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RESEARCH

- **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, Vaccine Division, Fred Hutchinson Research Center:
Mathematical modeling of epidemic waves. (March, 2014 - present)
- **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, Basic Sciences Division, Fred Hutchinson Research Center:
Biophysical diffusion modeling and image analysis of yeast cells with fluorescent proteins under microfluidic device. (July, 2013 - February 2014)
- **Research Assistant**, Computational Physics Lab, University of Arkansas:
Analytical & numerical simulation of quantum resonance and revivals in Morse potentials,
double anharmonic potential wells, and the dynamic Wigner-D rotor systems. (2010 - 2013)
- **Research Assistant**, Molecular Beam Epitaxy Lab, University of Arkansas:
Monte Carlo stochastic simulation of self-assemble quantum dots and rings; Growth of quantum
rings by Molecular Beam Epitaxy and characterized by Atomic Force Microscopy, Scanning
Electron Microscopy, and Transmission Electron Microscopy. (2007 - 2010)
- **Research Assistant**, Pulsed Laser Deposition Lab, University of North Dakota:
Cryogenic electrical transportation measurement of superconducting and Mott insulating thin
films prepared by Pulsed Laser Deposition. (2003 - 2006)

EDUCATION

- **Ph.D.**, Microelectronics-Photonics, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR, *May, 2013*.
- **M.S.**, Physics, University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND, *August, 2005*.

SPECIAL SKILLS

Theoretical Modeling and Simulation:

- Numerical modeling of biophysical nutrient diffusion in yeast cells
- Numerical modeling of quantum wells, dots and rings.
- Analytical simulation of double anharmonic quantum potentials.
- Monte Carlo stochastic simulation.

Experimental Growth and Characterization:

- Growth of quantum devices by Molecular Beam Epitaxy.
- Cryogenic electrical transportation measurement of thin films.

Computer Tools:

- Mathematica, Matlab, and C, C++, Java, R, Python for algorithms.
- L^AT_EX & Microsoft Office for documentation.
- LabVIEW for automation and instrumentation

AWARDS

- **Apple Student Scholarship** for World Wide Developer Conference (2009)
 - **Hong Kong Pei Hua Education Foundation Scholarship** for Excellent Engineer (1999)
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PUBLICATIONS

First Author:

1. "Quantum Revivals of Morse Oscillators and Farey-Ford Geometry", Alvason Zhenhua Li, William G. Harter, *submitting to Physical Review Letters*, (2013). <http://arxiv.org/abs/1308.4470>
2. "Quantum Resonant Beats and Revivals in the Morse Oscillators and Rotors", Zhenhua Li, *Dissertation* (2013).
3. "Holed Nanostructures Formed by Aluminum Droplets on a GaAs Substrate", Alvason Zhenhua Li, Zhiming M. Wang, Jiang Wu, and Gregory J. Salamo. *Nano Res.*, 3: 490-495 (2010).
4. "Evolution of Holed Nanostructures on GaAs", Alvason Zhenhua Li, Zhiming M. Wang, Jiang Wu, Yanze Xie, Kim A. Sablon, and Gregory J. Salamo. *Crystal Growth & Design*, 9 (6), pp 2941-2943 (2009).
5. "Electrical Transport Studies of Superconducting Film prepared by Pulsed Laser Deposition", Zhenhua Li. *UND Special Collections, Theses* (2005).

Multiple First Authors:

1. "Critical size of self-propelled motion of droplets on GaAs (100) surface", Jiang Wu, Zhiming M. Wang, Alvason Z. Li, Mourad Benamara, Jihoon Lee, Sabina D. Koukourinkova, Eun Soo Kim, and Gregory J. Salamo. *J. Appl. Phys.* 112, 043523 (2012)
2. "Nanoscale Footprints of Self-Running Gallium Droplets on GaAs Surface", Jiang Wu, Zhiming M. Wang, Alvason Z. Li, Mourad Benamara, Shibin Li, Gregory J. Salamo. *PLoS ONE* 6(6): e20765. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0020765 (2011)
3. "On the Secondary Droplets of Self-Running Gallium Droplets on GaAs Surface", Wu, Jiang; Wang, Zhiming M.; Li, Alvason Z.; Benamara, Mourad; Salamo, Gregory J.. *ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces*, 3, 6, 1817-1820 (2011)

