

Jong M. Shin



Education

Masters of Science and Engineering, Biomedical Engineering (GPA: 4.0/4.0)August 2021 Johns Hopkins University - Whiting School of Engineering, Baltimore, MD Virginia Commonwealth University - School of Medicine, Richmond, VA Thesis: Role of C121A in mGluR2 homodimeric expression and function Bachelor of Science, Immunology and Infectious Diseases with a minor in Microbiology The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA

Publications

- 1. Interclass GPCR heteromerization affects localization and trafficking (2020), Science Signaling [link]
- 2. Site-Specific Incorporation of Genetically Encoded Photo-Crosslinkers Locates the Heteromeric Interface of a GPCR Complex in Living Cells (2020), Cell Chemical Biology [link]
- 3. Fully automated head-twitch detection system for the study of 5-HT2A receptor pharmacology in vivo (2019), Scientific Reports [link]
- 4. Role of mGlu2 in the 5-HT2A receptor-dependent antipsychotic activity of clozapine in mice (2018), Psychopharmacology [link]

Manuscripts In Preparation

Reoma L.B., Shin J.M., Rodriguez L.P., Boritz E., Migueles S., Burbelo P., Kovacs J., Smith B., Nath A., Novel Effect of Pembrolizumab on HIV reservoirs in blood and CSF (submitted to AIDS)

Shin J.M., Reoma L.B., Post-infectious encephalitis (invited review submitted to Drug Discovery Today)

Shin J.M. et al., Blood metabolite signatures of cardiovascular measures in older adults from the Baltimore Longitudinal Study of Aging (BLSA) (in preparation with Dr. Thambisetty @ NIA)

Shin J.M. et al., Deep nets are the worst models of the mind (in preparation with Dr. Vogelstein @ JHU)

Experience

Graduate Research Scholar (Adviser: Joshua Vogelstein, PhD)......September 2020 to Present Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD

- Conducted experiments to explore the behaviors of extrapolation by different machine learning models trained on different datasets
- Assisted with writing multi-million dollar grant proposals (\$25M to DARPA, \$20M to NSF)

Graduate Summer Intern (Adviser: Jeffrey Siewerdsen, Ph.D)July 2020 to September 2020 Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD

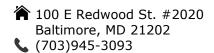
- Produced augmented image dataset from ImageNet for training iRadonMAP algorithm
- Learned to use cudatools for implementing various deep nets from scientific publications

Post baccalaureate IRTA research fellow (Adviser: Madhav Thambisetty, MD) ... May 2020 to March 2021 National Institute on Aging, the National Institutes of Health, Baltimore, MD

Conducted parametric/non-parametric linear regression analysis of the national omics datasets such as metabolomics and proteomics using python and R

Post baccalaureate IRTA research fellow (Adviser: Avindra Nath, MD)......November 2018 to April 2020 National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, the National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD

- Established a protocol for Luciferase Immunoprecipitation Systems assay in the lab to quantitatively and qualitatively assess antibody titers in the blood and CSF samples from over 300 HIV-positive patients
- Performed qPCR to construct the phylogenetic trees on clonal expensions of CD4/CD8 cells in the CSF samples from HIV-positive patients



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Graduate Research Scholar (Adviser: Javier Gonzalez-Maeso, Ph.D) **June 2017 to October 2018** *Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA*

- Investigated the effect of C121A mutation of mGluR2 receptor on homodimer formation
- Performed radioligand binding assays to study membrane receptor expression and functionality of GPCR relevant to heteromer formation involved in schizophrenia
- Conducted behavioral experiments on C57BL/6 mice to study the potentiation of LY341495 on animal's head twitch response effect induced by DOI

• Given lectures in undergraduate physiology courses to 160 students for two semesters

- Independently managed over 200 mouse cages and produced various genetic crosses of mouse colonies to be used on histologic and behavioral studies
- Performed genotypic analysis of the transgenic mice that expresses human huntingtin's gene and ensured positive gene expression controlled by IPTG administration

- Provided over 700 translations in both English and Korean
- Maintained fluent flow of the furniture retail business and provided technical support

Undergraduate Research Scholar (Adviser: Katsuhiko Murakami, Ph.D)...... **May 2011 to May 2013** *The Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA*

- Performed protein purification for X-ray crystallographic structural analysis
- Worked on a research project that involves crystalizing the human mitochondrial RNA polymerase
- Presented grant supported poster at Penn State life science undergraduate exhibition

- Researched the effect of c-Myc inhibition on different human breast cancer cell lines
- Attended a number of medical school classes and medical science seminars

 Provided over 1,000 patients with casts and splints during their clinic visits, emergency room visits, and surgical procedures.

• Operated, repaired, and performed maintenance of gas turbine engine, main propulsion machinery and control systems.

Awards and Recognition

- 1. Private scholarship from JOVO lab (2020) Provision of complete tuition coverage for MSE program
- 2. NIH IRTA Post-bacc Research Fellowship with NINDS (2018) and with NIA (2020)
- 3. The Physiology and Biophysics Department Certificates of Recognition (2018)
- 4. Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society Academic Achievement (2018)
- 5. Undergraduate Exhibition in Life Science Division Grant Recipient (2011)
- 6. George and Elizabeth Smollett Sperling Trustee Scholarship (2011)
- 7. Bunton-Waller Scholarship (2011)
- 8. The Pennsylvania State University Dean's List (2011 2013)

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Abstract and Poster Presentations

- 1. Abstract: C. McMahan, L. Perez, E. Horne, **J. M. Shin**, U. Santamaria, B. R. Smith, A. Nath, E A. Boritz, L. B. Reoma, Pemprolizumab treatment is associated with decreased cell-associated HIV DNA in CSF (2020). CROI
- 2. *Poster*: **J. M. Shin**, S. Khan, R. Kumar, J. Ling. The contribution of c-MYC to glucocorticoid regulated breast cancer cell proliferation (2012). Geisinger Commonwealth School of Medicine
- 3. *Poster*: **J. M. Shin**, V. Molodtsov, K. Murakami. Crystalization of the elongation complex of human mitochondrial RNA polymerase (2012). The Pennsylvania State University

Technical Skills

Programming Languages

Python(sklearn, pytorch, flask, pandas), MATLAB, R, Java, Visual Basic, HTML/CSS

General Program Experiences

Prism, ZEISS ZEN, CLC sequence viewer, Microsoft Office, Adobe Photoshop CS

Language Competency

English, Korean, and Japanese

Laboratory Techniques

Mammalian and bacterial cell culture
Nucleic acid extraction / PCR
Genotypic analysis of mammalian tissue biopsy
Molecular cloning / Site Directed Mutagenesis
Luciferase Immunoprecipitation Systems Assay

Western blot / Immunofluorescence Radioligand binding assays Mouse colony management Protein purification / X-ray crystallography RNAi gene inhibition in Drosophila model

Certificates

The R Programming Environment	January 2020
Machine Learning by Dr. Andrew Ng	September 2019
Premedical Graduate Health Science Certificate Program (CERT) (GPA: 4.0/4.0) Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA	May 2017
Relevant Coursework	
Machine Learning – Deep Learning	JHU (EN.601.664) JHU (EN.580.688) JHU (EN.580.697) JHU (EN.553.636) AES@NIH (BIOF509)