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The Wender Group addresses unsolved problems in chemistry, synthesis, biology, medicine, and materials science using new computational tools, new reactions, reagents, strategies and design. Leveraging affiliations with the Medical School, Imaging Center, Chemical Biology Program and Molecular Therapeutics Program as well as numerous internal and external collaborations, the lab emphasizes the use of chemistry, design and synthesis to address problems of significance in biology and medicine, including eradication of HIV/AIDS, overcoming resistant cancer, cancer immunotherapy and treating cognitive disorders such as Alzheimer's disease.

Paul Wender received his B.S. degree from Wilkes University and his Ph.D. in chemistry from Yale University. He was an NIH Postdoctoral Fellow at Columbia University. He served on the faculty at Harvard University and joined the faculty at Stanford University where he is the Francis W. Bergstrom Professor of Chemistry and holds a courtesy appointment in the Department of Chemical and Systems Biology. Professor Wender's research has been recognized with numerous awards including recently the Tetrahedron Prize, Prelog Medal (Swiss Federal Institute of Technology), Arthur Cope Award (American Chemical Society), Cohen Award for Excellence in Medicinal Chemistry (Israel Chemical Society), and Research Award of the German Bioactives and Biotechnology Leibniz Alliance. He has also been recognized with several teaching awards including the Hoagland Prize, Bing Teaching Award, and the Dean's Teaching Award. He is an elected member of the US National Academy of Sciences, a foreign member of the Royal Spanish Academy of Sciences, and a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Professor, Chemistry
- Professor (By courtesy), Chemical and Systems Biology
- Member, Bio-X
- Faculty Fellow, Sarafan ChEM-H
- Member, Stanford Cancer Institute

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Research Award of the German Bioactives and Biotechnology, Leibniz Alliance (2016)
- Arthur C. Cope Award, American Chemical Society (2015)

- Cohen Award for Excellence in Medicinal Chemistry, Israel Chemical Society (2015)
- Office of Technology Licensing Innovator Award, Stanford University (2015)
- Prelog Medal, ETH, Switzerland (2013)
- Tetrahedron Prize for Creativity in Organic Chemistry, Tetrahedron Publications (2012)
- Wilbur Lucius Cross Medal (Yale Graduate Alumni), Yale University (2010)
- The Hamilton Award, University of Nebraska (2008)
- MERIT Award, National Institutes of Health (2006)
- H.C. Brown Award for Creative Research in Synthetic Methods, American Chemical Society (2003)
- MERIT Award, National Institutes of Health (2003)
- Member, National Academy of Science (2003)
- Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science (2001)
- Dean's Award for Distinguished Teaching, Stanford University (2000)
- Award for Creative work in Synthetic Organic Chemistry, American Chemical Society (1998)
- Pfizer Research Award for Synthetic Organic Chemistry, American Chemical Society (1995)
- Bing Teaching Award, Stanford University (1992)
- Fellow, American Academy of Arts and Sciences (1992)
- ASSU Teaching Award, Stanford University ASSU (1991)
- Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung Award, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (1991)
- Hoagland Prize for Undergraduate Teaching, Stanford University (1991)
- Arthur C. Cope Scholar Award, American Chemical Society (1990)
- Ernest Guenther Award, American Chemical Society (1988)
- Stuart Award for Excellence in Chemistry, ICI Pharmaceutical Group (1988)
- Dreyfus Teacher Scholar Award, Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation (1980)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Ph.D., Yale University , Chemistry (1973)
- B.S., Wilkes College , Chemistry (1969)

PATENTS

- Paul Wender, Jung-Min Kee, Jeffrey Warrington. "United States Patent 8,067,632 A Process to Produce Prostratin and Structural or Functional Analogs Thereof", Leland Stanford Junior University, Nov 29, 2011
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LINKS

- The Wender Group: <https://web.stanford.edu/group/pawender/>

Research & Scholarship

CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

Molecular imaging, therapeutics, drug delivery, drug mode of action, synthesis

Teaching

COURSES

2023-24

- Advanced Organic Chemistry I: CHEM 221 (Aut)

2022-23

- Advanced Organic Chemistry I: CHEM 221 (Aut)
- Structure and Reactivity of Organic Molecules: CHEM 33 (Win)

2021-22

- Advanced Organic Chemistry I: CHEM 221 (Aut)
- Structure and Reactivity of Organic Molecules: CHEM 33 (Win)

2020-21

- Structure and Reactivity of Organic Molecules: CHEM 33 (Win)

STANFORD ADVISEES

Doctoral Dissertation Reader (AC)

