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Basic Info

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Education

- **PH.D., National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2006-2012**

- Ph.D. in Photonics and Optoelectronics

- Research: Growth and Characterization of Regularly Patterned InGaN/GaN QW Nanorod Arrays

- Ph.D. Advisor: Prof. C. C. Yang

- **M.S., Chang Gung University, Tao Yuan, Taiwan, 1999-2001**

- M.S. in Electronic Engineering

- Research: The process of high quality Low-temperature poly-Si TFT

- M.S. Advisor: Prof. M. C. Wang

- **B.S., Chang Gung University, Tao Yuan, Taiwan, 1995-1999**

- B.S. in Electrical Engineering

Selected Awards and Honors

- 1st Prize, KAUST-Asia Wide Bandgap Semiconductor Workshop, Saudi Arabia, 2019
- Stunning Performance Awards, Nano-structure Photo Contest-SEM Imaging 2012, Taiwan, 2012
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- Scholarship A awards, College of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, NTU, Taiwan, 2008
- Honorary member of the “Phi Tau Phi Scholastic Honor Society” of R.O.C., CGU, Taiwan, 2001

Research Interests

- Epitaxial Growth of Nitride and Oxide semiconductor and other advance materials by MOCVD
- Design, fabrication, and characterization of Nitride and Oxide semiconductor high power and photonic devices, such as HEMT, UV and visible light-emitting diodes and laser diodes

Publication Summary

- 44 journal and 117 conference publications
- 1 Book Chapter
- 5 U.S. patents



- Certified reviewer for Elsevier, IEEE, SPIE, and OSA

Work Experience

- **Epitaxy Growth Div., RD center, Genesis Photonics Inc, Tainan, Taiwan, 2015-2017**
Senior RD Engineer
 - In charge of three Veeco K465i MOCVD for GaN-based Blue LED epi-wafer (2, 4, and 6 inch) mass production
 - Research and development of new epi-wafer structures growth for high power, high brightness LED, and improve the ESD characteristic of epi-wafer.
- **Electronic Materials Div., LCD dept., Nan Ya Plastics Co., Tao Yuan, Taiwan, 2002-2006**
Research and development engineer
 - Implemented Double STN-LCD panels for wide temperature range display applications, which are assembling on vehicles and vessels. Products earned the purchase order from Stonebridge Vehicles Ltd for VOLVO trucks.
 - Designed and fabricated the trans-reflectance color STN-LCD panels for personal digital assistor (PDA), global positioning system (GPS) modules and consumer electronics for out-door applications
 - Developed TFT-LCD panels for the portable devices and cell phones, integrated the process with vendor empty TFT-cell and the production line, and transfer to the mass production.

Volunteering activities

- KAUST photonics summer camp 2018
- KAUST photonics summer camp 2019
- KAUST-Asia wide bandgap semiconductor workshop 2019
- KAUST Microelectronic Camp 2020

Professional Membership

- IEEE, SPIE, OSA

Research Experience

- **King Abdullah University of Science and Technology (KAUST), Saudi Arabia, 2017-present**
Postdoctoral fellow
 - Lab Safety Representative of Advance Semiconductor Laboratory
 - In charge of TNS MOCVD SR-4000HT for AlGaIn-based DUV LED and LD epitaxial growth
 - Nitride and Oxide material growth by MOCVD and PLD, device fabrication and characterization
- **Graduate Institute of Photonics and Optoelectronics, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2012-2014**
Postdoctoral Researcher



- Design and grow the special epi-structures for GaN crystal quality improvement or novel devices fabrication, such as ELO, Nano-pattern, novel substrates and vertical LED growth
- MOCVD epitaxy growth of nitride-based nanorods, InGaN/GaN core-shell nanorod LED array, and their emission wavelength variation properties study for solid state lighting applications
- Crystal quality evaluations, material analysis, optical and electrical property measurements

Skills

• **MOCVD epitaxy growth**

Nitride-based semiconductor epitaxy (Visible light and DUV), Core-shell nanorod LED growth.

• **Display technology**

LCD panel research and development, Excimer Laser annealing of LTPS TFT fabrication.

• **Nanofabrication**

Nano-imprint Lithography, Mask-Aligner, PECVD, RIE, E-gun, Sputter, ALD, PLD and RTA.

