Yixiang Deng

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 08/2024– **Assistant Professor**, Department of Computer and Information Sciences, University of present Delaware.
- 10/2022 **Postdoc Fellow**, Ragon Institute of Mass General, MIT and Harvard.
- 08/2024 Advisor: Daniel Lingwood
- 11/2021 Visiting Scientist, MIT.
- 08/2024 Advisor: Douglas A. Lauffenburger
- 10/2021 **Postdoc Fellow**, Ragon Institute of MGH, MIT and Harvard.
- 09/2022 Advisor: Galit Alter (now Vice President of Immunology Research at Moderna)
- 01/2022- **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Biological Engineering, MIT.
- 05/2022 20.260/20.460: Computational Analysis of Biological Data
- 08/2020- Visiting Graduate Research Student, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center (BIDMC).
- 06/2021 Advisor: Christos S. Mantzoros
- 05/2018 Summer Graduate Research Intern, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory.
- 08/2018 Advisor: Xiu Yang
- 09/2017 **Teaching Assistant**, School of Engineering, Brown University.
- 05/2018 ENGN0030: Introduction to Engineering
 - ENGN0040: Dynamics and Vibrations

EDUCATION

- 09/2016– **Ph.D. in School of Engineering**, Brown University.
- 09/2021 Advisor: George Em Karniadakis
- 09/2017 M.S. in Division of Applied Mathematics, Brown University.
- 05/2019
- 09/2015– M.S. in School of Engineering, Brown University.
- 05/2017
- 09/2011 **B.Eng. in Department of Engineering Mechanics**, Shanghai Jiao Tong University.
- 06/2015 Thesis Advisor: Jiasong Wang

PUBLICATIONS

*Equal contribution.

- 2024 Y. Deng*, L. Davies*, P. Kaplonek*, J. Lee, L. Roalfe, E. Pearce, E. Miller, D. Lauffenburger, G. Alter, D. Goldblatt, Age-related decline in the antibody-mediated functional response to conjugate Streptococcus pneumoniae vaccination. *Submitted*.
- 2024 **Y. Deng**, K. Arao, C. Mantzoros, G. Karniadakis, Patient-specific deep offline artificial pancreas for blood glucose regulation in type 1 diabetes. *In revision*.
- 2024 M.Agraz, **Y. Deng**, G. Karniadakis, C. Mantzoros, Enhancing severe hypoglycemia prediction in type 2 diabetes mellitus through multi-view co-training machine learning model for imbalanced dataset. *Scientific Report*.

