Ariel Wei Hsi Yeh

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Education

Harvard University 2014-Present

Ph.D. student in Division of Medical Sciences

Speech and Hearing Bioscience and Technology

Johns Hopkins University

2012-2014

Bachelor of Science in Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering

Cumulative undergraduate GPA: 3.78/4 from two universities—Dean's List in every semester

Skills: ASPEN PLUS, MATLAB, C Language, R Project for Statistical Computing

National Taiwan University (transfer out)

2010-2012

Bioenvironmental Systems Engineering

Cumulative GPA: 4.16/4.30—First Class Honors in both freshman and sophomore years

Research Experience

Pathology Lab, School of Medicine, Johns Hopkins University

2013-2014

Research advisers: Prof. T-C Wu & Dr. Chien-Fu Hung

Participate in finding the most effective cervical cancer vaccine for the prevention and treatment of human papillomavirus-associated malignancies. Understand the principles and strategies use for HPV vaccine and development in order to create vaccines that target other cancers with defined tumor antigens.

Physiology Lab, Department of Otolaryngology, Johns Hopkins University

2012-Present

Research adviser: Prof. Paul A. Fuchs

Trace *afferents* through *immunostaining* in cochlear and brains sections to better understanding the inputs and feedback mechanisms that determine cochlear function; attend weekly laboratory meeting and primary literature journal club

Toxicology Lab, Bioenvironmental Systems Engineering, National Taiwan University

2010-2011

Research adviser: Prof. Vivian Hsiu-Chuan Liao

Researched on *C. elegans'* exposure to Antimony Trioxide (Ab₂O₃); quantified the effect on reproduction; analyzed the behavioral change as a result of *C. elegans'* impaired nervous system

Publication

Tae Heung Kang¹, Jayne Knoff², **Wei-Hsi Yeh**², Benjamin Yang², Chenguang Wang⁶, Tae Woo Kim⁷, 2013 T.-C. Wu^{2,3,4,5} and Chien-Fu Hung^{2,5} Treatment of tumors with vitamin E suppresses myeloid derived suppressor cells and enhances CD8+ T cell-mediated antitumor effects, PLoS ONE

Academic Awards and Scholarships

Dean's List of Whiting School of Engineering –Johns Hopkins University

Fall & Spring 2013

Presidential Award and Scholarship -National Taiwan University

2011 & 2012

- Awarded for four consecutive semesters. The award is presented to students who are ranked top 3 in class.
- Recipient of a merit-based Presidential Scholarship with 1/3 of undergraduate tuition covered

Chinese Literature Award and Scholarship -National Taiwan University

2011

• Selected as the Chinese Literature Essay Competition Finalist, awarded Chinese Literature Excellence

- Nominated by Academic Division from the top 5% of the class of 2011 with excellent academic performance
- Awarded the Best Student Teaching Prize among all student tutors in teaching calculus, chemistry and biology

Conference Experience

Mid-Atlantic American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE) Conference, NJ, USA

April 2013

• Participated in Chemical Car competition

36th Annual Association for Research in Otolaryngology (ARO) Meeting, Baltimore, USA

February 2013

5th East Asia C. elegans Meeting conference, Taipei, Taiwan

June 2012

• Organized conference and convened individuals from the scientific community

13th Annual Investigation for Identification Educational Conference, New Orleans, USA

August 2010

• Organized by the LSU Continuing Dental Education

Leadership, Team Work & Voluntary Experience

Harvard Taiwan Student Association

2015

Vice President

Boston Taiwanese Biotechnology Association

2014, 2015

Academic panel

Course: Introduction to Chemical & Biological Process Analysis, Johns Hopkins University

Fall 2013

- Teaching Assistance, covering course materials and MATLAB
- Leader in the Peer-led-team learning program

The President's Day of Service, Johns Hopkins Center of Social Concern

October 2012

• Team leader

Voluntary Service on Public Health in Nepal, Vision Youth Action (VYA) International Work Camp

August 2011

- Team leader for workshops
- Culture and education exchange with local nursing schools
- Taught regional common diseases' prevention to healthcare administrators from 9 villages
- Taught Chinese martial arts to local Nepalese teenagers

High School Graduation Commencement

June 2010

- Chairperson of the graduation council
- Class 2010 representative to give graduation speech
- Hostess of the graduation ceremony

Extracurricular Activities & Certificates

Water Safety Life Guard License

Flute Certificate of Grade 4

• by International Life Saving Federation

• by The Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music, England

Chinese Martial Arts Coach License

Chinese Martial Arts Referee License

• by National Tai Chi Chuan Association

• by National Tai Chi Chuan Association

Chinese Martial Arts Certified 3rd Duan

Downhill Skiing: Certificates of Level 3

• by China Wu Su Association, Beijing, China

• by Kimura Kiminobu Ski School, Japan

Scuba Dive Certificate

• by PADI Association, Switzerland