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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor (Tenure Track)

09/2023 – present

University of Texas at Arlington (UTA)

Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

Faculty profile: <https://www.uta.edu/academics/faculty/profile?username=sheny4>

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Postdoctoral Research Scientist

06/2020 – 08/2023

Columbia University in the City of New York

Department of Environmental Health Sciences

Mentor: [Andrea A. Baccarelli, MD, Ph.D.](#)

Ph.D. Crop and Soil Science – Environmental Toxicology

08/2016 – 05/2020

Ph.D. dual major Environmental Science and Policy

08/2016 – 05/2020

Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan, USA

Department of Plant, Soil, and Microbial Sciences

Dissertation: Antibiotic Resistance and Bacterial Microbiome in Lettuce-Soil Systems

Mentor, Advisor: [Wei Zhang, Ph.D.](#)

Committee members: Drs. Hui Li, Elliot Ryser, Ashley Shade

B.Sc. Environmental and Conservation Sciences

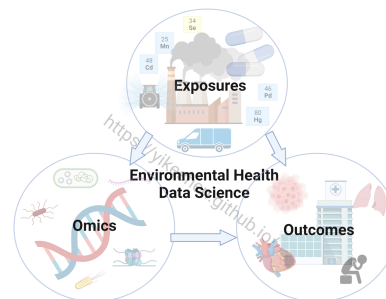
09/2013 – 06/2016

University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada

RESEARCH INTERESTS

<https://yikeshen.github.io/research/>

- Environmental health data science
- Microbiome
- Machine learning
- High dimensional data analysis
- Environmental exposures
- Multi-omics
- One health



FUNDING

1. University of Texas System Rising STARS award

Yike Shen: PI, Amount \$100,000

09/2023-08/2025

Status: Funded

2. State of Texas National Research University Fund (NRUF)

09/2023-08/2024

- Yike Shen: PI, Amount \$110,000
Status: Funded
3. University of Texas at Arlington Office of Provost 09/2023-08/2025
Yike Shen: PI, Amount \$115,960
Status: Funded
 4. University of Texas at Arlington, College of Science Travel Fund 09/2023-08/2025
Yike Shen: PI, Amount \$20,000
Status: Funded
 5. University of Texas at Arlington Graduate School 12/2023-04/2024
Doctoral Recruiting Grant
Yike Shen (awardee), Amount \$2381
Status: Funded
 6. University of Texas at Arlington, College of Science 06/2024-08/2025
Research Innovation Grant
Status: Funded
Project title “Investigating the mechanisms of emerging and legacy contaminants bioconcentration in fish tissues using machine learning models”
Yike Shen: PI, Amount, \$12,000
Status: Funded

PENDING GRANTS

1. An integrated computational framework for evaluating chemical persistence, bioconcentration, and toxicity through artificial intelligence
Role: Yike Shen (PI-Contact)
Role: Feng Gao (MPI, UCLA)
Status: submitted to NIH, Trailblazer R21, June 2024
Total: \$592,248
2. PARTNERSHIP: Mycotoxins in maize – A machine learning approach to mitigate the impacts of climate change (MYCOPACC).
Status: submitted to USDA-ARS. November 2023
Role: Yike Shen: Collaborator (5%).
Role: Lisa Castano-Duque (PI, USDA), Jianzhong Su (co-PI, UTA).
Total: \$800,000.
3. Environmental Health GPT (EH-GPT) assists knowledge-driven discovery in cohort studies.
Status: submitted to UTA Interdisciplinary Research Program. April 2024
Role: Yike Shen (PI)
Role: Junzhou Huang (Co-PI)
Total: \$20,000

PUBLICATIONS

Dr. Shen highlighted in **bold**; Corresponding authors marked *
2024

1. **Shen Y**, Domingo-Relloso A, Kupsco A, Kioumourtzoglou MA, Haack K, Zhang Y, Fretts AM, Umans JG, Tellez-Plaza M, Cole S, Martin LW, Casanova R, Schnatz P, Horvath, S, Manson J, Wu H, Whitsel EA, Baccarelli AA, Navas-Acien A, Gao F*. AESurv:

autoencoder survival analysis assists accurate early prediction of coronary heart disease.
Minor revision under review at Briefings in Bioinformatics.

