

# YAO-KUAN WANG

## CONTACT

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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Operating system:

- Linux

Programming:

- C
- IDL
- Python
- LabVIEW
- and Bash

Image processing:

- OpenCV
- Scikit-image (Python package)
- ImageJ

Machine learning:

- Scikit-learn (Python package)
- Keras (Python package)

Simulation:

- Molecular dynamics

## LANGUAGES

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Mandarin: native speaker

English: good working knowledge

## REFERENCES

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References available on request.

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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I had worked in a biophysics lab which is highly interdisciplinary between **physics** and **bacteria** for 4 years during my bachelor's and master's degree. I explored the diversities of bacteria by both numerical simulations and microscope experiments. Thus, besides from the theoretical simulation, I am also capable of the skills of image processing and microscope operation. I would like to advance my knowledge on **applying computer vision algorithms to medical imaging analysis** as a PhD student with an expert.

## EDUCATION

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2016-2018

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PHYSICS**

Department of Physics, National Central University  
Jhongli, Taoyuan, Taiwan

Supervisor: Lo, Chien-Jung

Thesis: Spiral-coil Formation in Self-propelled Chain System

2012-2016

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN JOINT SCIENCE PROGRAM  
(MAJOR IN PHYSICS)**

College of Science, National Central University  
Jhongli, Taoyuan, Taiwan

Supervisor: Lo, Chien-Jung

Subjects Covered:

- Digital image processing
- Advanced image processing (ML approaches)
- Computational physics (numerical analysis)
- Biophysics
- Advanced computer programming (object oriented programming in IDL language)

## PUBLICATIONS

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[3] "Comparison of Escherichia coli surface attachment methods for single-cell, in vivo microscopy",  
**Yao-Kuan Wang**, Ekaterina Krasnopeeva, Ssu-Yuan Lin, Fan Bai, Teuta Pilizota, Chien-Jung Lo,  
bioRxiv preprint, 2019 (also submitted to Scientific Report). doi:  
10.1101/648840

[2] "Formation of spiral coils among self-propelled chains",  
**Yao-Kuan Wang**, Chien-Jung Lo, and Wei-Chang Lo  
Phys. Rev. E, 2018. doi:10.1103/PhysRevE.98.062613

[1] Inactivation of ferric uptake regulator (Fur) attenuates *Helicobacter pylori* J99 motility by disturbing the flagellar motor switch and autoinducer-2 production

Ai-Yun Lee, Cheng-Yen Kao, **Yao-Kuan Wang**, Ssu-Yuan Lin, Tze-Ying Lai, Bor-Shyang Sheu, Chien-Jung Lo, Jiunn-Jong Wu  
*Helicobacter*, 2017. doi:10.1111/hel.12388

## AWARDS

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2017 and 2018

**Honorable mention in poster competition** (10% out of the total posters accepted) for the annual meeting of the Physical Society of Taiwan

Poster: Spiral-coil formation in self-propelled chain system

## TEACHING EXPERIENCES

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### **Teaching assistant (undergraduate)**

National Central University

- Experimental Physics - 4 semesters
- General Physics - 1 semester