

Dewey Brooke

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My name is Dewey Brooke, and I am a sixth generation Montanan from a small town of 120 called Pony. I enrolled at Montana State University in 2008 and graduated in 2012. From 2009 through 2013, I worked in the lab Dr. Brian Bothner. During that time I gained extensive experience in a wide-range of chemical and biochemical analytical equipment and techniques including LCMS, fluorescence, and electron microscopy. From 2013 to 2015, I further developed those techniques in addition to learning others while working in the lab of Dr. Peter Prevelige at the University of Alabama Birmingham. I have been exposed to a wide variety topics with a majority of my research focusing on the biochemical and biophysical characteristics of viruses. While at Montana State University, I studied the phospholipase a2 domain of adeno-associated virus, the assembly of hepatitis-b virus, and the maturation of nudaurelia capensis omega virus. At UAB, I studied the interaction between TRIM5a and HIV in hopes to better understand the mechanism of TRIM5a-mediated disassembly of HIV. Currently, I am enrolled in the Medical-Scientist Training Program at the University of Alabama School of Medicine.

Education

B.S., Biochemistry with the Highest Honors, Montana State University

May 4, 2012

Scholarships

- Lewis McRoberts Scholarship | *Fall 2011-Spring 2012*
- E Max & Ione Parkin Memorial Scholarship | *Fall 2010-Spring 2011*
- Asbjornson University Scholarship | *Spring 2009-Spring 2012*
- Governor's Merit Scholarship | *Fall 2008-Spring 2012*

Fellowships

- McNair Scholar | *Spring 2010-Spring 2012*
- INBRE Research Internship | *Summer 2010-Spring 2012*

Analytical Skills and Techniques

Mass Spectrometry

ESI-Mass-Spectrometry

(Bruker MicroTOF, Waters QTOF Premier
Agilent 6520, and Agilent 6538)

MALDI-Mass-Spectrometry

(Bruker Autoflex III MALDI TOF)

Hydrogen-Deuterium Exchange

Whole-Protein Hydrogen-Deuterium Exchange

LC-MS Method Development/Enzymatic Assay
Development

Fluorescence Spectroscopy

Use of standard fluorescence instrumentation for analysis
of proteins and small molecules (Varian Cary Eclipse
Fluorescence Spectrophotometer)

QPCR-based differential thermodynamic profiling of
proteins

Pyrene fluorescence of phospholipid bilayer fluidity

Tryptophan Quenching

Programming

Google Cloud (R-Studio Server, BigQuery)

Julia

Python

R

SQL (Legacy and Standard)

Single and Multi-dimensional Chromatography

HPLC: Agilent 1100, Agilent 1200, LC Packings Ultimate

UPLC: Agilent 1290

FPLC: GE Akta FPLC

Size-Exclusion Chromatography

Reverse Phase Chromatography

Hydrophilic Interaction Chromatography

Ion-Exchange Chromatography

General

Transmission Electron Microscopy (Leo 906E)

Flow-Cytometry (BD FACSCalibur, AMNIS ImageStream)

Liposome preparation: Extrusion and Sonication

Column Packing and Immobilization

Western Blot

SDS-PAGE: Silver Staining, Sypro-Ruby, and Coomassie

QPCR

Software

Agilent Chemstation & Quantitative Analysis

Bruker Hystar and Data Analysis

HDEaminer

MassLynx 4.1 & ProteinLynx Global Server

Lab Rotations

Akinyemi Ojesina M.D., Ph.D.

Summer 2017

Markus Bredel (Department of Radiation and Oncology)

Summer 2016

Dan Gorelick (Department of Pharmacology)

Summer 2015

Research Experience

Research Assistant (Dr. Peter Prevelige; University of Alabama Birmingham)

June 2013- April 2015

- HDX Mass-Spectrometry on Viral Proteins
 - Acid induced conformational changes of P22 Tailspike
 - Structural Transitions of the P22 Barrel Domain
 - TRIM5a recognition of the HIV capsid
 - TRIMCyp recognition of the HIV Capsid
 - HIV-2 virulence factor VPX/DCAF1/DDB1 Complex
- Identification of the Alternate Amino Acids Inserted During Suppression of the CFTR-G542X Nonsense Mutation

Research Assistant Grade III (Dr. Brian Bothner; Montana State University)

