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Education

Shandong University	Ph.D. in Atmospheric Sciences	2015–2022	Qingdao, China
	Advisor: Prof. Likun Xue		
	Co-advisor: Prof. Joost de Gouw		

Employment

Postdoctoral Fellow	Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering,	Dec. 2022–
(Supervisor: Prof. Tao Wang)	Hong Kong Polytechnic University	Present

Professional Experience

Visiting Scholar	Cooperative Institute for Research in	Sep. 2019–
(Supervisor: Prof. Joost de Gouw)	Environmental Sciences,	Sep. 2020
	University of Colorado Boulder	

List of Peer-Reviewed Publications [[ResearchGate](#)]

Publications = 45; citations = 1290; H-index = 21

In Preparation & Submitted (First Author Only)

#Co-First Authors

8. **Chen, T.**, Xue, L., and Tao, W: Can we reach consensus on the dominant HONO formation pathway in China from a perspective of field measurement, to be submitted soon.
7. Zou, Z.[#], **Chen, T.**[#], Chen, Q., Sun, W., Han, S., Ren, Z., Li, X., Song, W., Ge, A., Wang, Q., Tian, X., Pei, C., Wang, X., Zhang, Y., and Tao, W.: Missing sinks of atmospheric OH and HO₂ radicals in a subtropical rural site and implications for secondary pollutants, submitted to *Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics*.

Published (First Author Only)

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6. **Chen, T.**, Wang, T., Xue, L., and Guy, B.: Heatwave exacerbates air pollution in China through intertwined climate–energy–environment interactions, *Science Bulletin*, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scib.2024.05.018>, 2024b. (IF=18.8)
5. **Chen, T.**, Gilman, J., Kim, S.-W., Lefer, B., Washenfelter, R., Young, C. J., Rappenglueck, B., Stevens, P. S., Veres, P. R., Xue, L., and de Gouw, J.: Modeling the Impacts of Volatile Chemical Product Emissions on Atmospheric Photochemistry and Ozone Formation in Los Angeles, *Journal of Geophysical Research: Atmospheres*, 129, e2024JD040743, <https://doi.org/10.1029/2024JD040743>, 2024a. (Since being published online in June 2024, it has had over 670 full-text views.)
4. **Chen, T.**, Huang, L., Zhang, X., Gao, R., Li, H., Fan, K., Ma, D., Ma, Z., Xue, L., and Wang, W.: Effects of coal chemical industry on atmospheric volatile organic compounds emission and ozone formation in a northwestern Chinese city, *Science of The Total Environment*, 839, 156149, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2022.156149>, 2022b. (Cited by 11.)

3. **Chen, T.**, Zheng, P., Zhang, Y., Dong, C., Han, G., Li, H., Yang, X., Liu, Y., Sun, J., Li, H., Zhang, X., Li, Y., Wang, W., and Xue, L.: Characteristics and formation mechanisms of atmospheric carbonyls in an oilfield region of northern China, *Atmospheric Environment*, 274, 118958, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.atmosenv.2022.118958>, 2022a. (Cited by 16.)
2. Sun, L.[#], **Chen, T.**[#], Jiang, Y., Zhou, Y., Sheng, L., Lin, J., Li, J., Dong, C., Wang, C., Wang, X., Zhang, Q., Wang, W., and Xue, L.: Ship emission of nitrous acid (HONO) and its impacts on the marine atmospheric oxidation chemistry, *Science of The Total Environment*, 735, 139355, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2020.139355>, 2020b. (Cited by 25.)
1. **Chen, T.**, Xue, L., Zheng, P., Zhang, Y., Liu, Y., Sun, J., Han, G., Li, H., Zhang, X., Li, Y., Li, H., Dong, C., Xu, F., Zhang, Q., and Wang, W.: Volatile organic compounds and ozone air pollution in an oil production region in northern China, *Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics*, 20, 7069–7086, <https://doi.org/10.5194/acp-20-7069-2020>, 2020a. (Cited by 72.)

Peer Review Activities

Paper Reviewer: Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics, ACS ES&T Air, Journal of Geophysical Research: Atmospheres, Science of the Total Environment, Journal of Environmental Sciences, Journal of Hazardous Materials, Atmospheric Research, Atmospheric Environment, Air Quality, Atmosphere & Health, Heliyon.

Conference Presentations

7. **Chen, T.**, et al. Heatwave exacerbates air pollution in China through intertwined climate-energy-environment interactions. The 29th Atmospheric Environmental Science and Technology Conference. Online, 12 December 2023 (oral).
6. **Chen, T.** et al. Characteristics of atmospheric VOCs pollution in a typical coal chemical city and its effect on winter ozone. The 27th Atmospheric Environmental Science and Technology Conference. Online, 30 November 2021 (oral).
5. Gouw, de J., & **Chen, T.** Quantifying the contribution from volatile chemical product emissions to ozone formation in Los Angeles, California. AGU Fall Meeting. Online, 16 December 2020 (oral).
4. **Chen, T.** et al. VOC emissions and photochemical pollution in an open oil field in Northern China. AGU Fall Meeting. Online, 11 December 2020 (poster).
3. **Chen, T.** et al. Photochemical air pollution in the Yellow River Delta region: impacts from the oil industry and biomass burning. AGU Fall Meeting. San Francisco, US, 9–13 December 2019 (poster).
2. **Chen, T.** et al. Vertical distribution of non-methane hydrocarbons and halogenated hydrocarbons in Northeast China in the summer of 2018. The 11th National Conference on Environmental Chemistry. Tianjin, China, 17 August 2019 (oral).
1. **Chen, T.** et al. Airborne measurement of air pollution in Northeast China in summer 2018. The 24th Atmospheric Environmental Science and Technology Conference. Qingdao, China, 3 November 2018 (oral).

Ph.D. Thesis

Chen, T. Impacts of volatile organic compound emissions from energy extraction and utilization processes on atmospheric photochemistry.

Technical Skills

Programming languages and skills: R, Python, Matlab, Machine Learning

Modeling experience: Framework for 0-D Atmospheric Modeling, GEOS-Chem

Software Asset

FOQAT: An R package to process and analyze air quality and field observation data. (Listed on CRAN with over 17,000 downloads as of August 2024, from users across universities, research institutions, and environmental protection departments.)

Github: <https://github.com/tianshu129/foqat> with DOI: [10.5281/zenodo.8394215](https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.8394215)

Professional Association

Member of the Ozone Pollution Control Professional Committee of the Chinese Society of Environmental Sciences, 2024–Present

Awards and Honors

- Science and Technology Award (2nd class) for research "Development of explicit atmospheric chemical box model and its applications in secondary air pollution control", Ministry of Ecology and Environment of China, 2022
- China Scholarship Council (CSC) Scholarship, China Scholarship Council, 2019
- Excellent Report Award, The 24th Atmospheric Environmental Science and Technology Conference, 2018