

# Curriculum Vitae

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### Education

**Postdoc** (2/1993-5/1996) Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, USA  
**Ph.D.** (9/1985-3/1991) Microbiology, University of California at Davis, CA, USA  
**B.S.** (9/1980-6/1984) Biology, Fu-Jen University, Taiwan

### Professional Appointments

**CEO** (2/2021-present) Top Science Biotechnologies, Inc.  
**Associate Research Fellow** (08/2008-1/2021) GRC, Academia Sinica, Taiwan  
**Joint Associate Professor** (08/2007-1/2021) Natl. Central University, Taiwan  
**Joint Associate Professor** (02/2011-1/2021) Natl. Taiwan University, Taiwan  
**Associate Professor** (2008-1/2021) Natl. Yang-Ming University, Taiwan  
**Research Scientist** (8/2002-8/2008) Genome Institute of Singapore, Singapore  
**Principal Investigator** (3/1999-3/2000) Dev. Ctr. for Biotechnology, Taipei Taiwan  
**R&D Scientist** (5/1996-4/1998) Bio-Rad Laboratories, Hercules, CA USA

### Research Grants

1. **Academia Sinica PI research funding** (2008 - 2021)
2. **NSC (MOST) research grant** 科發基金管理會補助計畫 (2009 – 2010) 新創核酸複製技術"寡核苷酸引發的聚合酶連鎖反應 (TOP-PCR)"商業化與技術推廣
3. **Academia Sinica research grant** for Subproject 3 of Taiwan Biosignature research grant (2012 – 2018)
4. **Ministry of Health and Welfare research grant** for Subproject 3 of Main project entitled "Integrative therapy and molecular diagnosis of children cancer" (2017 – 2021)
5. **Academia Sinica Summit Research Project for the study of early-onset breast cancer** (2009 – 2014)

### Awards

1. 第十七屆中華民國年度十大企業 金炬獎 (111 年)
2. 中央研究院三等服務獎章

### **Expertise**

1. Biotechnology
2. Cancer biology
3. Microbiology
4. Genomics
5. Bioinformatics
6. NGS and sequence data analysis

### **Public Services**

1. **GMO food evaluation committee:** Taiwan Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Ministry of Health and Welfare (2018/04 – present)
2. **Research grant proposal reviewer:** Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST), Taiwan
3. **Teaching graduate students:** National Taiwan University (NTU), National Yang-Ming University (NYMU), National Defense Medical University (NDMU) and National Central University (NCU) **Journal reviewer:** Bioinformatics, Frontiers in Genetics, Oncotarget, Molecules, FEBS Letters, Scientific Reports, PLOS ONE, BMC series.

### **Patents filed from Top Science Biotechnologies, Inc.**

1. 2022/02/10 (filing date) *Pending* (TW111104836): Kuo Ping Chiu. **A Digital Method for the Analysis of Nucleic Acids in Samples.**
2. 2022/03/30 (filing date) *Pending* (US17/721500) Kuo-Ping Chiu. **Digital Method for Analyzing Nucleic Acids in Samples.**
3. 2022/07/01 (filing date) *Pending* (TW111124736): **A Method for Amplifying Free Nucleic Acids Directly from One Drop Unpurified Sample.**

### **Patents filed from Academia Sinica**

1. 2019/5/21 (date of filing) *pending* (US62850651): Kuo Ping Chiu, Hsin-Chieh Shiau and Zee Hong Goh. **Method for amplifying and detecting ribonucleic acid (RNA) fragments.**
2. 2018/11/19 (date of filing) *pending* (US62743149/AS #28A-1070122): Kuo Ping Chiu. **Digital polymerase chain reaction method for detecting nucleic acids in samples.**
3. 2018/10/14 *issued*: 10011040EP (UK, Germany and France). Kuo Ping Chiu and Yu-Shin Nai. **Methods for full-length amplification of double-stranded linear nucleic acids of unknown sequences.**