Hayden Anderson, Lawrence Berg, Brandon Derstine, Amy Latuski, KE ZHENG

Postdoctoral Faculty Sponsor

Sukhun Lee, Pavan Yadav

Doctoral Dissertation Advisor (AC)

Zach Gentry, Rami Hourani, Zhijian Li, Owen McAteer, Harrison Rahn, Jiuzhi Sun

GRADUATE AND FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM AFFILIATIONS

- Chemical and Systems Biology (Phd Program)

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **TPPB modulates PKC activity to attenuate neuroinflammation and ameliorate experimental multiple sclerosis.** *bioRxiv : the preprint server for biology*
Shanmukha, S., Godfrey, W. H., Gharibani, P., Lee, J. J., Guo, Y., Deng, X., Wender, P. A., Kornberg, M. D., Kim, P. M.
2024
- **Vancomycin-Polyguanidino Dendrimer Conjugates Inhibit Growth of Antibiotic-Resistant Gram-Positive and Gram-Negative Bacteria and Eradicate Biofilm-Associated S. aureus.** *ACS infectious diseases*
Chosy, M. B., Sun, J., Rahn, H. P., Liu, X., Brcic, J., Wender, P. A., Cegelski, L.
2024
- **Immunologic and virologic parameters associated with HIV DNA reservoir size in people living with HIV receiving antiretroviral therapy.** *The Journal of infectious diseases*
Blazkova, J., Whitehead, E. J., Schneck, R., Shi, V., Justement, J. S., Rai, M. A., Kennedy, B. D., Manning, M. R., Praiss, L., Gittens, K., Wender, P. A., Oguz, C., Lack, et al
2023
- **Charge-altering releasable transporters enhance mRNA delivery in vitro and exhibit in vivo tropism.** *Nature communications*
Li, Z., Amaya, L., Pi, R., Wang, S. K., Ranjan, A., Waymouth, R. M., Blish, C. A., Chang, H. Y., Wender, P. A.
2023; 14 (1): 6983

