Research Symposium, Urbana, IL, 2008
 - Harantty Travel Award, Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, UIUC, 2008
5. Tyler Johannes
 - Best Poster Award, 4th GSAC Research Symposium, Urbana, IL, 2005
 - Mavis Memorial Scholarship Fellowship, College of Engineering, UIUC, 2006-2007
 - First Place Award for Poster Presentation, 6th GSAC Research Symposium, Urbana, IL, 2007
6. Fei Wen
 - Second Place Award for Poster Presentation, GSAC Research Symposium, Urbana, IL, 2006
7. Matthew DeSieno
 - NIH Chemistry and Biology Interface Trainee, 2007-2009
8. Victor Gonzalez
 - NIH Chemistry and Biology Interface Trainee, 2005-2007
9. Nikhil Nair
 - Mavis Memorial Scholarship Fellowship, College of Engineering, UIUC, 2008-2009

- Henry Drickamer Graduate Fellowship, Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, UIUC, 2008-2009
 - Third Place Award for Oral Presentation, 7th GSAC Research Symposium, Urbana, IL, 2008
 - Best Oral Presentation, The 21st CMG/MBTG Research Symposium, Urbana, IL, 2008
 - Harantty Travel Award, Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, UIUC, 2008
10. Ryan Sullivan
- First Place Award for Oral Presentation, 7th GSAC Research Symposium, Urbana, IL, 2008
11. Ryan Cobb
- NIH Chemistry and Biology Interface Trainee, 2008-2010
12. Dawn Eriksen
- NSF Graduate Research Fellowship, 2008-2011

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59. R.P. Sullivan and H. Zhao. "Engineering a Fungal L-Arabinose Pathway towards the Utilization of Pentose Sugars for Production of Xylitol and Ethanol." The 7th Annual UIUC ChBE Graduate Student Symposium, Urbana, IL, October, 2008.
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III. RESIDENT INSTRUCTION

A. Supervision of Graduate Students

M.S. Thesis Students (only for ChBE Students):

Former: 10

Current: 8

1. Karu Chockalingam, M.S., 2003, "Engineering a Gene Switch for Biomedical Applications."
2. Wenjuan Zha, M.S., 2004, "Pathway Engineering for Biosynthesis of Aromatic Compounds *in vivo*."
3. Tyler Johannes, M.S., 2005, "Development of a Phosphite Dehydrogenase Based Nicotinamide Cofactor Regeneration System."
4. Zengyi Shao, M.S., 2005, "Pathway Engineering of Triacetic Acid Lactone Biosynthesis and Fosfomycin Biosynthesis."

5. Michael Simurdiak, M.S., 2005, "Cloning, Expression, Partial Characterization, and Engineering of a Novel *N*-oxidase involved in Aureothin Biosynthesis."
6. Sheryl Rubin-Pitel, M.S. 2006, "Investigation of an in vitro Enzymatic Method for the Biosynthesis of Phloroglucinol."
7. Ryan Sullivan, M.S. 2006, "Toward the Development of a Multi-Enzymatic Process for Xylitol Synthesis from Biomass."
8. Fei Wen, M.S. 2006, "Engineering of Yeast Displaying Single-chain MHC-Peptide Complexes for Biomedical Applications."
9. Nikhil Nair, M.S. 2006, "Investigation of Enzymatic Methods for Partially Purified Hemicellulose Hydrolysate for Biosynthesis of Xylitol."
10. Victor Gonzalez, M.S. 2008, "Directed Evolution of Novel Gene Switches." joint student with John Kazenellenbogen
11. Matt DeSieno, M.S. anticipated 2009
12. Jing Du, M.S. anticipated 2009
13. Carl Denard, M.S. anticipated 2010
14. Ryan Cobb, M.S. anticipated 2011
15. Dawn Eriksen, M.S. anticipated 2011
16. Yunzi Luo, M.S. anticipated 2011
17. Jing Liang, M.S. anticipated 2011
18. Sijin Li, M.S. anticipated 2011

