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# **Professional Experience**

- Argonne National Laboratory, Chemical Sciences & Engineering Division, Assistant chemist, 2007 to present
- Argonne National Laboratory, Chemical Sciences & Engineering Division, Post-Doctoral appointee, 2004 to 2007
- University of Akron, Department of Polymer Engineering, Post-Doctoral research associate, 2003 ~ 2004
- INRS-Energy-Materials-Telecommunications, Canada, Post-Doctoral research fellow, 2002 to 2003
- Tsinghua University, Department of Materials Sciences & Engineering, China, Post-Doctoral research associate, 2000 to 2002

# **Research Experience**

- Carbon nanotube synthesis, modification and micro-fabrications
- Nanoparticles synthesis
- Synthesis and pore structure control of porous materials
- Nanomaterials for fuel cell applications
- Nanostructured polymer and carbon for hydrogen storage
- Synthesis and test Tribenzohexazatriphenylenes based nanoporous polymer as hydrogen storage materials for transportation application.
- Carbon nanotubes and carbon aerogels for supercapacitor applications
- Carbon Nanotubes and Conducting Polymers flexible device for Photonic Applications
- Activated carbon microspheres as adsorbents for Hemoperfusion
- Activated carbon fiber as super adsorbent for low concentration organic compounds

#### Education

- Ph.D., Chemical Technology, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China, 2000
- B.S., Materials Science & Engineering, Northwestern Polytechnic University, China, 1994

### **Professional Affiliations**

American Chemical Society; American Carbon Society; Electrochemical Society; North American Catalysis Society

## **Patents & Patent Applications**

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- Li-Zhong Yao, Jun-Bing Yang, Li-Cheng Ling, Xing-Ming Zhu, Jin-Ren Song, Lang Liu, A device of strength test for single particle of spherical activated carbon, *Chinese patent*, Pub No.: CN 2356340Y, Pub Date: Dec. 29, 1999
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