

# Chunlin Song

Email: songchunlin[AT]scu.edu.cn ◇ geocsong[AT]gmail.com ◇ Tel: +86 15328091024

SKLH, College of Water Resources and Hydropower, Sichuan University

No.24 South Section 1, Yihuan Road, Chengdu, China

---

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Riverine carbon cycle; permafrost hydrology and hydro-environment; permafrost carbon cycle; catchment eco-hydrology

---

## EMPLOYMENT

State Key Laboratory of Hydraulics and Mountain River Engineering, College of Water Resources and Hydropower, Sichuan University *Jun. 2020 - Present*

***Tenure-track Associate Professor***

Institute of Mountain Hazards and Environment, Chinese Academy of Sciences *Jul. 2019 - Jun. 2020*

***Special Research Associate***

---

## EDUCATION

**Institute of Mountain Hazards and Environment, Chinese Academy of Sciences & University of Chinese Academy of Sciences** *Sept. 2015 - Jun. 2019*

*PhD* in Physical Geography, advisor: Professor Genxu Wang

Dissertation: Riverine Carbon Export Processes of the Yangtze River Source Region

**Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies** *Nov. 2017 - Jan. 2019*

*Visiting PhD student*, work on river biogeochemistry, advisor: Professor Peter A. Raymond

**Institute of Mountain Hazards and Environment, Chinese Academy of Sciences & University of Chinese Academy of Sciences** *Sept. 2013 - Aug. 2015*

*Master student* in Physical Geography, advisor: Professor Genxu Wang

**College of Water Resources and Hydropower, Sichuan University** *Sept. 2009 - Jun. 2013*

*Bachelor of Engineering* in Hydrology and Water Resources Engineering

---

## PUBLICATIONS

### Papers awaiting publication

- **Chunlin Song**, Genxu Wang, Jiao Liu, Kewei Huang, Yang Li. Riverine particulate C and N export from a Qinghai-Tibet Plateau permafrost river. (in preparation)

### Peer-reviewed Papers (First Author)

9. **Chunlin Song**, Genxu Wang, Zhaoyong Hu, Kewei Huang, Tao Zhang, Xiaopeng Chen, Yang Li (2020). Net ecosystem carbon budget of a grassland ecosystem in central Qinghai-Tibet Plateau: integrating terrestrial and aquatic carbon fluxes at catchment scale. *Agricultural and Forest Meteorology*, 290, 108021, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.agrformet.2020.108021>
8. **Chunlin Song**, Genxu Wang, Negar Haghipour, Peter A. Raymond (2020). Warming and monsoonal climate lead to a large export of millennial-aged carbon from permafrost catchments of the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau. *Environmental Research Letters*, 15(7): 074012. <https://doi.org/10.1088/1748-9326/ab83ac>

---

Updated April 2021. More info: **ResearchGate**; **Google Scholar**

7. **Chunlin Song**, Genxu Wang, Tianxu Mao, Kewei Huang, Xiangyang Sun, Zhaoyong Hu, Ruiying Chang, Xiaopeng Chen, Peter A. Raymond (2020). Spatiotemporal variability and sources of DIC in permafrost catchments of the Yangtze River source region: insights from stable carbon isotope and water chemistry. *Water Resources Research*, 56(1): e2019WR025343. <https://doi.org/10.1029/2019WR025343>
6. **Chunlin Song**, Genxu Wang, Tianxu Mao, Junchen Dai, Daqing Yang (2020). Linkage between permafrost distribution and river runoff changes across the Arctic and the Tibetan Plateau. *Science China Earth Sciences*, 63(2): 292-302. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11430-018-9383-6>
5. **Chunlin Song**, Genxu Wang, Tianxu Mao, Xiaopeng Chen, Kewei Huang, Xiangyang Sun, Zhaoyong Hu (2019). Importance of active layer freeze-thaw cycles on the riverine dissolved carbon export on the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau permafrost region. *PeerJ*, 7:e7146. <https://doi.org/10.7717/peerj.7146>
4. **Chunlin Song**, Genxu Wang, Guangsheng Liu, Tianxu Mao, Xiangyang Sun, Xiaopeng Chen (2017). Stable isotope variations of precipitation and streamflow reveal the young water fraction of a permafrost watershed. *Hydrological Processes*, 31(4), 935-947. <https://doi.org/10.1002/hyp.11077>
3. **Chunlin Song**, Genxu Wang, Xiangyang Sun, Ruiying Chang, Tianxu Mao (2016). Control factors and scale analysis of annual river water, sediments and carbon transport in China. *Scientific Reports*, 6:25963. <https://doi.org/10.1038/srep25963>
2. **Chunlin Song**, Xiangyang Sun, Genxu Wang (2015). A study on precipitation stable isotopes characteristics and vapor sources of the subalpine Gongga Mountain, China. *Resources and Environment in the Yangtze Basin*, 24(11), 1860-1869. (in Chinese with English Abstract)
1. **Chunlin Song**, Xiangyang Sun, Genxu Wang (2015). A review on carbon and water interactions of forest ecosystem and its impact factors. *Chinese Journal of Applied Ecology*, 26(9), 2891-2902. (in Chinese with English Abstract)

