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## Professional and Academic Positions

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- **Post-Doctoral Fellow** (Jan. 2023 – Present)  
Department of Chemistry, Stanford University (Advisor: Prof. Eric T. Kool)
- **Post-Doctoral Fellow and Research Professor** (Sep. 2021 – Dec. 2022)  
The Institute of Basic Science, Korea University (Advisor: Prof. Jong Seung Kim)  
Technical Research Personnel, Military Service of the Republic of Korea Army

## Education and Training

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- **Ph.D. in Organic Chemistry** (Sep. 2015 – Aug. 2021, GPA: 4.34/4.5)  
Department of Chemistry, Korea University, Seoul, Republic of Korea (Advisor: Prof. Jong Seung Kim)  
*Ph.D. Thesis: Design, Synthesis, and Characterization of Advanced Fluorescent Probes and Multi-functional Photo-therapeutics*
- **B.S. in Chemistry** (Mar. 2012 – Aug. 2015, GPA: 4.44/4.5)  
Department of Chemistry, Hallym University, Chuncheon, Republic of Korea  
*Summa cum laude (Graduated with first class honor in Collage of Science)*

## Research Interests

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- **Organic Chemistry/Chemical Biology/Medicinal Chemistry/Theoretical Chemistry**
  - ✓ Development of chemical tools for DNA and RNA
    - Enhancing fluorogenic chemosensors for DNA repair systems by expanding to multi-color labeling
    - Developing novel fluorogenic chemosensors for RNA labeling
    - Chemistry on AP (abasic, DNA) and 2'-OH (RNA) site for versatile modification of nucleic acids
  - ✓ Chemical modification on RNA to regulate translational processes
    - Optimizing the effectiveness of mRNA therapeutics through regulation of its translation
  - ✓ Risk Assessment of novel genotoxic mechanism from the consumption of heat-damaged DNA in food
    - Heat-damaged DNA: Quali-/quantification and its implication in uncovering a novel genotoxic pathway
    - Developing an advanced bio-platform for genetic risk assessment
    - Investigating the feasibility of genotoxicity, neurodegeneration, carcinogenesis, and mutagenesis
  - ✓ Development of advanced fluorescent probes and multi-functional phototherapeutics for various disease
    - Advancing theranostics and elucidating the principles behind the ambiguous etiology of pathogens
  - ✓ Derivation of the optimal structure through DFT-based calculation and docking study
    - Developing biochemical agents aimed at facilitating early diagnosis and treatment of various diseases

## Books/Chapters

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1. **J. Shin**, J. An, J. Kim, Y. Noh, P. Jangili,\* J. S. Kim,\* Ratiometric Fluorescent Chemosensors: Photo-physical/chemical Mechanism Principles and Design Strategies. in *Fluorescent Chemosensors*. eds. L. Wu, A.C. Sedgwick, X.-P. He & T.D. James. (124–159). *The Royal Society of Chemistry*, **2023**. (DOI: 10.1039/9781839167324-00124, April 2023)

## List of Publications

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**23 publications (11 as a 1<sup>st</sup> author and 12 as a co-author), 3,283 citations (Google Scholar)**