2023

2. **Shen Y**, Kioumourtzoglou MA, Wu H, Spiro A, Vokonas P, Navas-Acien A, Baccarelli AA, Gao F*. (2023). Cohort Network: a knowledge graph towards data dissemination and knowledge-driven discovery for cohort studies. *Environmental Science & Technology* 57, 8236-8244. Featured as supplemental cover paper.
3. Prada D, Crandall CJ, Kupsco A, Kioumourtzoglou MA, Stewart JD, Liao D, Yanosky J, Ramirez A, Wactawski-Wende J, **Shen Y**, Miller G, Ionita-Laza IL, Whitsel EA, Baccarelli AA. (2023). Air pollution and decreased bone mineral density among Women's Health Initiative participants. *eClinicalMedicine* 57:101864.
4. Chen Z, Zhang W, Peng A, **Shen Y**, Jin X, Boyd SA, Teppen BJ, Tiedje JM, Gu C, Zhu D, Luo Y, Li H*. (2023). Bacterial community assembly and antibiotic resistance genes in soils exposed to antibiotics at environmentally relevant concentrations. *Environmental Microbiology*, Available from: <https://doi.org/10.1111/1462-2920.16371>.

2022

5. **Shen Y***, Laue HE, Shrubsole MJ, Wu H, Bloomquist TR, Larouche A, Zhao K, Gao F, Boivin A, Prada D, Hunting DJ, Gillet V, Takser L, Baccarelli AA. (2022). Associations of childhood and maternal metal exposure with children's gut microbiomes in a Canadian gestation cohort. *Environmental Health Perspectives* 130 (1): 017007.
6. Gao F, Zhang W, Baccarelli AA, **Shen Y***. (2022). Predicting Chemical Ecotoxicity by Learning Latent Space Chemical Representations. *Environment International* 163, 107224.
7. **Shen Y**, Zhao E, Zhang W*, Baccarelli AA, Gao F*. (2022) Predicting pesticide dissipation half-life intervals in plants with machine learning models. *Journal of Hazardous Materials* 436, 129177.
8. Laue HE^{*1}, **Shen Y**¹, Bloomquist TR, Wu H, Brennan, KJM, Raphael C, Wilkie E, Gillet V, Desautels A, Abdelouahab N, Bellenger JP, Burris HH, Coull BA, Weisskopf MG, Zhang W, Takser L, Baccarelli AA. (2022). *In utero* exposure to caffeine and acetaminophen, the gut microbiome, and neurodevelopmental outcomes, a prospective birth cohort study. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 19(15), 9357. ¹co-first
9. Gao F¹, **Shen Y**¹, Sallach JB, Li H, Zhang W, Li Y*, Liu C*. (2022). Predicting crop root concentration factors of organic contaminants with machine learning models. *Journal of Hazardous Materials* 424,127437. ¹co-first
10. Campana AM*, Laue HE, **Shen Y**, Shrubsole MJ, Baccarelli AA. (2022). Assessing the role of the gut microbiome at the interface between environmental chemical exposures and human health: Current knowledge and challenges. *Environmental Pollution* 315,120380.

2021

11. **Shen Y**, Hamm J, Gao F, Ryser ET, Zhang W*. (2021). Assessing consumer buy and pay preferences for labeled food products with statistical and machine learning methods. *Journal of Food Protection* 84.9 (2021): 1560-1566.
12. **Shen Y**, Ryser ET, Li H, Zhang W*. (2021). Bacterial community assembly and antibiotic resistance genes in the lettuce-soil system upon antibiotic exposure. *Science of the Total Environment* 778, 146255.
13. **Shen Y**, Li H, Ryser ET, Zhang W*. (2021). Comparing root concentration factors of antibiotics for lettuce (*Lactuca sativa*) measured in rhizosphere and bulk soils. *Chemosphere* 262, 127677.