Ph.D. Thesis Students

Former: 6

1. Ryan Woodyer, Ph.D., August, 2005, "*Understanding, Optimization, and Application of Phosphite Dehydrogenase: Advancing NAD(P)H Regeneration.*" Now a research scientist at zuChem (Peoria, IL).
2. Karu Chockalingam, Ph.D., May, 2006, "*Engineering Estrogen Receptor-based Gene Switches and a Superoxide Dismutase for Therapeutic Applications.*" Now a research staff in the chemical engineering department at the Texas A & M University in 2008.
3. Zhilei Chen, Ph.D., May, 2006, "*Protein Engineering via in vitro Coevolution.*" Now an assistant professor of chemical engineering at the Texas A & M University in 2008.
4. Ee-Lui Ang, Ph.D., May, 2007, "*Engineering of Aniline Dioxygenase for Bioremediation and Industrial Applications.*" Now a research scientist at Codexis @ Singapore, Singapore.
5. Wenjuan Zha, Ph.D., September, 2007, "*Protein and Metabolic Engineering for Biosynthesis of Aromatic Compounds.*" Now a research scientist at Codexis @ Singapore, Singapore.
6. Tyler Johannes, Ph.D., April, 2008, "Directed Evolution of Phosphite Dehydrogenase and Engineered Biosynthesis of FR-900098." Now an assistant professor of chemical engineering department at the University of Tulsa.

Current: 19

1. Zengyi Shao, Ph.D., anticipated 2008
2. Sheryl Rubin, Ph.D., anticipated 2009
3. Jane Wen, Ph.D., anticipated 2009

4. Ryan Sullivan, Ph.D., anticipated 2009
5. Nikhil Nair, Ph.D., anticipated 2010
6. Michael Mclachlan, Ph.D., anticipated 2010
7. Brad Evans, Ph.D., anticipated 2011, joint student with Neil Kelleher
8. Matt DeSieno, Ph.D. anticipated 2012
9. Jing Du, Ph.D., anticipated 2012
10. Wenling Tang, Ph.D., anticipated 2011
11. Carl Denard, Ph.D., anticipated 2012
12. Ning Sun, Ph.D. anticipated 2012
13. Jie Sun, Ph.D. anticipated 2012
14. Ryan Cobb, Ph.D. anticipated 2013
15. Dawn Eriksen, Ph.D. anticipated 2013
16. Yunzi Luo, Ph.D. anticipated 2013
17. Jing Liang, Ph.D. anticipated 2013
18. Sijin Li, Ph.D. anticipated 2013
19. Emmanuel Chanco, anticipated 2013

B. Supervision of Postdocs/Research Associates

Former: 9

1. Whankoo Kang, 2001, now Professor of Chemical Engineering at Hannam University, Korea.
2. Tongbo Zhu, 2002-2003, now a postdoc at Department of Animal Biology at UIUC
3. Olga Esteban, 2002-2004, now at MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology, Cambridge, United Kingdom
4. Jung-kul Lee, 2004-2006, now an assistant professor at Konkuk University, Seoul, Korea.
5. Ryan Woodyer, 2005-2006, now a research scientist at zuChem, Peoria, IL.
6. Hua Zhao, 2006-2007, now a research scientist at the Institute of Chemical Engineering and Science (ICES), Singapore.
7. Yoo Seong Choi, 2006-2008, now a research professor at the Pohang University of Science and Technology (POSTECH), Korea.
8. Haige Lu, 10/2007-10/2008, now a postdoc researcher at the Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York
9. Yuichi Nakagawa, 1/2008-10/2008, now in Japan

Current: 4

1. Michael Vu, 5/2008-date
2. Tae Hee Lee, 6/2008-date
3. Byoungjin Kim, 1/2009-date
4. Amit Ghosh, 1/2009-date (joint postdoc with Nathan Price)

C. Supervision of Undergraduate Students

Former: 19

Current: 1

1. Trang Vu, 2005-2007, now at Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering, University of Wisconsin, Madison.

2. Frank Qin, 2005-2006
3. Mark Laurenz, 2005-2006
4. Ka-chun Lai, 2004-2006
5. Chae Young Han, 2005
6. Junaid Begawala, 2004
7. Kathleen Sese, 2004
8. Kyle Kloepper, 2004
9. Samir Shah, 2001
10. Anna Kornafel, 2001-2002, now at General Mills, MN
11. Peter Meis, 2001-2002, now at Merck, Rahway, NJ
12. Edgar Goluch, 2001-2003, now at the Department of Bioengineering, UIUC
13. Yen Sia Low, 2002-2003, now at GlaxoWellcomeSmith, Singapore
14. Andrew Miller, 2002-2003, now at the Department of Chemical Engineering, MIT
15. Thuytram Dang, 2004, now at UIUC
16. Saroj Baha, 2006-2007, now at UIUC
17. Anu Biswas, 2006-2008, now at the Department of Chemical Engineering, UCLA
18. Jenna Wozniak, 2006-2008, now at Abbott
19. Kyle Fritschle, 2007-2008
20. Vincent Ip, 2008-date

