

# XIANG SHI

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## EDUCATION

Sept. 2020 – Present | **University of Science and Technology of China (USTC)** Hefei, China  
School of Chemistry and Materials Science

- Major in Physical Chemistry at Lu Jiaxi Talent Program (**B.S. expected**)  
Overall GPA: **3.92** / 4.30 (**90.57** / 100); Major Rank: **2/28**; Rank at Chemical School: **3/97**  
TOEFL: **109** (R 29; L 29; S 24; W 27); GRE: **330** (V 160; Q 170; AW 3.0)
- Scholarships:**  
Sept. 2022 | Minglong Huang Scholarship (top 5%), USTC  
Sept. 2022 | Talent Award, Institute of Chemistry, Chinese Academy of Sciences (top 5%)  
Sept. 2021 | National Scholarship 2021 (top 1%), USTC  
Sept. 2021 | Suzhou Yucai Scholarship (top 1%), USTC
- Research Interests:** Electrochemistry, Photocatalysis, Fuel Cell, Carbon Dioxide Reduction (CO<sub>2</sub>R), Single Atom Catalysis, Nanomaterial

## PAPERS

- Wenjie Wang<sup>+</sup>, Tianpei Zhou<sup>+</sup>, Kai Zhang<sup>+</sup>, Chun Wang, **Xiang Shi**, Lin Wang, et al. (2022). “Sulfur-induced dynamic reconstruction of iron-nitrogen species for highly active neutral oxygen reduction reactions”. SCIENCE CHINA Chemistry, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11426-022-1384-1>
- Bin Liu<sup>+</sup>, Jake Heinlein<sup>+</sup>, **Xiang Shi** and Shu Hu. “CH<sub>4</sub> Capture and Utilization” (**in submission**)
- “MOF-derived Fe-Ce Single-Atom Pairs Doped Electrocatalyst for Hydrogen-Oxygen Fuel Cells” (**in submission**)
- “2D BiTeBr with Low Thermoconductivity Using Electrochemical Intercalation Stripping” (**in preparation**)

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**Department of Chemistry, iChEM (Collaborative Innovation Center of Chemistry for Energy Materials)**

- Single Atom Catalyst@Piezocatalyst & Pyrocatalyst**  
Sept. 2022 – Present | Undergraduate researcher advised by Prof. Yuen Wu  
Work as the major researcher, in charge of the whole project  
Modify BaTiO<sub>3</sub>'s surface structure and morphology, load metal atoms on it and measure their performances

**Hefei National Laboratory for Physical Sciences at Microscale & Department of Chemistry**

- Researches into Modified Layered BiTeBr and its Thermoconductivity Behavior**  
Jun. 2022 – Present | Undergraduate researcher advised by Prof. Changzheng Wu  
In charge of the whole synthesis, figure out the most favorable intercalation and exfoliation conditions and the following modification of single layer BiTeBr to BiTeSe and BiTeO
- MOF-derived Fe-Ce Single-Atom Pairs Doped Electrocatalyst for Hydrogen-Oxygen Fuel Cells**  
Jun. 2021 – Jun. 2022 | Undergraduate researcher advised by Prof. Changzheng Wu  
Responsible for the synthesis of Ce-Fe single atom pairs @ZIF, the fuel cell testing part and characterization
- Planar FeS<sub>1</sub>N<sub>3</sub> Sites with Adjacent Sulfur Anions Realizing Superior Neutral Zinc-air Batteries Performance**  
Apr. 2021 – Jun. 2021 | Undergraduate researcher advised by Prof. Changzheng Wu  
Undertook the synthesis of S-doped-FeN<sub>4</sub>, the fuel cell testing and characterization

## VISIT AND EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

Jun. 2023 – Present | **Summer Research at Yale University** New Haven, CT  
Undergraduate researcher advised by Prof. Shu Hu  
CO<sub>2</sub> photoreduction to CO using photodeposited Ag on GaP in Seawater  
CO electroreduction in alkaline solution using deposited Cu on interdigitated array microelectrodes (IDA)  
A paper titled “CH<sub>4</sub> Capture and Utilization” was produced and in submission

*Jun. 2022* | **Summer Research at University of Texas, Austin**

*Remote*

*Undergraduate researcher advised by Professor Guihua Yu*

Studied hydrogel, Li<sup>+</sup> storage, Ni-N-P for Hydrogen Evolution Reaction (HER)

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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- Common Characterization: TEM, UV-Vis, Raman, SEM, EDS, XRD, XPS, IR
- Operation of electrochemical testing station and fuel cell system
- Software: MATLAB, Origin, Photoshop, Premier, Audition, Latex

## EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

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- *2022* | **Chair** of the Student Union of the School of Chemistry and Materials Science in USTC
- *2023-Present* | **Assistant Leader** of USTC Chorus