4. China 201480065165.5 (AS#10011040CN) ***issued***: Kuo Ping Chiu and Yu-Shin Nai. **Methods for full-length amplification of double-stranded linear nucleic acids of unknown sequences.**
5. US10407720B2 ***issued*** (2019/9/10): Kuo Ping Chiu and Yu-Shin Nai. **Methods for full-length amplification of double-stranded linear nucleic acids of unknown sequences.**
6. Taiwan I564393 ***issued*** (2017/01/01 - 2034/12/14): Kuo Ping Chiu, Yu-Shin Nai and Yu-Feng Huang. **Methods for full-length amplification of double-stranded linear nucleic acids of unknown sequences.**
7. US 8829172B2 ***issued*** (2014/09/09 - 2032/08/26): Kuo Ping Chiu, Yi Chou, and Sheng-Chung Chen. **Novel multiplex barcoded Paired-End Ditag (mbPED) sequencing approach and its application in fusion gene identification.**
8. US 8481699B2 ***issued*** (2013/07/09 - 2031/10/03): Kuo Ping Chiu. **Multiplex barcoded Paired-End ditag (mbPED) library construction for ultra high throughput sequencing.**

#### **Patent licensing**

1. 2018/11/01 – 2038/10/31: AS 28A-1020829-1N; on “**Methods for full-length amplification of double-stranded linear nucleic acids of unknown sequences**” and “**Digital T oligo-primed polymerase chain reaction and detection method**”; to Phalanx Biotech Group.
2. 2020/12/01 – 2040/11/30: AS 28A-1020829-2N; on “**Methods for full-length amplification of double-stranded linear nucleic acids of unknown sequences**” and “**Digital T oligo-primed polymerase chain reaction and detection method**”; to Top Science Biotechnologies, Inc.

#### **Publications** (\*, corresponding author)

1. Kuo-Ping Chiu\*, Lutimba Stuart, Hong Sain Ooi, Yu-Tai Wang, John Yu, David Glenn Smith and Kurtis Jai-Chyi Pei. **Genome sequencing and application for Taiwanese macaque *Macaca cyclopis*. Submitted.**
2. Zih-Ting Chang, Yu-Feng Huang, Yue-Wen Chen, Po-Ya Hsu, Tzu-Han Chen, Kuo-Ping Chiu, and Yu-Shin Nai\* (2021). **Risk assessment of DWV-infected honey bee larvae reveals the genes involved in MAPK signaling pathway, were enhanced and impacted on immune genes expression. *Scientific Reports* 11:15028.**
3. Yi-Hsuan Li, Yu-Feng Huang, Tzu-Han Chen, Shin-Shan Wu, Hsin-Chieh Tang, Chung-Yi Hsiao, Lung-Chun Huang, Ju-Chun Chang, Kuo-Ping Chiu, and Yu-Shin Nai\* (2020). **Comparison of gut microbiota of healthy and unhealthy walking sticks, *Phasmotaenia lanyuhensis*. *Archives of Insect Biochemistry & Physiology*. doi: 10.1002/arch.21749.**
4. Mohit K. Midha, Hsiao-Hsiang Yang, Tan-Chi Fan, Nai-Chuan Chang, Tzu-Han Chen, Yu-Tai Wang, Wen-Hung Kuo, King-Jen Chang, Chen-Yang Shen, Alice L.