14. Gao F, **Shen Y**, Sallach JB, Li H, Liu C*, Li Y*. (2021). Direct prediction of bioaccumulation of organic contaminants in plant roots from soils with machine learning models based on molecular structures. *Environmental Science & Technology* 55(24):16358-16368.

2019

15. **Shen Y**, Stedtfeld RD, Guo X, Bhalsod GD, Jeon S, Tiedje JM, Li H, Zhang W*. (2019). Pharmaceutical exposure changed antibiotic resistance genes and bacterial communities in soil-surface- and overhead-irrigated greenhouse lettuce. *Environment International* 131, 105031.

Publication summary:

Microbiome: 1) Shen et al., 2022. *Environmental Health Perspectives*; 2) Laue and Shen et al., 2022. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*; 3) Campana et al., 2022. *Environmental Pollution*. 4) Shen et al., 2021. *Science of the Total Environment*; 5) Shen et al., 2021. *Chemosphere*. 6) Shen et al., 2019. *Environment International*. 7) Chen et al., 2023. *Environmental Microbiology*.

Precision computational environmental health: 1) Shen et al., 2023. *Environmental Science & Technology*. 2) Shen et al., 2022. *Journal of Hazardous Materials*; 3) Gao et al., 2022. *Environment International* (corresponding author); 4) Gao and Shen et al., 2022. *Journal of Hazardous Materials*; 5) Gao et al., 2021. *Environmental Science & Technology*; 6) Shen et al., 2021. *Journal of Food Protection*.

TEACHING

University of Texas at Arlington

Course evaluations: <https://yikeshen.github.io/teaching/>

- ENVR 4455; EVSE 5455: Environmental Data Science (4 credits) (cross-listed upper level undergraduate and graduate course)
Scheduled Fall 2024
- ENVR/GEOL 4458; EVSE/GEOL 5458: Machine Learning for Earth and Environmental Scientists (4 credits) (cross-listed upper level undergraduate and graduate course)
Spring 2024
 - Spring 24: enrollment 18, student evaluation 4.55/5 (UTA average 4.39/5)
- ENVR 4199 / EVSE 5199 / GEOL 4199 / GEOL 5199: Technical Sessions (Seminar in Environmental and Earth Sciences) (1 credit)
Fall 2023, Spring 2024, Scheduled Fall 2024
 - Fall 23: enrollment 12, student evaluation 5/5 (UTA average 4.37/5)
 - Spring 24: enrollment 22, student evaluation 4.59/5 (UTA average 4.39/5)

Teaching Assistant experience prior to Assistant Professor appointment

- SHARP Python Boot Camp, Columbia University *Summer 2021*
- SHARP Epigenetics Boot Camp, Columbia University *Summer 2020*
- CSS 340: Applied Soil Physics, Michigan State University *Spring 2018 and Spring 2019*
- CSS 330: Soil Chemistry, Michigan State University *Spring 2019*
- RenR 299: Environmental and Forestry Spring Field School, University of Alberta *Spring 2015*

MENTORING

In progress

University of Texas at Arlington

Students at Shen Lab

Ph.D. students

1. Yidan Zhang, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, Expected start date: August 2024.
2. Steve Adjorlolo, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, Expected start date: August 2024.

Master students

3. Dhruvilkumar Chodvadiya, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, February 2023 – present.

Undergraduate students

4. Katherine Atkins, Department of Earth and Environmental Science, Expected start date: May 2024. Co-mentor with Dr. Amanda Nelson (USDA-ARS). Summer USDA-ARS-UTA internship.