D. Supervision of Rotation Students and Biophysics Tutorial Students

Rotation Students: 26

1. Zhilei Chen (Biophysics), 2001
2. Haili Pin (Biophysics), 2001
3. Fenglin Yin (Biophysics), 2002
4. Marina Barakova (Biophyscis), 2002
5. Shu Dong (CSB), 2002
6. Sheryl Rubin-Pitel (ChBE), 2003
7. Michael McLachlan (Biophysics), 2004
8. Hua Zhou (Biochemistry), 2005
9. Meng Chen (CSB), 2005
10. Nell Keith (BioE), 2005
11. Kara Smith (ChBE), 2005
12. Alex Parent (Chem), 2005
13. Victor Gonzalez (Chem), 2005
14. Quin Christensen (Micro), 2005
15. Brad Evans (Biochemistry), 2005
16. Po-chao Wen (Biophysics), 2005
17. Yanni Lin (MCB), 2007
18. Hui Liu (Biophysics), 2007
19. Xiaoyi Cao (Biophysics), 2007
20. Ning Sun (Biochemistry), 2007
21. Cancan Huang (Biophysics), 2007
22. Jesse Grenz (MCB), 2008
23. Abhinav Luthra (MCB), 2008

24. Neha Garg (MCB), 2008
25. Salehe Ghasempur (MCB), 2008
26. Ryan Cobb (ChBE), 2008

Tutorial Students (3):

1. Rong Cao, 2005
2. Qian Bian, 2005
3. Ayano Sakai, 2007

E. Service on Ph.D. Examination Committees

Preliminary Examination Committees (40)

- 2001, Zheng-guang Wang, Chemical Engineering
- 2002, Josh Ackerman, Chemical Engineering
- 2002, M. Larid Forrest, Chemical Engineering
- 2002, Qingjun Wang, Biophysics
- 2003, John Comminos, Chemistry
- 2003, Eric Olsen, Chemistry
- 2003, Su Ha, Chemical Engineering
- 2003, Halong Vu, Chemical Engineering
- 2003, Ryan Woodyer, Chemistry, Chair
- 2004, Karu Chockalingam, Chemical Engineering, Chair
- 2004, Zhilei Chen, Biophysics, Chair
- 2004, Emily J. Pollauf, Chemical Engineering
- 2004, Dan Ryan, Chemistry
- 2004, Chandrashekar Raman, Chemical Engineering
- 2005, Ee-Lui Ang, Chemical Engineering, Chair
- 2005, Michael Toepke, Chemical Engineering
- 2005, Edgar Goluch, Bioengineering
- 2005, Matt Levensgood, Chemistry
- 2005, YoungJung Chang, Chemical Engineering
- 2005, Josh Ramsey, Chemical Engineering
- 2006, Wei Xie, Chemical Engineering
- 2006, Wenjuan Zha, Chemical Engineering, Chair
- 2006, Tyler Johannes, Chemical Engineering, Chair
- 2006, Paul Barone, Chemical Engineering
- 2006, Fenglin Yin, Biophysics
- 2007, Keng Jin Lee, Chemical Engineering
- 2007, Nathan Gabrielson, Chemical Engineering
- 2007, Zengyi Shao, Chemical Engineering, Chair
- 2007, David Drake, Chemical Engineering
- 2007, Quanming Shi, Chemical Engineering
- 2007, Tasha Desai, Chemical Engineering
- 2008, Sheryl Rubin-Pitel, Chemical Engineering
- 2008, Fei Wen, Chemical Engineering
- 2008, Ryan Sullivan, Chemical Engineering

2008, Lily Wong, Chemical Engineering
2008, Quinn Peterson, Biochemistry
2008, Yan Fan, Chemistry
2008, Sharon Hyonju Choi, Biochemistry
2008, Benjamin Schudel, Chemical Engineering
2008, Jung-un Baek, Chemistry