**Google Scholar link: <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=XLit1nwAAAAJ&hl=ko>**

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11. **J. Shin**† N. Kang† B. Kim,† H. Hong, L. Yu, J. Kim, H. Kang,\* J. S. Kim,\* One-dimensional nanomaterials for cancer therapy and diagnosis. *Chem. Soc. Rev.* **2023**, *52*, 4488–4514 (DOI: 10.1039/d2cs00840h).
10. **J. Shin**† D. W. Kang† J. H. Lim,† J. M. An,† Y. Kim, J. H. Kim, M. S. Ji, S. Park,\* D. Kim,\* J. Y. Lee,\* J. S. Kim,\* C. S. Hong\* Wavelength engineerable porous organic polymer photosensitizers with protonation triggered ROS generation. *Nat. Commun.* **2023**, *14*, 1498 (DOI: 10.1038/s41467-023-37156-x).
9. **J. Shin**† Y. Xu,† S. Koo,† J. H. Lim,† J. Y. Lee,\* A. Sharma,\* Y. Sun,\* J. S. Kim,\* Mitochondria-targeted Nanotheranostic: Harnessing Single Laser Activated Dual Photo-therapeutic Processing for Hypoxic Tumor Treatment. *Matter* **2021**, *4*, 2508–2521 (DOI: 10.1016/j.matt.2021.05.022).
8. **J. Shin**† P. Verwilt,† H. Choi,† S. Kang, J. Han, N. H. Kim, J. G. Choi, M. S. Oh, J. S. Hwang, D. Kim,\* I. M.-Jung,\* J. S. Kim,\* Harnessing Intramolecular Rotation to Enhance Two-photon Imaging of A $\beta$  Plaques Through Minimizing Background Fluorescence. *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2019**, *58*, 5648–5652 (DOI: 10.1002/anie.201900549).
7. L. Tu,† Q. Li,† S. Qiu,† M. Li,† **J. Shin**† P. Wu,† N. Singh, J. Li, Q. Ding, C. Hu, X. Xiong,\* Y. Sun,\* J. S. Kim,\* Recent developments in carbon dots: a biomedical application perspective. *J. Mat. Chem. B* **2023**, *11*, 3038–3053 (DOI: 10.1039/d2tb02794a).
6. H. Kim,† **J. Shin**† D. W. Kang,† Y. Kim,† J. H. Kim, M. Kang, J. H. Choe, S. Park,\* J. S. Kim,\* C. S. Hong,\* Photocatalytic detoxification of a sulfur mustard simulant under realistic conditions by imidazoline-based porous organic polymer composites. *Cell Rep. Phys. Sci.* **2022**, *3*, 100888 (DOI:10.1016/j.xcrp.2022.100888).
5. J. An,† P. Verwilt,† H. Aziz,† **J. Shin**† S. Lim, I. Kim, Y. K. Kim,\* J. S. Kim,\* Picomolar-Sensitive  $\beta$ -Amyloid Fibril Fluorophores by Tailoring the Hydrophobicity of Biannulated  $\pi$ -Elongated Dioxaborine-Dyes. *Bioact. Mater.* **2022**, *13*, 239–248 (DOI: 10.1016/j.bioactmat.2021.10.047).
4. J. Cho,† **J. Shin**† M. Kang,† P. Verwilt, C. Lim, H. Yoo, J. G. Kim, X. Zhang, C. S. Hong,\* J. S. Kim,\* S. Kim,\* Calix[n]triazolium based Turn-On Fluorescent Sensing Ensemble for Selective Adenosine Monophosphate (AMP) Detection. *Chem. Commun.* **2021**, *57*, 12139 (DOI: 10.1039/d1cc04950j).
3. C. Liu,† **J. Shin**† S. Son,† Y. Choe,† N. Farokhzad, Z. Tang, Y. Xiao, N. Kong,\* T. Xie,\* J. S. Kim,\* W. Tao,\* Pnictogens in medicinal chemistry: evolution from erstwhile drugs to emerging layered photonic nanomedicine. *Chem. Soc. Rev.* **2021**, *50*, 2260–2279 (DOI: 10.1039/d0cs01175d).
2. S. Son,† J. H. Kim,† X. Wang,† C. Zhang,† S. A. Yoon,† **J. Shin**† A. Sharma,\* M. H. Lee,\* L. Cheng,\* J. Wu,\* J. S. Kim,\* Multifunctional sonosensitizers in sonodynamic cancer therapy. *Chem. Soc. Rev.* **2020**, *49*, 3244–3261 (DOI: 10.1039/c9cs00648f).

1. Z. Yang,<sup>†</sup> D. H. Kang,<sup>†</sup> H. Lee,<sup>†</sup> **J. Shin**,<sup>†</sup> W. Yan, B. Rathore, H.-R. Kim, S. J. Kim, H. Singh, L. Liu, J. Qu,<sup>\*</sup> C. Kang,<sup>\*</sup> J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> A Fluorescent Probe for Stimulated Emission Depletion Super-Resolution Imaging of Vicinal-Dithiol-Proteins on Mitochondrial Membrane. *Bioconj. Chem.* **2018**, *29*, 1446–1453 (DOI: 10.1021/acs.bioconjchem.8b00128).

