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## PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

- 10/2023 – present     **Assistant Beamline scientist**  
**Lemont, USA**     the Advanced Photon Source, Argonne National Laboratory
- 10/2022 – 9/2023     **Postdoctoral Appointee**  
**Lemont, USA**     the Advanced Photon Source, Argonne National Laboratory
- 01/2018 – 07/2022     **Doctoral researcher**  
**Munich, Germany**     Department of physics, Technical University of Munich (TUM)
- 12/2019 – 03/2020     **Short-term research scholar**  
**Menlo Park, USA**     BL6-2c (TXM), Stanford Synchrotron Radiation Lightsource (SSRL)
- 2016 & 2017, ~10 mo     **Master's researcher**  
**Grenoble, France**     ID26 (photon-in photon-out spectroscopy), European Synchrotron Radiation Facility (ESRF)
- 2012 – 2015     **Bachelor's researcher**  
**Guangzhou, China**     Sun Yat-Sen (Zhong Shan) University

## EDUCATION

- 01/2018 – 07/2022     **Ph.D (Doktor der Naturwissenschaften) in Physics**  
Thesis supervisor: Prof. Dr. Franz Pfeiffer  
Physics department, Technical University of Munich (TUM); [click here for PhD thesis](#)
- 09/2015 – 08/2017     **Master of Science (dual degree) in Materials Science exploiting Large-Scale Facilities**  
Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich (LMU)  
Université de Montpellier II (UM2)
- 09/2011 – 08/2015     **Bachelor of Science in Chemistry**  
Sun Yat-Sen (Zhong Shan) University (SYSU, top 10 universities in China)

## INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES (selected)

- 06/2024  
**Invited speaker**     **International Symposium on Compact Synchrotron X-ray Sources 2024**  
“[Dispersive X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy at the Munich Compact Light Source \(MuCLS\) and the Advanced Photon Source \(APS\)](#)”
- 03/2021  
**Invited speaker**     Symposium: **X-ray Spectroscopy beyond Beamlines**  
“[Dispersive X-ray absorption spectroscopy with an inverse Compton source](#)”
- 08/2020  
**Invited speaker**     Webinar: **Global XAS Journal Club**  
“[Energy Dispersive X-ray absorption spectroscopy at the Munich Compact Light Source](#)”

## INVITED GUEST LECTURES/TALKS (selected)

- 03/2025      **The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, USA**  
*[“Dispersive X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy at the Munich Compact Light Source \(MuCLS\) and the Advanced Photon Source \(APS\)”](#)*
- 03/2019      **The University of Wurzburg, Wurzburg, Germany**  
*[“Energy Dispersive X-ray absorption spectroscopy at the Munich Compact Light Source”](#)*
- 09/2018      **The Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary**  
*[“Energy Dispersive X-ray absorption spectroscopy at the Munich Compact Light Source”](#)*

## AWARDS

- 2023      • Impact Argonne Award for extraordinary effort in the successful relocation of 20-ID and 11-ID-D user programs to 25-ID (*multiple recipients*)
- 2017      • Labex CheMiSyst prize (ranked 1<sup>st</sup> in the Chemistry department of UM2 for year 2017)
- 2015 - 2017      • Erasmus Mundus Scholarship 43,000 €
- 2011 – 2013      • Outstanding Student Scholarship, Sun Yat-Sen (Zhong Shan) University
- 2011 - 2012      • Outstanding Student Scholarship, Sun Yat-Sen (Zhong Shan) University

