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Research/Education Experience

2018-Now, Professor. Division of Biotechnology, Dalian Institute of Chemical Physics, CAS, China

2017-2018, Assoc. Professor. Division of Biotechnology, Dalian Institute of Chemical Physics, CAS, China

2014-2016, Co-founder and Chief Scientist, Biopetrolia AB

2012-2016, Postdoc Fellow, Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering, Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden.

2008-2012, PhD, Division of Biotechnology, Dalian Institute of Chemical Physics, CAS, China

2006-2008, MS, Biochemical Engineering, Tianjin University, China.

2002-2006, BS, Food Science and Technology, Jiangnan University, China.

Awards and Honors

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| 2021 | Zhang Dayu Chair professor |
| 2019 | The Best Potential Youth Scholar |
| 2019 | Excellent Young Scholars from NSFC |
| 2018 | “Lun Shiyi” Distinguished Young Scientists |
| 2018 | National Talent Program for Young Scientists |
| 2017 | Talent Program of Chinese Academy of Sciences |
| 2017 | Young Scholar Award in the Biochemical Engineering of China |
| 2017 | Young Scholar Award in the Chemical Engineering from NSFC |
| 2016 | Young Scholar Award of International Metabolic Science Conference |
| 2015 | The first prize of Chinese Pharmaceutical Association |
| 2013 | Outstanding Youth Scholar of Chinese Industrial Biotechnology |
| 2012 | Outstanding Graduates of Chinese Academy of Sciences |
| 2011 | DICP-Corning Student Award |
| 2011 | Excellent Tri-A Student Scholarship |
| 2010 | Excellent Student Cadre Scholarship |
| 2008 | Yihai Kerry Scholarship |
| 2006 | Outstanding Graduate Student of Jiangnan University |
| 2003/2005 | National Scholarship |
| 2003/2005 | Excellent Tri-A Student Scholarship, Jiangnan University |
| 2004 | First Class Prize in China Undergraduate Contest in Mathematical Modeling |
| 2004/2005 | The major Award of Jiangnan University |

Publication (#equal contribution, *Corresponding author)

2021-

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3. Cai P., Wu X.Y., Deng J., Gao L. H., Shen Y. W., Yao L., **Zhou Y. J.***, Methanol biotransformation toward high-level production of fatty acid derivatives by engineering the industrial yeast *Pichia pastoris*, *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 2022, 119(29), e2201711119.
4. Zhang K., Duan X. P., Cai P., Gao L. H., Wu X. Y., Yao L., **Zhou Y. J.***, Fusing an exonuclease with Cas9 enhances homologous recombination in *Pichia pastoris*, *Microb. Cell Fact.*, 2022, 21, 182.
5. Hou R., Gao L.H., Liu J.H., Liang Z., **Zhou Y.J.***, Zhang L.H.* , Zhang Y.K., Comparative proteomics analysis of *Pichia pastoris* cultivating in glucose and methanol, *Synth. Syst. Biotechnol.*, 2022, 7, 862-868.
6. Cai P., Li Y.X., Zhai X.X., Yao L., Ma X.J., Jia L.Y., **Zhou Y. J.***, Microbial synthesis of long-chain α-alkenes from methanol by engineering *Pichia pastoris*. *Bioresour. Bioprocess.*, 2022, 9, 58. (Featured article)
7. Kong S. J., Yu W., Gao N., Zhai X.X., **Zhou Y. J.***, Expanding the neutral sites for integrated gene expression in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, *FEMS Microbiol. Lett.*, 2022, 369, fnac081.
8. Li Y. X., Zhai X. X., Yu W., Feng D., Shah A. A., Gao J. Q.*, **Zhou Y. J.***, Production of free fatty acids from various carbon sources by *Ogataea polymorpha*, *Bioresour. Bioprocess.*, 2022, 9, 78.
9. Yu W., Cao X., Gao J. Q., **Zhou Y. J.***, Overproduction of 3-hydroxypropionate in a super yeast chassis, *Bioresource Technol.*, 2022, 361, 127690.
10. Cao C. Y., Cao X., Yu W., Chen Y. X., Lin X. P., Zhu B. W.*, **Zhou Y. J.***, Global metabolic rewiring of yeast enables overproduction of sesquiterpene (+)-valencene, *J. Agric. Food Chem.*, 2022, 70(23), 7180-7187.
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12. Ji L. L., Ma X. J., Gao J. Q.*, **Zhou Y. J.**, Evaluation of promoters from *Ogataea polymorpha*, *Chin. J. Bioprocess Eng.*, 2022, 20(1), 20-28. (in Chinese)
13. Feng D., Gao J. Q., Gong Z. W.*, **Zhou Y. J.***, Production of fatty acids by engineered *Ogataea polymorpha*, *Chin. J. Biotechnol.*, 2022, 38(2), 760-771. (in Chinese)
14. Yan C.X., Yu W., Zhai X.X., Yao L., Guo X.Y.*, Gao J.Q.*, **Zhou Y.J.**, Characterizing and engineering promoters for metabolic engineering of *Ogataea polymorpha*, *Synth. Syst. Biotechnol.*, 2022, 7, 498-505.
15. Cai P.#, Duan X. P.#, Wu X. Y., Gao L. H., Ye M., **Zhou Y.J.***, Recombination machinery engineering facilitates metabolic engineering of the industrial yeast *Pichia pastoris*. *Nucleic Acids Res.*, 2021, 49(13), 7791–7805
16. Gao J. Q., Gao N., Zhai X.X., **Zhou Y. J.***, Recombination machinery engineering for precise genome editing in methylotrophic yeast *Ogataea polymorpha*, *iScience*, 2021, 24(3), 102168
17. Zhai X., Ji L., Gao J., **Zhou Y.J.***, Characterizing methanol metabolism related promoters for

- metabolic engineering of *Ogataea polymorpha*, *Appl. Microbiol. Biotechnol.*, 2021, 105, 8761–8769
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 19. Gao L., Cai P., **Zhou Y.J.***, Advances in metabolic engineering of methylotrophic yeasts, *Chinese J. Biotechnol.*, 2021, 37(3), 966-979.
 20. Ye M., Gao J. Q., **Zhou Y. J.***, Engineering non-conventional yeast cell factory for the biosynthesis of natural products, *Biotechnol. Bulletin*, 2021, 37(8), 12-24.