[1<sup>st</sup> author, Manuscript in preparation or submitted]

2. **J. Shin**,<sup>†</sup> M. J. Kim,<sup>†</sup> E. T. Kool,<sup>\*</sup> Wavelength-engineered Fluorogenic Multicolor Labeling of RNA via Selective 2'-OH Covalent Acylation. **2025**, (Manuscript in preparation).

1. **J. Shin**,<sup>†</sup> P. Jaruga, M. Dizdaroglu, E. T. Kool,<sup>\*</sup> DNA Content and DNA Damage in Raw and Heat-processed Foods. **2025**, (Submitted).

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12. J. An,<sup>†</sup> K. Kim, H. J. Lim, H. Y. Kim, **J. Shin**, I. Park, I. Cho, H. Y. Kim, S. Kim, C. McLean, K. Y. Choi, Y. Kim<sup>\*</sup>, K. H. Lee<sup>\*</sup>, J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> Early onset diagnosis in Alzheimer's disease patients via amyloid- $\beta$  oligomers-sensing probe in cerebrospinal fluid. *Nat. Commun.* **2024**, *15*, 1004 (DOI: 10.1038/s41467-024-44818-x).

11. Z. Zunbul,<sup>†</sup> J. An,<sup>†</sup> H. Aziz,<sup>†</sup> **J. Shin**, S. Lim, L. Yu, Y. K. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> Tailoring Hydrophobicity of Thioflavin T to Optimize A $\beta$  Fibril Bioimaging. *Adv. NanoBiomed Res.* **2023**, *3*, 2200161 (DOI: 10.1002/anbr.202200161).

10. J. H. Kim,<sup>†</sup> S. Park,<sup>†</sup> E. Jung, **J. Shin**, Y.-J. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> J. Y. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> J. L. Sessler,<sup>\*</sup> J. H. Seo,<sup>\*</sup> J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> A dual-action niclosamide-based prodrug that targets cancer stem cells and inhibits TNBC metastasis. *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U.S.A.* **2023**, *120*, e2304091120 (DOI: 10.1073/pnas.2304081120).

9. D. W. Kang,<sup>†</sup> J. H. Kim,<sup>†</sup> J. H. Lim,<sup>†</sup> Y. Kim, M. Kang, **J. Shin**, S. Son, H. Yun, H. Kim, S. Park, J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> C. S. Hong,<sup>\*</sup> Promoted type I and II ROS generation by a covalent-organic framework through sonosensitization and PMS activation. *ACS Catal.* **2022**, *12*, 9621 (DOI: 10.1021/acscatal.2c02414).

8. J. H. Kim,<sup>†</sup> H. Yun,<sup>†</sup> D. W. Kang,<sup>†</sup> **J. Shin**, M. Kang, N. Singh, J.-E. Jeong, C. S. Hong,<sup>\*</sup> J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> Isomeric sp<sup>2</sup>-Carbon Porous Organic Polymer-mediated Photo- and Sono-catalytic Detoxification of Sulfur Mustard under Ambient Conditions. *Matter* **2021**, *4*, 3774 (DOI: 10.1016/j.matt.2021.10.005).

7. J. M. An,<sup>†</sup> H. Moon,<sup>†</sup> P. Verwilt,<sup>†</sup> **J. Shin**, B. M. Park, C. Park, J. S. Kim, S. G. Yeo,<sup>\*</sup> H. Y. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> D. Kim<sup>\*</sup> Human Glioblastoma Visualization: Triple Receptor-targeting Fluorescent Complex of Dye, SIWV Tetra-peptide, and Serum Albumin Protein. *ACS Sens.* **2021**, *6*, 2270–2280 (DOI: 10.1021/acssensors.1c00320).

