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***Education***

1982 Ph.D. Genetics, Indiana University

1978 B.A. Biology, Magna Cum Laude, University of California San Diego

***Postdoctoral Research Experience***

1984-1987 University of California San Diego, NIH Postdoctoral Fellow

1982-1984 Indiana University, Postdoctoral Research Associate

***Professional Experience***

2002- Director, Inter-institutional Virology Program, University of Maryland

2000- Professor, Department of Cell Biology and Molecular Genetics, University of Maryland

1996-2000 Professor, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, UMass

1996-1999 Associate Head, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, UMass

1992- 1996 Associate Professor, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, UMass

1990-1992 Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, UMass

1987-1990 Assistant Professor, Department of Plant Pathology, University of Massachusetts

 ***Honors and Awards***

2014 Elected a Fellow of the American Academy of Microbiology

2012 Nominated for President of the American Society of Virology

2011 Elected Plant Virus Councilor, American Society of Virology

2008 College of Chemical and Life Sciences Annual Service Award

2002 Richard Francki Prize recipient for Distinguished Research in Plant Virology

1997 University of Massachusetts Distinguished Teaching Award

1982 Recipient, Esther L. Kinsley Ph.D. Dissertation Award for the most outstanding Ph.D. thesis at

 Indiana University

***Other Recent Professional Activities***

2018 Local organizer for ASV annual meeting at the University of Maryland

2007- Editor, Journal of Virology

2011- Editor, Current Opinion in Virology

2010- Editorial Board, Viruses

2008- Advisory Board, Science and Entertainment Exchange, National Academy of Sciences

2012, 2014 Organizer of plant virology satellite symposium at ASV

2013-2014 Nominations Committee, ASV

2011-2015 co-Editor-in-Chief, Frontiers in Virology

2011- 2014 Plant Virus Councilor, American Society of Virology

2010-2012 American Society of Virology Program Committee

2009-2015 Panel member, National Institutes of Health, Microbiology and Infectious Diseases B

2004-2015 Guest Editor, Current Protocols in Microbiology

1996-2007 Editor, Virology

2008 Panel member, National Institutes of Health, Topics in Virology (R21/R03/R15)

2008 Chairman, Committee of Visitors reviewing the Division of MCB at NSF

2007 External Reviewer, Institute of Plant and Microbial Sciences, National Academy of

 Sciences, Taipei, Taiwan

2005 External Reviewer, National Academy of Sciences, Taipei, Taiwan

2003 Panel Member Bard Grant Panel

1998-2003 Panel member, National Institutes of Health, Virology Study Section,

1996-1998 Associate Editor, Molecular Plant-Microbe Interactions

2001 Member, Committee of Visitors reviewing the Arabidopsis genome initiative at NSF

1999Organized the American Society of Virology's Annual Meeting at UMass,

Ad hoc reviewer for National Science Foundation, Department of Energy, USDA, NIH

Reviewer for J. Virol., Virology, J. Gen. Virology, Virus Research, The Plant Cell, The Plant Journal, Plant Physiology, Mol. Gen. Genet., Mol. Cell. Biol., Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci., Plant Molecular Biology, Mol. Plant-Microbe Interact, RNA, EMBO J., Science, Nature Reviews

***Current Grant Support***

1***.*** National Science Foundation MCB-1411836 (Principal Investigator)

 Title: Translational Enhancement by Multifunctional tRNA Mimics

 Period: 4/1/15 – 3/31/18

 Amount: $750,000

2. NIAID R21AI117882-01 (Principal Investigator)

 Title: New Paradigms for Ribosome Recoding in (+)Strand Viruses

 Period: 3/1/15 - 2/28/18 (includes no-cost extension)

 Amount: $409,955

3. National Institutes of Health T32AI125186A (Principal Investigator)

 Title: Graduate Training in Virology

 Period: 8/1/16-7/31/21

 Amount: $ 287,345 (direct costs year 1)

 ***Recent Past Grant Support***

1. National Science Foundation MCB-1411836 (Principal Investigator)

 Title: Analysis of a ribosome-binding 3' translational enhancer in a plus-strand RNA virus