High school students

5. Aaron Kuang, Greenhill High School, Expected start date: May 2024.

Dissertation/thesis committee and mentorship service

Ph.D. student dissertation committee member

6. Cody Reynolds, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, December 2023 – present. Ph.D. dissertation committee member. Dissertation chair Dr. Jacob Lubner.
7. Maryam Ghalamkari, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, October 2023 – present. Ph.D. dissertation committee member. Dissertation chair Dr. Un-Jung Kim.
8. Juan Sebastian Camacho Puerto. Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, April 2023 – present. Ph.D. dissertation committee member. Dissertation chair Dr. Ricardo Sanchez Murillo.

Master students

9. Patrick Sumner, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, Feb 2024 – present. MS thesis committee member. Thesis chair Dr. Arne Winguth.

External

10. Timileyin Adediran, Ph.D., Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Michigan, September 2023 – present. Serve as NIH R25 Career Mode mentor.

Completed

1. Boris Minasenko, Master of Science (MS) in Toxicology, Columbia University, February 2023 – October 2023. Thesis chair. Currently Bioinformatics Analyst at Emory University.
 - MS thesis: Deep autoencoders as dimension reduction and prediction tools in cancer type identification.
2. Xingyu Zhang, Master of Public Health (MPH) student, Columbia University, March 2023 – December 2023. Thesis chair.
 - MPH thesis: Associations of childhood hair metal exposures with intestinal microbiota multi-omics in a Canadian Gestation Cohort

AWARDS

Awards since Assistant Professor appointment:

- University of Texas System Rising STARS award (\$100,000) 2023

Awards as student:

Awards from Michigan State University:

- Graduate Research Assistantship 2016 – 2020
- Institute for Integrative Toxicology Summer Travel Award (\$1500/year, 4 years) 2017 – 2020
- Dissertation Completion Fellowship (\$7,000) 2019
- Graduate School Travel Funds (\$500) 2019
- College of Agriculture and Natural Resources Food Systems Fellowship (\$7,000) 2019
- Environmental Science and Policy Program Travel Grant (\$500) 2017, 2019
- Environmental Science and Policy Doctoral Recruitment Fellowship (\$10,000) 2016

Other Awards:

- ASM Travel Grant (American Society for Microbiology) (\$500) 2017
- First Class Standing (University of Alberta) 2015, 2016
- Undergraduate Research Grant (Natural Science and Engineering Research Council of Canada - CREATE Grant) (\$5500 Canadian Dollars) 2015
- ALES Student Engagement Fund (\$500 Canadian Dollars) 2015

STUDENT AWARDS AT SHEN LAB

- Ph.D. student Steve Adjorlolo. Maverick Merit Fellowship (\$5000) 2024
- Undergraduate student Katherine Atkins. USDA-ARS-UTA summer internship 2024

OUTREACH COMMUNICATIONS

Feature articles

1. **Yike Shen.** (2022). Harnessing high-dimensional data in environmental health sciences. *Research Features*. DOI: 10.26904/RF-144-3452044615. Feature article link: <https://researchfeatures.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/11/Yike-Shen.pdf>; Issue number: 144

Interviews

2. Women in Science: we have the power to change the world. Episode 6 – **Yike Shen**. UCLA GradSWE interview series hosted by Yifan Gao. December 22, 2022. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W0Nmf7P1KAM&ab_channel=GradSWEUCLA

Media coverage

3. Air Pollution Speeds Bone Loss from Osteoporosis: Large Study. (2023). Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health, Public Health Now news article. <https://www.publichealth.columbia.edu/public-health-now/news/air-pollution-speeds-bone-loss-osteoporosis-large-study>
4. Air pollution ‘speeds up osteoporosis’ in postmenopausal women. The Guardian. <https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2023/mar/10/air-pollution-speeds-up-osteoporosis-postmenopausal-women>
5. Air pollution may speed up bone loss in postmenopausal women. NIEHS Papers of the month (May 2023). <https://factor.niehs.nih.gov/2023/5/papers/dert>

PRESENTATIONS

Presenter highlighted in **bold**

A. Invited Oral Presentations

2024

1. **Yike Shen**. Python data wrangling with European Union pesticide emission data. Invited by Columbia University SHARP Training Program (virtual guest lecture at SHARP Python Bootcamp).

