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# EXPERIENCE

- Scientist, Environmental and Earth Sciences, Exponent, Inc. (2020-present)
- Research Scientist, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering and Nicholas School of the Environment, Duke University (2019-2020)

# EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- Postdoctoral Associate, Department of Environmental Systems Science, Institute of Biogeochemistry and Pollutant Dynamics, ETH Zurich (2016 - 2019)
- PhD, Nicholas School of the Environment, Duke University (2010-2016)
- BA in Chemistry and BS in Environmental Science, Loyola University Chicago (2006-2010)

#### Awards & Honors

- U.S. National Science Foundation, Honorable Mention, Graduate Research Fellowship, May 2010.
- Department of Chemistry, Loyola University Chicago, Sarussi Scholarship for Undergraduate Research in Organic Synthesis, May 2007.
- Loyola University Chicago, Jesuit High School Presidential Scholarship, 2006-2010.

# PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- Getzinger, G.J.; Higgins, C.P.; Ferguson, P.L.; Structure Database and In Silico Spectral Library for Comprehensive Suspect Screening of Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFASs) in Environmental Media by High-resolution Mass Spectrometry, *Analytical Chemistry* 2021, 10.1021/acs.analchem.0c04109
- 2. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L.; Illuminating the exposome with high-resolution accurate-mass mass spectrometry and nontargeted analysis, *Current Opinion in Environmental Science & Health* **2020**, 10.1016/j.coesh.2020.05.005
- Manfrin, A.; Nizkorodov, S.; Malecha, K.; Getzinger, G.J.; McNeill, K.; Borduas-Dedekind, N. Reactive Oxygen Species Production From Secondary Organic Aerosols: The Importance of Singlet Oxygen. *Environ.* Sci. Technol. 2019, 10.1021/acs.est.9b01609
- Evans, M.; Getzinger, G. J.; Luek, J.; Hanson, A.; McLaughlin, M.; Blotevogel, J.; Welch, S.; Nicora, C.; Purvine, S.; Xu, C.; Cole, D.; Darrah, T.; Hoyt, D.; Metz, T.; Ferguson, P.L.; Lipton, M.; Wilkins, M.; Mouser, P. In situ transformation of ethoxylate and glycol surfactants by shale-colonizing microorganisms during hydraulic fracturing. *The ISME Journal* 2019, 10.1038/s41396-019-0466-0
- De Hoe,G; Zumstein, Z; Getzinger, G.J., Ruegsegger, I; Kohler, H.E.; Maurer-Jones, M.A.; Sander, M; Hillmyer, M.A.; McNeill, K.. Photochemical Transformation of Poly(butylene adipate-co-terephthalate) and Its Effects on Enzymatic Hydrolyzability. Environ. Sci. Technol. 2019, 10.1021/acs.est.8b06458
- Walpen, N.; Lau, M.; Fiskal, A.; Getzinger, G. J.; Meyer, S; Nelson, T; Lever, M; Schroth, M.H.; Sander, M, Oxidation of Reduced Peat Particulate Organic Matter by Dissolved Oxygen: Quantification of Apparent Rate Constants in the Field. *Environ. Sci. Technol.* 2018, 52(19) 10.1021/acs.est.8b03419
- Walpen, N.; Getzinger, G. J.; Schroth, M.H.; Sander, M, Electron-donating Phenolic and Electron-accepting Quinone Moieties in Peat Dissolved Organic Matter: Quantities and Redox Transformations in the Context of Peat Biogeochemistry. *Environ. Sci. Technol.* 2018, 52 (9). 10.1021/acs.est.8b00594
- 8. Hoelzer, K.; Sumner, A. J.; Karatum, O.; Nelson, R. K.; Drollette, B. D.; O'Connor, M. P.; D'Ambro, E. L.; **Getzinger, G. J.**; Ferguson, P. L.; Reddy, C. M.; Elsner, M.; Plata, D. L., Indications of Transformation