 Period: 4/1/12 – 3/31/15

 Amount: $595,000

2. National Institutes of Health 2T32AI051967-06A1 (Principal Investigator)

 Title: Mechanisms of virus replication and gene expression

 Period: 8/1/09-7/31/14

 Amount: $997,333

3. National Science Foundation (co-Principal Investigator)

 Title: Collaborative research: Identification of *cis*-acting sequence and structural elements required for

 replication of a viral RNA

 Period: 12/1/09-11/30/13

 Amount: 61,392 (to AES)

4. National Science Foundation (Principal Investigator)

 Title: Funds for students to attend the American Society of Virology Meeting 2012

 Period: 6/2012-6/2013

 Amount: $6,000 (to AES)

 5. National Institutes of Health 2 R01 GM 061515-05A2/G120CD (Principal Investigator)

 Title: Role of RNA structural switches in the replication of a plus-strand RNA virus

 Period: 4/1/07 – 3/31/11

 Amount: $1,600,000 (includes administrative supplement)

***Recent Invited Presentations at National and International Meetings***

2017 Keynote Speaker Annual meeting of the Mexican Society of Virology (scheduled)

2014 Invited Speaker, 2014 International Symposium on RNA Viruses, Chang Gung University, Taiwan

2013 Invited Speaker, EMBO workshop on plant viruses, France

2011 Keynote speaker, International Symposium on RNA Viruses, Taoyuan, Taiwan

***Recent Invited Seminars at Universities and Industries***

2015 University of South Carolina

2015 Mt. Sinai Medical School

2015 Nanjing University

2015 Chinese Institute of Plant Protection

2015 Peking University

2015 Tsinghua University

2015 Shandong Agricultural University

2015 Zhejiang University

2014 Academy Sinica, Taipei

2014 National Chung Hsing University, Taichung

2014 Keynote Speaker, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health, Dept of Immunology and Molecular

 Microbiology Retreat

2014 Keynote Speaker, Mt. Sinai Virology Program Retreat

2013 Chinese Academy of Science

2013 Shandong Agricultural University

2013 Zhejiang University

2013 Chinese Academy of Virology, Wuhan

2012 National Cancer Institute, Fort Detrick

2012 CAS, Virology, Wuhan, China

***Graduate Students***

Ms. Jingyuan (Brianna) Liu PhD program, first year.

Ms. Brianne Temko PhD program, first year.

Dr. My Le PhD, MOCB Current Position- Postdoctoral Associate, Indiana University

Dr. Micki Khulmann PhD, CBMG Current Position- Postdoctoral Associate, National Cancer Institute

Dr. Maitreyi Chattopadhyay PhD, CBMG Current Position- Research Associate, FDA

Dr. Megan Young PhD CBMG Current position- Research Associate, Industry

Dr. Rong Guo PhD CBMG Current position- Permanent staff member, regulatory division, FDA

Dr. John McCormack PhD CBMG Current position- Completed postdoc, Yale University

Dr Fengli Zhang, PhD CBMG Current position- Senior microbiologist, Wisconsin State Laboratory of

 Hygiene

Dr. Xiaoping Sun PhD. CBMG Current position- Professor, Wuhan University Medical School

Dr. Jiuchun Zhang, PhD. CBMG Current position- Assistant Scientist, Wisconsin National Primate Research

 Center

Dr. Hancheng Guan, Ph.D. Current position- Research Assistant Professor, University of Pennsylvania

Dr. Jianlong Wong, Ph.D. Current position- Assistant Professor, Albert Einstein Medical School

Dr. Chuanzheng Song Ph.D. Last position- Senior scientist, Department of Functional Genetics, Novartis (deceased)

Dr. Jong-Won Oh, Ph.D. Current position- Associate Professor, Biotechnology, Yonsei University

Dr. Qingzhong Kong, Ph.D. Current position- Associate Professor, Case Western University Medical School

Dr. Pamela Cascone, Ph.D. Current position- Senior research scientist, CuraGen Corp, CT

Dr. Chunxia Zhang Ph.D. Current position- Optometrist Bethesda, MD

Dr. Xiao Hua Li, Ph.D. Current position- Research Associate, U. Texas Southwestern Med.