6. B. Chen,<sup>†</sup> W. Gong,<sup>†</sup> Z. Yang,<sup>\*</sup> W. Pan, P. Verwilt, **J. Shin**, W. Yan, L. Liu, J. Qu,<sup>\*</sup> J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> STORM imaging of mitochondrial dynamics using a vicinal-dithiol-proteins-targeted probe. *Biomaterials* **2020**, *243*, 119938 (DOI: 10.1016/j.biomaterials.2020.119938).

5. P. Liu,<sup>†</sup> W. Fu,<sup>†</sup> P. Verwilt, M. Won, **J. Shin**, Z. Cai,<sup>\*</sup> B. Tong, J. Shi, Y. Dong,<sup>\*</sup> J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> MDM2-Associated Clusterization-Triggered Emission and Apoptosis Induction Effectuated by a Theranostic Spiropolymer. *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2020**, *132*, 1–6 (DOI: 10.1002/anie.201916524).

4. Y. He,<sup>†</sup> **J. Shin**, W. Gong, P. Das, J. Qu, Z. Yang,<sup>\*</sup> W. Liu, C. Kang, J. Qu,<sup>\*</sup> J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> Dual-functional fluorescent molecular rotor for endoplasmic reticulum microviscosity imaging during reticulophagy. *Chem. Commun.* **2019**, *55*, 2453–2456 (DOI: 10.1039/C9CC00300B).

3. Y. Zhou,<sup>†</sup> M. Maiti,<sup>†</sup> A. Sharma,<sup>†</sup> M. Won, L. Yu, L. X. Miao, **J. Shin**, A. Podder, K. N. Bobba, J. Han,<sup>\*</sup> S. Bhuniya,<sup>\*</sup> J. S. Kim,<sup>\*</sup> Azo-based small molecular hypoxia responsive theranostic for tumor-specific imaging and therapy. *J. Control Rel.* **2018**, *288*, 14–22 (DOI: 10.1016/j.jconrel.2018.08.036).

2. H. S. Jung,<sup>†</sup> P. Verwilst,<sup>†</sup> A. Sharma,<sup>†</sup> **J. Shin**, J. L. Sessler,\* J. S. Kim,\* Organic molecule-based photothermal agents: an expanding photothermal universe. *Chem. Soc. Rev.* **2018**, *47*, 2280–2297 ( DOI: 10.1039/C7CS00522A).
1. J.-H. Zhu,<sup>†</sup> C. Yu,<sup>†</sup> Y. Chen, **J. Shin**, Q.-Y. Cao,\* J. S. Kim,\* A self-assembled amphiphilic imidazole-based ATP probe. *Chem. Commun.* **2017**, *53*, 4342–4345 (DOI: 10.1039/c7cc01346a).

## Patent Applications/Registrations

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### [Applications]

9. Imidazoline-based porous organic polymers and method of preparing the same, **KR** 10-2022-0111859 (05 September 2022)
8. Two-photon fluorescent probe compound selective for amyloid beta plaques and method for imaging amyloid beta plaques using same, **U.S.A.** 17/802,233 (25 August 2022)
7. Nano-theranostics for single-laser-activated phototherapy having mitochondria specificity, **KR** 10-2022-0075972 (22 June 2022)
6. Imidazoline-based porous organic polymers and method of preparing the same, **KR** 10-2021-0120637 (09 September 2021)
5. Amyloid- $\beta$ -specific two-photon fluorescent probe, and method for imaging amyloid- $\beta$  plaque using the same, **PCT/KR2021/001002** (26 January 2021)
4. Anti-cancer prodrug for overcoming multidrug resistance, **PCT/KR2020/018292** (14 December 2020)
3. Amyloid- $\beta$ -specific two-photon fluorescent probe, and method for imaging amyloid- $\beta$  plaque using the same, **KR** 10-2020-0023888 (26 February 2020)
2. Anti-cancer prodrug for overcoming multidrug resistance, **KR** 10-2019-0165660 (12 December 2019)
1. Anticancer theranostic compound having colorectal cancer specificity, **KR** 10-2019-0032285 (21 March 2019)