## PUBLICATIONS

- 1) Dispersive X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy Using a Convexly Bent Bragg Crystal Analyzer.  
**J. Huang**, A. Tornheim, X. Shi, M. Wolfman, Y. Chen, S. M. Heald, S. D. Kelly, G. Sterbinsky, *in revision*.
- 2) In-device Battery Failure Analysis.  
G. Qian, G. Zan, J. Li, D. Meng, T. Sun, V. Thampy, A. M. Yanyachi, X. Huang, H. Yan, Y. S. Chu, S. Gul, **J. Huang**, S. D. Kelly, S. J. Lee, J. S. Lee, W. Yun, P. Cloetens, P. Pianetta, K. Zhao, O. A. Ezekoye, Y. Liu. *Adv. Mater.* **2025**, 2416915.
- 3) Engineering a Cu-Pd paddle-wheel metal-organic framework for selective CO<sub>2</sub> electroreduction.  
R. Zhang, Y. Liu, P. Ding, **J. Huang**, M. Dierolf, S. D. Kelly, X. Qiu, et al. *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2024**, 63 (51). e202414600.
- 4) On the Mechanism of Catalytic Decarboxylation of Carboxylic Acids on Carbon-Supported Palladium Hydride.  
F. Deng, **J. Huang**, E. Ember, K. Achterhold, M. Dierolf, A. Jentys, Y. Liu, F. Pfeiffer, J.A. Lercher. *ACS. Catal.* **2021**, 14625-14634.
- 5) Laboratory-scale *in situ* X-ray absorption spectroscopy of a palladium catalyst on a compact inverse-Compton scattering X-ray beamline.  
**J. Huang**, F. Deng, B. Günther, K. Achterhold K, Y. Liu, A. Jentys, J.A. Lercher, Dierolf, F. Pfeiffer. *J. Anal. Atom. Spectrom.*, **2021**, 36, 2649-2659.
- 6) Simultaneous Two-Color X-Ray Absorption Spectroscopy Using Laue Crystals at an Inverse-Compton Scattering X-Ray Facility.  
**J. Huang**, B. Günther, K. Achterhold K, M. Dierolf, F. Pfeiffer. *J. Synchrotron Radiat.* **2021**, 28, 6.
- 7) Energy-Dispersive X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy with an Inverse Compton Source.  
**J. Huang**, B. Günther, K. Achterhold K, Y. Cui, B. Gleich, M. Dierolf, F. Pfeiffer. *Sci. Rep.*, **2020**, 10, 8772.
- 8) The Versatile X-ray Beamline of the Munich Compact Light Source: Design, Instrumentation and Applications.  
B. Günther, R. Gradl, C. Jud, E. Eggl, **J. Huang**, S. Kulpe, K. Achterhold, B. Gleich, M. Dierolf, F. Pfeiffer. *J. Synchrotron Rad.*, **2020**, 27, 5.
- 9) Targeting the ubiquitin-proteasome pathway to overcome anti-cancer drug resistance.  
S. Narayanan, C.-Y. Cai, Y. G. Assaraf, H.-Q. Guo, Q. Cui, L. Wei, **J. Huang**, C. R. Ashby Jr, Z.-S. Chen. *Drug Resist. Updat.*, **2020**, 48, 100663.
- 10) Long non-coding RNAs regulate drug resistance in cancer.  
K. Liu, L. Gao, X. Ma, J.-J. Huang, J. Chen, L. Zeng, C. R. Ashby, C. Zou, Z.-S. Chen. *Mol. Cancer*, **2020**, 19(1).
- 11) A self-assembled Ru-Pt metallacage as a lysosome-targeting photosensitizer for 2-photon photodynamic therapy.  
Z. Zhou, J. Liu, **J. Huang**, T. W. Rees, Y. Wang, H. Wang, X. Li, H. Chao, and P. J. Stang. *Natl. Acad. Sci.*, **2019**, 116(41), 20296-20302.
- 12) An organoruthenium complex overcomes ABCG2-mediated multidrug resistance via multiple mechanisms