#### Peer-reviewed Papers (Co-author)

12. Judith A. Rosentreter, Alberto V. Borges, Bridget R. Deemer, Meredith A. Holgerson, Shaoda Liu, **Chunlin Song**, John Melack, Peter A. Raymond, Carlos M. Duarte, George H. Allen, David Olefeldt, Benjamin Poulter, Tom I. Battin Bradley D. Eyre (2021). Half of global methane emissions come from highly variable aquatic ecosystem sources. *Nature Geoscience*, 14, 225-230. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41561-021-00715-2>
11. Kewei Huang, Junchen Dai, Genxu Wang, Juan Chang, Yaqiong Lu, **Chunlin Song**, Zhaoyong Hu, Naveed Ahmed, Renzheng Ye (2020). The Impact of Land Surface Temperatures on Suprapermafrost Groundwater on the Central Qinghai-Tibet Plateau. *Hydrological Processes*. <https://doi.org/10.1002/hyp.13677>
10. Xiangyang Sun, Genxu Wang, Mei Huang, Ruiying Chang, Zhaoyong Hu, **Chunlin Song**, Juying Sun (2020). The asynchronous response of carbon gain and water loss generate spatio-temporal pattern of WUE along elevation gradient in southwest China. *Journal of Hydrology*, 124389. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jhydrol.2019.124389>
9. Xiaoyan Song, Genxu Wang, Fei Ran, Kewei Huang, Juying Sun, **Chunlin Song**. (2020). Soil moisture as a key factor in carbon release from thawing permafrost in a boreal forest. *Geoderma*, 357, 113975. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.geoderma.2019.113975>
8. Zhaoyong Hu, Genxu Wang, Xiangyang Sun, Jian Wang, Xiaopeng Chen, **Chunlin Song**, Xiaoyan Song, Shan Lin (2019). Variations in belowground carbon use strategies under different climatic conditions. *Agricultural and Forest Meteorology*, 268, 32-39. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.agrformet.2019.01.005>
7. Zhaoyong Hu, Genxu Wang, Xiangyang Sun, Meizhuang Zhu, **Chunlin Song**, Kewei Huang and Xiaopeng Chen (2018). Spatial-Temporal Patterns of Evapotranspiration Along an Elevation Gradient on Mount Gongga, Southwest China. *Water Resources Research*, 54(6), 4180-4192. <https://doi.org/10.1029/2018WR022645>

6. Xiaopeng Chen, Genxu Wang, Tao Zhang, Tianxu Mao, Da Wei, **Chunlin Song**, Zhaoyong Hu, Kewei Huang (2017). Effects of warming and nitrogen fertilization on GHG flux in an alpine swamp meadow of a permafrost region. *Science of the Total Environment*, 601, 1389-1399. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2017.06.028>
5. Xiaopeng Chen, Genxu Wang, Kewei Huang, Zhaoyong Hu, **Chunlin Song**, Yiming Liang, Jian Wang, Xiaoyan Song, Shan Lin (2017). The effect of nitrogen deposition rather than warming on carbon flux in alpine meadows depends on precipitation variations. *Ecological Engineering*, 107, 183-191. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ecoleng.2017.07.018>
4. Xiaoyan Song, Genxu Wang, Fei Ran, Ruiying Chang, **Chunlin Song**, Yao Xiao (2017). Effects of topography and fire on soil CO<sub>2</sub> and CH<sub>4</sub> flux in boreal forest underlain by permafrost in northeast China. *Ecological Engineering*, 106, 35-43. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ecoleng.2017.05.033>
3. Genxu Wang, Tianxu Mao, Juan Chang, **Chunlin Song**, Kewei Huang (2017). Processes of runoff generation operating during the spring and autumn seasons in a permafrost catchment on semi-arid plateaus. *Journal of Hydrology*, 550:307-317. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jhydrol.2017.05.020>
2. Xiaopeng Chen, Genxu Wang, Tao Zhang, Tianxu Mao, Da Wei, Zhaoyong Hu, **Chunlin Song** (2017). Effects of warming and nitrogen fertilization on GHG flux in the permafrost region of an alpine meadow. *Atmospheric environment*, 157, 111-124. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.atmosenv.2017.03.024>
1. Xiangyang Sun, Genxu Wang, Mei Huang, Zhaoyong Hu, **Chunlin Song** (2017). Effect of climate change on seasonal water use efficiency in subalpine *Abies fabri*. *Journal of Mountain Science*, 14(1), 142-157. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11629-016-3867-9>

