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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

University of Delaware, College of Engineering Postdoctoral Researcher, Chemical Engineering	05/2020
Columbia University, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences Doctor of Philosophy, Chemical Engineering	02/2017
Columbia University, Fu Foundation School of Engineering and Applied Science Master of Science, Chemical Engineering Full GPA	05/2012
National University of Singapore, Faculty of Engineering Bachelor of Engineering, Chemical Engineering First Class Honors	06/2011

RESEARCH

University of Delaware, Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering <i>Postdoctoral Researcher</i>	06/2017–Present <i>Newark, DE</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advisors: Prof. Babatunde A. Ogunnaike and Prof. Kelvin H. Lee• Collaborated with J&J to model and design upstream antibody manufacturing processes• Developed model-based titer and glycosylation control in collaboration with CMU, JHU, and UMD• Created a modular, data-driven approach for efficient adaptation of existing models to new processes• Built a user interface to assist decision-making in cell culture process development and quality control• Optimized codes to run > 60 times faster and drastically reduced computational cost of model training• Presented at CCE, ACS, GRC, and AIChE conferences as well as invited university seminars	
Columbia University, Chemical Engineering <i>Doctoral Student (2011–2016) and Postdoctoral Researcher (2017)</i>	09/2011–05/2017 <i>New York, NY</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advisors: Prof. Venkat Venkatasubramanian and Prof. Garud Iyengar• Led multiple interdisciplinary research teams of graduate and undergraduate students• Received extensive training in computer science and operations research besides chemical engineering• Modeled crowd decision-making dynamics and designed feedback mechanisms to improve efficiency• Developed a data-driven early warning system to predict mine accidents based on open data• Modeled income distribution using statistical mechanics and population game theory• Conducted behavioral research experiments with human subjects on Amazon Mechanical Turk• Collaborated with executives from Prudential Finance and PNC Bank on systemic risk research• Applied process hazard analysis techniques to identifying vulnerabilities in financial networks• Implemented an agent-based model to understand high-frequency trading and its market impacts	
PNC Bank <i>Quantitative Analyst Intern</i>	08/2015–12/2015 <i>New York, NY</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Manager: Dr. Brian Burk	
Singapore-MIT Alliance, Environmental Sensing and Modeling <i>Undergraduate Research Assistant</i>	05/2010–06/2011 <i>Singapore</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advisor: Prof. Adrian Wing-Keung Law	

PUBLICATIONS

1. Venkat Venkatasubramanian and Yu Luo. How much income inequality is fair? Nash bargaining solution and its connection to entropy. In Anindya Chakrabarti, Lukas Pichl, and Taisei Kaizoji, editors, *Network Theory and Agent-Based Modeling in Economics and Finance*. Springer, Singapore, December 2019. Accepted
2. Yu Luo, Garud Iyengar, and Venkat Venkatasubramanian. A one-third advice rule based on a control-theoretic opinion dynamics model. *IEEE Transactions on Computational Social Systems*, 6(3):576–581, June 2019
3. Venkat Venkatasubramanian, Yu Luo, and Zhizun Zhang. Control of complex sociotechnical systems: importance of causal models and game theory. *Computers & Chemical Engineering*, 123:1–11, April 2019
4. Yu Luo, Garud Iyengar, and Venkat Venkatasubramanian. Social influence makes self-interested crowds smarter: an optimal control perspective. *IEEE Transactions on Computational Social Systems*, 5(1):200–209, March 2018
5. Garud Iyengar, Yu Luo, Shivaram Rajgopal, Venkat Venkatasubramanian, and Zhizun Zhang. Towards a financial statement based approach to modeling systemic risk in insurance and banking. *Columbia Business School Research Paper*, 17(177), July 2017. Available at SSRN. **Featured by the “SSRN Top Ten List” in Banking and Insurance, Risk Management and Analysis in Financial Institutions, Risk Management, and Financial Crises categories**
6. Yu Luo, Garud Iyengar, and Venkat Venkatasubramanian. Soft regulation with crowd recommendation: coordinating self-interested agents in sociotechnical systems under imperfect information. *PLoS ONE*, 11(3):e0150343, March 2016
7. Venkat Venkatasubramanian, Yu Luo, and Jay Sethuraman. How much inequality in income is fair? A microeconomic game theoretic perspective. *Physica A: Statistical Mechanics and its Applications*, 435:120–138, October 2015. **Featured by the “ScienceDirect Top 25 List of Most Downloaded Articles”**
8. Richard Bookstaber, Paul Glasserman, Garud Iyengar, Yu Luo, Venkat Venkatasubramanian, and Zhizun Zhang. Process systems engineering as a modeling paradigm for analyzing systemic risk in financial networks. *The Journal of Investing*, 24(2):147–162, May 2015

PRESENTATIONS

1. Yu Luo, Devesh Radhakrishnan, Anne Robinson, and Babatunde A. Ogunnaike. Control of glycosylation and titer in fed-batch monoclonal antibody production. In *AIChE Annual Meeting*, Orlando, FL, November 2019. Oral presentation
2. Yu Luo. Systems approach to advanced decision-making in chemical engineering, biomanufacturing, and society. In *AIChE Annual Meeting*, Orlando, FL, November 2019. Poster presentation
3. Yu Luo. Systems and advanced decisions: from biomanufacturing to opinion dynamics applications. Imperial College London, London, U.K., June 2019. Invited seminar
4. Yu Luo. Systems and advanced decisions: from biomanufacturing to opinion dynamics applications. Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY, June 2019. Invited seminar
5. Yu Luo. Systems and advanced decisions: from biomanufacturing to opinion dynamics applications. Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken, NJ, March 2019. Invited seminar
6. Yu Luo. Systems and advanced decisions: from biomanufacturing to opinion dynamics applications. University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON, Canada, March 2019. Invited seminar