2023

2. **Yike Shen**. High dimensional exposures, multi-omics, and machine learning in environmental health. December 13, 2023. Invited by Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, NY, United States (Grand Rounds seminar).
3. **Yike Shen**. Academic Interviewing and Negotiation, 2022-2023 cycle. October 10, 2023. Invited by Columbia University, New York, NY, United States (virtual seminar).
4. **Yike Shen**. High dimensional exposures, multi-omics, and machine learning in environmental health. September 13, 2023. Invited by Baylor University, Waco, TX, United States.
5. **Yike Shen**. High dimensional exposures, multi-omics, and machine learning in environmental health. February 7, 2023. Invited by University of California, Riverside, Riverside, CA, United States.
6. **Yike Shen**. High dimensional exposures, multi-omics, and machine learning in environmental health. January 27, 2023. Invited by University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX, United States.

2022

7. **Yike Shen**. High dimensional exposures, multi-omics, and machine learning in environmental health. November 18, 2022. Invited by Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, United States.
8. **Yike Shen**. High dimensional exposures, multi-omics, and machine learning in environmental health. October 24, 2022. Invited by University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY, United States.
9. **Yike Shen**. High dimensional exposures, multi-omics, and machine learning in environmental health. October 15, 2022. Invited by Westlake University, Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China (virtual seminar).
10. **Yike Shen**. Harnessing high dimensional exposure and omics data in environmental health sciences. September 15, 2022. Invited by Journal of Eco-Environment & Health. Nanjing, Jiangsu, China (virtual webinar). Over 2000 audiences listened to the webinar.
11. **Yike Shen**. High dimensional exposures, multi-omics, and machine learning in environmental health. September 13, 2022. Invited by Columbia University P30 Center – The NIEHS Center for Environmental Health and Justice in Northern Manhattan, New York, NY, United States (virtual seminar).
12. **Yike Shen**. Navigating Ph.D. July 26, 2022. Invited by Aarhus University, Denmark (virtual seminar).
13. **Yike Shen**. Harnessing High Dimensional Exposure and Omics Data in Environmental Health Sciences. February 21, 2022. Department of Environmental Health Sciences, Columbia University, New York, NY, United States.

2021

14. **Yike Shen.** Deep Learning based Network Analysis in the Normative Aging Study. December 10, 2021. Invited by Columbia University Data Science and Health Initiative, New York, NY, United States (virtual seminar).
 15. **Yike Shen.** GESTE Microbiome. June 22, 2021. Invited by Département de Pédiatrie, Université de Sherbrooke, Quebec, Canada (virtual seminar).
- 2017-2020
16. **Yike Shen.** Antibiotic Resistance in Vegetable Production and Consumer Preferences. April 1, 2020. Invited by Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, United States.
 17. **Yike Shen.** Antibiotic Resistance in Vegetable Production and Consumer Preferences. February 18, 2020. Invited by Columbia University, New York, NY, United States.
 18. **Yike Shen.** Assessing Antibiotics, Antibiotic Resistance Genes and Microbiome in Lettuce and Food Safety Related Consumer Preference. (Invited and presented in-person in six institutions)
 - a. Invited Westlake University, Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China. January 17, 2020.
 - b. Invited by Institute of Nuclear-Agricultural Science, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China. January 16, 2020.
 - c. Invited by College of Environmental Science and Engineering, Nankai University, Tianjin, China. January 14, 2020.
 - d. Invited by Institute of Plant Protection, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences, Beijing, China. January 13, 2020.
 - e. Invited by Institute of Soil-Water Resource and Environment, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China. January 6, 2020.
 - f. Invited by the International Youth Scholars Forum of Zhejiang A&F University, Zhejiang A&F University, Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China. December 28, 2019.
 19. **Yike Shen.** The T concept of research in Environmental Dimension of Antimicrobial Resistance – Perspectives from an interdisciplinary Environmental Scientist in training. December 25, 2017. Invited by Institute of Soil-Water Resource and Environment, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China.