- 2024 N. Nziza*, **Y. Deng***, L. Wood*, T. Chen, R. McNamara, L. Yonker, G. Alter, Humoral profiles of toddlers and young children following SARS-CoV-2 mRNA vaccination. *Nature Communications*.
- 2024 X. Tong*, Y. Deng*, D. Cizmeci, L. Fontana, M. A. Carlock, H. B. Hanley, D. Lingwood, T. M. Ross, and G. Alter, Distinct functional humoral immune responses are induced after live attenuated and inactivated seasonal influenza vaccination. *Journal of Immunology*.
- 2023 **Y. Deng***, C. Atyeo*, D. Yuan, T. Chicz, T. Tibbitts, M. Gorman, S. Taylor, V. Lecouturier, D. Lauffenburger, R. Chicz, R. McNamara, G. Alter, Beta variant containing booster vaccines induce robust and functional antibody responses against SARS-CoV-2 in macaques primed with distinct vaccines. *Cell Reports*.
- 2023 M. Kouvari, L. Valenzuela-Vallejo, V. Guatibonza-Garcia, S. A. Polyzos, **Y. Deng**, ... & C. S. Mantzoros, Liver biopsy-based validation, confirmation and comparison of the diagnostic performance of established and novel non-invasive steatotic liver disease indexes: Results from a large multi-center study. *Metabolism*.
- 2023 M. Spatola, N. Nziza, W Jung, **Y. Deng**, D. Yuan, A. Dinoto, S. Bozzetti, V. Chiodega, S. Ferrari, D. A. Lauffenburger, S. Mariotto, G. Alter, Neurologic sequalae of COVID-19 are determined by immunologic imprinting from previous coronaviruses antibody signatures in serum and CSF. *Brain*.
- 2023 **Y. Deng,** H. Li, Deep learning for few-shot white blood cell image classification and feature learning. *Computer Methods in Biomechanics and Biomedical Engineering: Imaging & Visualization.*
- 2023 C. Berry, V. Pavot, N. Anosova, M. Kishko, D. Huang, T. Tibbitts, A. Raillard, S. Gautheron, S. Cummings, D. Bangari, S. Kar, C. Atyeo, Y. Deng, G. Alter, C. Gutzeit, M. Koutsoukos, R. Chicz, V. Lecouturier, Beta-containing bivalent SARS-CoV-2 protein vaccine elicits durable broad neutralization in macaques and protection in hamsters. *Communications Medicine*.
- 2023 P. Kaplonek*, **Y. Deng***, J. Lee, H. Zar, D. Zavadska, M. Johnson, D. Lauffenburger, D. Goldblatt, G. Alter, Hybrid immunity expands the functional humoral footprint of both mRNA and vector-based SARS-CoV-2 vaccines. *Cell Reports Medicine*.
- Q. Zhang, K. Sampani, M. Xu, S. Cai, Y. Deng, H. Li, J. Sun, G. Karniadakis, AOSLOnet: A deep learning-based method for automatic segmentation of retinal microaneurysms from adaptive optics scanning laser ophthalmoscope images. *Translational Vision Science & Technology*.
- **Y. Deng**, H. Chang, H. Li, Recent Advances in Computational Modeling of Biomechanics and Biorheology of Red Blood Cells in Diabetes. *Biomimetics* (Cover Article).
- 2022 H. Li*, Y. Deng*, Z. Li, C. Mantzoros, G. Frydman, A. Gallastegi, G. Karniadakis, Multiphysics and multiscale modeling of microthrombosis in COVID-19. *PLOS Computational Biology*.
- 2022 H. Li, Y. Deng, K. Sampani, S. Cai, Z. Li, J. Sun, G. Karniadakis, Computational investigation of blood cell transport in retinal microaneurysms. *PLOS Computational Biology* (Cover Article).
- 2021 **Y. Deng***, L. Lu*, L. Aponte, A. Angelidi, V. Novak, G. Karniadakis, C. Mantzoros, Deep transfer learning and data augmentation improve early prediction of abnormal glucose levels in patients with type 2 diabetes. *npj Digital Medicine*.
- 2021 E. Javadi, **Y. Deng**, G. Karniadakis, S. Jamali, *In silico* biophysics and hemorheology of blood hyperviscosity syndrome. *Biophysical Journal*.

- 2021 A. Yazdani*, **Y. Deng***, H. Li*, E. Javadi, Z. Li, S. Jamali, J. Humphrey, C. Mantzoros, and G. Karniadakis, Integration of blood cell mechanics and platelet adhesive dynamics with coagulation cascade: application to normal and diabetic blood. *Journal of Royal Society Interface*.
- 2020 **Y. Deng**, G. Lin, X. Yang, Multifidelity data fusion via gradient-enhanced Gaussian process regression. *Communications in Computational Physics*.
- 2020 **Y. Deng***, D. Papageorgiou*, X. Li, N. Perakakis, C. S. Mantzoros, M. Dao, G. Karniadakis, Quantifying fibrinogen-dependent aggregation of red blood cells in type 2 diabetes mellitus. *Biophysical Journal*.
- 2019 **Y. Deng***, D. Papageorgiou*, H. Chang, S. Abidi, X. Li, M. Dao, G. Karniadakis, Quantifying shear-induced deformation and detachment of individual adherent sickle red blood cells. *Biophysical Journal*.
- 2018 L. Lu*, **Y. Deng***, X. Li, H. Li, G. Karniadakis, Understanding the twisted structure of amyloid fibrils via molecular simulations. *The Journal of Physical Chemistry B*.
- 2018 H. Li, D. Papageorgiou, H. Chang, L. Lu, J. Yang, Y. Deng, Synergistic integration of laboratory and numerical approaches in studies of the biomechanics of diseased red blood cells. *Biosensors*.

PREPRINTS

- **Y. Deng***, M. Tang*, T. M. Ross, A. G. Schmidt, A. K. Chakraborty, D. Lingwood, Repeated vaccination with homologous influenza hemagglutinin broadens human antibody responses to unmatched flu viruses. https://www.medrxiv.org/content/10.1101/2024.03.27.24303943v1.
- D. Y. Zhu, D. P Maurer, C. Castrillon, **Y. Deng**, F. A. N. Mohamed, M. Ma, A. G. Schmidt, D. Lingwood, M. C. Carroll, Lupus-associated innate receptors drive extrafollicular evolution of autoreactive B cells. https://www.biorxiv.org/content/10.1101/2024.01.09.574739v1.

