# Dejun Lin

Curriculum Vitae

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## Education

**University of Rochester Medical Center** 

Ph.D. in Biophysics

University of Rochester Medical Center

M.S. in Biophysics

**Nankai University** 

B.S. in Biological Sciences

Rochester, NY

2013-2015

Rochester, NY

2010-2013

Tianjin, China

2006-2010

# Research Experience

# Postdoctoral Research.

#### **University of Washington**

Advisors: William Noble and Cole Trapnell

Seattle. WA

2016 - current

 Design, validate and apply computational methods for interpreting single-cell Hi-C and RNA-seq data to better understand the relationship between genome 3D architecture and gene expression

#### Graduate Research.....

#### **University of Rochester Medical Center**

Advisor: Alan Grossfield

Rochester, NY

2010 - 2015

- o Determine the thermodynamics of antimicrobial lipopeptides' interaction with membranes via computer simulation and free energy calculation
  - Methods: nonlinear system dynamics; solve partial differential equations; statistical sampling; data mining
- o Parametrize a coarse-grained force field based on Gay-Berne potentials and electric multipoles
  - Methods: quantum mechanics; machine learning
- o Develop a novel algorithm to evaluate electric multipole interaction energy and gradients
  - Methods: linear algebra; tensor calculus; Fourier analysis

## Undergraduate Research.

#### **Nankai University**

Tianjin, China

Tianjin Key Laboratory of Protein Science

2009 - 2010

 Solve the X-ray crystal structure of gentisate 1,2-dioxygenase from Silicibacter pomeroyi (GDOsp) bound to its substrate

#### Nankai University

Tianjin, China

Laboratory of Plant Molecular Biology

2008 - 2009

Improve the biochemical production of Vinblastine in Catharanthus roseus via plant tissue engineering

## Computational Skills

## Software Developed...

- **Generalized weighted histogram analysis method**: A C++11 template library for calculating free energy profile from various enhanced sampling schemes, https://github.com/dejunlin/gwham
- Cartesian tensor-based generalized electric multipole interaction: A C++11 template library for evaluating electric multipole interaction energy and gradients, https://github.com/dejunlin/emp
- Contact-based reaction coordinate in umbrella sampling: An extension to GROMACS 4.6.3 with OpenMPI parallelization (in house)
- o Gay Berne-Electric Multipole coarse grained force field: An extension to LAMMPS (in house)
- o **Improving the Distributed Replica Sampling software suite**: An extension to the original software package (in house)

## Programming Language.....

o I'm fluent in template meta-programming and object-oriented programming in C++. I have done a lot of scripting using Perl and Python. I'm also familiar with C and Fortran.

## Programming Environment.....

 I'm proficient at programming on Linux. I have experience with programming on Windows using MS Visual Studio. I'm fluent in using various GNU Vim-based IDE. I have experience with code analysis using Valgrind and code debugging using GDB. I'm familiar with version control tools such as Git and SVN.

# High Performance Computing.

o I'm fluent in using message-passing or shared-memory based parallelization. I'm also familiar with vectorization using SSE and AVX intrinsics.

# Distributed Computing.

 I'm familiar with socket and network programming. I have experience with developing API for cross-platform communication and distributed computing to achieve massive parallelization and enhanced sampling in molecular dynamics simulations.

## **Publications**

- 1. **Dejun Lin**, Alan Grossfield *Coarsed-grained membrane force field based on Gay-Berne potential and electric multipoles.* In: *Many-Body Effects and Electrostatics in Biomolecules*. Ed. by Qiang Cui, Markus Meuwly, Pengyu Ren. in press. Pan Stanford Publishing. Chap. 14.
- 2. **Dejun Lin** Generalized and efficient algorithm for computing multipole energies and gradients based on Cartesian tensors. J. Chem. Phys. 143 (2015): 14115.
- 3. **Dejun Lin**, Alan Grossfield *Thermodynamics of Micelle Formation and Membrane Fusion Modulate Antimicrobial Lipopeptide Activity*. Biophys. J. 109 (2015): 750–759. *Recommended by the editor in New and Notable of Biophys. J. and announced in EurekAlert! Science News*.
- 4. **Dejun Lin**, Alan Grossfield *Thermodynamics of Antimicrobial Lipopeptide Binding to Membranes: Origins of Affinity and Selectivity.* Biophys. J. 107 (2014): 1862–1872.

- 5. Joshua N. Horn, Jesse D. Sengillo, **Dejun Lin**, Tod D. Romo, Alan Grossfield *Characterization of a potent antimicrobial lipopeptide via coarse-grained molecular dynamics.* Biochim. Biophys. Acta, Biomembr. 1818 (Feb. 2012): 212–218.
- 6. Wenzheng Zhang, Wei Peng, Mingzhuo Zhao, **Dejun Lin**, Zonghao Zeng, Weihong Zhou, Mark Bartlam *Expression, purification and preliminary crystallographic analysis of human thyroid hormone responsive protein.* Acta Crystallogr Sect F Struct Biol Cryst Commun 67 (Aug. 2011): 941–946.

## Conference Presentations

- 1. **Dejun Lin**, Alan Grossfield *Thermodynamics govern the mechanism of antimicrobial lipopeptides: insights from coarse-grained molecular dynamics simulations*. In: **59th Annual Biophysical Society Meeting**. Baltimore, MD, USA, Feb. 7–11, 2015.
- 2. **Dejun Lin**, Alan Grossfield *Investigation of the mechanism of antimicrobial lipopeptides using coarse-grained molecular dynamics simulations*. In: **58th Annual Biophysical Society Meeting**. San Francisco, CA, USA, Feb. 15–19, 2014.
- 3. **Dejun Lin**, Alan Grossfield *Investigation of the mechanism of antimicrobial lipopeptides using coarse-grained molecular dynamics simulations*. In: **Computational Chemistry Gordon Research Conference**. Mount Snow, VT, USA, July 19–25, 2014.
- Dejun Lin, Joshua Horn, Zhen Xia, Pengyu Ren, Alan Grossfield Investigation of the mechanism of antimicrobial lipopeptides using coarse-grained molecular dynamics simulations. In: 57th Annual Biophysical Society Meeting. Philadelphia, PA, USA, Feb. 2–6, 2013.
- 5. **Dejun Lin**, Joshua Horn, Alan Grossfield *Estimating the free energy to bind a potent antimicro-bial lipopeptide to a model membrane bilayer*. In: **56th Annual Biophysical Society Meeting**. San Diego, CA, USA, Feb. 25–29, 2012.

## Honor and Awards

### Presentation Awards.

- o Student Seminar Award, 2014 fall and 2012 spring
- o Elena Gilde Grossfield presentation award, 2013
- o Graduate Student Society poster competition award, 2014

#### Fellowship.....

- o The Elon Huntington Hooker Graduate Fellowship, 2014
- o The Leon L. Miller Graduate Fellowship, 2011
- Second-class Scholarship of Nankai University in 2009, 2008 and 2007
- o The Freshmen Scholarship of Nankai University in 2006

# Travel Grants.....

o Neuman Travel Award, 2014, 2013, 2012

# Others.

o Wallace O. Fenn Award for excellent thesis research, 2016