- Yu, Kuo-Ping Chiu\* and Chien-Jen Chen (2020). **Comprehensive cohort analysis of mutational spectrum in early onset breast cancer patients.** *Cancers*, 12, 2089; doi:10.3390/cancers12082089.
5. Mohit K. Midha, Mengchu Wu and Kuo-Ping Chiu\* (2019). **Long-read sequencing in deciphering human genetics to a greater depth** (Invited review). *Human Genetics*, 138(11), 1201-1215, doi: 10.1007/s00439-019-02064-y. PMID: 31538236.
  6. Kuo-Ping Chiu\* and Alice L. Yu (2019). **Application of cell-free DNA sequencing in characterization of bloodborne microbes and the study of microbe-disease interactions** (Review). *PeerJ* 7:e7426 <https://doi.org/10.7717/peerj.7426>. PMID: 31404440.
  7. Yu-Feng Huang, Tzu-Han Chen, Zih-Ting Chang, Tai-Chuan Wang, Se Jin Lee, Jong Cheol Kim, Jae Su Kim, Kuo-Ping Chiu, and Yu-Shin Nai (2019). **Genomic sequencing of *Troides aeacus* nucleopolyhedrovirus (TraeNPV) from golden birdwing larvae (*Troides aeacus formosanus*) revealing a defective *Autographa californica* NPV genomic features.** *BMC Genomics* 20(1): 419. doi: 10.1186/s12864-019-5713-2. PMID: 31133070.
  8. Kuo-Ping Chiu\* (2018). **Commentary: Linking Microbiota to Cancer Prognosis.** *J Genet Cell Biol*, 1(1): 1-2.
  9. Yih-Shien Chiang, Yu-Feng Huang, Mohit K. Midha, Tzu-Han Chen, Hsin-Chieh Shiau, and Kuo-Ping Chiu\* (2018). **Single cell transcriptome analysis of MCF-7 reveals consistently and inconsistently expressed gene groups each associated with distinct cellular localization and functions.** *PLOS ONE*, available online: June 19, 2018, doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0199471. PMID: 29920548.
  10. Yu-Feng Huang, Yen-Ju Chen, Tan-Chi Fan, Nai-Chuan Chang, Yi-Jie Chen, Mohit K. Midha, Tzu-Han Chen, Hsiao-Hsiang Yang, Yu-Tai Wang, Alice L. Yu, and Kuo-Ping Chiu\* (2018). **Analysis of microbial sequences in plasma cell-free DNA for early-onset breast cancer patients and healthy females.** *BMC Medical Genomics*, 11 (Suppl): 16. doi: 10.1186/s12920-018-0329-y. PMID: 29504912.
  11. Nai, YS; Huang, YF; Chen, TH; Chiu, KP and Wang, CH (2017). **'Determination of nucleopolyhedrovirus' taxonomic position'**, in *Biological Control of Pest and Vector Insects*, Shields VDC (ed), InTech, Rijeka, Croatia, pp. 169-200.
  12. Yu-Shin Nai, Tzu-Han Chen, Yu-Feng Huang, Mohit K. Midha, Hsin-Chieh Shiau, Chen-Yang Shen, Chien-Jen Chen, Alice L. Yu, and Kuo Ping Chiu\* (2017). **T Oligo-Primed Polymerase Chain Reaction (TOP-PCR): A Robust Method for the Amplification of Minute DNA Fragments in Body Fluids.** *Scientific Reports* 7: 40767; doi: 10.1038/srep40767. PMID: 28094343.
  13. Kuo-Ping Chiu\* (2016). *Next-Generation Sequencing and Sequence Data Analysis*, Bentham Science Publishers, Sharjah, United Arab Emirates.

