

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## YIXIN SHI

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### EDUCATION

1979-1984            B. S., Biochemistry, Jilin University, China  
1986-1989            M. S., Plant Virology, Inner Mongolia University, China  
                          Mentor: Heling Zhang  
1996-2000            Ph.D., Molecular Genetics of Bacteria, Kyushu University, Japan  
                          Mentor: Hiroaki Nakayama  
2000-2005            Postdoctoral Fellow, Washington University, St. Louis,  
                          Advisor: Eduardo Groisman

### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

**Genetic analysis of Gram-negative bacteria:** Mg<sup>2+</sup>-dependent gene regulation in the pathogenic bacterium *Salmonella typhimurium*; biochemical approaches to mechanisms of bacterial resistance to antimicrobial peptides and modification of lipopolysaccharide.

**Biosensors:** surface plasmon resonance (SPR) based technology. Biacore application in the protein-protein and DNA-protein interactions.

### POSITIONS HELD

1984-1986:            Research Assistant, Suzhou Medical College, China  
1987-1988:            Visiting Researcher, Institute of Biochemistry, Academia Sinica.  
1989-1990:            Teaching Assistant, Inner Mongolia, China.  
1990-1996:            Lecturer, Inner Mongolia University, China.  
2005 Nov.-present:    Assistant Professor, School of Life Sciences and Center for  
                          Infectious Diseases and Vaccinology, The Biodesign Institute,  
                          ASU.

### TEACHING ACTIVITIES IN ASU

#### Courses

Year	Course	Enrollment
2006-2007	Fall/Spring MIC 360      Bacterial Physiology	31

MIC 441	Bacterial Genetics	18
2007-2008	Fall/Spring	Enrollment
MCB 591	Gene Regulation of Pathogenic Bacteria	4
MIC441	Bacterial Genetics	35
Seminar		
Jan. 30, 2006	guest speaker	MCB Seminar
Oct. 22, 2007	guest speaker	MCB Seminar
Feb. 08, 2008	guest speaker	MCB 556

## **PREVIOUS TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### Undergraduate Instructor

Biochemical Analysis of Thrombosis and Hemostasis - Suzhou Medical College (credit hours: 2) (50%)

Biochemistry Lab - Inner Mongolia University (credit hours: 3) (33%)

General Biochemistry - Inner Mongolia University (credit hour: 6) (100%)

### Graduate Instructor

Seminar in Advanced Biochemistry - Inner Mongolia University (Credit hours: 4) (50%)

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

1993 Award - Guanhua Outstanding Teacher

1994 Award - Inner Mongolia University Outstanding Lecturer

1996-2000 Ph.D. Scholarship - Ministry of Education, Science, Sports & Culture of Japan

## **MEMBERSHIPS IN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY**

American Society for Microbiology

## **PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES (LAST 4 YEARS)**

2004 Gordon Research Conferences, Bacterial Cell Surfaces, New London, NH

2005 The 105th General Meeting for American Society for Microbiology, Atlanta GA

## **ORAL PRESENTATIONS (LAST 4 YEARS)**

2005 Seminar Speaker - Department of Molecular Microbiology, Washington University School of Medicine, "A riboswitch senses intracellular Mg<sup>2+</sup> levels in *Salmonella*"

2006 Seminar Speaker - School of Life Sciences, Arizona State University, "SlyA-mediated gene regulation in *Salmonella typhimurium*"

- 2007 Speaker, Research Group on Infectious Diseases, ASU “Gene regulation in *Salmonella typhimurium* mediated by SlyA”.
- 2007 Speaker, Pfizer Discussion Meeting, ASU “Molecular Regulation of Gene Regulation in *Salmonella*”.
- 2007 Seminar Speaker, Molecular and Cellular Biosciences Colloquium, School of Life Sciences, ASU, "Fine-tuning of Bacterial Two-component Systems by a Transcriptional Regulator."