August 2012- April 2013

- Biophysical and biochemical characterization of receptor binding in parvoviruses
- The role of dynamics in the assembly of viral capsids using HDX mass-spectrometry
- Electron microscopy of phospholipase a2 induced tubule formation

Research Assistant Grade II (Dr. Brian Bothner; Montana State University)

May-August 2012

- Biophysical and biochemical characterization of adeno-associated virus
- The role of dynamics in the assembly of viral capsids using HDX mass-spectrometry
- Development of a pyrene-based fluorescent assay for monitoring membrane fluidity

Undergraduate Research Assistant (Dr. Brian Bothner; Montana State University)

December 2009-May 2012

- Development of a fast liquid-chromatography/mass -spectrometry based lipase assay
- Applications of differential scanning fluorimetry for calculating thermodynamic parameters
- Development of single amino-acid resolution HDX mass-spectrometry
- Calculating the thermodynamics of proteins using chemical denaturation and tryptophan quenching

Publications

Cherwa JE Jr, Tyson J, Bedwell GJ, Brooke D, Edwards AG, Dokland T, Prevelige PE, Fane BA. (2016). **φX174 Procapsid Assembly: Effects of an Inhibitory External Scaffolding Protein and Resistant Coat Proteins In Vitro**. Journal of Virology

Bhardwaj, A., Sankhala, R. S., Olia, A. S., Brooke, D., Casjens, S. R., Taylor, D. J., ... Cingolani, G. (2016). **Structural Plasticity of the Protein Plug That Traps Newly Packaged Genomes in Podoviridae Virions**. The Journal of Biological Chemistry

Chang, B. J., Samal, A. B., Vlach, J., Fernandez, T. F., Brooke, D., Prevelige, P. E., & Saad, J. S. (2016). **Identification of the Calmodulin-Binding Domains of Fas Death Receptor**. PloS One, 11(1), e0146493.

Brooke, D., Movahed, N., & Bothner, B. (2015). **Universal buffers for use in biochemistry and biophysical experiments**. AIMS Biophysics, 2(3), 336–342.

Rayaprolu, V., Kruse, S., Kant, R., Movahed, N., Brooke, D. and Bothner, B. (2014). **Fluorometric Estimation of Viral Thermal Stability**. Bio-protocol 4(15): e1199. <http://www.bio-protocol.org/e1199>

Rayaprolu, V., Kruse, S., Kant, R., Venkatakrishnan, B., Movahed, N., Brooke, D., ... Bothner, B. (2013). **Comparative Analysis of Adeno-Associated Virus Capsid Stability and Dynamics**. Journal of Virology, 13150-13160.

Awards, Honors, and Features

- Phi Kappa Phi Outstanding Senior Award
- Lewis H. McRoberts Award: Outstanding Junior in Biochemistry
- Student Travel Award: 4th Biennial NISBRE Conference
- 1st place McNair Oral Presenter at the 2011 MSU Research Celebration
- Dean's List Fall 2008, Fall 2009-Spring 2012
- The National Society of Collegiate Scholars
- Featured in the Montana State University recruitment letter
- Featured in the 2012 MSU Campus Student Showcase
- [Featured in an article by the Bozeman Daily Chronicle to represent the 2600 graduating seniors](#)
- [Featured in Mountains and Minds magazine in an article titled: The Heart of Montana](#)
- [Representative for the Honors Program at Montana State University](#)

Presentations

UAB Structural Biology symposium; Poster

October 2014

Hydrogen/Deuterium Exchange Studies of TRIM Family Proteins

Dewey Brooke¹, Brady Summers², Yong Xiong², Jinwoo Ahn³, Peter Prevelige¹

¹Department of Microbiology, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham AL.

²Department of Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry, Yale University, New Haven CT.

³Department of Structural Biology, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, Pittsburgh PA.

North American Cystic Fibrosis Conference; Poster

October 2014

Identification and Functional Consequences of the Alternate Amino Acids Inserted During Suppression of the CFTR-G542X Nonsense Mutation.

Xiaojiao Xue^{1, 3}, Dewey Brooke², Peter Prevelige², David M. Bedwell^{1, 2, 3}

¹Department of Genetics, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham AL.

²Department of Microbiology, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham AL.