Ms. Angela Valinski, M.A. Current position- Research Technician, Mount Holyoke College.

***Postdoctoral Researchers***

Dr. Zhiyou Du 2015-

Dr. Jared May 2015-

Dr. Feng Gao 2009-

Dr. Vera Stupina 2009-2012

Dr. Xuefeng Yang 2007-2012 Current position: Professor, Shandong Agricultural University

Dr. Kerong Shi 2007-2009 Current position: Associate Professor, Shandong Agricultural University

Dr. Alicia Manfre 2006-2008 Current position: Assistant Professor, Hagerstown Community College

Dr. Guohua Zhang 1999-2006 Current position: Businessman, China

Dr. Sohrab Bodhagi 2000-2001 Current position: Research Consultant, California

Dr. Peter Nagy, Post-doctoral Associate, 1996-1998 Current position, Professor, Department of Plant Pathology, University of Kentucky

Dr. Judit Pogony, Post-doctoral Associate, 1996-1998 Current position, Research Associate, Department of Plant Pathology, University of Kentucky

Dr. Clifford D. Carpenter, Research Associate, 1987-1998 Current position, Senior Research Associate Northwestern University

Dr. Joel Kreps, Post-doctoral Associate, 1992-1996 Current position, Research Manager at BP Biofuels Advanced Technology, San Diego

***Departmental and College Committees at the University of Maryland***

Head, Virology Specialization Graduate Program (2001-)

Organizer of the Annual Virology Program Retreat (2001-)

BISI MCB CA Executive committee (2012-)

Virology position search committee (2015)

Departmental APT Committee (2013)

University Medal Committee (2013)

College APT Committee, vice chair (2012), 2014

Oral Communication Task force, CMNS (2012)

Academic Planning Advisory Committee (APAC) (2010-2012)

Department APT (2008-2011)

College APT Committee, vice chair (2008-2010)

Kirwan Undergraduate Award Committee (2008)

CORE-MIC University Committee (2007-2008)

College Park Scholars Head Search Committee (2008)

College of Life Sciences Search Committee- College Development Officer (2004)

University APT Committee (2004-2005)

Dean's advisory committee (2004-2005)

Kirwan Undergraduate Education Award Committee (2003)

Faculty Senate (2002-2003)

Gemstone mentor (2001-2004)

College Undergraduate education committee (2001)

Department undergraduate education committee (2000-2002)

University Kirwan Research and Scholarship Prize Committee (2001)

Department personnel committee (2001-2003)

New Building committee (2000)

Head, Microbiology SAC (2000)

