Qiuyang Wang

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EDUCATION

M.S. in Applied Math   **Columbia University in the city of New York**, U.S.   2021.9-2023.5
·**Math**: Modern Algebra I, Modern Analysis I, Numerical Algebra and Optimization, PDEs

B.S. in Chemistry (Honors Degree)   **Wuhan University**, China (GPA 3.81/4.0)   2017.9-2021.6
· **Math**: Theory of ODEs, Functions of Complex Variables, Statistics, Probability Theory, Calculus, Linear Algebra
· **Computer Science**: Data Structure, Machine Learning, C Programming
· **Chemistry and Biology**: Neurobiology, Physical Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Analytical Chemistry, Molecular Modeling

Visiting Student in Columbia College   **Columbia University in the city of New York**, U.S.   2020.1-2020.5
· **Math**: Theoretical Neuroscience, Numerical Math, Theory of PDEs, Analysis and Optimization

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Coarse-graining method for IF network and Dynamics in spatially ordered SNN   2020.9-2021.5
Advisor: Jiwei Zhang   (School of Math and Statistics, Wuhan University)   Research Assistant
Duties included:
· Mechanically studied a new coarse-graining framework for integrate-and-fire (IF) network to reduce the dimensionality.
· Rebuilt and improved a spatially ordered spiking neural network (SNN) model that matches the experimental result about neural variability.
· Built a molecular interaction network model of neuron to capture the STDP property.

Place cells generation via auto-encoder model with a strong history effect   2020.5- 2020.9
Advisor: Stefano Fusi   (Centre of Theoretical Neuroscience, Columbia University)   Research Assistant
Duties included:
· Simulated the memory performance of a Hopfield network with cascade synapses model to solve the *catastrophic forgetting* problem.
· Built an auto-encoder model which can naturally generate place cells in hippocampus, and implemented the cascade synapses model above to strengthen the history effect.

A novel antimicrobial treatment and a non-systematic drug delivery method   2018.6 - 2019.6
Advisor: Xianzheng Zhang   (College of Chemistry and Molecular Science, Wuhan University)   Research Assistant
Duties included:
· Developed a novel anti-bacterial method combining photodynamic therapy and chimeric peptides.
· Tested the idea about non-systematic drug delivery strategy to central neural system through axoplasmic transport.

PUBLICATIONS

1. Ai-Nv Zhang[1], Wei Wu[1], Chi Zhang, **Qiu-yang Wang**, Ze-Nan Zhuang, Han Cheng, and Xian-Zheng Zhang* *A Versatile Bacterial Membrane-Binding Chimeric Peptide with Enhanced Photodynamic Antimicrobial Activity* **2019** Journal of Materials Chemistry B, 7, 1087-1095.

SKILLS

Programming: python (most proficient), MATLAB, C, LaTeX
Statistics: pandas(python), R
Research Tools: Spiking Neural Network, pytorch, Machine Learning
Experimental skills: Material Synthesis, Tumor Transplantation, Confocal Laser-Scanning Microscopy, Fluorescence Imaging

HONORS

WHU Outstanding Scholarship for Visiting Student	2020
Honor Scholarship for Hongyi College	2019
Outstanding Student Scholarship (grade 2)	2019
2nd Prize for Drama Competition in School of Sciences	2018