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Education

University of Washington

PhD Theoretical Chemistry, Advisor: Prof. Xiaosong Li

Seattle

2012–2017

Seattle Pacific University

Dual BS Chemistry & Biochemistry, GPA – 3.93/4.00, Summa Cum Laude

Seattle

2008–2012

Research Interests

- Development of first-principles electronic dynamics including multiple electromagnetic fields.
- Development of relativistic many body methods for magnetic and heavy-element materials.
- Electromagnetic response properties of dilute magnetic semiconductor quantum dots.
- Simulation of high-resolution spectroscopy and femtochemistry for photovoltaics and spintronics.

Honors and Awards

2014: National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellow

2014: Bernard and Claudine Nist Endowed Fellowship in Chemistry

2014: Peter Salamon Award, Telluride Science Research Center

2012: Natt-Lingafelter Graduate Fellowship Award

2010: NSF Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) Fellow

(with Prof. Michael B. Smith, Univ. of Connecticut.)

Presentations

2015: "Theoretical investigation of magnetic exchange interactions in dilute magnetic semiconductor quantum dots induced by defects." Oral Presentation. Pacifichem 2015, Honolulu.

2015: "Linear Response Complex Generalized Hartree-Fock." Oral Presentation. 249th ACS National Meeting, Denver.

2014: "Equation of motion formalism of second order many-body perturbation theory (EOM-MBPT2) and second-order approximate coupled-cluster (CC2)." Oral Presentation. 248th ACS National Meeting, San Francisco.

2014: "Low-Scaling Approximations to the Equation of Motion Coupled-Cluster Singles and Doubles Equations." Oral Presentation. TSRC Excited States and Time-Dependent Electronic Structure Theory, Telluride.

Publications

- (10): L. Nienhaus*, **J. J. Goings***, D. Nguyen, S. Wieghold, J. Lyding, X. Li, M. Gruebele, "Imaging Excited Orbitals of Quantum Dots: Experiment and Electronic Structure Theory", 2015, *J. Amer. Chem. Soc. Article ASAP*. *Authors contributed equally to work
- (9): **J. J. Goings**, F. Ding, E. R. Davidson, X. Li, "Approximate Singly Excited States from a Two-Component Hartree-Fock Reference," *J. Chem. Phys.* 2015, 143 (14), 144106.
- (8): F. Ding, **J. J. Goings**, H. Liu, D. Lingerfelt, X. Li, "Ab Initio Two-Component Ehrenfest Dynamics," *J. Chem. Phys.* 2015, 143 (11), 114105.
- (7): B. Peng, P. J. Lestrangle, **J. J. Goings**, M. Caricato, X. Li, "Energy-Specific Equation-of-Motion Coupled-Cluster Methods for High-Energy Excited States: Application to K-Edge X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy," *J. Chem. Theory Comput.* 2015, 11 (9), 4146–4153.
- (6): **J. J. Goings**, F. Ding., M. J. Frisch, X. Li, "Stability of the Complex Generalized Hartree-Fock Equations," *J. Chem. Phys.* 2015, 142 (15), 154109.
- (5): F. Ding, **J. J. Goings**, M. J. Frisch, X. Li, "Ab initio non-relativistic spin dynamics," *J. Chem. Phys.* 2014, 141 (21), 214111.
- (4): **J. J. Goings**, A. M. Schimpf, J. W. May, R. W. Johns, D. R. Gamelin, X. Li, "Theoretical Characterization of Conduction-Band Electrons in Photodoped and Aluminum-Doped Zinc Oxide (AZO) Quantum Dots," *J. Phys. Chem. C* 2014, 118 (46), 26584–26590.
- (3): **J. J. Goings**, M. Caricato, M. Frisch, X. Li, "Assessment of Low-scaling Approximations to the Equation of Motion Coupled-Cluster Singles and Doubles Equations," *J. Chem. Phys.* 2014, 141 (16), 164116.
- (2): **J. J. Goings**, S. Ohlsen, K. Blaisdell, D. Schofield, "Sorption of H₂ to Open Metal Sites in a Metal Organic Framework: A Symmetry Adapted Perturbation Analysis," *J. Phys. Chem. A* 2014, 118 (35), 7411–7417.
- (1): **J. J. Goings**, F. Ding, X. Li, "Self-Consistent-Field using Direct Inversion in Iterative Subspace Method and Quasi-Newton Vectors," *Adv. Quantum Chem.* Vol. 68, 2014, 77–86.

Professional Societies

2013–: American Chemical Society (ACS), Member

2012–: Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM), Member

Software Contributions

Chronus Quantum: *open-source* real-time time-dependent Hartree Fock module to simulate various time-resolved molecular spectroscopies.

Gaussian: efficient (P-)EOM-MBPT2 modules for computing accurate molecular excited state properties.

Computer skills

Advanced: FORTRAN, python, gnuplot, L^AT_EX, MATLAB, UNIX/Shell

Basic: C, C++, javascript