Co-authors:

1. "Thermal etching process of microscale pits on the GaAs(001) surface", Shibin Li, Jiang Wu, Zhiming Wang, Zhenhua Li, Yuanjie Su, Zhiming Wu, Yadong Jiang, Gregory J. Salamo. *Phys. Status Solidi RRL* 6, 25-27 (2012)
2. "Formation of GaAs Double Rings Through Gallium Migration and Nanodrilling", Wu, Jiang; Wang, Zhiming M.; Li, Alvason Z.; Zeng, Zhaoquan; Li, Shibin; Chen, Gang; Salamo, Gregory. *J. of Nanoelectron. Optoelectron.* 6, 58-61 (2011)
3. "Intersublevel Infrared Photodetector with Strain-Free GaAs Quantum Dot Pairs Grown by High-Temperature Droplet Epitaxy", Jiang Wu, Dali Shao, Vitaliy G. Dorogan, Alvason Z. Li, Shibin Li, Eric A. DeCuir, Jr., M. Omar Manasreh, Zhiming M. Wang, Yuriy I. Mazur, and Gregory J. Salamo. *Nano Lett.*, 10 (4), 1512-1516 (2010)
4. "InGaAs Quantum Well Grown on High-Index Surfaces for Superluminescent Diode Applications", Zhenhua Li, Jiang Wu, Zhiming M. Wang, Dongsheng Fan, Aqiang Guo, Shibing Li, Shui-Qing Yu, Omar Manasreh, and Gregory J. Salamo. *Nanoscale Res. Lett.*, 5:1079-1084 (2010)
5. "Surface mediated control of droplet density and morphology on GaAs and AlAs surfaces", Jiang Wu, Zhiming M. Wang, Alvason Z. Li, Shibin Li, and Gregory J. Salamo. *Phys. Status Solidi RRL*, 4, 12, 371-373, (2010)
6. "Intermediate-band material based on GaAs quantum rings for solar cells", Jiang Wu, Dali Shao, Zhenhua Li, M. O. Manasreh, Vasyl P. Kunets, Zhiming M. Wang, and G. J. Salamo. *Appl. Phys. Lett.* 95, 071908 (2009)
7. "Multicolor photodetector based on GaAs quantum rings grown by droplet epitaxy", Jiang Wu, Zhenhua Li, Dali Shao, M. O. Manasreh, Vasyl P. Kunets, Zhiming M. Wang, Gregory J. Salamo, and B. D. Weaver. *Appl. Phys. Lett.* 94, 171102 (2009)
8. "Structure and transport studies on nanometer YBCO/PBCAO multilayers", T.-P. Chen, K. Wu, Q. Li, Z. Li, S.Z. Wang, B. Chen, Q.Y. Chen, W.-K. Chu, J.C.-J. Chen, U. Tipparach, Y.C. Soo. *Physica C Vol. 460-462*, 403 (2007)

Contributed Talks

1. "Resonance and Revivals in Quantum Rotors: Comparing Half-integer Spin and Integer Spin", Alvason Zhenhua Li, William G. Harter, *International Symposium on Molecular Spectroscopy, Columbus, Ohio (2013)*
2. "Resonance and revival in Morse Oscillator and double Morse Well Dynamics", Alvason Zhenhua Li, William G. Harter, *International Symposium on Molecular Spectroscopy, Columbus, Ohio (2012)*
3. "Quantum Revivals of the Morse Oscillator in Position Space and Momentum Space", Alvason Zhenhua Li, William G. Harter, *American Physical Society March Meeting, Boston (2012)*
4. "Evolution of Holed Nanostructures on GaAs by Droplet Epitaxy", Alvason Zhenhua Li, Zhiming M. Wang, Jiang Wu, and Gregory J. Salamo. *Villa Conference on Interactions Among Nanostructures, U.S. Virgin Islands (2009)*
5. "Nanorings of Aluminum Droplet Epitaxy on GaAs Substrate", Alvason Zhenhua Li, Zhiming M. Wang, Jiang Wu, and Gregory J. Salamo. *Materials Research Society Fall Meeting, Boston (2009)*

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Physical Society
 - American Chemical Society
 - Materials Research Society
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