14. Chiu, KP\* (2016). '**Applications of Single Cell Sequencing in Cancer**', in FG Tseng and TS Santra (eds), *Essentials of single-cell analysis: concepts, applications and future prospects*, Springer, Berlin Heidelberg, pp. 347-361.
15. Hong-Sen Chen, Shin-Chen Hou, Jhih-Wei Jian, King-Siang Goh, San-Tai Shen, Yu-Ching Lee, Jhong-Jhe You, Hung-Pin Peng, Wen-Chih Kuo, Shui-Tsung Chen, Ming-Chi Peng, Hwei-Jiung Wang, Chung-Ming Yu, Ing-Chien Chen, Chao-Ping Tung, Tzu-Han Chen, Kuo Ping Chiu, Che Ma, Chih Yuan Wu, Sheng-Wei Lin, and An-Suei Yang (2015). **Predominant structural configuration of natural antibody repertoires enables potent antibody responses against protein antigens.** *Scientific Reports* 5:12411. doi: 10.1038/srep12411. PMID 26202883.
16. Yu-Feng Huang\*, Mohit Midha, Tzu-Han Chen, Yu-Tai Wang, David Glenn Smith, Kurtis Jai-Chyi Pei, and Kuo Ping Chiu (2015). **Complete Taiwanese macaque (*Macaca cyclopis*) mitochondrial genome: reference-assisted *de novo* assembly with multiple-kmer strategy.** *PLoS ONE* 10(6):e0130673. doi: 10.1371. PMID: 26125617.
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22. Mohamed Sabry Hamza, Sebastian Pott, Vinsensius B. Vega, Jane S. Thomsen, Gopalan Srinivasan Kandhadayar, Patrick Ng, Kuo Ping Chiu, Sven Pettersson, Chia Lin Wei, Yijun Ruan, and Edison T. Liu (2009). **De-Novo identification of PPAR $\gamma$ /RXR binding sites and direct targets during adipogenesis.** *PLoS ONE* 4(3): e4907. doi: 10.1371/ journal.pone.0004907.

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24. Kuo Ping Chiu\*. Review (2008): **Novel Applications of the Paired-End diTag (PET) Technology in Pharmacogenomics.** *Current Pharmacogenomics and Personalized Medicine* 6:23-32.
25. Ching-Aeng Lim, Fei Yao, Joyce Jing-Yi Wong, Joshy George, Han Xu, Kuo Ping Chiu, Wing-Kin Sung, Leonard Lipovich, Vinsensius B. Vega, Joanne Chen, Atif Shahab, Xiao Dong Zhao, Martin Hibberd, Chia-Lin Wei, Bing Lim, Huck-Hui Ng, Yijun Ruan, and Keh-Chuang Chin (2007). **Genome-wide Mapping of RELA (p65) Binding Identifies E2F1 as a Transcriptional Activator Recruited by NF- $\kappa$ B upon TLR4 Activation.** *Molecular Cell* 27(4):622-635.
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31. Kuo Ping Chiu, Chee-Hong Wong, Qiongyu Chen, Pramila Ariyaratne, Hong Sain Ooi, Chia-Lin Wei, Wing-Kin Ken Sung, and Yijun Ruan (2006). **PET-Tool: a software suite for comprehensive processing and managing of Paired-End diTag (PET) sequence data.** *BMC Bioinformatics* 7:390.
32. Patrick Ng, Jack J.S. Tan, Hong Sain Ooi, Yen Ling Lee, Kuo Ping Chiu, Melissa J. Fullwood, Clotilde Perbost, Lei Du, Wing-Kin Sung, Chia-Lin Wei, and Yijun Ruan (2006). **Multiplex sequencing of Paired-End Ditag (MS-PET): a strategy for the ultra-high-throughput analysis of transcriptome and genomes.** *Nucleic Acid Research* 34(12):e84.
33. Karen I. Zeller, XiaoDong Zhao, Charlie W. H. Lee, Kuo Ping Chiu, Hong Sain Ooi, Fei Yao, Atif Shahab, How Choong Yong, YuTao Fu, Zhiping Weng, Vladimir A. Kuznetsov, Wing-Kin Sung, Yijun Ruan, Chi V. Dang, and Chia-Lin Wei (2006). **Global mapping of c-Myc binding sites and target gene networks in human B cells.** *PNAS* 103:17834-17839.
34. Yuin-Han Loh, Qiang Wu, Joon-Lin Chew, Vinsensius B. Vega, Weiwei Zhang, Xi Chen, Guillaume Bourque, Joshy George, Bernard Leong, Jun Liu, Kee-Yew Wong, Ken W. Sung, Charlie W.H. Lee, Xiao-Dong Zhao, Kuo-Ping Chiu, Leonard Lipovich, Vladimir A. Kuznetsov, Paul Robson, Lawrence W. Stanton, Chia-Lin Wei, Yijun Ruan, Bing Lim, and Huck-Hui Ng (2006). **The Oct4 and Nanog transcription network regulates pluripotency in mouse embryonic stem cells.** *Nature Genetics* 38:431-440.
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43. Kuo Ping Chiu, Thomas Sullivan, and Sherry Bursztajn (1996). **Improved *in situ* hybridization: Color intensity enhancement procedure for the alkaline phosphatase/Fast Red system.** *BioTechniques* 20:964-968.
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#### **Presentations (2008 – 2017)**