Final Thesis Examination Committees (25):

2002, Qingjun Wang, Biophysics
2003, Zheng-guang Wang, Chemical Engineering
2003, Josh Ackerman, Chemical Engineering
2003, M. Larid Forrest, Chemical Engineering
2003, Yu-wen Huang, Chemical Engineering
2004, Emily J. Pollauf, Chemical Engineering
2005, Anil Prakasam, Chemical Engineering
2005, Chandrashekar Raman, Chemical Engineering
2005, Ryan Woodyer, Chemistry, Chair
2005, Bridget Trogden, Chemistry
2006, Karu Chockalingam, Chemical Engineering, Chair
2006, Zhilei Chen, Biophysics, Chair
2006, Michael Toepke, Chemical Engineering
2006, Heather Relyea, Chemistry
2006, Josh Ramsey, Chemical Engineering
2006, YoungJung Chang, Chemical Engineering
2007, Edgar Goluch, Bioengineering
2007, Wei Xie, Chemical Engineering
2007, Ee Lui Ang, Chemical Engineering, Chair
2007, Wenjuan Zha, Chemical Engineering, Chair
2007, Edgar Goluch, Bioengineering
2008, Tyler Johannes, Chemical Engineering, Chair
2008, Fenglin Yin, Biophysics
2008, Monica Usrey, Chemical Engineering
2008, Keng Jin Lee, Chemical Engineering
2008, Paul Barone, Chemical Engineering
2008, Matt Levensgood, Chemistry

IV. SERVICE (PUBLIC, PROFESSIONAL/DISCIPLINARY, AND UNIVERSITY)

A. Public Service

Review Panels:

NSF SBIR/STTR Phase I, Bio-based Sensors, Washington, DC, March 24-25, 2003
NIH Biochemistry Study Section, Washington, DC, November 13-14, 2003
NSF SBIR/STTR Phase I, Bio-based Sensors, Washington, DC, April 5-6, 2004
NSF Metabolic Engineering, Washington, DC, April 27-28, 2005

NSF SBIR/STTR Phase I, Industrial Bioproducts, Washington, DC, March 14-15, 2006.
NSF BES Biochemical Engineering/Biotechnology, Washington, DC, April 20-21, 2006.
NSF BES CAREER, Washington, DC, November 8-9, 2006.
NSF CBET Biochemical Engineering/Biotechnology, Washington, DC, December 3-4, 2007.

Reviewer for Grant Proposals:

National Institute of Health (NIH)
National Science Foundation (NSF)
Army Research Office (ARO)
ARO Institute for Collaborative Biotechnologies
Department of Energy (DOE)
US Department of Agriculture (USDA)
ACS Petroleum Research Fund
Research Corporation
North Dakota State Government
Chinese National Science Foundation

Workshops:

ARO's Workshop for Bio-Fuel Cells, Washington, DC, June 30-July 2, 2002
DOE's Workshop on Catalysis, Gaithersburg, Maryland, May 14-16, 2002
U.S. Government's Science and Technical Expert Partnership (STEP) Program Workshop on
Synthetic Biology, McLean, VA, July 27, 2005.
ARO's Workshop on Cell-Like Entities (CLE), Fairborn, OH, September 13-14, 2005.

Search Committees:

Argonne National Laboratories Biosciences Division Director Search Committee, 2007-2008

B. Service to Disciplinary and Professional Societies and Associations

American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE)

Co-chair, Advances in Biocatalysis and Protein Engineering, AIChE Annual Meeting, Reno, CA, November 5, 2001.
Chair, Combinatorial/Directed Evolution Approaches in Bioengineering, AIChE Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, November 20, 2003.
Chair, Advances in Metabolic Engineering, AIChE Annual Meeting, Austin, TX, November 5-12, 2004.
Chair, Advances in Metabolic Engineering, AIChE Annual Meeting, Cincinnati, OH, October 30 - November 4, 2005.

American Chemical Society

Co-chair, High throughput Screening/Genomics and Proteomics, ACS Annual Spring Meeting, Anaheim, CA, March 28-April 1, 2004.
Co-chair, Protein Expression, ACS Annual Spring Meeting, San Diego, CA, March 13-17, 2005.
Co-chair, Protein Expression, ACS Annual Fall Meeting, San Francisco, CA, September 10-14, 2006.
Symposium Chair, Emerging Technologies, ACS Annual Fall Meeting, Boston, MA, August 19-23, 2007.
Co-chair, Advances in Biocatalysis, ACS Annual Fall Meeting, Philadelphia, CA, August 17-21, 2008.

