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<b>EDUCATION*</b>	
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Degrees:	<input type="checkbox"/> BA/BS <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> In Progress	Year of Graduation: _____
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<b>AREAS OF RESEARCH*</b> (Please select up to 4)	
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**Proteins**

- Protein Structure and Conformation
- Protein Structure Prediction and Design
- Protein Stability, Folding and Chaperones
- Protein-Small Molecule Interactions
- Protein Assemblies
- Protein Dynamics and Allostery
- Membrane Protein Structures
- Membrane Protein Dynamics
- Membrane Protein Folding
- Enzyme Function, Cofactors, and Post-Translational Modifications

**Intrinsically Disordered Protein, Aggregates, and Condensates**

- Intrinsically Disordered Proteins
- Protein Aggregates
- Condensates: Physical Properties and Modeling
- Condensates in Physiology and Disease

**Nucleic Acids**

- DNA Replication, Recombination, and Repair
- Transcription
- Ribosomes and Translation
- DNA Structure and Dynamics
- RNA Structure and Dynamics
- Protein-Nucleic Acid Interactions
- Chromatin and the Nucleoid

**Lipids and Membranes**

- Membrane Physical Chemistry
- Membrane Dynamics
- Membrane Active Peptides
- Membrane Fusion and Non-Bilayer Structures

 Membrane Structure

- Protein-Lipid Interactions: Channels
- Protein-Lipid Interactions: Structures
- General Protein-Lipid Interactions

**Cell Physiology and Biophysics**

- Membrane Receptors and Signal Transduction
- Mechanosensation
- Exocytosis and Endocytosis
- Calcium Signaling
- Intracellular Calcium Channels and Calcium Sparks and Waves
- Excitation-Contraction Coupling
- Cardiac, Smooth, and Skeletal Muscle Electrophysiology
- Muscle Regulation
- Intracellular Organelle Dynamics
- Bioenergetics and Photosynthesis
- Mitochondria in Cell Life and Death

**Channels and Transporters**

- Voltage-gated Na Channels
- Voltage-gated Ca Channels
- Voltage-gated K Channels
- TRP Channels
- Ligand-gated Channels
- Membrane Pumps, Transporters, and Exchangers
- Ion Channel Regulatory Mechanisms
- Ion Channels, Pharmacology, and Disease
- Anion Channels
- Other Channels

**Cytoskeleton, Motility, and Motors**

- Skeletal Muscle Mechanics, Structure, and Regulation
- Smooth Muscle and Cardiac Muscle Mechanics and Structure
- Smooth Muscle and Cardiac Muscle Regulation
- Smooth Muscle Mechanics, Structure and Regulation
- Actin Structure, Dynamics, and Associated Proteins
- Microtubules, Structure, Dynamics, and Associated Proteins
- Kinesins, Dyneins, and Other Microtubule-based Motors
- Myosins
- Cytoskeletal Assemblies and Dynamics
- Cell Mechanics, Mechanosensing, and Motility
- Cytoskeletal-based Intracellular Transport
- Bacterial Mechanics, Cytoskeleton, and Motility

**Systems Biology**

- Modeling of Biological Systems
- Imaging in Systems and Synthetic Biology
- Genetic, Metabolic, and Cellular Networks
- Novel Techniques for Systems and Synthetic Biology

**Biophysics of Neuroscience**

- Molecular and Cellular Neuroscience
- Computational Neuroscience
- Neuroscience: Experimental Approaches and Tools

**New Developments in Biophysical Techniques**

- EPR and NMR: Spectroscopy and Imaging
- Electron Microscopy
- Diffraction and Scattering Techniques
- Molecular Dynamics
- Computational Methods and Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, and Bioinformatics
- Optical Microscopy and Superresolution Imaging
- Single-Molecule Spectroscopy
- Optical Spectroscopy: CD, UV-VIS, Vibrational, Fluorescence
- Force Spectroscopy and Scanning Probe Microscopy