### [Registrations]

3. Amyloid- $\beta$ -specific two-photon fluorescent probe, and method for imaging amyloid- $\beta$  plaque using the same, **KR** 10-2344437 (23 December 2021)
2. Anti-cancer prodrug for overcoming multidrug resistance, **KR** 10-2326738 (10 November 2021)
1. Anticancer theranostic compound having colorectal cancer specificity, **KR** 10-2258299 (25 May 2021)

## Professional Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships

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- **Beneficiary of Post-Doctoral Overseas Training Fellowship 2024**  
National Research Foundation of Korea
- **Beneficiary of 13<sup>th</sup> S-Oil Dissertation of the Year Awards 2023**  
Chemistry, The Korean Academy of Science and Technology and S-Oil  
Profile featured (Link: [S-OIL NEWS](#), [Maeil Business News Korea](#), [Smartfn News](#), [Sisaon News](#), and [Newsprime](#))
- **Beneficiary of CAS Future Leaders 2022**  
A division of the American Chemical Society  
Profile featured in C&EN (Link: [2022 article](#))
- **Selected as a Scientist registered more than 3 times in the past 3 years**  
The people who made Korea shine, BRIC, 6 high-impact journal papers

- **Outstanding Poster Award, The 128th General Meeting of the Korean Chemical Society** (April 2022)  
ICC JEJU, Republic of Korea  
Utilizing Maximal Photon Usage of Single-laser-activated Dual Photoactivable Organic Nanotheranostic: Mitochondria-targeted Phototherapeutic Processing for Hypoxic Tumor Treatment
- **Outstanding Poster Award, The 11th Chemosensor Symposium** (January 2019)  
Korea University, Republic of Korea  
An Imino-coumarin Scaffold for Two-Photon  $\beta$ -Amyloid Fluorescence Probe with Minimal Auto-fluorescence
- **Outstanding Poster Award, The 10th Singapore International Chemistry Conference, SICCC10** (December 2018)  
National University of Singapore University, Singapore  
Next-Generation Two-Photon  $\beta$ -Amyloid Dyes: Minimizing Background Fluorescence
- **2021 Winner of the Chemistry Learning Group, Brain Korea 21 plus** (Spring semester, 2021)  
Department of Chemistry, Korea University, Republic of Korea
- **2020 Excellent paper award, Brain Korea 21 plus** (Spring semester, 2020)  
Department of Chemistry, Korea University, Republic of Korea
- **2019 Excellent paper award, Brain Korea 21 plus** (Spring semester, 2019)  
Department of Chemistry, Korea University, Republic of Korea
- **2018 Excellent presentation of conference award, Brain Korea 21 plus** (Fall semester, 2018)  
Department of Chemistry, Korea University, Republic of Korea
- **2018 Participation paper award, Brain Korea 21 plus** (Spring semester, 2018)  
Department of Chemistry, Korea University, Republic of Korea
- **2017 Excellent paper award, Brain Korea 21 plus** (Spring semester, 2017)  
Department of Chemistry, Korea University, Republic of Korea
- **Summa cum laude, Department of Chemistry, Hallym University**  
Department of Chemistry, Hallym University, Republic of Korea
- **S&T Foundation Scholarship Program Beneficiary** (2013-2014)  
S&T Foundation, Republic of Korea
- **Best academic achievement** (2012-2015)  
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## Poster Presentation

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12 **I. Shin**, Y. Xu, S. Koo, J. H. Lim, J. Y. Lee, A. Sharma, Y. Sun, J. S. Kim, Harnessing a Single-laser-activated Dual Photoactivable Organic Nanotheranostic for Maximal Photon Usage, ACS Fall 2022, Chicago Illinois, United States of America ([International conference](#), August 2022).

11 **I. Shin**, S. Son, J. H. Kim, J. An, J. Kim, B. Kim, M. Choi, H. Rha, Z. Zunbul, J. Lee, E. J. Kim, J. S. Kim, Single-laser-activatable Dual Phototherapeutic Nanotheranostic, The 20th Annual Congress of the Korean Photodynamic Association, National Cancer Center, Republic of Korea (August 2022).