## MENTORING

### Mentoring Undergraduate Students

<u>Student</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Period</u>
Brandon Testa	Senior	Jan. 2006-May 2006
Leigh Northridge	Senior	Aug. 2006-Jul. 2007
Qing Liu		Jan. 2007-Dec. 2007
Anca Mateut Delgado	Senior	Aug. 2007-present
Nobuko Fukushima	Senior	Jan. 2008-present

### Postdoctoral Fellows

Guang Zhao Sep. 2007-present

## GRADUATE STUDENT DISSERTATION COMMITTEES

<u>Student</u>	<u>Supervisor</u>
Henri Gerken	Rajeev Misra
Robin Treuer	Rajeev Misra

### Chairman of Comprehensive Exams for Graduate Student

Henri Gerkin (PhD) Rajeev Misra Dec. 14, 2007

## FACULTY SERVICE

Representative of Graduate Program Committee in SoLS.

“Ask a Biologist” in Arizona State University.

## GRANT APPLICATION

1. Shared Instrumentation Grant (SIG), a NIH grant for a Biacore Surface Plasmon Resonance instrument in ASU. Co-PI (funded on Mar. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007, Grant # 1S10RR23652-01).
2. “Dissection of SlyA regulatory network”. PI: Yixin Shi. Requested: \$825,000 for 4 years (submitted Mar. 2007; declined), I plan to resubmit a revised version March, 2008).

3. “Riboswitches sense Mg<sup>2+</sup> and other metal divalent ions”. PI: Yixin Shi. Requested: \$625,000 for 4 years (submitted June, 2006; declined), I plan to submit a new version on June, 2008).

## PUBLICATIONS

### A. PEER-REVIEWED RESEARCH PAPERS:

**1. Hasi Agu-la, Yixin Shi and Heling Zhang.** 1992. The Molecular cloning and nucleotide sequence analysis of potato leaf-roll virus coat protein gene. *VIROLOGICA Chinese* 7:432-435.

**2. Yixin Shi, Dinath B. Ratnayake, Kuniaki Okamoto, Naoko Abe, Kenji Yamamoto, and Koji Nakayama.** 1999. Genetic analyses of proteolysis, hemoglobin binding, and hemagglutination of *Porphyromonas gingivalis*. Construction of mutants with a combination of *rgpA*, *rgpB*, *kgp*, and *hagA*. *The Journal of Biological Chemistry* 274:17955-17960.

**3. Dinath B. Ratnayake, Sun Nyunt Wai, Yixin Shi, Kazunobu Amako, Hiroaki Nakayama, and Koji Nakayama.** 2000. Ferritin from the obligate anaerobe *Porphyromonas gingivalis*: purification, gene cloning and mutant studies. *Microbiology* 146:1119-1127.12.

**4. Yixin Shi, Wei Kong, and Koji Nakayama.** 2000. Human lactoferrin binds and removes the hemoglobin receptor protein of the periodontopathogen *Porphyromonas gingivalis*. *The Journal of Biological Chemistry* 275:30002-30008.

**5. Wei Kong, Susumu Shiota, Yixin Shi, Hiroaki Nakayama, and Koji Nakayama.** 2000. A novel peroxiredoxin of the plant *Sedum lineare* is a homologue of *Escherichia coli* bacterioferritin co-migratory protein (Bcp). *Biochemical Journal* 351:107-114.

**6. Mikio Shoji, Dinath B. Ratnayake, Yixin Shi, Tomoko Kadowaki, Kenji Yamamoto, Fuminobu Yoshimura, Akifumi Akamine, Michael A. Curtis, and Koji Nakayama.** 2002. Construction and characterization of a nonpigmented mutant of *Porphyromonas gingivalis*: cell surface polysaccharide as an anchorage for gingipains. *Microbiology* 148:1183-1191

**7. Fong-Fu Hsu, John Turk, Yixin Shi, and Eduardo A. Groisman.** 2004. Characterization of acylphosphatidylglycerols from *Salmonella typhimurium* by tandem mass spectrometry with electrospray ionization. *Journal of the American Society for Mass Spectrometry* 15:1-11.

