

Ziying Feng

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QUALIFICATIONS & SKILLS

- **More than 4 years experience with nanomaterials fabrication and characterization**
- **Maintain the CVD, EBL and Raman spectroscopy systems in the lab**
- **Have experience in data analysis with R and Python, responsive web design, and IOS application development with Objective-C**
- **Proficient:** Chemical Vapor Deposition (CVD), E-beam Evaporator, Thermal Evaporation, Electron Beam Lithography (EBL), Spin Coating, Optical Microscopy, SEM, XRD, EDX, Raman Spectroscopy
- **Familiar:** Python, R, FDTD Solutions, Electrochemical Workstation, UV-visible-near-infrared spectrophotometer

EDUCATION

○ University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)

Los Angeles, CA

Ph.D candidate in Physical Science GPA: 3.7/4.0

2016 - 2019 (expected)

M.S. in Chemistry

2014 - 2015

Awards: University Fellowship, Research Assistantship, Teaching Assistantship

Courses: Solid State Chemistry, Quantum Chemistry, Nanoscience and Chemistry

Invited Manuscript Reviewer: Material Science in Semiconductor Processing, Optics Letters, Optical Materials Express, AIP Advances, Nano & Micro Letters, Progress in Electromagnetic Research, *etc.*

○ Sun Yat-Sen University (SYSU)

Guangzhou, China

B.S. in Optical Informatics GPA: 3.9/4.0

2010 - 2014

Awards: National Scholarship (Top 5%)

RESEARCH

UCLA, Research Assistant

- 2D Materials heterostructure and its Optical Properties 2015 - present
 - Utilize CVD to grow the 2D materials including graphene, h-BN and MoS₂
 - Stack or align the 2D material with the assist of PMMA
 - Perform Raman and PL measurement on the as-fabricated heterostructure
- CVD Grow Graphene, Boron Nitride 2015 - 2016
 - Methane as the gas source to grow the graphene
 - Adjust parameters including the flow rate and the pressure to grow graphene in different substrates
 - Ammonia borane as the solid source to grow boron nitride on copper foil
- Protection Layer for the PEC Water Splitting 2014 - 2015
 - Transfer graphene onto the doped silicon substrate
 - Electroplate Iridium as the catalyst layer
 - Perform photoelectrochemical (PEC) measurement of the silicon based photoanode

SYSU, Research Assistant

- Electrochromic Device Based on Au-Ag Plasmonic Nanoparticles 2013 - 2014

- Fabricate the nanohole array with the application reactive ion etching (RIE), and anodic aluminum oxide template
 - Form the gold-silver nanoparticles with the metal deposition and electrochemical deposition
 - Perform finite difference time domain (FDTD) simulation to the optical properties of the structure
 - Realize electrochromic device by packaging the structure in the solution and controlling electrochemical deposition voltage
- Gas Sensor Based on Photonic Crystal Microcavity 2012 - 2013
- Design a stainless steel sealed container for the measurement of the photonic crystal microcavity gas sensor
 - Improve and adjust the optical system for the measurement
- Silicon Nanowires and the Solar Cell 2012 - 2013
- Fabricate the silicon nanowire array with metal-assisted chemical etching (MACE)
 - Perform the optical measurement including the reflectivity by UV-visible-near-infrared spectrophotometer and Raman spectrum by Raman spectroscopy
 - Assemble the nanowire array into solar cell with the conductive polymer PEDOT:PSS and the indium tin oxide (ITO) as the transparent electrode, silver deposition in vacuum as the back electrode

DATA ANALYSIS & CODING

- Financial simulation in Python
 - Apply Monte Carlo method to simulate the European options with the Black–Scholes–Merton model
 - Perform dimension reduction with principal component analysis (PCA) to simulate the German DAX index
- Cleaning and plotting data in R
 - Rearrange and transform the data with dplyr and tidyr package
 - Generate plots for the selected data with base plot and ggplot2 package
- IOS application development in Objective-C
 - Develop the unit converter app with UITextField and UISegmentedControl
 - Build the currency converter app with the application of CocoaPods to fetch real-time currency rate online
- Modeling Competitions
 - 2013 Mathematical Contest in Modeling (MCM result: Honorable Mention): Optimize the shape and the size of baking pan with two-dimensional heat conduction model and multi-objective programming
 - 2012 Interdisciplinary Contest in Modeling (ICM result: Honorable Mention): Search the suspect in a crime with Dijkstra algorithm and clustering analysis

PUBLICATIONS

- **Feng Z.**, Jiang C., He Y., Chu S., Chu G., Peng R., Li D., "Widely Adjustable and Quasi-Reversible Electrochromic Device Based on Core-Shell Au-Ag Plasmonic Nanoparticles", *Adv. Optical Mater.*, 2014
- Li K., Li J., Song Y., Fang G., Li C., **Feng Z.**, Su R., Zeng B., Wang X., Jin C., "Ln Slot Photonic Crystal Microcavity for Refractive Index Gas Sensing", *IEEE Photonics Journal*, 2014
- **Feng Z.**, Jiang C., Zeng Y., Jin Y., Li Z., Xu S., Shen H., "Light-Trapping Structure and Raman Spectra of SINWs Prepared by MACE", *Acta Energiæ Solaris Sinica*, 2015
- Yao B., Rao Y., Huang S., Wu Y., Wu Y., **Feng Z.**, Choi C., Liu H., Qi H., Duan X., Peng G., Wong C. W., " Graphene Q-switched distributed feedback fiber lasers with narrow linewidth approaching the transform limit", *Optics Express*, 2017