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### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

#### **Yin Lab**

*June 2019-Present*

Harvard University, Wyss Institute for Biologically Inspired Engineering

- Single-molecule proteomics
- Immunoassay development

#### **Lynch Lab**

*November 2015-October 2018*

Duke University, Department of Biomedical Engineering

- CRISPR/Cas9-assisted recombineering
- Two-stage bioprocessing optimization

#### **Duke iGEM (International Genetically Engineered Machine)**

*June 2015-October 2018*

Duke University, Department of Biomedical Engineering

- Biosynthesis of paclitaxel in *E. coli*
- Gene circuit design for induction of programmable cell death genes

#### **Buchler Lab**

*May 2015-October 2015*

Duke University, Department of Physics

- Ultrasensitive responses in CRISPR/Cas9 systems
- Apoptosis in *E. coli*

### EDUCATION

#### **Duke University, Trinity College of Arts and Sciences**

*B.S. December 2018*

Bachelor of Science in Biophysics

### HONORS/AWARDS

#### **Bass Connections Undergraduate Research Fellowship**

*Summers 2016, 2017, 2018*

Fellowship awarded to undergraduate students working as full-time researcher associates during the summer.

#### **iGEM Competition Silver Medal Recipient**

*November 2016*

Duke iGEM was awarded a silver medal for their research optimizing the biosynthesis of the chemotherapeutic, paclitaxel, in *E. coli*.

#### **iGEM Competition Silver Medal Recipient**

*October 2015*

Duke iGEM was awarded a silver medal for their research designing gene circuits for induction of programmable cell death genes.

#### **Howard Hughes Undergraduate Research Fellowship**

*March 2015*

Merit-based fellowship awarded to undergraduate students at Duke University participating in bioscience research.

PUBLICATIONS**Managing the SOS Response for Enhanced CRISPR-Cas-Based Recombineering in *E. coli* through Transient Inhibition of Host RecA Activity**

Eirik Adim Moreb, Benjamin Hoover, Adam Yaseen, Nisakorn Valyasevi, Zoe Roecker, Romel Menacho-Melgar, and Michael D. Lynch

*ACS Synthetic Biology* **2017** 6 (12), 2209-2218

DOI: 10.1021/acssynbio.7b00174

PRESENTATIONS**“iGEM: An Undergraduate Research Experience”**

Funding presentation for Duke Pratt School of Engineering Alumni Council. Duke University, NC. April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018

**“Using co-dominant negative RecA to enhance CRISPR/Cas9-mediated recombineering”**

Discovery Across Disciplines Poster Presentation for 2017 Donor Recognition Celebration. Duke University, NC. October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**“Getting Started in Research”**

Selected to present research experiences at a forum for 1<sup>st</sup> year Duke undergraduate students interested in STEM. Duke University, NC. September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**“Biosynthesis of Taxol in *E. coli*”**

International Genetically Engineered Machine Competition Jamboree. Hynes Convention Center, Boston, MA. October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016

**“Induction of Programmed Cell Death in *E. coli*”**

International Genetically Engineered Machine Competition Jamboree. Hynes Convention Center, Boston, MA. September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2015

**“Maximizing Ultrasensitivity in CRISPR”**

Howard Hughes Undergraduate Research Fellows Symposium. Duke University, NC. July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2015