1. Invited speaker (2017/12/04-05): **Speech 1: T Oligo-Primed Polymerase Chain Reaction (TOP-PCR); Speech 2: What TOP-PCR can do for NGS.** In 4BIO Summit, London, UK.
2. Invited speaker (2016/10/13): **A Cohort Study of Early Onset Breast Cancer.** In Diagnostics Summit 2016, Biopolis, Singapore.
3. Invited speaker (2016/06/22): **T Oligo-Primed Polymerase Chain Reaction (TOP-PCR): A Robust Method for the Amplification of Minute Amount of DNA Fragments from Body Fluids.** In The Liquid Biopsy Summit, San Francisco, USA.
4. Invited speaker (2013/10/08): **Multiplex barcoded Paired-End Ditag (mbPED) for ultra high throughput sequencing.** In 3rd Annual Next Generation Sequencing Asia Congress, 8th & 9th October 2013, Singapore.

5. Invited speaker (2013/06/21): **Multiplex barcoded Paired-End Ditag (mbPED) for ultra high throughput NGS sequencing.** In Nucleic Acid Summit, June 19-21, 2013, San Francisco, California.
6. Invited speaker (2012/12/21): **What we have learned from the study of *Antrodia cinnamomea*.** At Department of Food Science and Biotechnology, National Chung-Hsing University, Taichung, Taiwan.
7. Invited speaker (2012/12/13): **Palindromic sequence impedes sequencing-by-ligation mechanism.** In 23<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Genome Informatics (GIW2012), to be held at National Cheng Kung University, Tainan, Taiwan.
8. Invited speaker (2012/09/20): **Multiplex barcoded Paired-End Ditag (mbPED) for ultra high throughput sequence data analysis.** In International Symposium of Root Systems Biology, held at Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan.
9. Colloquium lecture (2011/03): **Single cell transcriptome analysis of MCF-7 breast cancer cell population.** At National Central University, ChungLi, Taiwan.
10. Oral presentation (2010/11): **Single cell transcriptome analysis of MCF7 breast cancer cell population using Next-Generation Sequencing. In Systems Biology and Bioinformatics Symposium.** At Tsing-Hua University, Taiwan.
11. Poster presentation (2010/10): **Single cell transcriptome analysis of MCF7 breast cancer cell population.** In 'Beyond the Genome' International Conference, held at Harvard Medical School, USA.
12. Oral presentation (2009/10): **Unraveling the mystery of gene expression and regulation/dysregulation by sequencing.** In 2<sup>nd</sup> Symposium on Molecular Medicine in Post-genomic Era, held in Taipei Taiwan.
13. Oral presentation (2009/10): **Applications of Next-Generation Sequencing technology on systems biology.** At National Chang Gung University, Taoyuan Taiwan.
14. Poster presentation (2008): **Analysis of the MCF-7 breast cancer transcriptome and effects of estrogen using an ultra-high-throughput Multiplex Sequencing-coupled Paired-End diTag (MS-PET) approach.** In Keystone Symposia, held in Keystone, Colorado USA.