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Structural Biology Related to HIV/AIDS 2014; Poster

October 2014

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4th Biennial NISBRE Conference; Poster

June 25-27, 2012

Monitoring the effects of pH and receptor binding on phospholipase activity in adeno-associated virus particles

Dewey Brooke¹, Navid Movahed¹, Antonette Bennett², Mavis Agbandje-McKenna², Brian Bothner¹

¹Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, Montana State University

²Biochemistry & Molecular Biology Department, University of Florida College of Medicine

FASEB 2012: Virus Structure and Assembly; Poster

June 10-15, 2012

Aging Gracefully; Maturation of a Tetravirus

Navid Movahed¹, Vamseedhar Rayaprolu¹, Jesse Ruzicka¹, Ravi Kant¹, Dewey Brooke¹, An Nguyen¹, Tatiana Domitrovic²,

Erhan Keles¹, John E. Johnson², Brian Bothner¹

¹Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, Montana State University

²Scripps Research Institute, La Jolla, California

FASEB 2012: Virus Structure and Assembly; Poster

June 10-15, 2012

High Resolution Hydrogen/Deuterium Exchange Mass Spectrometry Gives Insight to the Mechanism of Action of Hepatitis B Virus Capsid Assembly Effectors

Navid Movahed¹, Dewey Brooke¹, Adam Zlotnick², Brian Bothner¹

¹Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, Montana State University

²Department of Biology, Indiana University

Montana State University Research Celebration; Poster

April 19, 2012

Analysis of phospholipase activity in adeno-associated virus particles using liquid-chromatography/mass-spectrometry

Dewey Brooke¹, Navid Movahed¹, Mavis Agbandje-McKenna², Brian Bothner¹

¹Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, Montana State University

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- American Society of Mass Spectrometry: Mass Spectrometry in Structural Biology; Poster January 10-15, 2012
High Resolution Hydrogen/Deuterium Exchange Mass Spectrometry Gives Insight to the Mechanism of Action of Hepatitis B Virus Capsid Assembly Effectors
Navid Movahed¹, Dewey Brooke¹, Vamseedhar Rayaprolu¹, Adam Zlotnick², Brian Bothner¹
¹Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, Montana State University
²Department of Biology, Indiana University
- 2nd Annual Montana State University McNair Research Symposium; Poster December 8, 2011
Analysis of phospholipase activity in adeno-associated virus particles using liquid-chromatography/mass-spectrometry
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¹Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, Montana State University
²Biochemistry & Molecular Biology Department, University of Florida College of Medicine
- UC Berkeley McNair Symposium; Platform August 4-7, 2011
Analysis of phospholipase activity in adeno-associated virus particles using liquid-chromatography/mass-spectrometry
Dewey Brooke¹, Navid Movahed¹, Mavis Agbandje-McKenna², Brian Bothner¹
¹Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, Montana State University
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- 59th Meeting of the American Society of Mass Spectrometry; Platform April 27, 2011
Structure to Function: Use of Limited Proteolysis and Hydrogen Exchange Mass Spectrometry to Understand Virus Capsid Assembly and Cell Entry
Brian Bothner¹, Navid Movahed¹, Vamseedhar Rayaprolu¹, Jonathan Hilmer¹, Dewey Brooke¹, Adam Zlotnick², Mavis Agbandje-McKenna³
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²Department of Biology, Indiana University
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- Montana State University Research Celebration; Platform and Poster April 27, 2011
Analysis of phospholipase activity in adeno-associated virus particles using liquid-chromatography/mass-spectrometry
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¹Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, Montana State University
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- 1st Annual Montana State University McNair Research Symposium; Poster November 30, 2010
Analysis of phospholipase activity in adeno-associated virus particles using liquid-chromatography/mass-spectrometry
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- Montana State University Undergraduate Scholars Program Conference; Poster August 6, 2010
Analysis of phospholipase activity in adeno-associated virus particles using liquid-chromatography/mass-spectrometry
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- 24th Annual Symposium of the Protein Society; Poster August 1-5, 2010
Analysis of phospholipase activity in adeno-associated virus particles using liquid-chromatography/mass-spectrometry
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References

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- Peter Prevelige Ph.D.**, University of Alabama Birmingham (205) 975-5327
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Earl Blough Professor of Chemistry
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