B. Conference Presentations

2024

1. **Yike Shen,** Marianthi-Anna Kioumourtzoglou, Haotian Wu, Apron Spiro 3rd, Pantel Vokonas, Ana Navas-Acien, Andrea A. Baccarelli, Feng Gao. 2024. Cohort Network: a knowledge graph towards data dissemination and knowledge-driven discovery for cohort studies. Society of Toxicology 63rd annual meeting (SOT 2024). Salt Lake City, UT, March 9-14 (poster presentation).

2023

2. **Yike Shen,** Arce Domingo-Relloso, Allison Kupsco, Marianthi-Anna Kioumourtzoglou, Karin Haack, Maria Tellez-Plaza, Jason G. Umans, Amanda M. Fretts, Ying Zhang, Peter F. Schnatz, Ramon Casanova, Lisa Warsinger Martin, JoAnn E. Manson, Shelley A. Cole, Haotian Wu, Eric A. Whitsel, Andrea A. Baccarelli, Ana Navas-Acien, Feng Gao. AESurv: autoencoder survival analysis assists accurate early prediction of coronary heart disease. International Society for Environmental Epidemiology North American Chapter annual meeting – ISEE NAC 2023. Corvallis, OR, June 19-23. (oral presentation)
3. **Yike Shen,** Tessa R. Bloomquist, Abigail Rauso, Feng Gao, Virginie Gillet, Fion K. Lau, Jean Philippe Bellenger, Allison Kupsco, Larissa Takser, Andrea A. Baccarelli. Evaluation of

the effect of bacterial RNA quality on shotgun metatranscriptome sequencing quality. American Society of Microbiology (ASM) Microbe 2023 annual meeting. Houston, TX, June 15-19. (poster presentation)

4. **Yike Shen**, Wei Zhang, Ercheng Zhao, Andrea A. Baccarelli, Feng Gao. 2023. Pesticide exposure assessment and chemical ecotoxicity prediction using machine learning models. Society of Toxicology 62nd annual meeting (SOT 2023). Nashville, TN, March 20-23 (platform oral presentation).

2022

5. **Yike Shen**, Feng Gao, Arce Domingo-Relloso, Allison Kupsco, Marianthi-Anna Kioumourtzoglou, Karin Haack, Maria Tellez-Plaza, Jason G. Umans, Amanda M. Fretts, Ying Zhang, Shelley A. Cole, Haotian Wu, Andrea A. Baccarelli, Ana Navas-Acien. 2022. AESurv: autoencoder survival analysis assists accurate early prediction of coronary heart disease in the Strong Heart Study. International Society for Environmental Epidemiology annual meeting – ISEE2022. Athens, Greece, September 18-21 (e-poster presentation).
6. **Yike Shen**, Marianthi-Anna Kioumourtzoglou, Haotian Wu, Apron Spiro 3rd, Pantel Vokonas, Ana Navas-Acien, Andrea A. Baccarelli, Feng Gao. Cohort Network: a knowledge graph towards open science and knowledge-driven discovery for cohort studies. 2022. NIEHS Environmental Health Sciences Core Centers (EHSCC) Annual Meeting. New York, NY, July 14 (poster presentation).
7. **Yike Shen**, Feng Gao, Arce Domingo-Relloso, Allison Kupsco, Marianthi-Anna Kioumourtzoglou, Karin Haack, Maria Tellez-Plaza, Jason G. Umans, Amanda M. Fretts, Ying Zhang, Shelley A. Cole, Haotian Wu, Andrea A. Baccarelli, Ana Navas-Acien. 2022. DeepEWAS assists early intervention of coronary heart disease. 8th New York City Epidemiology Forum. New York, NY, May 23 (poster presentation).
8. **Yike Shen**, Feng Gao, Wei Zhang, Andrea A. Baccarelli. 2022. Predicting Chemical Ecotoxicity by Learning Latent Space Chemical Representations. American Chemical Society National Meeting Spring 2022. San Diego, CA, March 20-24 (oral presentation).