- Zeng, J. Li, C. Zhang, Y.-K. Zhang, W. Zhang, **J. Huang**, C. R. Ashby, Z.-S. Chen, and H. Chao. [\*Chem. Commun.\*, 2019, 55\(26\), 3833-3836.](#)
- 13) Interfering with DNA High - Order Structures using Chiral Ruthenium (II) Complexes.  
S. Zou, G. Li, T. W. Rees, C. Jin, **J. Huang**, Y. Chen, L. Ji, and H. Chao. [\*Chem. Eur. J.\*, 2018, 24\(3\), 690-698.](#)
- 14) Oncosis-inducing cyclometalated iridium (iii) complexes.  
R. Guan, Y. Chen, L. Zeng, T. W. Rees, C. Jin, **J. Huang**, Z.-S. Chen, L. Ji, and H. Chao. [\*Chem. Sci.\*, 2018, 9\(23\), 5183-5190.](#)
- 15) Crossfire for two-photon photodynamic therapy with fluorinated ruthenium (II) photosensitizers.  
K. Qiu, J. Wang, C. Song, L. Wang, H. Zhu, H. Huang, **J. Huang**, H. Wang, L. Ji, and H. Chao. [\*ACS Appl. Mater. Interfaces\*, 2017, 9\(22\), 18482-18492.](#)
- 16) Rational design of NIR-emitting iridium (III) complexes for multimodal phosphorescence imaging of mitochondria under two-photon excitation.  
C. Jin, R. Guan, J. Wu, B. Yuan, L. Wang, **J. Huang**, H. Wang, L. Ji, and H. Chao, [\*Chem. Commun.\*, 2017, 53\(75\), 10374-10377.](#)
- 17) Two-photon Luminescent Metal Complexes for Bioimaging and Cancer Phototherapy.  
Y. Chen, R. Guan, C. Zhang, **J. Huang**, L. Ji, H. Chao. [\*Coord. Chem. Rev.\* 2016, 310, 16-40.](#)
- 18) Real-time tracking mitochondrial dynamic remodeling with two-photon phosphorescent iridium (III) complexes. H. Huang, L. Yang, P. Zhang, K. Qiu, **J. Huang**, Y. Chen, J. Diao, J. Liu, L. Ji, J. Long, and H. Chao. [\*Biomaterials\*, 2016, 83, 321-331.](#)
- 19) Mitochondrial Dynamics Tracking with Two-Photon Phosphorescent Terpyridyl Iridium(III) Complexes  
Y. Chen, R. Guan, C. Zhang, **J. Huang**, L. Ji, H. Chao. [\*Coord. Chem. Rev.\* 2016, 310, 16-40.](#)
- 20) Highly Charged Ruthenium(II) Polypyridyl Complexes as Lysosome-Localized Photosensitizers for Two-Photon Photodynamic Therapy.  
H. Huang, P. Zhang, P. Qiu, **J. Huang**, Y. Chen, L. Ji, and H. Chao, [\*Sci. Rep.\*, 2016\(1\), 20887.](#)
- 21) Noncovalent Ruthenium(II) Complexes-Single-Walled Carbon Nanotube Composites for Bimodal Photothermal and Photodynamic Therapy with Near-Infrared Irradiation.  
P. Zhang, H. Huang, **J. Huang**, H. Chen, J. Wang, K. Qiu, D. Zhao, L. Ji, and H. Chao. [\*ACS. Appl. Mater. Interfaces\*, 2015, 7 \(41\), 23278-23290.](#)
- 22) Unexpected High Photothermal Conversion Efficiency of Gold Nanospheres upon Grafting with Two-Photon Luminescent Ruthenium(II) Complexes: A Way Towards Cancer Therapy?  
P. Zhang, J. Wang, H. Huang, B. Yu, K. Qiu, **J. Huang**, S. Wang, L. Jiang, G. Gasser, L. Ji, H. Chao, [\*Biomaterials\*, 2015, 63, 102-114.](#)
- 23) A Dendritic Nano-Sized Hexanuclear Ruthenium(II) Complex as a One and Two-Photon Luminescent Tracking Non-Viral Gene Vector.  
K. Qiu, B. Yu, H. Huang, P. Zhang, **J. Huang**, S. Zou, Y. Chen, L. Ji, H. Chao. [\*Sci. Rep.\*, 2015, 5, 10707.](#)