***Publications***

Peer-Reviewed Journals

1. Bayne, C.F., Widawski, M.E., Gao, F., Masab, M.H., Chattopadhyay, M., Murawski, A.M., Sansever, R.M., Lerner, B.D., Castillo, R.J., Griesman, T.M., Fu, J., Hibben, J.K., Perez, A.D., Simon, A.E., and Kushner, D.B. In vivo SELEX reveals that 5’ domain of Turnip crinkle virus satellite RNA exists in both open and zipped forms. Manuscript in preparation.
2. Gao, F., Alekhina, O.M., Vassilenko, K.S., and Simon, A.E. Non-leaky scanning translation of closely spaced initiation codons for overlapping viral open-reading frames. Manuscript in preparation.
3. Johnson, P., Gao, F., and Simon, A.E. A novel replication element associated with umbravirus Pea Enation Mosaic Virus. Manuscript in preparation.
4. Gao, F., and Simon, A.E. 2017. Differential use of 3’ CITEs by the subgenomic RNA of Pea enation mosaic virus 2. Virology (in press).
5. Du, Z., Alekhina, O.M., Vassilenko, K.S., and Simon, A.E. 2017. Concerted action of two 3’ cap-independent translation enhancers increases the competitive strength of translated viral genomes. Nucleic Acids Res., (in press).
6. Le, M.-T., Kasprzak, W.K., Kim, T., Gao, F., Young, M.Y.L, Yuan, X., Shapiro, B.A., Seog, J., and Simon, A.E. 2017. Combined single molecule experimental and computational approaches for understanding the unfolding pathway of a viral translation enhancer that participates in a conformational switch. RNA Biology (Solicited Point of View), in press. DOI: 10.1080/15476286.2017.1325069
7. Aguado, L.C., Schmid, S., May, J., Sabin, L.R., Panis, M., Blanco-Melo, D., Shim, J.V., Sachs, D., Cherry, S., Simon, A.E., Levraud, J.P. and tenOever, B.R. 2017. Evidence for RNaseIII nucleases as the precursors for eukaryotic antiviral defenses. Nature 547, 114–117
8. Le, M.-T., Kasprzak, W.K., Kim, T., Gao, F., Young, M.Y.L, Yuan, X., Shapiro, B.A., Seog, J., and Simon, A.E. 2017. Folding behavior of a T-shaped, ribosome-binding translation enhancer implicated in a wide-spread conformational switch. eLife 6, e22883. <https://t.co/JwfvZSZOmd>
9. May, J., Johnson, P., Saleen, H., and Simon, A.E. 2017. A sequence-independent, unstructured IRES is responsible for internal expression of the coat protein of Turnip crinkle virus. J Virol [SPOTLIGHT selection] 91, e02421.
10. Kuhlmann, M.M., Chattopadhyay, M., Stupina, V. A., Gao, F., and Simon, A. E. 2016. An RNA element that facilitates programmed ribosomal readthrough in Turnip crinkle virus adopts multiple conformations. J Virol. 90, 8575-8591.
11. Gao, F., and Simon, A. E. 2016. Multiple cis-acting elements modulate programmed-1 ribosomal frameshifting in Pea enation mosaic virus. Nucleic Acids Res 44, 878-895.
12. Le, M.-T., Brown, R. E., Longhini, A. P., Simon, A. E., and Dayie, T. K. 2015. In vivo, site-specific labeling of homogeneous, recombinant RNA in wild type and mutant E. coli for NMR structural studies. Methods Enzymol. 265, 495-535.
13. Chattopadhyay, M., Stupina, V.A., Gao, F., Szarko, C.R., Kuhlmann, M.M., Yuan, X., Shi, K., and Simon, A.E. 2015. Requirement for host RNA silencing components and the virus silencing suppressor when second-site mutations compensate for structural defects in the 3’UTR. J Virol. 89, 11603-11618.
14. Murawski, A.M., Nieves, J.L., Chattopadhyay, M., Young, M.Y., Szarko, C., Tajalli, H.F., Azad, T., Jean-Jacques, N.B., Simon, A.E., and Kushner, D.B. 2015. Rapid evolution of in vivo-selected sequences and structures replacing 20% of a subviral RNA. Virology 483, 149-162.
15. Simon, A.E. 2015. 3’UTR of carmoviruses. Virus Res. 206, 27-36.
16. Dashtia, A., Schwandera, P., Langloisb, R., Funga, R., Lib, W., Hosseinizadeha, A., Liaob, H.Y., Pallensenc, J., Sharmab, G., Stupina, V.A., Simon, A.E., Dinman, J. D., Frank, J., and Ourmazd, A. 2014. Trajectories of the ribosome as a Brownian nanomachine. Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA. 111, 17492–17497
17. Babaie, G., Habibi, M.K., Massah, A., Dizadji, A., Izadinejad, L., and Simon, A. E. 2014. Complete genome sequence and genome analysis of Eggplant mottled dwarf virus-Iranian isolate. ***J. Phytopathol.*** 163, 331-341.
18. Gao, F., Kasprzak, W, Szarko, C, Shapiro, BA, and Simon, AE. 2014. The 3' untranslated region of Pea enation mosaic virus contains two T-shaped, ribosome-binding, cap-independent translation enhancers**. J Virol** 88, 11696-11712. PMCID: PMC4178710
19. Chattopadhyay, M., Kuhlmann, M., Kumar, K., and Simon, A.E. 2014. Position of the kissing-loop interaction associated with PTE-type 3’CITEs can affect enhancement of cap-independent translation. ***Virology***, 458-459, 43-52. PMCID: PMC4101382
20. Gao, F., Reddy, S., Kasprzak, W., Shapiro, B.A., Dinman, J.D., and Simon, A.E. 2013. The kissing-loop T-shaped structure translational enhancer of Pea enation mosaic virus can bind simultaneously to ribosomes and a 5′ proximal hairpin***. J. Virol.*** 87, 11987-2002. PMCID: PMC3807929
21. Simon, A. E., and Miller, W. A. 2013. 3’ Cap-independent translation enhancers of plant viruses. ***Annu. Rev. Microbiol.*** 67: 21–42. PMCID: PMC4034384
22. Stupina, V.A. and Simon, A.E. 2013. Preparation of biologically active Arabidopsis ribosomes and comparison with yeast ribosomes for binding to a tRNA-mimic that enhances translation of plant plus-strand RNA viruses. ***Front. Plant Sci.*** 4, 271. doi: 10.3389/fpls.2013. PMCID: PMC3718319
23. Gao, F., Kasprzak, W., Stupina, V.A., Shapiro, B.A. and Simon, A.E. 2012. A ribosome-binding, 3’ translational enhancer has a T-shaped structure and engages in a long distance RNA:RNA interaction. ***J. Virol.***86, 9828-9842. PMCID: PMC3446580
24. Yuan, X., Shi, K., and Simon, A.E. 2012. An interactive network of RNA elements supports translation and replication in Turnip crinkle virus.  ***J. Virol.*** 86, 4065-4081. PMCID: PMC3318645
25. Guo, R., Meskauskas, A., Dinman, J.D., and Simon, A.E. 2011. Evolution of a helper virus-derived ribosome binding translational enhancer in an untranslated satellite RNA of Turnip crinkle virus. ***Virology*** 419, 10-16. PMCID: PMC3176665
26. Chattopadhyay, M., Shi, K., Yuan, X., and Simon, A.E. 2011. Long-distance kissing loop interactions between a 3’ proximal Y-shaped structure and apical loops of 5’ hairpins enhance translation of Saguaro cactus virus. ***Virology*** 417, 113-125. PMCID: PMC3152624
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1993-2016 Science adviser for the TV series “The X-Files”