- Products from Hydraulic Fracturing Additives in Shale-Gas Wastewater. *Environ. Sci. Technol.* **2016**, 50 (15).10.1021/acs.est.6b00430
- 9. Li, H; **Getzinger, G. J.**; Ferguson, P.L.; Orihuela, B; Zhu, Mei; Rittschof, D. Effects of Toxic Leachates from Commercial Plastics on Larval Survival and Settlement of the Barnacle Amphibalanus amphitrite. *Environ. Sci. Technol.* **2015**, 50 (2). 10.1021/acs.est.5b02781
- Getzinger, G. J.; O'Connor, M.P.; Hoelzer, K.; Drollette, B.D.; Karatum, O.; Deshusses, M.A.; Ferguson, P.L.; Elsner, M.; Plata, D.L. Natural Gas Residual Fluids: Sources, Endpoints, and Organic Chemical Composition after Centralized Waste Treatment in Pennsylvania. *Environ. Sci. Technol.* 2015, 51 (60). 10.1021/acs.est.5b00471
- 11. Fang, M.; **Getzinger, G. J.**\*; Cooper, E. M.; Clark, B. W.; Garner, L. V. T.; Giulio, R. T. D.; Ferguson, P. L.; Stapleton, H. M., Effect-directed analysis of Elizabeth river pore water: Developmental toxicity in zebrafish (Danio rerio). *Environ Toxicol Chem* **2014**, 30. 10.1002/etc.2738

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- 12. Stapleton, H.M.; Sharma, S.; **Getzinger, G. J.**; Ferguson, P.L.; Gabriel, T.; Webster, F.; Blum, A. Novel and High Volume Flame Retardants in US Couches Reflective of the 2005 PentaBDE Phase Out. *Environ. Sci. Technol.* **2012**, 46 (24). 10.1021/es303471d.

#### Manuscripts in Revision

 Getzinger, G.J.; Ferguson, P.L.; High-throughput Trace-level Suspect Screening for Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances in Environmental Waters by Peak-focusing Online Solid Phase Extraction and Highresolution Mass Spectrometry, ES&T Water

# INVITED SPEAKER AT UNIVERSITIES AND INSTITUTIONS

- 1. **Getzinger, G.J.** Non-target analysis of organic pollutants: A platform for data-driven assessment of aquatic environments. University of Cincinnati. July 2018.
- 2. **Getzinger**, **G.J.** Non-target analysis of organic pollutants: A platform for data-driven assessment of aquatic environments. Big Data in Environmental Sciences Workshop, ETH Zurich. April 2018.
- 3. **Getzinger, G.J.** Non-target analysis: Enabling data driven environmental sciences. Swiss Federal Institute of Aquatic Science and Technology (Eawag). November 2017.
- Getzinger, G.J.; Ferguson, P.L. Exploring environmentally relevant chemical space through ultrahigh resolution mass spectrometry, computational mass spectrometry and chemoinformatics: The example of wastewater derived organic micropollutants. National Center for Computational Toxicology, U.S. EPA. Research Triangle Park, NC. May 2016.
- Getzinger, G.J.; Ferguson, P.L., Non-targeted identification of wastewater and stormwater derived organic micropollutants in the Ellerbe Creek Watershed (Durham, NC) by HPLC-high resolution mass spectrometry. Triangle Area Mass Spectrometry Discussion Group. Research Triangle Park, NC. May 2013.
- 6. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L. Non-targeted analysis of emerging contaminants in wastewater impacted aquatic environments. Thermo Scientific User's Meeting at the Annual Meeting of the American Society for Mass Spectrometry. Vancouver, BC. May 2012.

# Conference Talks as Presenter

- 1. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L. Improving non-target identification of organic contaminants: Probabilistic ranking of structure assignments by computational mass spectrometry. National Meeting of the American Chemical Society. Orlando, FL. April 2019.
- 2. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L. Exploring environmentally relevant chemical space through ultrahigh resolution mass spectrometry, computational mass spectrometry and chemoinformatics: The example of

- wastewater derived organic micropollutants. Congressi Stefano Franscini on Non-target screening of organic chemicals for a comprehensive environmental risk assessment. Ascona, Switzerland. May 2016.
- Getzinger, G.J.; Ferguson, P.L. Aryl Phosphite Antioxidants as Molecular Markers of Plastic Particles in Marine Environments. National Meeting of the Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry. Salt Lake City, UT. November 2015.
- 4. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L. Identifying transformation products of organic micropollutants in conventional wastewater treatment by high-resolution mass spectrometry and differential non-targeted screening. National Meeting of the American Chemical Society. Boston, MA. August 2015.
- 5. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L. Non-targeted analysis of emerging contaminants in wastewater and wastewater impacted aquatic environments. Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry. Long Beach, CA. November 2012.

# Webinars

1. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Beck, J. Analysis of Targeted and Non-targeted Contaminants in Storm Water Retention Ponds. Chemical and Engineering News Webinar. July 2013.

