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Education

- 2014 - 2018** Ph. D. in Biomass and Bioenergy
 Huazhong Agricultural University
- 2005 - 2007** M. S. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
 Huazhong University of Science and Technology
- 2001 - 2005** B. A. in Biological Engineering
 Hubei University

Work Experiences

- 2023 - present** Professor, Ph.D. supervisor, School of Life and Health Science,
 Hubei University of Technology
- 2018 - 2023** Senior Engineer, College of Plant Science & Technology,
 Huazhong Agricultural University
- 2016 - 2017** Visiting Scholar, DOE Biology Science Research Center,
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- 2008 - 2018** Engineer, College of Plant Science & Technology,
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Research Interests

Plant cell wall engineering and lignocellulosic biorefinery for bioethanol and biobased material production

Enrollment Information

Master Degree: Biotechnology, Food Science and Engineering, Biology and Medicine
Doctoral Degree: Light Industry Technology and Engineering

Representative Articles (*correspondent; # equal contribution)

Publications: 76 total; cited times = 3060; H-index = 32

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7. Fu, Y., Gao, H., Yu, H., Yang, Q., Peng, H., Liu, P., Li, Y., Hu, Z., Zhang, R., Li, J., Qi, Z., Wang, L., Peng, L., **Wang, Y.*** Specific lignin and cellulose depolymerization of sugarcane bagasse for maximum bioethanol production under optimal chemical fertilizer pretreatment with hemicellulose retention and liquid recycling. *Renewable Energy*. 200: 1371-1381, **2022** (IF: 8.7)
8. Wang, Y.#, Liu, P.#, Zhang, G., Yang, Q., Lu, J., Xia, T., Peng, L. **Wang, Y.*** Cascading of engineered bioenergy plants and fungi sustainable for low-cost bioethanol and high-value biomaterials under green-like biomass processing. *Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews*. 137: 110586, **2021** (IF: 16.799)

9. Yang, Q., Zhao, W., Liu, J., He, B., Wang, Y., Yang, T., Zhang, G., He, M., Lu, J., Peng, L. Wang, Y.* Quantum dots are conventionally applicable for wide-profiling of wall polymer distribution and destruction in diverse cells of rice. *Talanta*. 208: 120452, **2020** (IF: 6.556)
10. Li, Q., Xie, B., Wang, Y. *, Wang, Y.*, Peng, L., Li, Y., Li, B., Liu, S.* Cellulose nanofibrils from *Miscanthus floridulus* straw as green particle emulsifier for O/W Pickering emulsion. *Food Hydrocolloids*. 97: 105214, **2019** (IF: 10.7)
11. Li, Y., Zhuo, J., Liu, P., Chen, P., Hu, H., Wang, Y., Zhou, S., Tu, Y., Peng, L., Wang, Y.* Distinct wall polymer deconstruction for high biomass digestibility under chemical pretreatment in *Miscanthus* and rice. *Carbohydrate Polymers*. 192: 273-281, **2018** (IF: 11.2)
12. Wang, Y.#, Fan, C. #, Hu, H., Li, Y., Sun, D., Wang, Y., Peng, L.* Genetic modification of plant cell walls to enhance biomass yield and biofuel production in bioenergy crops. *Biotechnology Advances*, 34: 997-1017, **2016** (IF: 16.0)
13. Wang, Y.#, Huang, J. #, Li, Y., Xiong, K., Wang, Y., Li, F., Liu, M., Wu, Z., Tu, Y., Peng, L.* Ammonium oxalate-extractable uronic acids positively affect biomass enzymatic digestibility by reducing lignocellulose crystallinity in *Miscanthus*. *Bioresource Technology*, 196: 391-398, **2015** (IF: 11.4)