2015 Featured speaker at the Smithsonian

 Radio interview for BBC

 Radio interview for WTOP

 Featured story in Washington Post (full page story)

 Featured story in Vice.com

2016 Interviews with Popular Science, Buzzfeed, Vice, and Geekwire.

 Featured story in Nature Communication

 Featured story in Smithsonian Magazine

 Talk in the Smithsonian Science Series (277 audience)

 Interview (1 h) with Eric Olsen and Joel Sturgis on After Hours AM/America's Most Haunted

 Radio (audience of 500,000+)

 Seminar at NASA

 Seminar at OASIS (life-long learning), Washington DC

 Seminar at National Museum of Health and Medicine, Washington DC

 Science adviser to movie, Fantastic Voyage

4/6/2016 Invited Participant, White House Office of Science and Technology Policy Roundtable on “The Image of STEM-Emerging Opportunities for Storytelling to Help Inspire a Diverse Generation of Scientists and Engineers”

7/2/2016 Invited participant by National Academy of Science, panel for Science Fiction Museum convention on Science in the Media

Some of the venues where I gave presentations are: NASA, OASIS (life-long learning), National Museum of Health and Medicine, and the Smithsonian. In addition, I gave interviews (many as podcasts) to The Washington Post, BBC, WTOP, Vice.com, Nature Communications, Smithsonian Magazine, and America’s Most Haunted Radio (audience of 500,000+). I also was a participant in the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy Roundtable on “The Image of STEM-Emerging Opportunities for Storytelling to Help Inspire a Diverse Generation of Scientists and Engineers” and the National Academy of Science, panel for Science Fiction Museum convention on Science in the Media. In all of these venues, I emphasized the importance of basic research, the importance of GMOs for crop improvements, and other scientific topics. As a member of the National Academy Science and Entertainment Exchange, I have been giving scientific advice to the movie, Fantastic Voyage. In addition, given the importance of communicating science to the public, I have been very active on Twitter. My current followers (over 2900) are mainly non-scientists and many have been fascinated by the science stories that I tweet out. It is critically important for the future that scientists are humanized and looked up to an individuals with impeccable ethics. Twitter is an important tool in this effort. Over the past year, I have sent out over 5,000 tweets.