INVITED TALKS

- 2024 **Department of Mathematics and Statistics**, University of Massachusetts Amherst.
- 2024 **Data Sciences for Mesoscale and Macroscale Materials Models**, University of Chicago, IMSI.
- 2024 **Department of Biomedical Engineering**, University of Buffalo.
- 2024 **Department of Biomedical Engineering**, Duke University.
- 2024 **Department of Computer and Information Sciences**, University of Delaware.
- 2024 **Department of Biology**, University of California Riverside.
- 2024 **Department of Mechanical Engineering**, Michigan State University.
- 2024 **Department of Biomedical Engineering**, University of Southern California.
- 2024 **Department of Biomedical Engineering**, University of Mississippi.

HONOR AND AWARDS

- 2024 **SISMID Halloran Scholarship**, Emory University.
- 2023 **Duke Engineering Future Faculty of Innovation and Excellence (DEFINE) Program**, Duke University.
- 2023 **Traveling Award**, Clinical and Single-Cell Transcriptomics for Pneumonia Codeathon at *Northwestern University*.

- 2022 **Traveling Award**, 4th Annual Immune Modulation and Engineering Symposium at *Drexel University*.
- 2022-2024 Mark and Lisa Schwartz AI/ML/Immunology Initiative Fellowship, Ragon Institute & MIT (\$2,00 k).
 - 2021 The Rising Stars in Mechanical Engineering, MIT.
- 2019-2020 Corinna Borden Keen Research Fellowship, Brown University.
 - 2019 Traveling Award, The US National Congress on Computational Mechanics (USNCCM15).
 - 2019 **Traveling Award**, The Applied Mathematics: The Next 50 Years, the Data Science and Optimization Workshop at *University of Washington*.
 - 2019 **Traveling Award**, Workshop on Recent Developments on Mathematical/Statistical approaches in DAta Science (MSDAS) at *University of Texas*, *Dallas*.
- 2018-2019 George Irving Hopkins Fellowship, Brown University.
 - 2018 **Recipient of (7th Cohort) Open Graduate Education Program**, Brown University Graduate School (\$2,20 k).
 - 2015 Outstanding Graduate, Shanghai Jiao Tong University.
 - 2014 The Third Prize Scholarship, Shanghai Jiao Tong University.

CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- 2024 Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting (BMES 2024), Baltimore.
- 2024 MIT Microbiome Symposium, Cambridge.
- 2024 Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting (BMES 2024), Baltimore.
- 2023 Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting (BMES 2023), Seattle.
- 2023 Systems biology annual meeting code-a-thon, Chicago.
- 2023 **Post-COVID AI symposium**, MGB, Boston.
- 2022 4th Annual Immune Modulation and Engineering Symposium, Drexel University.
- 2022 Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting (BMES 2022), San Antonio.
- 2020 Red Cell Club Meeting, Virtual.
- 2020 **VPH2020**, Inria, Paris, France (virtual).
- 2020 **SIAM MDS20: Machine Learning for Physical Systems**, SIAM (virtual).
- 2019 **Red Cell Club Meeting**, University of Rochester, Rochester.
- 2019 The Applied Mathematics: The Next 50 Years, the Data Science and Optimization Workshop, University of Washington, Seattle.
- 2019 The US National Congress on Computational Mechanics (USNCCM15), University of Texas, Austin.
- Workshop on Recent Developments on Mathematical/Statistical approaches in DAta Science (MSDAS), University of Texas, Dallas.
- 2018 **Algorithms for Modern Power Systems (AMPS) Annual Workshop**, American University, Washington, DC.

SERVICES AND CERTIFICATES

- 2024 **Session co-chair & reviewer**, Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting (BMES 2024), Baltimore.
- 2023 **Cambridge science carnival**, Ragon Institute booth volunteer.

- 2022 **Session co-chair & reviewer**, Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting (BMES 2022), San Antonio.
- 2022-present Committee member, Ragon WISE (Women in STEM Empowerment).
- 2020-present **Member-at-large**, U.S. Association for Computational Mechanics-Female Research Group (USACM-FRG).
 - 2018 **Sheridan Teaching Seminar Program (Certificate I)**, The Sheridan Center for Teaching and Learning, Brown University.