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21. Ren Y. Y. #, Liu S. S. #, Jin G. J., Yang X. B.*, **Zhou Y. J.***, Microbial production of limonene and its derivatives: Achievements and perspectives, *Biotechnol. Adv.*, 2020, 44, 107628.
22. Chen R., Yang S., Zhang L., **Zhou Y.J.***, Advanced strategies for production of natural products in yeast. *iScience*, 2020, 23, 100879.
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25. Yang S., Cao X., Yu W., Li S., **Zhou Y.J.***, Efficient targeted mutation of genomic essential genes in yeast *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. *Appl. Microbiol. Biotechnol.*, 2020, 104, 3037-3047
26. Jiang Y., Li Z., Zheng S., Xu H., **Zhou Y.J.**, Gao Z., Meng C.*, Li S.*, Establishing an enzyme cascade for one-pot production of α-olefins from low-cost triglycerides and oils without exogenous H₂O₂ addition, *Biotechnol. Biofuels*, 2020, 13, 52
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29. Xu H., Liang W., Ning L., Jiang Y., Yang W., Wang C., Qi F., Ma L., Du L., Fourage L., **Zhou Y. J.**, Li S.*, Directed evolution of P450 fatty acid decarboxylases via high-throughput screening towards improved catalytic activity. *ChemCatChem*, 2020, 12, 80-84
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33. Jiang Y., Li Z., Wang C., **Zhou Y. J.**, Xu H.,*, Li S., Biochemical characterization of three new α-olefin-producing P450 fatty acid decarboxylases with a halophilic property. *Biotechnol. Biofuels*, 2019, 12, 79
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Conference Oral Presentations

1. Methanol biotransformation for overproduction of fatty acids, Metabolic Engineering and Green Biomanufacturing Forum, July 26-27, 2022, Beijing, China
2. Cofactor engineering drives phenolic acid biosynthesis in yeast cell factory, Symposium on Biosynthesis of Plant Natural Products and Synthetic Biology for Their Production, May 19-20, 2021, Beijing, China
3. Engineering methyltrophic yeasts for overproduction of fatty acids, The 5th International Conference on Applied Biotechnology, December 4-5, 2020, Tianjin, China
4. Engineering Recombination Machinery for Precise Genome Editing in Methylotrophic Yeasts, Asian Synthetic Biology Association 2019 (ASBA 2019), October 26-30, 2019, Chengdu, China
5. Methanol biotransformation for manufacturing fatty acid derivatives, The International Conference on Green Biomanufacturing (ICGB2019), October 22-24, 2019, Beijing China.
6. Precise Genome editing in Methylotrophic Yeast by Enhancing Homologous Recombination, 27th International Conference on Yeast Genetics and Molecular Biology. August 18-22, 2019, Gothenburg, Sweden
7. Synthetic cell factories for over-production of fatty acids, Advanced Biosynthesis and Biorefinery Workshop, March 15-16, 2019, Xi'an, China
8. Engineering yeast cell factories for over-production of fatty acids, The 1st International Conference on Advanced Biomanufacturing (ICAB2019), January 12-14, 2019, Nanjing, China
9. Peroxisome engineering – a feasible approach for bio-manufacturing, Advancing Synthetic Biology Mini-Symposium, April 18-19, 2018, Beijing, China
10. Engineering yeast fatty acid metabolism for production of hydrocarbons, Chinese-Swedish Bilateral Synthetic Biology Workshop, April 10-12, 2018, Qingdao, China
11. Harnessing yeast peroxisomes for production of fatty acid-derived chemicals and biofuels (Key note and Chair), 7th International Forum on Bioprocessing. May 21-24, 2017, Wuxi, China
12. Engineering biosynthesis and secretion of 1-alkenes in yeast, 9th Sino-US Joint Conference of Chemical Engineering. October 15-19, 2017, Beijing, China
13. Production of oleo-chemicals and advanced biofuels in yeast. 27th International Conference on Yeast Genetics and Molecular Biology. September 6-12, 2015, Levico Terme, Trentino, Italy
14. Systematic rewiring of lipid metabolism for production of oleo-chemicals and advanced biofuels in yeast. EMBL symposia 2015-Enabling Technologies for Eukaryotic Synthetic Biology. June 21-23, 2015, Heidelberg, Germany.
15. Synthetic biology for microbial production of terpenoids Xiangshan Science conference. November 10-12, 2014, Beijing, China
16. Construction of *E. coli* NAD⁺ auxotrophic strains and the biotechnological application thereof, 1st Asian Congress on Biotechnology. May 11-15, 2011, Shanghai

Editorial Board member

2021- BioDesign Research, Associate editor
2021- Synthetic and Systems Biotechnology, Associate editor
2019- FEMS Yeast Research, Editorial Board
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2020- Bioresources and Bioprocessing, Editorial Board
2019- Synthetic Biology Journal, Editorial Board
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Scientific Journal Reviewer

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