# **Alyssa Suining Chen**

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Objective: A summer internship in Summer '17 or full-time position in biomedical engineering in 2018

## **Education**

Yale University August 2014 - May 2018

B.S. in Biomedical Engineering, Molecular Engineering Track

**GPA:** 3.79/4.00

Activities: healthyU, Asian American Cultural Center, MedSci, Chinese Adopted Siblings Program for Youth

## **Skills**

Languages: English (main), Chinese Mandarin

Research: Proposal and research paper writing, molecular biology techniques, gene analysis

Technical: AutoCAD, Java, MATLAB, HTML (working), JMP statistical software

Other: Emergency Medical Technician training

## **Publications**

#### **Manuscripts Under Review**

Yuwen Li, Daniel Caballero, Julian Ponsetto, **Alyssa Chen**, Chuanlong Zhu, Jun Guo, Marie Demay, Harald Jueppner, and Clemens Bergwitz (under review). Response of Npt2a knockout mice to dietary calcium and phosphorus. *American Journal of Physiology – Renal Physiology* 

## **Research Experience**

**Undergraduate Researcher – Endocrinology, Yale Medical School**February 2016 - Present Researching genes and pathways that cause HHRH disease, wrote program script for statistical analysis of subject parameters; PI: Dr. Clemens Bergwitz

**Undergraduate Researcher – Biomedical Engineering, Yale University** May 2015 - August 2015 Researched the redesign of the single-cell secretomic analysis chip for lupus patients; awarded Yale College Freshman Summer Research Fellowship; Pl: Dr. Rong Fan

#### **Leadership Experience**

Co-founder and Co-president, MedSci

2012 - 2014

Established science and medicine-related curriculum in elementary schools in New Haven

#### Co-founder and Co-president, healthyU

July 2015 - Present

Co-founder and Co-president of a community of students working to improve mental and physical wellbeing on campus; co-coordinating campus-wide Happiness Challenge for Yale University

**Asian American Cultural Center Peer Liaison,** Yale College Dean's Office April 2015 – April 2016 Selected by Dean's Office to organize programming initiatives based in the Asian American Cultural Center; trained in intercultural relations and facilitating group discussion

#### **Awards and Honors**

2016 ASBMR Young Investigator Travel Grant	2016
American Society of Bone and Mineral Research	
Richard U. Light Fellowship	2016
Richard U. Light Foundation, Yale University	
Yale College Summer Research Fellowship	2015
Yale College Dean's Office, Yale University	
American Association of University Women (AAUW) Scholarship	2014
AAUW Novi-Northville	
High School Honors Science Program Scholar	2014
Michigan State University	