**8. Yixin Shi, Tammy Latifi, Michael J. Cromie, and Eduardo A. Groisman.** 2004. Transcriptional control of the antimicrobial peptide resistance *ugtL* gene by the *salmonella* PhoP and SlyA regulatory proteins. *The Journal of Biological Chemistry* 279:38618-38625.

- 9. Yixin Shi, Michael J. Cromie, Fong-Fu Hsu, John Turk and Eduardo A. Groisman.** 2004. PhoP-regulated *Salmonella* resistance to the antimicrobial peptides magainin 2 and polymyxin B. *Molecular Microbiology*. 53:229-241.
- 10. Fong-Fu Hsu, John Turk, Elizabeth R. Rhoades, David G. Russell, Yixin Shi, and Eduardo A. Groisman.** 2005. Structural Characterization of Cardiolipin by Tandem Quadrupole and Multiple-stage Quadrupole Ion-Trap Mass Spectrometry with Electrospray Ionization. *Journal of the American Society for Mass Spectrometry* 16:491-504.
- 11. Mariko Naito, Eiko Sakai, Yixin Shi, Hiroshi Ideguchi, Mikio Shoji, Naoya Ohara, Kenji Yamamoto and Koji Nakayama.** 2006. *Porphyromonas gingivalis*-induced platelet aggregation in plasma depends on Hgp44 adhesin but not Rgp proteinase. *Molecular Microbiology* 59:152-67.
- 12. Michael J. Cromie, Yixin Shi (the first author), Tammy Latifi, and Eduardo A. Groisman.** 2006. An RNA sensor for intracellular Mg<sup>2+</sup>. *Cell* 125:71-84.
- 13. Wei Kong, Natasha Weatherspoon, and Yixin Shi.** 2008. Molecular Mechanism for Establishment of Signal-dependent Regulation in the PhoP/PhoQ System. *The Journal of Biological Chemistry* 283:16612-16621

## B. MANUSCRIPTS

**Haowei Song, Wei Kong, William Tyler, Guozheng Qin, Natasha Weatherspoon, John Turk, Roy Curtiss III and Yixin Shi.** 2008. Fine-tuning of Bacterial Two-component Regulatory Systems by SlyA. Original research submitted for peer-review to the *Journal of Biological Chemistry*.

## REVIEW PAPERS

**1. Tomoko Kadowaki, Koji Nakayama, Kuniaki Okamoto, Naoko Abe, Atsuyo Baba, Yixin Shi, Dinath B. Ratnayake, and Kenji Yamamoto.** 2000. *Porphyromonas gingivalis* proteinases as virulence determinants in progression of periodontal diseases. *Journal of Biochemistry (Tokyo)* 128:153-159.

## C. POSTER ABSTRACTS

- 1. Yixin Shi, Wei Kong, and Yongqi Lin.** 1984. The function of Mo-Fe-Co in Nitrogenase. Beijing Biotechnology Conference, Beijing
- 2. Yixin Shi and Koji Nakayama.** 1999. The Assay of real-time binding of host iron-containing proteins to hemoglobin receptor of the periodontopathogen *Porphyromonas gingivalis*. The 71st General Meeting for the Japanese Society for Bacteriology, Tokyo

**3. Yixin Shi and Eduardo A. Groisman.** 2003. The PhoP-dependent resistance to antimicrobial peptide magainin 2 in *Salmonella*. The 103rd General Meeting of the American Society for Microbiology, Washington DC

**4. Yixin Shi, Michael J. Cromie, and Eduardo A. Groisman.** 2005. Activating extracytoplasmic stress responses confers *Salmonella* resistance to antimicrobial peptides. The 105th General Meeting of the American Society for Microbiology, Atlanta GA