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SHORT BIO

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EDUCATION

2001-2006: Ph.D. Materials Science & Engineering, University of California, Los Angeles, USA.
1997-1998: M.S. Civil and Environmental Engineering University of California, Los Angeles, USA.
1991-1995: B.S. Chemical Engineering, Chung Yuan University, Taoyuan, Taiwan.

EXPERIENCE

2023-data: Acting Executive Officer, Thematic Center for Green Technology, RCAS, Academia Sinica, Taiwan.
2019-date: Professor (Joint Appointment), Department of Photonics, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University, Hsinchu, Taiwan.
2017-2020: Professor (Joint Appointment), Department of Materials Science and Engineering, National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan.
2016-2022: Deputy Director, RCAS, Academia Sinica, Taiwan.
2014-date: Professor (Joint Appointment), College of Engineering, Chang Gung University, Taiwan.
2014-date: Research Fellow, RCAS, Academia Sinica, Taiwan.
2010-2014: Associate Research Fellow, RCAS, Academia Sinica, Taiwan.
2006-2010: Assistant Research Fellow, RCAS, Academia Sinica, Taiwan.
1998-2001: Senior R&D engineer, Inteplast Group, Ltd, Texas, USA.

Awards and Honors:

2022 SPIE senior member
2020 World's Top 2% Scientists
2019 Young Scientist of Asia Pacific Academy of Materials
2019 Associate Academician of Asia Pacific Academy of Materials
2014 Career Development Award, Academia Sinica

REPRESENTATIVE PUBLICATIONS:

1. C. Hanmandlu, R. Paste, H. Tsai, S. N. S. Yadav, K. W. Lai, Y. Y. Wang, C. S. Gantepogu, C. H. Hou, J. J. Shyue, Y. J. Lu, T. S. Jadhav, J. M. Liao, H. H. Chou, H. Q. Wong, T. J. Yen, C. S. Lai, D. Ghosh, S. Tretiak, H. J. Yen, C. W. Chu, 2023 "3D Nanographene Precursor Suppress Interfacial Recombination in PEDOT: PSS based Perovskite Solar Cells" *Nano Energy*, 107, 108136.
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8. H. Y. Wei, J. H. Huang, C. Y. Hsu, F. C. Chang, K. C. Ho, C. W. Chu, 2013 "Organic solar cells featuring nanobowl structures", *Energy & Environmental Science*, 6, 1192.
9. D. Alemu, H. Y. Wei, K. C. Ho, C. W. Chu, 2012, "Highly conductive PEDOT:PSS electrode by simple film treatment with methanol for ITO-free polymer solar cells" *Energy & Environmental Science*, 5, 9662.
10. J. H. Huang, J. H. Fang, C. C. Liu, C. W. Chu, 2011, "Effective Work Function Modulation of Graphene/Carbon Nanotube Composite Films As Transparent Cathodes for Organic Optoelectronics", *ACS Nano*, 5, 6262.
11. C. F. Sung, D. Kekuda, L. F. Chu, Y. Z. Lee, F. C. Chen, M. C. Wu, C. W. Chu, 2009 "Flexible Fullerene Field-Effect Transistors Fabricated Through Solution Processing" *Advanced Materials*, 21, 4845.
12. S. S. Cheng, Y. C. Chuang, D. Kekuda, C. W. Ou, M. C. Wu, C. W. Chu, 2009, "Organic Base Modulation Triodes and Their Inverters on Flexible Substrates", *Advanced Materials*, 21, 1860.