2021

9. **Yike Shen**, Hannah E. Laue, Martha J. Shrubsole, Haotian Wu, Tessa R. Bloomquist, Annie Larouche, Kankan Zhao, Feng Gao, Amélie Boivin, Diddier Prada, Darel J. Hunting, Virginie Gillet, Larissa Takser, Andrea A. Baccarelli. 2021. Association of childhood and maternal metal exposure with children gut microbiome in a Canadian gestation cohort. International Society for Environmental Epidemiology annual meeting – ISEE2021. New York, NY. August 24 (virtual spotlight oral presentation).
10. **Yike Shen**, Hannah E. Laue, Martha J. Shrubsole, Haotian Wu, Tessa R. Bloomquist, Annie Larouche, Kankan Zhao, Feng Gao, Amélie Boivin, Diddier Prada, Darel J. Hunting, Virginie Gillet, Larissa Takser, Andrea A. Baccarelli. 2021. Association of childhood and maternal metal exposure with children gut microbiome in a Canadian gestation cohort. American Society of Microbiology Conference – ASM World Microbe Forum, June 21 (e-poster presentation).

2020

11. **Yike Shen**, Elliot T. Ryser, Hui Li, Wei Zhang. 2020. Bacterial Community Assembly and Antibiotic Resistance Genes in the Lettuce-Soil System upon Exposure to Anthropogenic Antibiotics. American Society of Microbiology Conference – ASM Microbe 2020. Chicago, IL, June 18, 2020 (e-poster presentation).

2019

12. **Yike Shen**, Elliot T. Ryser, Hui Li, Wei Zhang. 2019. Uptake and Accumulation of Antibiotics and Associated Impact on Bacterial Microbiome and *Salmonella* Survival in Lettuce. ASA -CSSA-SSSA International Annual Meeting. San Antonio, TX, November 12 (oral presentation).
 13. **Yike Shen**, Joseph Hamm, Feng Gao, Wei Zhang. 2019. Machine learning and statistical models to predict customers' buy and pay preferences for labeled products. Environmental Science and Policy Research Symposium 2019. East Lansing, MI, Oct 28 (oral presentation).
 14. **Yike Shen**, Elliot Ryser, Hui Li, Wei Zhang. 2019. Understanding *Salmonella* Survival and Microbiome Changes in Lettuce Production under Antibiotic Stress. US-China Environment and Sustainability Forum at the University of Michigan. Ann Arbor, MI, October 2 (poster presentation).
 15. **Yike Shen**, Elliot T. Ryser, Hui Li, Wei Zhang. 2019. Antibiotic resistance genes, microbiomes and *Salmonella* survival in lettuce exposed to antibiotics via soil surface irrigation. American Chemical Society National Meeting #257. San Diego, CA, August 25-29 (oral presentation).
- 2018
16. **Yike Shen**, Robert D. Stedtfeld, Xueping Guo, Gemini D. Bhalsod, Sangho Jeon, James M. Tiedje, Hui Li, and Wei Zhang. 2018. Pharmaceutical Exposure Changed Bacterial Community and Antibiotic Resistance Gene Profiles in Surface- and Overhead-Irrigated Greenhouse Lettuce. American Chemical Society National Meeting #256. Boston, MA, August 19-23 (oral presentation).
- 2017
17. **Yike Shen**, Gemini D. Bhalsod, Xueping Guo, Sangho Jeon, Tiffany Stedtfeld, Robert D. Stedtfeld, James M. Tiedje, Hui Li, and Wei Zhang. 2017. Antibiotic Stress Changed Microbial Community and Distribution of Antibiotic Resistance Genes in Surface and Overhead Irrigated Greenhouse Lettuce. 4th International Symposium on the Environmental Dimension of Antibiotic Resistance. East Lansing, MI, August 13-17 (poster presentation).
 18. **Yike Shen**, Gemini D. Bhalsod, Xueping Guo, Luxi Yang, Sangho Jeon, Robert D. Stedtfeld, James M. Tiedje, Hui Li, and Wei Zhang. 2017. Distribution of antibiotic resistance genes in surface and overhead irrigated greenhouse lettuce. American Society for Microbiology Conference - Innovative Microbial Ecology for Mitigation of Antibiotic Resistance and Bacterial Diseases. Crystal City, VA, March 22-25 (oral presentation).