- **Conjugation of Vancomycin with a Single Arginine Improves Efficacy against Mycobacteria by More Effective Peptidoglycan Targeting.** *Journal of medicinal chemistry*
Br#i#, J., Tong, A., Wender, P. A., Cegelski, L.
2023
- **Detection of intact vancomycin-arginine as the active antibacterial conjugate in E. coli by whole-cell solid-state NMR.** *RSC medicinal chemistry*
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- **Detection of intact vancomycin-arginine as the active antibacterial conjugate in E. coli by whole-cell solid-state NMR** *RSC MEDICINAL CHEMISTRY*
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- **Circular RNA vaccine induces potent T cell responses.** *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*
Amaya, L., Grigoryan, L., Li, Z., Lee, A., Wender, P. A., Pulendran, B., Chang, H. Y.
2023; 120 (20): e2302191120
- **Lysine-Derived Charge-Altering Releasable Transporters: Targeted Delivery of mRNA and siRNA to the Lungs.** *Bioconjugate chemistry*
Blake, T. R., Haabeth, O. A., Sallets, A., McClellan, R. L., Del Castillo, T. J., Vilches-Moure, J. G., Ho, W. C., Wender, P. A., Levy, R., Waymouth, R. M.
2023
- **Secreted factors induced by PKC modulators do not indirectly cause HIV latency reversal.** *Virology*
Moran, J. A., Ranjan, A., Hourani, R., Kim, J. T., Wender, P. A., Zack, J. A., Marsden, M. D.
2023; 581: 8-14
- **Comprehensive analysis of HIV reservoirs in elite controllers.** *The Journal of clinical investigation*
Kennedy, B. D., Blazkova, J., Justement, J. S., Shi, V., Rai, M. A., Manning, M. R., Praiss, L., Gittens, K., Wender, P. A., Patro, S., Wu, X., Moir, S., Chun, et al
2023; 133 (3)
- **Trimethylene Methane Dianion Equivalent for the Asymmetric Consecutive Allylation of Aldehydes: Applications to Prins-Driven Macrocyclizations for the Synthesis of Bryostatin 1 and Analogues.** *The Journal of organic chemistry*
Wender, P. A., Luu-Nguyen, Q. H., Sloane, J. L., Ranjan, A.
2022
- **Practical synthesis of the therapeutic leads tigilanol tiglate and its analogues.** *Nature chemistry*
Wender, P. A., Gentry, Z. O., Fanelli, D. J., Luu-Nguyen, Q. H., McAteer, O. D., Njoo, E.
2022
- **Author Correction: Engineering circular RNA for enhanced protein production.** *Nature biotechnology*
Chen, R., Wang, S. K., Belk, J. A., Amaya, L., Li, Z., Cardenas, A., Abe, B. T., Chen, C., Wender, P. A., Chang, H. Y.
2022
- **Engineering circular RNA for enhanced protein production.** *Nature biotechnology*
Chen, R., Wang, S. K., Belk, J. A., Amaya, L., Li, Z., Cardenas, A., Abe, B. T., Chen, C., Wender, P. A., Chang, H. Y.
2022
- **Fingolimod-Conjugated Charge-Altering Releasable Transporters Efficiently and Specifically Deliver mRNA to Lymphocytes In Vivo and In Vitro.** *Biomacromolecules*
Testa, S., Haabeth, O. A., Blake, T. R., Del Castillo, T. J., Czerwinski, D. K., Rajapaksa, R., Wender, P. A., Waymouth, R. M., Levy, R.
2022
- **Latency reversal plus natural killer cells diminish HIV reservoir in vivo.** *Nature communications*
Kim, J. T., Zhang, T., Carmona, C., Lee, B., Seet, C. S., Kostelny, M., Shah, N., Chen, H., Farrell, K., Soliman, M. S., Dimapasoc, M., Sinani, M., Blanco, et al
1800; 13 (1): 121
- **An mRNA SARS-CoV-2 Vaccine Employing Charge-Altering Releasable Transporters with a TLR-9 Agonist Induces Neutralizing Antibodies and T Cell Memory.** *ACS central science*
Haabeth, O. A., Lohmeyer, J. J., Sallets, A., Blake, T. R., Sagiv-Barfi, I., Czerwinski, D. K., McCarthy, B., Powell, A. E., Wender, P. A., Waymouth, R. M., Levy, R.
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Abramson, E. n., Hardman, C. n., Shimizu, A. J., Hwang, S. n., Hester, L. D., Snyder, S. H., Wender, P. A., Kim, P. M., Kornberg, M. D.
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- **In vivo targeting of E. coli with vancomycin-arginine.** *Antimicrobial agents and chemotherapy*
Neville, L. F., Shalit, I. n., Warn, P. A., Scheetz, M. H., Sun, J. n., Chosy, M. B., Wender, P. A., Cegelski, L. n., Rendell, J. T.
2021
- **Tracking HIV Rebound following Latency Reversal Using Barcoded HIV.** *Cell reports. Medicine*
Marsden, M. D., Zhang, T., Du, Y., Dimapasoc, M., Soliman, M. S., Wu, X., Kim, J. T., Shimizu, A., Schrier, A., Wender, P. A., Sun, R., Zack, J. A.
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- **Function-Oriented Synthesis: Design, Synthesis, and Evaluation of Highly Simplified Bryostatin Analogues.** *The Journal of organic chemistry*
Wender, P. A., Sloane, J. L., Luu-Nguyen, Q. H., Ogawa, Y., Shimizu, A. J., Ryckbosch, S. M., Tyler, J. H., Hardman, C.
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- **In Situ Detection of Endogenous HIV Activation by Dynamic Nuclear Polarization NMR and Flow Cytometry.** *International journal of molecular sciences*
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- **Prodrugs of PKC modulators show enhanced HIV latency reversal and an expanded therapeutic window.** *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*
Sloane, J. L., Benner, N. L., Keenan, K. N., Zang, X., Soliman, M. S., Wu, X., Dimapasoc, M., Chun, T., Marsden, M. D., Zack, J. A., Wender, P. A.
2020
- **Synthesis and evaluation of designed PKC modulators for enhanced cancer immunotherapy.** *Nature communications*
Hardman, C., Ho, S., Shimizu, A., Luu-Nguyen, Q., Sloane, J. L., Soliman, M. S., Marsden, M. D., Zack, J. A., Wender, P. A.
2020; 11 (1): 1879
- **Synthesis and mechanistic investigations of pH-responsive cationic poly(aminoester)s** *CHEMICAL SCIENCE*
Blake, T. R., Ho, W. C., Turlington, C. R., Zang, X., Huttner, M. A., Wender, P. A., Waymouth, R. M.
2020; 11 (11): 2951–66
- **Clinical Correlates of Human Immunodeficiency Virus-1 (HIV-1) DNA and Inducible HIV-1 RNA Reservoirs in Peripheral Blood in Children With Perinatally Acquired HIV-1 Infection With Sustained Virologic Suppression for at Least 5 Years** *CLINICAL INFECTIOUS DISEASES*
Bitnun, A., Ransy, D. G., Brophy, J., Kakkar, F., Hawkes, M., Samson, L., Annabi, B., Pagliuzza, A., Morand, J., Sauve, L., Chomont, N., Lavoie, S., Kim, et al
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- **Synthesis and mechanistic investigations of pH-responsive cationic poly(aminoester)s.** *Chemical science*
Blake, T. R., Ho, W. C., Turlington, C. R., Zang, X., Huttner, M. A., Wender, P. A., Waymouth, R. M.
2020; 11 (11): 2951-2966
- **Reversible RNA acylation for control of CRISPR-Cas9 gene editing** *CHEMICAL SCIENCE*
Habibian, M., McKinlay, C., Blake, T. R., Kietrys, A. M., Waymouth, R. M., Wender, P. A., Kool, E. T.
2020; 11 (4): 1011–16
- **Charge-altering releasable transporters enable phenotypic manipulation of natural killer cells for cancer immunotherapy.** *Blood advances*
Wilk, A. J., Weidenbacher, N. L., Vergara, R. n., Haabeth, O. A., Levy, R. n., Waymouth, R. M., Wender, P. A., Blish, C. A.
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- **Bryostatin 1 Promotes Synaptogenesis and Reduces Dendritic Spine Density in Cortical Cultures through a PKC-Dependent Mechanism.** *ACS chemical neuroscience*
Ly, C. n., Shimizu, A. J., Vargas, M. V., Duim, W. C., Wender, P. A., Olson, D. E.
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- **Reversible RNA acylation for control of CRISPR-Cas9 gene editing.** *Chemical science*
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2019; 11 (4): 1011-1016
- **Synthesis of Modified Nucleoside Oligophosphates Simplified: Fast, Pure, and Protecting Group Free.** *Journal of the American Chemical Society*

