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Ph.D., Mechanical Engineering

Aug. 2013 - Apr. 2018

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University of Science and Technology of China

Hefei, Anhui, China

B.Eng., Mechanical Engineering

Aug. 2008 - June 2012

Advisor: Prof. Liqun He

Tsinghua University

Beijing, China

Exchange Program - C9 University League

Sept. 2010 - Feb. 2011

Positions and Employment

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Shenzhen, China

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University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

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Graduate Student Research Assistant, Mechanical Engineering

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Graduate Student Teaching Assistant, Mechanical Engineering

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University of Hong Kong

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Research Assistant, Mechanical Engineering

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Advisor: Prof. Anderson Ho Cheung Shum

Peer Reviews

- Scientific Reports = IEEE Transactions in Nanotechnology = Applied Sciences = Micromachines
- Engineering Design of Medical Devices Conference 2018 Biomicrofluidics

Awards

- Baxter Young Investigator Award First-Tier, Baxter Healthcare Inc. (2016)
- Provincial Honored Graduate, Department of Education, Anhui Province, China (2012)
- National Scholarship, Ministry of Education, China (2011)

Journal Publications

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- [5] **Zida Li***, Luoquan Li, Meixiang Liao, Liqun He, and Ping Wu* (2019). Multiple splitting of droplets using multi-furcating microfluidic channels. *Biomicrofluidics*, 13(2), 024112.
- [6] Feng Lin, Yue Shao, Xufeng Xue, Yi Zheng, **Zida Li**, Chunyang Xiong, Jianping Fu (2019). Biophysical phenotypes and determinants of anterior vs. posterior primitive streak cells derived from human pluripotent stem cells. *Acta Biomaterialia*, 86, 125-134
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- [8] **Zida Li**, Xufeng Xue, Feng Lin, Yize Wang, Kevin Ward, and Jianping Fu (2017). Capillary-assisted coating of carbon nanotube thin film as a strain gauge. *Applied Physics Letters*, 111(17), 173105.
- [9] Koh Meng Aw Yong, **Zida Li**, Sofia D. Merajver, and Jianping Fu (2017). Analysis of tumor invasion front using long-term fluidic tumoroid culture. *Scientific Reports*, 7(1), 10784.
- [10] Xufeng Xue, Xiaowei Hong, **Zida Li**, Cheri X. Deng, and Jianping Fu (2017). Acoustic tweezing cytometry enhances osteogenesis of human mesenchymal stem cells through cytoskeletal contractility and YAP activation. *Biomaterials*, 134, 22-30.
- [11] Jianming Sang, Xiang Li, Yue Shao, **Zida Li**, and Jianping Fu (2016) Controlled tubular unit formation from collagen film for modular tissue engineering. *ACS Biomaterials Science & Engineering*, 3(11), 2860-2868.
- [12] **Zida Li**, Xiang Li, Brendan McCracken, Yue Shao, Kevin Ward, and Jianping Fu (2016). A miniaturized hemoretractometer for blood clot retraction testing. *Small*, 12(29), 3926-3934.
- [13] Ping Wu, Zhaofeng Luo, Zhifeng Liu, **Zida Li**, Chi Chen, Lili Feng, and Liqun He (2015). Draginduced breakup mechanism for droplet generation in dripping within flow focusing microfluidics. *Chinese Journal of Chemical Engineering*, 23(1), 7-14.
- [14] **Zida Li**, Sze Yi Mak, Alban Sauret, and Ho Cheung Shum (2014). Syringe-pump-induced fluctuation in all-aqueous microfluidic system implications for flow rate accuracy. *Lab on a Chip*, 14(4), 744-749.
- [15] Sze Yi Mak, **Zida Li**, Arnaud Frere, Tat Chuen Chan, and Ho Cheung Shum (2014). Musical Interfaces: Visualization and Reconstruction of Music with a Microfluidic Two-Phase Flow. *Scientific Reports*, 4, 6675.

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Book Chapters

[1] **Zida Li*** and Anderson Ho Cheung Shum* (2019). Nanotechnology and microfluidics for biosensing and biophysical property assessment: implications for next generation in vitro diagnostics. *Nanotechnology and Microfluidics*, John Wiley & Sons, In Press.

Patents

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Conference Presentations

- [1] **Zida Li**, et al. Dean flow assisted single cell and bead encapsulation for high performance single cell expression profiling. **Panel Speech**. *IMCO 2019*, Hong Kong, June 2019.
- [2] **Zida Li**, Jianping Fu, *et al.* Capillary-facilitated coating of carbon nanotube thin film as a strain gauge for blood retraction testing. **Poster Presentation**. *MicroTAS 2017*, Savannah, GA, USA, Oct 2017.
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