• **Material analysis and device characterizations**

XRD, AFM, SEM, FIB, CL, TEM / PL, EL, I-V and L-I measurement.

Journal Reviews

1. Annals of Physics, Elsevier
2. IEEE Journal of Quantum Electronics, IEEE
3. Journal of Nanophotonics, SPIE
4. Materials Science in Semiconductor Processing, Elsevier
5. Optics Express, OSA
6. Optical Materials Express, OSA

Patents

1. Xiaohang Li, Che-Hao, "Semiconductor Device with an Aluminum Group-III Oxide Active Layer", **U.S. Application** No. 62/799,140.
2. C. C. Yang, Che-Hao Liao, Charng-Gan Tu, Horng-Shyang Chen, Chia-Ying Su, "Multi-section Rod Semiconductor Light-emitting Device and Manufacturing Method Thereof," **US patent** No. 9,478,701 B2 (10/25/2016-08/08/2034), Oct. 2016.
3. C. C. Yang, Hung-Yu Tseng, Wei-Fang Chen, Che-Hao Liao, Yu-Feng Yao, "Fabrication Method of Nanoparticle," **US patent** No. 8,753,559 B2 (06/17/2014-08/17/2032), Jun. 2014.
4. C. C. Yang, Che-Hao Liao, Shao-Ying Ting, Horng-Shyang Chen, Wen-Ming Chang, Yu-Feng Yao, Chih-Yen Chen, Hao-Tsung Chen, "Semiconductor Light-emitting Device and Manufacturing Method Thereof," **US patent** No. 8,759,814 B2 (06/24/2014-09/13/2032), Jun. 2014.
5. Cheng-Hung Lin, Che-Hao Liao, Chih-Yen Chen, Chieh Hsieh, C. C. Yang, "METHOD FOR FORMING LIGHT EMITTING DEVICE," **US patent** No. 8,153,457 B1 (04/10/2012-03/14/2031), Apr. 2012.
6. Hung-Chih Yang, Ming-Chi Hsu, Ta-Cheng Hsu, Chih-Chung Yang, Tsung-Yi Tang, Yung-Sheng Chen, Wen-Yu Shiao, Che-Hao Liao, Yu-Jiun Shen, Sheng-Horng Yen, "Light-emitting diode structure," **US patent** No. 2011/0175126 A1 (07/21/2011-01/15/2030), Jul. 2011.