10 **I. Shin**, Y. Xu, S. Son, J. Kim, J. An, J. Y. Lee, A. Sharma, Y. Sun, J. S. Kim, Utilizing Maximal Photon Usage of Single-laser-activated Dual Photoactivable Organic Nanotheranostic: Mitochondria-targeted Phototherapeutic Processing for

Hypoxic Tumor Treatment, The 129th General Meeting of the Korean Chemical Society, ICC JEJU, Republic of Korea (**Outstanding poster award**, April 2022).

9. **J. Shin**, J. Ahn, J. H. Kim, S. Son, W. Choi, Y. Choe, J. S. Kim, A MDM2-Associated Spiropolymer Theranostic: Clusterization-Triggered Emission and Effectuating Apoptosis, The 125th General Meeting of the Korean Chemical Society, Online Meeting (July 2020).

8. **J. Shin**, J. Ahn, H. S. Kim, J. H. Kim, S. Son, M. S. Ji, W. Choi, E. Jung, J. S. Kim, Harnessing Bifunctional Fluorescent Molecular Rotor for Endoplasmic Reticulum Microviscosity Lifetime Imaging during Reticulophagy, The 12th Chemosensor Symposium, Ewha Womans University, Republic of Korea (January 2020).

7. **J. Shin**, J. Kim, J. Ahn, H. S. Kim, J. H. Kim, S. Son, M. S. Ji, W. Choi, J. S. Kim, Minimizing Background Fluorescence in Brightly Emissive Two-Photon  $\beta$ -Amyloid Dyes, The 124th General Meeting of the Korean Chemical Society, Changwon Convention Center, Republic of Korea (October 2019).

6. **J. Shin**, J. Kim, J. Ahn, H. S. Kim, J. H. Kim, S. Son, M. S. Ji, W. Choi, J. S. Kim, A Molecular Rotor Probe for Endoplasmic Reticulum Local Viscosity Fluorescence Lifetime Imaging of Reticulophagy, The 123th General Meeting of the Korean Chemical Society, Suwon, Republic of Korea (April 2019).

5. **J. Shin**, J. Kim, K. Sunwoo, H. S. Kim, J. H. Kim, S. Son, M. S. Ji, S. Koo, J. S. Kim, An Imino-coumarin Scaffold for Two-Photon  $\beta$ -Amyloid Fluorescence Probe with Minimal Auto-fluorescence, The 11th Chemosensor Symposium, Korea University, Republic of Korea (**Outstanding poster award**, January 2019).

4. **J. Shin**, S. Kim, J. Kim, K. Sunwoo, H. S. Kim, G. Y. Park, S. Son, T. Jeong, M. S. Ji, S. Koo, J. S. Kim, Next-Generation Two-Photon  $\beta$ -Amyloid Dyes: Minimizing Background Fluorescence, The 10th Singapore International Chemistry Conference (SICC10), National University of Singapore, Singapore (**International conference, Outstanding poster award**, December 2018).

3. **J. Shin**, H. S. Kim, J. Kim, G. Y. Park, S. Son, A. Sharma, W. Y. Kim, S. Koo, K. Sunwoo, T. Jeong, J. S. Kim, A non-Enzymatic Based Fluorogenic Probe for Sensing Uric Acid in Blood Serum, The 2nd Asian Conference on Chemosensors & Imaging Probes, Beijing, China (**International conference**, October 2017).

2. **J. Shin**, T. H. Jeong, W. Y. Kim, G. Y. Park, S. Son, K. Sunwoo, J. S. Kim, A non-enzymatic approach to sensing uric acid in blood serum: complementary H-Bonding on a BODIPY scaffold, The 119th General Meeting of the Korean Chemical Society, KINTEX, Republic of Korea (April 2017).

1. **J. Shin**, Y. H. Lee, C. H. Kim, I. S. Shim, J. S. Kim, A non-enzymatic BODIPY based fluorogenic probe for uric acid in blood serum, The 117th General Meeting of the Korean Chemical Society, Convention center, KINTEX, Republic of Korea (April 2016).