Programming Chair, BIOT Division, ACS Annual Fall Meeting, Washington DC, August 16-20, 2009.

Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE)

Theme chair, Molecular, Cellular and Tissue Engineering and Biomechanics, 26th Annual International Conferences of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society, San Francisco, CA, September 1-4, 2004.

Member of Program Committee, 4th IEEE International Symposium on Bioinformatics and Bio Engineering, Taichung, Taiwan, May 19-21, 2004.

Society for Industrial Microbiology (SIM)

Program co-chair, Biocatalysis, Annual SIM Meeting, August 10 - August 14, San Diego, CA, 2008.

Program co-chair, Biocatalysis, Annual SIM Meeting, July 29 - August 2, Denver, CO, 2007.

Session chair, Recent Advances in Biocatalyst Development, Annual SIM Meeting, Denver, CO, July 29 - August 2, 2007.

Engineering Conference International (ECI)

Session chair, Evolutionary Approaches in Metabolic Engineering, Metabolic Engineering V International Conference, Lake Tahoe, CA, September 19-23, 2004.

Session chair, Biomolecular Evolutions and Revolutions: DNA, RNA, and Proteins, Biochemical Engineering XV International Conference, Quebec City, Canada, July 15-19, 2007

Reviewer for:

Science

Nature

PNAS

Angewandte Chemie

Journal of the American Chemical Society (JACS)

Nucleic Acids Research

Journal of Biological Chemistry

Journal of Molecular Biology

ACS Chemical Biology

Chemistry and Biology

Molecular Microbiology

Biochemistry

Analytical Chemistry

Applied and Environmental Microbiology

Journal of Immunological Methods

Biotechnology and Bioengineering

Biotechnology Progress

Biotechniques

Bioinformatics Journal

Biochimica et Biophysica Acta (BBA)

FEBS Letters

FEMS Microbiology Letters

Metabolic Engineering

Trends in Biotechnology
 Trends in Microbiology
 Extremophiles
 Molecular Biology and Evolution
 Chemical Communications
 Cell Research
 Cellular and Molecular Life Sciences
 Tetrahedron
 Expert Opinion in Biological Therapy
 Nature Protocols
 Journal of Molecular Catalysis B: Enzymatic
 Journal of Bioscience and Bioengineering

C. University/Campus Service

UIUC Campus

Office of Technology Management (OTM) Board of Advisors 2003-date

College of Engineering

Ad Hoc Subcommittee to Review a Proposal to Revise Bioengineering Minor 2006
 Executive Committee 2007-date

School of Chemical Sciences

ChBE Department Head Search Committee 2002-2003
 Executive Committee 2007-date
 Faculty Advisor for Chemical Storeroom 2008-date
 Search Committee for SCS Associate Director 2008-date

Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering

Academic Advisor for Undergraduate Students in Chemical Engineering 2000-date
 Administrative Committee 2000-date
 Graduate Admission Committee 2000-2007
 Systems Bioinformatics Committee 2001-2003
 Graduate Fellowship Coordinator 2003-date
 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee 2004-2006
 Shen Postdoctoral Fellowship 2005
 Chair, Departmental Seminar Committee 2004-2007
 Faculty Search Committee 2005-date
 Chair, Biomolecular Engineering Minor Committee 2006

Department of Biochemistry

Graduate Admission Committee 2008-2009

Department of Bioengineering

Co-chair, Departmental Seminar Committee 2003-2004

Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition

Search Committee for Position in Microbial Genomics 2005-2007

Department of Microbiology

Search Committee for Position in Bioinformatics 2005-2006
 Search Committee for Position in Natural Products 2006-2007

Center for Biophysics and Computational Biology

Graduate Admission Committee	2005-2007
<u>School of Molecular and Cell Biology</u>	
NIH Cellular and Molecular Biology Training Grant Minority Committee	2003
Molecular Biophysics Training Grant Executive Committee	2008-date
D. Service to Other Universities/National Laboratories	
<u>Argonne National Laboratories</u>	
Search Committee for Director of the Division of Biosciences	2007-date