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1. Manjari Garg, Ashutosh Kumar, Haiding Sun, Che-Hao Liao, Xiaohang Li, and Rajendra Singh*, "Temperature dependent electrical studies on Cu/AlGa_N/Ga_N Schottky barrier diodes with its microstructural characterization," J. Alloys Compd., Vol. 806, p. 852, 2019. (SCI).
2. Zhongjie Ren, Yi Lu, Hsin-Hung Yao, Haiding Sun, Che-Hao Liao, Jiangnan Dai, Changqing Chen, Jae-Hyun Ryou, Jianchang Yan, Junxi Wang, Jinmin Li, and Xiaohan Li*, "III-III-nitride Deep UV LED without Electron Blocking Layer," IEEE Photon. J., Vol. 11(2), p. 8200511, Apr. 2019. (SCI).
3. Manjari Garg, Tejas Rajendra Naik, Ravi Pathak, Valipe Ramgopal Rao, Che-Hao Liao, Kuang-Hui Li, Haiding Sun, Xiaohang Li, and Rajendra Singh*, "Surface passivation process for AlGa_N/Ga_N HEMT heterostructures using phenol functionalized-Porphyrin based organic molecules," J. Appl. Phys. Vol. 124, p. 195702, Nov. 2018. (SCI).
4. Charng-Gan Tu, Chia-Ying Su, Che-Hao Liao, Chieh Hsieh, Yu-Feng Yao, Hao-Tsung Chen, Chun-Han Lin, Chi-Ming Weng, Yean-Woei Kiang*, and C. C. Yang*, "Regularly patterned multi-section Ga_N nanorod arrays grown with a pulsed growth technique," Nanotechnology, Vol. 27, No. 2, p. 025303-1~12, Jan. 2016. (SCI)
5. Charng-Gan Tu, Yu-Feng Yao, Che-Hao Liao, Chia-Ying Su, Chieh Hsieh, Chi-Ming Weng, Chun-Han Lin, Hao-Tsung Chen, Yean-Woei Kiang, and C. C. Yang*, "Multi-section core-shell InGa_N/Ga_N quantum-well nanorod light-emitting diode array," Optics Express, Vol. 23, No. 17, p. 21919~21930, Aug. 2015. (SCI)
6. Chun-Han Lin, Chia-Ying Su, Erwin Zhu, Chieh Hsieh, Charng-Gan Tu, Yu-Feng Yao, Hao-Tsung Chen, Che-Hao Liao, Horng-Shyang Chen, Yean-Woei Kiang, and C. C. Yang*, "Thermally induced variations of strain condition and emission behavior in flat and bendable lightemitting diodes on different substrates," Optics Express, Vol. 23, No. 12, p. 15491~15503, Jun. 2015. (SCI)
7. Yu-Feng Yao, Charng-Gan Tu, Ta-Wei Chang, Hao-Tsung Chen, Chi-Ming Weng, Chia-Ying Su, Chieh Hsieh, Che-Hao Liao, Yean-Woei Kiang, and C. C. Yang*, "Growth of Highly Conductive Ga-Doped ZnO Nanoneedles," ACS Appl. Mater. Interfaces, Vol. 7, No. 19, pp. 10525~10533, Apr. 2015. (SCI)
8. Charng-Gan Tu, Chia-Ying Su, Che-Hao Liao, Chieh Hsieh, Yu-Feng Yao, Hao-Tsung Chen, Chun-Han Lin, Horng-Shyang Chen, Yean-Woei Kiang, C.C. Yang*, "Regularly-patterned nanorod light-emitting diode arrays grown with metalorganic vapor-phase epitaxy," Superlattices and Microstructures Vol. 83, p. 329~341, Mar. 2015. (SCI)
9. Yang Kuo, Chun-Han Lin, Horng-Shyang Chen, Chieh Hsieh, Charng-Gan Tu, Pei-Ying Shih, Chung-Hui Chen, Che-Hao Liao, Chia-Ying Su, Yu-Feng Yao, Hao-Tsung Chen, Yean-Woei Kiang*, and Chih-Chung Yang*, "Surface plasmon coupled light-emitting diode: Experimental and numerical studies," Jpn. J. Appl. Phys. Vol. 54, No. 2S, p. 02BD01-1~10, Feb. 2015. (SCI)
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13. Chih-Yen Chen, Wen-Ming Chang, Wei-Lun Chung, Chieh Hsieh, Che-Hao Liao, Shao-Ying Ting, Kuan-Yu Chen, Yean-Woei Kiang*, C. C. Yang*, Wei-Siang Su, and Yung-Chen Cheng, “Crack-free GaN deposition on Si substrate with temperature-graded AlN buffer growth and the emission characteristics of overgrown InGaN/GaN quantum wells,” *Journal of Crystal Growth*, Vol. 396, p. 1~6, Jun. 2014. (SCI)
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 26. Hsiang-Chen Wang*, Che-Hao Liao, Yu-Lun Chueh, Chih-Chung Lai, Li-His Chen, and Raymond Chien-Chao Tsiang, "Synthesis and characterization of ZnO/ZnMgO multiple quantum wells by molecular beam epitaxy," *Optical Materials Express*, Vol. 3, Issue 2, pp. 237-247, 2013. (SCI)
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 28. Shao-Ying Ting, Yu-Feng Yao, Wei-Lun Chung, Wen-Ming Chang, Chih-Yen Chen, Hao-Tsung Chen, Che-Hao Liao, Horng-Shyang Chen, Chieh Hsieh, and C. C. Yang*, "Comparison of Emission Characteristics between the CdZnO/ZnO Quantum Wells on ZnO and GaN Templates," *Optics Express*, Vol. 20, No. 20, p. 21860~21874, Sept. 2012. (SCI)
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 32. Chih-Yen Chen, Chieh Hsieh, Che-Hao Liao, Wei-Lun Chung, Hao-Tsung Chen, Wenyu Cao, Wen-Ming Chang, Horng-Shyang Chen, Yu-Feng Yao, Shao-Ying Ting, Yean-Woei Kiang, C. C. Yang* and Xiaodong Hu, "Effects of overgrown p-layer on the emission characteristics of the InGaN/GaN quantum wells in a high-indium light-emitting diode," *Optics Express*, Vol. 20, No. 10, p. 11321~11335, 7 May 2012. (SCI)
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