**Bioengineering and Biomaterials**

- Bioengineering
- Biosensors
- Biosurfaces
- Micro- and Nanotechnology
- Biomaterials

**Biophysics Education**

- Biophysics Education

 None

 Other \_\_\_\_\_

\* Required Selections

**TECHNIQUES USED IN RESEARCH\*** (Check up to 4)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Analytical Ultracentrifugation                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Computational/Theoretical Chemistry and Simulations | <input type="checkbox"/> Nuclear Magnetic Resonance/EPR Spectroscopy     | <input type="checkbox"/> X-Ray and Neutron Scattering and Diffraction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Artificial Intelligence Methods                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Electron Microscopy and Tomography                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Optical Spectroscopy (CD, UV/Vis, Fluorescence) | <input type="checkbox"/> X-Ray Crystallography                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic Force Spectroscopy                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Electrophysiology                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Single Molecule Methods                         | <input type="checkbox"/> None   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bioinformatics  | <input type="checkbox"/> Fluorescence and Light Microscopy                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Superresolution Imaging                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Calorimetry   | <input type="checkbox"/> Magnetic Resonance (NMR, EPR, MRI)                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Time-Resolved Spectroscopy                      |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cell/Tissue Imaging and Mechanics                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Mass Spectrometry                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Transient State Kinetics                        |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computational Modeling – Cells and Systems            | <input type="checkbox"/> Microfluidics and Microfabrication                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Vibrational Spectroscopy (Infrared and Raman)   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computational Modeling – Molecular and Macromolecular | <input type="checkbox"/> Nanotechnology                                      |  |   |

**EDUCATION\***

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**EMPLOYMENT\***

- Area of Employment:  Academic  Industry  Government  Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- If in academia, do you currently work at a PUI (Primarily Undergraduate Institution)?  Yes  No

**FUNDING\*** (Check all that currently apply)

- Governmental Funding Agencies:  CAS  AMED  CIHR  DOD  DOE  ERC  BMBF  NHMRC  MRC  NASA  CNRS  NIST  NIH: If NIH, specify institute: \_\_\_\_\_  CNR  NRF  NSF  CNPQ  USDA Other Funding: \_\_\_\_\_
- Non-governmental Funding Agencies:  American Cancer Society (ACS)  American Heart Association (AHA)  Gates Foundation  Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI)  Kavli Foundation  Wellcome Trust Other Funding: \_\_\_\_\_

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**VOLUNTARY INFORMATION**

- Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy):     /     /
- Are you interested in volunteering for:  Blogging  Judging at Science Fairs (A follow up email will be sent to you.)
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**SUBGROUP SELECTION (One Complimentary with Membership)**

- Bioenergetics, Mitochondria, and Metabolism  Bioengineering  Biological Fluorescence  Biopolymers in Vivo  Channels, Receptors and Transporters
- Cryo-EM  Intrinsically Disordered Proteins  Macromolecular Machines and Assemblies  Mechanobiology  Membrane Fusion, Fission, and Traffic
- Membrane Structure and Function  Membrane Transport  Motility and Cytoskeleton  Multiscale Genome Organization  Nanoscale Approaches to Biology
- Physical Cell Biology  Single-Molecule Forces, Manipulation, and Visualization  Theory and Computation

**PAYMENT INFORMATION**

**ADDITIONAL SUBGROUP SELECTION**

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- Intrinsically Disordered Proteins ..... \$10
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- Motility and Cytoskeleton ..... \$10
- Multiscale Genome Organization ..... \$10
- Nanoscale Approaches to Biology ..... \$10
- Physical Cell Biology ..... \$10
- Single-Molecule Forces, Manipulation, and Visualization ..... \$10
- Theory and Computation ..... \$10

**Subgroups Total = \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

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**PUBLICATIONS**

- Annual Review of Biophysics, Vol. 54 - Online Only Access** ..... \$115

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- Subgroup (Specify Subgroup Name: \_\_\_\_\_) ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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