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# RESEARCH INTERESTS

Molecular Dynamics Simulations and the Visualization Water/oxide Interfaces
Free Energy Calculation
Vibrational Spectra Prediction
Machine Learning

# **SKILLS**

VASP, Quantum-Espresso, GROMACS, Gaussian 09, CP2k, Chemoffice C, C++, Python, Linux Machine Learning Chemistry lab techniques

# **EDUCATION**

# Ph.D., Chemistry | 2016-Present | Department of Chemistry, CST, Temple University

- · Structure, Dynamics and chemistry of water near water/oxide interfaces.
- · Supervisor: Prof. Eric Borquet, Prof. Vincenzo Carnevale

# M.Sc. in Chemistry | 2013-2016 | Institute of Polymer Chemistry, College of Chemistry, Nankai University

- · Synthesis and mechanism study of enzyme imitation molecular imprinted nanocapsule for catalyzing hydrolysis of organophosphorus pesticide.
- · Supervisor: Prof. Tianying Guo

# B.Sc. in Chemistry | 2009-2013 | College of Chemistry, Nankai University

- · Preparation of a functional polymersome.
- · Supervisor: Prof. Tianying Guo

# **PUBLICATIONS**

(At Temple University)

**Wang, R.**, Remsing, R. C., Klein M., Carnevale V. & Borguet E. Hydrophilicity of Water/ $\alpha$ -Alumina Interfaces. (in preparation)

Wang, R., Klein M., Carnevale V. & Borguet E., Investigation of water/solid interfaces by molecular dynamic simulations. Wiley Interdiscip. Rev. Comput. Mol. Sci. 2021, e1537. (link)

Wang, R., Carnevale V., Klein M. & Borguet E. First Principles Calculation of Water pKa Using the Newly Developed SCAN Functional. *J. Phys. Chem. Lett.* **2020**, *11*, 54-59. (link)

Wang, R., DelloStritto, M., Remsing, R. C., Carnevale, V., Klein, M. L. & Borguet, E., Sodium Halide Adsorption and Water Structure at the  $\alpha$ -Alumina(0001)/Water Interface. *J. Phys. Chem. C* **2019**, *123*, 15618-15628. (<u>link</u>)

(At Nankai University)

**Wang, R.**, Pan, J., Qin, M., & Guo, T., Molecularly imprinted nanocapsule mimicking phosphotriesterase for the catalytic hydrolysis of organophosphorus pesticides. *European Polymer Journal* **2019**, *110*, 1-8. (link)

Shi, H., **Wang, R.**, Yang, J., Ren, H., Liu, S., & Guo, T., Novel imprinted nanocapsule with highly enhanced hydrolytic activity for organophosphorus pesticide degradation and elimination. *European Polymer Journal* **2015**, *72*, 190-201

Liu, Z., Liu, S., Shi, H., Ren, H., **Wang, R.**, Yang, J., & Guo, T., Fluorescently labeled degradable thermoplastic polyurethane elastomers: Visual evaluation for the degradation behavior. *Journal of Applied Polymer Science* **2015**, *132*(36)

Chi, W., Liu, S., Yang, J., **Wang, R.**, Ren, H., Zhou, H., Chen, J. & Guo, T., Evaluation of the effects of amphiphilic oligomers in PEI based ternary complexes on the improvement of pDNA delivery. *Journal of Materials Chemistry B* **2014**, *2*(33), 5387-5396

Guo, Y., **Wang, R.**, Chi, W., Liu, S., Shi, H., & Guo, T., One-step synthesis of reactant-product-dual-template imprinted capsules as phosphotriesterase mimetic enzymes for pesticide elimination. *RSC Advances* **2014**, *4*(16), 7881-7884

# **AWARDS**

Doctoral Dissertation Completion grant Temple University, 2021

College of Science and Technology(CST) Outstanding Research Assistant (RA) Award.

The Daniel Swern Research Award Temple University, 2021

Student Travel Awards: GEOC ACS Spring 2020 Philadelphia 2019

Presidential Fellowship Temple University, 2016

TEDA-Asymchem Scholarship Nankai University, 2014

The Third Prize of Excellent Undergraduate Scholarship in the academic year of 2011-2012.

Nankai University, 2012

The Second Prize of Excellent Undergraduate Scholarship in the academic year of 2010-2011

Nankai University, 2011

The Second Prize of Excellent Undergraduate Scholarship in the academic year of 2009-2010.

Nankai University, 2010

# PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Chemical Society, The Electrochemical Society, American Physical Society Python Software Foundation

# **PRESENTATIONS**

#### CONFERENCE

On the Role of  $\alpha$ -Alumina in the Origin of Life: Surface Driven Assembly of Amino Acids (ACS student travel awards)

Water hydrophilic behavior at aqueous/alumina interfaces

ACS Spring 2021 conference, online

First Principles Calculation of Water pKa Using the Newly Developed SCAN Functional

Workshop: FUNCTIONAL: FUNDAMENTALS, PRACTICES, AND EXTENSIONS, Temple

University, 2019

Penn Conference in Theoretical Chemistry, University of Pennsylvania, 2019

Investigation of the charged Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>(0001) surface in acidic and basic solutions by ab initio MD simulations

Penn Conference in Theoretical Chemistry, University of Pennsylvania, 2018

*Ion adsorption and water dynamics near α-alumina (0001)/water interface* ACS YCC Poster Session and Grad School/Career Fair, Philadelphia. 2018

Ion adsorption and water behavior near α-alumina(0001)/water interface ACS 254th National Meeting & Exposition, Washington, D.C. 2017 Penn Conference in Theoretical Chemistry, University of Pennsylvania, 2017

Adsorption of Sodium Halides to the Water-Air and Water-Alumina Interfaces
ACS YCC Poster Session and Grad School/Career Fair, Philadelphia. 2017
Experimental and Computational Approaches to Understanding Aqueous Interfaces workshop,
Temple University, 2017

#### **SEMINAR**

Ion Solutions at Mineral/Water Interfaces: Bridging the Gap between Computational Modeling and Spectroscopy. ICCAS Beijing, China; Temple University, USA. 2019

# RESEARCH PROJECTS

(At Temple University)

Supervisor: Eric Borquet, Vincenzo Carnevale

The role of α-alumina(0001)/water interfaces for life origin (2019-)

Other Collaborators: Richard C. Remsing

Calculations of pKa by recently developed SCAN functional (2018-)

Other Collaborators: Richard C. Remsing, Mark DelloStritto

Dynamics, hydrogen bond structures and vibrational analysis at the neutral alumina (0001)/water interface (2018-2019)

Other Collaborators: Stefan Piontek, Richard C. Remsing, Mark DelloStritto, Tim Marshall

Calculations of the vSFG of alumina (0001)/water interfaces in acidic or basic solutions by SCAN functional (2017-2020)

Other Collaborators: Mark DelloStritto

Ion adsorption near the alumina (0001)/water interface by molecular dynamics simulations (2016-2018)

Other Collaborators: Richard C. Remsing, Mark DelloStritto

(At Nankai University)

Supervisor: Tianying Guo

Mechanism study for molecular imprinted polymers as enzyme imitation using Density Function

Theory method (2015-2016) Co-advisor: Mingtao Zhang

Synthesis of enzyme imitation molecular imprinted nanocapsules catalyzing organophosphorus pesticide hydrolysis (2014-2015)

Synthesis of multi-function hollowed nanoparticles for gene delivery (2013-2014)

One-step synthesis of reactant-product-dual-template imprinted capsules as phosphotriesterase mimetic enzymes for pesticide elimination. (2012-2013)