## Membership and Activities in Professional Associations

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- **American Chemical Society (ACS)** (2022 – Present)  
Annual membership, United States of America
- **Chemical Abstract Service (CAS) Future Leaders Alumni Community** (2022 – Present)  
Lifetime membership, United States of America
- **Korean-American Scientists and Engineers Association (KSEA)**, (2024 – Present)  
Annual membership, United States of America and Republic of Korea
- **The Korean Chemical Society (KCS)**, (2016 – 2020)  
Annual membership, Republic of Korea

## Professional Experiences

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- **Journal Peer Reviewer** (November 2023–Present)  
ACS Applied Bio Materials, American Chemical Society, United States of America  
Aggregate, Wiley, United States of America
- **Post-Doctoral Scholar** (January 2023–Present)  
Department of Chemistry, Sarafan ChEM-H, Stanford Cancer Institute, Stanford University, Stanford, U.S.A.
- **Technical Research Personnel** (September 2020–September 2023)  
Military Service of the Republic of Korea Army, The Institute of Basic Science, Korea University
- **General Chemistry Laboratory I English Class** (Spring semester, 2019)  
Department of Chemistry, Korea University, Seoul, Republic of Korea  
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## Experimental Capabilities

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- **Molecular Synthetic Techniques**

**Organic synthesis**

- ✓ Conventional multi-step organic synthesis
- ✓ Carbon-Carbon coupling reactions
- ✓ Organometallic coupling reactions (e.g., Organometal coupling, etc.)
- ✓ Fluorophore synthesis (e.g., Coumarin, Rhodamine, BODIPY, Nile Red, etc.)
- ✓ Photo-/Sono-sensitizer synthesis
- ✓ Conventional polymerization (e.g., porous organic polymer, etc.)

- **Characterization Techniques**

**Photophysical property analysis**

- ✓ UV-Vis spectrophotometer (RF-5301 – Shimadzu, FP-8500 spectrofluorometer/-Zasco)
- ✓ Fluorophotometer (V-750 spectrophotometer-Zasco)
- ✓ Various laser devices (LED lamps, LED diodes, etc.)

**Molecular structure/Physical property analysis**

- ✓ ESI-MS (Shimadzu)

- ✓ Nuclear magnetic resonance (1D NMR & 2D NMR analysis, 300/ 400 MHz - Varian and 500 MHz - Bruker)
- ✓ Brunauer-Emmett-Teller (BET) surface area analysis
- ✓ Powder XRD (Ultima III diffractometer - Rigaku)
- ✓ Infrared spectroscopy (Nicolet iS10 FT-IR spectrometer - Thermo fisher scientific)
- ✓ Thermogravimetric analysis (N-1000, N-1500 - Sinco)

#### **Others**

- ✓ Protein sample preparation (e.g., Amyloid-beta fibrils)
- ✓ High-performance liquid chromatography (HPLC)
- ✓ Dissolved oxygen level measurement
- ✓ Tip-sonicator

#### • **Theoretical Calculations on Molecular Docking Assay and Density Functional Theory**

- ✓ Gaussian 09, Gaussian View (Quantum mechanical calculator)
- ✓ Gabedit (Molecular modeling program)
- ✓ Chimera (Molecular modeling program)
- ✓ AutoDock 4 (Molecular docking program)
- ✓ AutoDock Vina (Molecular docking program)
- ✓ Schrödinger (Molecular docking program)
- ✓ Flare (Molecular docking program)

#### **Conventional programs**

- ✓ Origin
- ✓ Chemdraw
- ✓ MestReNova
- ✓ Spinworks

#### • **Biological Experience**

##### **Cellular based assays**

- ✓ Confocal and fluorescence microscopic imaging
- ✓ Cytotoxicity/cell viability assay
- ✓ gDNA extraction and measurement
- ✓ Protein quantification

##### **Animal based assays**

- ✓ Mouse oral gavage
- ✓ Mouse anatomy
- ✓ Mouse gDNA extraction and measurement

##### **Food based assays**

- ✓ gDNA extraction and measurement