## Patents

- **SONG Chunlin**, WANG Genxu, SUN Xiangyang. A water surface greenhouse gas auto-sampler chamber. Chinese invention patent (Issued No. ZL201620140461.3), 2019-06-21.
- **SONG Chunlin**, SUN Xiangyang, HU Zhaoyong, WANG Genxu. A vacuum porous core filter device. Chinese utility new model patent (Issued No. ZL201520272366.4), 2015-09-16.

## Monograph

- WANG Genxu, YI Shuhua. *Ecological process of cryosphere changes and carbon cycle impact* (in Chinese). Beijing: Science Press. 2019. Contributed a chapter.
- WANG Genxu, ZHANG Zhiqiang, LI Xiaoyan. *Introduction to Ecohydrology* (in Chinese). Beijing: Science Press. 2019. Contributed a chapter.

## PRESENTATIONS

---

### Oral Presentations

- **Chunlin Song**. Carbon export patterns and mechanisms in typical permafrost draining rivers in of the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau permafrost region. Mountain Science Young Scholars Development Forum, Chengdu, China. 09/20/2019.
- Peter A. Raymond, **Chunlin Song**, Shaoda Liu, George H. Allen. Stream and River Methane Emissions. AGU Fall Meeting 2018, Washington, D.C., USA. 12/14/2018.
- **Chunlin Song**, Genxu Wang, Tianxu Mao. Seasonal riverine export of dissolved carbon affected by active layer freeze-thaw cycles in headwater streams of the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau permafrost region. AGU Fall Meeting 2017, New Orleans, USA. 12/13/2017.
- Genxu Wang, **Chunlin Song** (speaker). Mechanism of the surface runoff processes of a permafrost watershed in the Qinghai-Tibet plateau. The 2nd Asian Conference on Permafrost, Sapporo, Japan. 07/03/2017.

- **Chunlin Song**, Tianxu Mao. Carbon export and its control factors of Yangtze River source region. Institute of Mountain Hazards and Environment, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Chengdu, China. 11/13/2016.
- **Chunlin Song**. Invited to give a presentation about doctoral life to undergraduates at the mountain science summer school. Institute of Mountain Hazards and Environment, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Chengdu, China. 07/21/2016.
- **Chunlin Song**. Theory and application of Meta-analysis. Institute of Mountain Hazards and Environment, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Chengdu, China. 05/03/2016.

## FUNDED GRANTS

---

**PI:** Sichuan University Start Up Funding for Research 2020 - 2023  
*Key Processes of River Carbon Cycle in Permafrost Regions of the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau and Their Effects on Watershed Carbon Balance*

**PI:** China Postdoctoral Science Foundation Project 2019 - 2021  
*Age and Source of Riverine Dissolved Carbon in Continuous Permafrost Region of the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau*

**Co-PI:** Sub-Project of the Second Tibetan Plateau Scientific Expedition and Research Program (STEP) 2019 - 2022  
*Wetland ecosystem and changes in hydrological processes*

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

---

**Institute of Mountain Hazards and Environment, Chinese Academy of Sciences** Jul. 2014 - Jun. 2019  
*Research Assistant* *Professor Genxu Wang*

- Preliminary study, field work, sampling campaign, data logging, sample analysis and data analysis for project *Three-River Headwaters Region Runoff Generation, Changing Mechanisms, and Permafrost Ecohydrological Processes Modelling*
- Field work, sampling campaign, data logging, sample analysis and data analysis for project *The ecological processes of the cryosphere change and its impact on carbon cycle*

**Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies** Nov. 2017 - Jan. 2019  
*Visiting Assistant in Research* *Professor Peter A. Raymond*

- Lab work, data collection, data analysis, and results interpretation for great Arctic rivers aged carbon export and global inland water methane emission studies
- Lab work, data analysis, and results interpretation for riverine carbon isotopes of Yangtze River source region rivers

**Institute of Mountain Hazards and Environment, Chinese Academy of Sciences** Aug. 2014 - Jun. 2015  
*Research Assistant* *Assistant Professor Xiangyang Sun*

- Field work, water sampling campaign, sample analysis and data analysis for project *Seasonal Variations and Impact Factors of Organic Carbon Export in Small Alpine Forest Watershed*

**Institute of Mountain Hazards and Environment, Chinese Academy of Sciences** Summer 2013 and Summer 2014  
*Field Work Volunteer* *Assistant Professor Xiangyang Sun and Ruiying Chang*

- Soil and plant sampling along elevation gradient in Mount Gongga, field equipment installation and maintenance, and related lab work at Alpine Ecosystem Observation and Experiment Station of Mount Gongga for two projects: *Water-carbon Interactions and Spatial-temporal Mechanisms of Dark Coniferous Forest*

## PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

---

May 2018, The Geo-Computation and Environmental Analysis Workshop. Yale Center for Research Computing.

April 2016 Meta-analysis Workshop in Ecology and Conservation. Xishuangbanna Tropical Botanical Garden, Chinese Academy of Sciences.

May 2014 Development of Data Acquisition and Flux Observation Technology Training Conference. TRUWEL TECHNOLOGY, Beijing.

## AWARDS & HONORS

---

Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, 2020

China Scholarship Council Fellowship for Joint Ph.D. Training Program, 2017

Bronze Prize of ACOP 2017 Photo Contest

Pacemaker of Merit Student Award, 2017 (1%)

National Scholarship for Doctoral Students, 2016 (6%)

First Class Prize of the IMHE Academic Award, 2016 (10%)

Second Class Prize of the Director Scholarship of the Chengdu Branch of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, 2015 (1.7%)

National Scholarship for Master Students, 2014 (3%)

First Class Prize of the IMHE Academic Award, 2014 (6%)

Merit Student Award of the University of Chinese Academy of Sciences, 2014, 2015, & 2016 (15%)

Sichuan University Excellent Undergraduate Thesis Award, 2013 (5%)

## SKILLS & OTHERS

---

**Lab & Experimental:** vario TOC select TOC/TNb Analyser; Los Gatos Research DLT-100 Liquid Water Isotope Analyser; Eddy Covariance Systems; Campbell Scientific CR1000 dataloggers; LI-8150 Soil CO<sub>2</sub> Flux System; Vario MACRO cube Elemental Analyzer; Cryogenic carbon purification from water samples; Thermo MAT 253 Stable Isotope Analyser; Potassium persulfate method and TC/EA for DOC isotope analysis

**Fieldwork:** Working knowledge and experience related to hydrology and ecology includes: hydrological observation; sampling of water, soil, gas, sediments, and plant; CO<sub>2</sub> flux observation; water quality measurement

**Computer:** R, ArcGIS, EndNote, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, AutoCAD, HTML & CSS, GitHub, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, MS Office

**Language:** Chinese (native speaker), English (6.5 in IELTS)

**Field Trips:** Gongga Mountain, Qinghai-Tibet Plateau, Tuotuo River, Tongtian River, Lancang River, Yellow River, Nu River, Jinsha River, Min River (Sichuan), Dadu River, Yalong River, Jialing River, Yangtze

River, Connecticut River

**Peer Review Services:** Hydrological Processes; Journal of Hydrology; Environmental Research Letters; Hydrology and Earth System Sciences; Water Resources Research; Quaternary International; Advances in Water Resources; Journal of Mountain Science; Chinese Journal of Applied Ecology; Second Order Draft of the IPCC AR6 (group review)

**Professional Organizations:** American Geophysical Union; Permafrost Young Researchers Network; Chinese Society of Cryospheric Science

**ORCID:** <http://orcid.org/0000-0003-3627-2350>

**CV in Chinese:** <http://cwrh.scu.edu.cn/index/teachershow-80-148-324-1.html>