C. Forum Panelist

1. Public Health in the Next Decade: Discussion with the incoming Dean of Harvard University Chan School of Public Health. Panelist: Drs. Andrea Baccarelli (Columbia University), **Yike Shen** (UT Arlington), Xinlei Wang (UT Arlington), Yang Xie (UT Southwestern Medical Center), Elizabeth Merwin (UT Arlington), Yue Liao (UT Arlington). University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX, October 20, 2023. Dr. Shen is the event host.

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Membership

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| • Society of Toxicology (SOT) | 2023 – present |
| • International Society for Environmental Epidemiology (ISEE) | 2021 – present |
| • American Chemical Society (ACS) | 2018 – present |

- American Society for Microbiology (ASM) 2017 – present
- Soil Science Society of America (SSSA) 2018 – 2019

COMMITTEE

University of Texas at Arlington

- Executive committee member, College of Science Data Science Division 2023-present

Professional organizations

- Associate member, ISEE membership committee 2022-present
- NIH Career Mode (serve as mentor) 2023-present
- SOT Lone Star Chapter board member, Secretary 2024-present

PEER REVIEW SERVICE

Journal Articles

- Nature Mental Health
- Environmental Science & Technology (ACS)
- ACS Environmental Science & Technology Water (ACS)
- ACS Environmental Science & Technology Engineering (ACS)
- Chemical Research in Toxicology (ACS)
- The Innovation (CellPress)
- Environment International (Elsevier)
- Environmental Research (Elsevier)
- Science of the Total Environment (Elsevier)
- Environmental Pollution (Elsevier)
- Chemosphere (Elsevier)
- Applied Soil Ecology (Elsevier)
- Food Chemistry (Elsevier)
- Eco-Environment & Health (Elsevier)
- Atmospheric Pollution Research (Elsevier)
- Current Research in Food Science (Elsevier)
- Journal of Environmental Management (Elsevier)
- BMC Medicine (BioMed Central)
- BMC Genomics (BioMed Central)
- Frontiers in Microbiology (Frontiers)
- Frontiers in Public Health (Frontiers)
- Current Environmental Health Reports (Springer Nature)
- Reviews of Environmental Contamination and Toxicology (Springer Nature)
- Scientific Reports (Springer Nature)
- Journal of Trust Research (Taylor & Francis Online)
- Engineering in Life Sciences (Wiley)
- International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health (MDPI)
- Pathogens (MDPI)
- Nutrients (MDPI)
- Microorganisms (MDPI)

Workshops

- Columbia University SHARP Scholarship review (2022, 2023)

Conferences

- ISEE abstract review (2022)
- Session chair, ISEE North American Chapter Meeting 2023

STUDENT RECRUITMENT SERVICE

- Program: Master of Science in Environmental Health Data Science.
Institution: Columbia University (2022, 2023)

SKILLS

Computational: R, Python, Linux, Unix, Shell Script, and High-Performance Computing, Amazon Web Service, GitHub

Data analysis: big data analytics, metagenomics and metatranscriptomics data analysis, machine learning, data visualization

Laboratory: DNA and RNA extraction, PCR, sequencing, gel electrophoresis, molecular biology, bacterial culture, chemical hygiene, laboratory safety, hazardous waste; biosafety principles (level 1 and 2), and lab security awareness

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPRATION

In preparation (# student)

1. **Shen Y***, Bloomquist TR, Rauso A, Gao F, Gillet V, Lau FK, Kupsco A, Takser L, Baccarelli AA. Evaluation of bacterial RNA quality and shotgun metatranscriptome sequencing.
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