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2019

- **Impact of Treatment Interruption on HIV Reservoirs and Lymphocyte Subsets in Individuals Who Initiated Antiretroviral Therapy During the Early Phase of Infection** *JOURNAL OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES*
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2019; 220 (2): 270–74
- **Oligo(serine ester) Charge-Altering Releasable Transporters: Organocatalytic Ring-Opening Polymerization and their Use for in Vitro and in Vivo mRNA Delivery** *JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY*
Benner, N. L., McClellan, R. L., Turlington, C. R., Haabeth, O. W., Waymouth, R. M., Wender, P. A.
2019; 141 (21): 8416–21
- **Local Delivery of Ox40L, Cd80, and Cd86 mRNA Kindles Global Anticancer Immunity** *CANCER RESEARCH*
Haabeth, O., Blake, T. R., McKinlay, C. J., Tveita, A. A., Sallets, A., Waymouth, R. M., Wender, P. A., Levy, R.
2019; 79 (7): 1624–34
- **Therapeutic function through synthesis-informed design: Approaches to HIV/AIDS eradication, Alzheimer's disease, and enhanced cancer immunotherapy**
Wender, P.
AMER CHEMICAL SOC.2019
- **Clinical correlates of HIV-1 DNA and inducible HIV-1 RNA reservoirs in peripheral blood in children with perinatally acquired HIV-1 infection with sustained virologic suppression for at least 5 years.** *Clinical infectious diseases : an official publication of the Infectious Diseases Society of America*
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2019
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- **Impact of treatment interruption on HIV reservoirs and lymphocyte subsets in individuals who had initiated antiretroviral therapy during the early phase of infection.** *The Journal of infectious diseases*
Huiting, E. D., Gittens, K., Justement, J. S., Shi, V., Blazkova, J., Benko, E., Kovacs, C., Wender, P. A., Moir, S., Sneller, M. C., Fauci, A. S., Chun, T.
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- **Local delivery of OX40L, CD80, and CD86 mRNA kindles global anti-cancer immunity.** *Cancer research*
Haabeth, O. A., Blake, T. R., McKinlay, C. J., Tveita, A. A., Sallets, A., Waymouth, R. M., Wender, P. A., Levy, R.
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Benner, N. L., McClellan, R. L., Turlington, C. R., Haabeth, O. A., Waymouth, R. M., Wender, P. A.
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- **Vancomycin-Arginine Conjugate Inhibits Growth of Carbapenem-Resistant E. coli and Targets Cell-Wall Synthesis.** *ACS chemical biology*
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Benner, N. L., Near, K. E., Bachmann, M. H., Contag, C. H., Waymouth, R. M., Wender, P. A.
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