# Conference Poster Presentations

- 1. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Sander, M. On the molecular composition of phenolic dissolved organic matter in bogs. Gordon Research Conference, Environmental Sciences: Water, Holderness, NH. June 2018.
- Getzinger, G.J.; Ferguson, P.L. Exploring environmentally relevant chemical space: The example of wastewater derived organic micropollutants. Gordon Research Conference, Environmental Sciences: Water. Holderness, NH. June 2016.
- Getzinger, G.J.; Ferguson, P.L.. Occurrence and Fate of Aryl Phosphite Polymer Additives in Marine Sediments. Annual meeting of the Association of Environmental Engineering and Science Professors. New Haven, CT. June 2015.
- 4. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L.; McNeill, K. Photosensitized Transformations of Aryl Phosphite Polymer Additives. Gordon Research Conference, Environmental Sciences: Water. Holderness, NH. June 2014.
- 5. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L.; Beck, J.; Yang, C.; Schoutsen, F. Analysis of Targeted and Non-Targeted Identified Contaminants in Storm Water Retention Ponds Using LC-HRMS With Online Solid Phase Extraction. Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mass Spectrometry. Minneapolis, MN. June 2013.
- 6. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L. Non-targeted analysis of emerging contaminants in wastewater impacted environments. Gordon Research Conference, Environmental Sciences: Water. Holderness, NH. June 2012.
- 7. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L. Two-dimensional liquid chromatography high resolution mass spectrometry for the analysis of polar organic contaminants in the aquatic environment. Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry Annual Meeting, Boston, MA. November 2011.
- 8. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L. Two-dimensional liquid chromatography high resolution mass spectrometry for the analysis of complex environmental samples. International Conference of Chemistry and the Environment, Zurich Switzerland. September 2011.
- Getzinger, G.J.; Ferguson P.L. Analysis of oil spill dispersants and degradation products in seawater by twodimensional liquid chromatography-high resolution mass spectrometry. Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry Gulf Oil Spill Meeting, Pensacola Beach, FL. April 2011.
- 10. **Getzinger, G.J.**; Ferguson, P.L. Analysis of oil spill dispersants and degradation products in seawater by liquid-chromatograph-high resolution Orbitrap mass spectrometry. Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry Annual Meeting, Portland, OR. November, 2010.

# TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Course Developer and Instructor for Environmental Photochemistry Practicum, Institute of Biogeochemistry and Pollutant Dynamics, Department of Environmental Systems Science, ETH Zurich (Spring 2018)
- Course Manager and Teaching Assistant Supervisor for Introductory Chemistry Practicum, Institute
  of Biogeochemistry and Pollutant Dynamics, Department of Environmental Systems Science, ETH Zurich
  (Winter 2018)
- **Guest Instructor** for Introduction to Environmental Organic Chemistry, *Institute of Biogeochemistry and Pollutant Dynamics, Department of Environmental Systems Science, ETH Zurich* (Fall 2016-17)
- Guest Instructor for Environmental Analytical Chemistry , Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University (Fall & Spring 2012)
- **Teaching Assistant** for Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology, *Nicholas School of the Environment, Duke University* (Spring 2011)
- Teaching Assistant for Environmental Aquatic Chemistry, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University (Fall 2010)
- Teaching Assistant for Introductory Organic Chemistry Laboratory, Department of Chemistry, Loyola University Chicago (2008-2010)

# Research Advises

- 1. Reto Gubler, *Bachelor Thesis*, "Quantifying Electrophilic Moieties in Dissolved Organic Matter with Biologically Relevant Nucleophiles", ETH Zurich, Summer 2017.
- 2. Oskar Jönsson, *Bachelor Thesis*, "Steady-state Concentrations of Photochemically Produced Reactive Intermediates in Peatland Pool and Pore Waters: Implications for Carbon Export from Northern Peatlands", ETH Zurich, Fall 2016.

# Professional Affiliations and Service

# Conferences Organized:

- Organizing Committee, Non-target Analysis for Comprehensive Environmental Assessment, SETAC Focus Topic Meeting (2020).
- Chair, Gordon Research Seminar on Environmental Sciences: Water (2016).

# Conference Symposia Chaired:

- Discussion Leader, Gordon Research Seminar on Environmental Sciences: Water (2014)
- Session Co-chair, "Helping Contaminants Emerge: Non-targeted and Effect-directed Environmental Analysis", National meeting of the Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry (2014)
- Memberships: American Chemical Society, Division of Environmental Chemistry; Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry.
- Peer-reviewer: Chemosphere, Environment International, Environmental Science and Technology, Environmental Science and Technology Letters, Environmental Sciences: Processes and Impacts, Journal of the American Society for Mass Spectrometry, Science Advances, Water Research.