# 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: 3.93 / 4.30 (90.85 / 100); Major Rank: 2/28; Rank at Chemical School: 2/135
  TOEFL: 109 (R 30; L 27; S 28; W 24); 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 (CO2R), Single Atom Catalysis, Nanomaterial

#### **PAPERS**

- Wenjie Wang<sup>+</sup>, Tianpei Zhou<sup>+</sup>, Kai Zhang<sup>+</sup>, Chun Wang, <u>Xiang Shi</u>, Lin Wang, et al. (2022). "Sulfur-induced dynamic reconstruction of iron-nitrogen species for highly active neutral oxygen reduction reactions". SCIENCE CHINA Chemistry, 2022. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/s11426-022-1384-1">https://doi.org/10.1007/s11426-022-1384-1</a>
- Bin Liu<sup>+</sup>, Jake Heinlein<sup>+</sup>, Xiang Shi and Shu Hu. "CH4 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 FeS1N3 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

CO2 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 "CH4 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 hyrdrogel, Li+ storage, Ni-N-P for Hydrogen Evolution Reaction (HER)

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

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

## **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

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