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# Experiences

Postdoctoral Fellow 2010-now. Department of Cell Biology, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA. Laboratory of Thomas Walz

Postdoctoral Researcher 2009-2010. Section of Molecular and Cellular Biology, University of California, Davis, CA. Laboratory of Hennig Stahlberg

## Education

Doctorate in Biophysics (Ph.D.)

Biophysics Graduate Group, University of California, Davis, CA, 2009.

- Dissertation title: "Structural Studies of a Prokaryotic Cyclic Nucleotide-Modulated Channel, MloK1, by Transmission Electron Microscopy"

Master of Electrical Engineering (M.EE.)

Institute of Electrical Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2001.

- Thesis title: "Drug delivery by ultrasound-controlled liposome cavitation: System and technical requirements"

Bachelor of Science, Pharmacy (B.S.)

School of Pharmacy, College of Medicine, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, 1999.

### Professional Activities

#### **Publications**

- Chiu, P.-L.\*, Walz, T. (2015). The structural studies of raft lipids and aquaporin-o using electron crystallography. (in preparation).
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  - Featured in Structure: Taraska, J.W. and Zagotta, W. (2007). Cyclic nucleotide-regulated ion channel: Spotlight on symmetry. Structure 15, 1023–1024.
- Renault, L., Chou, H.-T., Chiu, P.-L., Hill, R.M., Zeng, X., Gipson, B., Zhang, Z.Y., Cheng, A., Unger, V., and Stahlberg, H. (2006). Milestones in electron crystallography. *J Comput Aided Mol Des* 20, 519–527.

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#### Medical Publications

Armed Forces Beitou Hospital Formula.

### Memberships and Affiliations

AAAS/Science Program for Excellence in Science - 2014-now.

Biophysical Society - 2009-2011.

## **Awards**

Graduate Researcher Fellowship from University of California, Davis, 2005-2009.

Taiwan National Science Foundation Scholarship, 1999-2001.

Taiwan Nan-Ya Incorporation Scholarship, 1995-1999.

## Special Skills

## Pharmacy Clinics and Certifications

Pharmacy administrator of the Ming-Ching Clinics, Taipei, Taiwan, 2003-2004.

Pharmacy administrator of the Armed Forces Beitou Psychiatric Medical Center, Taipei, Taiwan, 2001-2003.

Certified by National Qualification Examination for Medical Professionals - Pharmacy, 1999.

Internship in the National Taiwan University Hospital, Taipei, Taiwan, 1998-1999.

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