7. Yu Luo, J. Vincent Price, Robert J. Lovelett, Devesh Radhakrishnan, Kristopher Barnthouse, Gene Schaefer, John Cunningham, Ping Hu, Kelvin H. Lee, and Babatunde A. Ogunnaike. Multiscale modeling of antibody production and glycosylation for improved upstream process design. In *ACS National Meeting & Expo*, Orlando, FL, April 2019. Oral presentation
8. Yu Luo, J. Vincent Price, Robert J. Lovelett, Devesh Radhakrishnan, Kristopher Barnthouse, Gene Schaefer, John Cunningham, Ping Hu, Kelvin H. Lee, and Babatunde A. Ogunnaike. Multiscale modeling of antibody production and glycosylation for improved upstream process design. In *Biotherapeutics and Vaccines Development (Gordon Research Conference)*, Galveston, TX, January 2019. Poster presentation
9. Yu Luo, J. Vincent Price, Robert J. Lovelett, Devesh Radhakrishnan, Kristopher Barnthouse, Gene Schaefer, John Cunningham, Ping Hu, Kelvin H. Lee, Raghu Shivappa, and Babatunde A. Ogunnaike. Multiscale modeling of monoclonal antibody (mAb) production and glycosylation in a Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cell culture process. In *AIChE Annual Meeting*, Pittsburgh, PA, October 2018. Oral presentation
10. Yu Luo. Process systems engineering and artificial intelligence for advanced manufacturing: including applications to biopharmaceuticals. In *AIChE Annual Meeting*, Pittsburgh, PA, October 2018. Poster presentation
11. Yu Luo, J. Vincent Price, Robert J. Lovelett, Devesh Radhakrishnan, Kristopher Barnthouse, Gene Schaefer, John Cunningham, Ping Hu, Kelvin H. Lee, Raghu Shivappa, and Babatunde A. Ogunnaike. Multiscale modeling of monoclonal antibody (mAb) production and glycosylation in a CHO cell culture process. In *AMBIC Semiannual Meeting*, Fremont, CA, June 2018. Poster presentation
12. Yu Luo, J. Vincent Price, Robert J. Lovelett, Devesh Radhakrishnan, Kristopher Barnthouse, Gene Schaefer, John Cunningham, Ping Hu, Kelvin H. Lee, Raghu Shivappa, and Babatunde A. Ogunnaike. Multiscale modeling of monoclonal antibody (mAb) production and glycosylation in a CHO cell culture process. In *Cell Culture Engineering XVI*, Tampa, FL, May 2018. Poster presentation
13. Yu Luo, Garud Iyengar, and Venkat Venkatasubramanian. Control with soft feedback in social systems: mathematical principles, empirical evidence, and applications. In *AIChE Annual Meeting*, Minneapolis, MN, November 2017. Oral presentation
14. Yu Luo, Ashutosh Nanda, Shivaram Rajgopal, Vinay Ramesh, Zhizun Zhang, Catherine Zhao, and Venkat Venkatasubramanian. A data-driven early warning system for mining accidents. In *Global Congress on Process Safety*, San Antonio, TX, March 2017. Oral presentation
15. Yu Luo, Garud Iyengar, and Venkat Venkatasubramanian. The control of self-interested agents: learning from nature’s wisdom of crowds. In *AIChE Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, CA, November 2016. Oral presentation. **Finalist and travel grant recipient for the AIChE CAST Division Director’s Student Presentation Award**
16. Yu Luo, Richard Bookstaber, Paul Glasserman, Garud Iyengar, Zhizun Zhang, and Venkat Venkatasubramanian. Process systems engineering beyond chemical plants: signed digraph as a modeling tool for analyzing systemic risk in financial networks. In *AIChE Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, CA, November 2016. Oral presentation
17. Yu Luo. Process systems engineering beyond chemical plants. In *AIChE Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, CA, November 2016. Poster presentation
18. Yu Luo, Garud Iyengar, and Venkat Venkatasubramanian. Soft regulation: coordinating distributed self-interested agents in sociotechnical systems. In *AIChE Annual Meeting*, Atlanta, GA, November 2014. Oral presentation

TEACHING

Managing Systemic Risk in Complex Systems (Graduate) Student Lecturer	Spring 2016 Columbia University
Managing Systemic Risk in Complex Systems (Graduate) Student Lecturer	Fall 2015 Columbia University
Molecular Phenomena (Undergraduate) Teaching Assistant	Spring 2012 Columbia University
Thermodynamics (Undergraduate) Teaching Assistant	Fall 2011 Columbia University

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

The Canadian Journal of Chemical Engineering <i>Reviewer</i>	04/2019–Present
· Reviewed manuscripts on data science, cell culture engineering	
Journal of Computers and Chemical Engineering <i>Outstanding Reviewer</i>	12/2012–Present
· Reviewed 20+ manuscripts on fault detection, fault diagnosis, optimization, risk management	
AIChE <i>Member, Session Chair</i>	11/2014–Present
· Served as session chair for the Pharmaceutical Discovery, Development, and Manufacturing Forum	
Columbia University, Center for the Management of Systemic Risk <i>Webmaster, Event Assistant, Graphic Designer</i>	12/2012–05/2017
· Designed print media, assisted organizing three university-level symposia	

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Language	Python, R, MATLAB, JavaScript, SQL, LISP, HTML, and LaTeX
Simulation	SimuLink, COMSOL, NetLogo, and Aspen HYSYS
Media	Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Premiere, and Adobe After Effects
Graphic Design	Vector art, brochure design, and event poster
Traditional Art	Portrait painting, calligraphy, and piano
Creative Art	Musical composition, song writing, and video editing