# **Gregory Alan Weiss** Curriculum Vitae

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## Personal

Born July, 1970 in New York City, NY. Married to Kim M. Weiss.

## Education

- Postdoctoral Fellow, Protein Engineering, Genentech, Inc., 1997-2000.
- Ph.D. and A.M., Chemical Biology, Harvard University, 1992-1997.
- B.S., Chemistry, U.C. Berkeley, 1988-1992.

# Research Experience

2009-	Professor of Chemistry, Molecular Biology and Biochemistry, Pharmaceutical Sciences
	(2019-), University of California, Irvine (with tenure)
2006-2009	Associate Professor of Chemistry, Molecular Biology and Biochemistry, University of
	California, Irvine (with tenure)
2000-2006	Assistant Professor of Chemistry, Molecular Biology and Biochemistry
	University of California, Irvine
1997-2000	Postdoctoral Fellow with Dr. James A. Wells, Genentech, Inc.
1992-1997	Graduate Student with Professor Stuart L. Schreiber, Harvard University
1990-1992	Undergraduate Researcher with Professor Paul A. Bartlett, U.C. Berkeley
1989-1990	Research Assistant, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

Other Professional Activities		
2009-present	Co-Program Leader, Biotechnology, Imaging and Drug Development Program of the	
	Chao Family Comprehensive Cancer Center	
2020-present	Vice Chair for Safety, UCI Department of Chemistry	
2019-present	Co-Founder and Scientific Advisory Board Chair, Debut Biotechnology	
2017-present	Distinguished Visiting Professor, University of Johannesburg, South Africa	
	Co-Founder, Chief Scientific Officer, Member of the Board of Directors, PhageTech, Inc.	
2010-present	Associate Editor and Editor, Current Protocols in Chemical Biology	
2013-present	Member, Advisory Board of the Cancer Research Institute, UC Irvine	
2018-2019	Co-Founder, Member of the Board of Directors, Synthase, LLC	
2010-2013	Vice Chair, UCI Department of Chemistry	
2008-2018	Member or Chair, Scientific Advisory Board, Phylogica Ltd.	
2012-2016	Member, NIH NANO study section	
2010-2012	Elected Co-Chair, Global Young Academy (elected twice by scientists in >50 countries)	
2012	Member, NCI Macromolecular Crystallography site visit and review team	
2009-2011	Member, Scientific Advisory Board, Molecular Express, Inc.	
2009, 2010	US Representative, Annual Meeting of New Champions, World Economic Forum, Dalian	
	& Tianjin, China (selected by the US National Academy of Sciences)	
2008-2009	Co-Chair, Organizing Committee, National Academy of Sciences Indo-US Kavli Frontiers in Science Symposium	

2008-2009	Member, NSF Proposal Review Panels
2007	Outstanding Professor from the U.C. Irvine School of Physical Sciences (selected by the
	graduating seniors in the class of 2008)
2006-2009	UC Biotechnology Research Education Program, Executive Committee member
2001-present	Ad Hoc Member, NIH study sections (>20 times including ALY, F04A, F04B, F32, and
	SBCA study sections)

Faculty Mentor Award, UCI School of Biological Sciences

#### **Awards**

2022

2021	Chancellor's Award for Undergraduate Research
2020	Honorary Member of the Young Academy of Spain
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2020-2022	Faculty Innovation Fellow at UCI
2019	Industry-University Partnership Award presented by the UCI Institute for Clinical and Translational Sciences
2018	UCI's Entrepreneurial Leader of the Year
2015	Ig Nobel Prize in Chemistry for leading the team that "unboiled an egg"
2013	Short-listed best undergraduate textbook ( <i>Introduction to Bioorganic Chemistry and Chemical Biology</i> by D.L. Van Vranken and G.A. Weiss) by the Society of Biology
2013	Elected Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS)
2004	U.C. Irvine, School of Physical Sciences, Innovation Award
2004	U.C. Irvine, School of Physical Sciences, Award for Contributions to Undergraduate
	Education
2002-2005	Arnold & Mabel Beckman Foundation Young Investigator
2001-2008	Faculty of 1000, Founding Member, Chemical Biology of the Cell Section
1997	Ruth Kirschstein National Research Service Award (post-doctoral fellowship, funding returned to NIH)
1993-1996	NIH Biochemistry Training Grant
1993-1990	High Honors at undergraduate graduation
1992	Phi Beta Kappa
1992	American Institute of Chemists Award
1990-1992	Department of Chemistry Scholarship, U.C. Berkeley
1988-1992	Chancellor's Scholarship, U.C. Berkeley

# **Memberships**

2017-	Synthetic and Chemical Biology Club, U.C. Irvine
2006-	Cancer Research Institute, U.C. Irvine
2002-	Institute for Genomics and Bioinformatics, U.C. Irvine
2000-	Chao Family Comprehensive Cancer Center, U.C. Irvine
2000-	Center for Viral Research, U.C. Irvine
1993-	American Chemical Society
1989-	American Association for the Advancement of Science

# **U.C. Irvine Publications (\*Corresponding Author)**

Peer-reviewed journal articles unless otherwise noted.

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- 104. Sen, S.R.<sup>†</sup>, Sanders, E.C.<sup>†</sup>, Gabriel, K.N.<sup>†</sup>, Miller, B.M., Isoda, H.M., Salcedo, G.S., Garrido, J.E., Dyer, R.P., Nakajima, R., Jain, A., Caldaruse, A.M., Santos, A.M., Bhuvan, K., Tifrea, D.F., Ricks-Oddie, J.L., Felgner, P.L., Edwards, R.A., Majumdar, S., **Weiss, G.A.**\* (2021). Predicting COVID-19 severity with a specific nucleocapsid antibody plus disease risk factor score. *mSphere*. **6**: e00203-e00221. <sup>†</sup>Co-equal contributors.
- 103. Lee, S.-H., Moody, I., Zeng, Z., Fleischer, E.B., **Weiss, G.A.**, Kenneth J. Shea\* (2021). Synthesis of a high affinity complementary peptide–polymer nanoparticle (NP) pair using phage display. *ACS Appl. Bio. Mater.* **4**: 2704–2712.
- 102. Luo, X., Al-Antaki, A.H.M., Igder, A., Stubbs, K.A., Su, P., Zhang, W., **Weiss, G.A.**, Raston, C.L. (2020). Vortex fluidic-mediated fabrication of fast gelated silica hydrogels with embedded laccase nanoflowers for real-time biosensing under flow. *ACS Appl. Mater. Interfaces.* **12**: 51999-52007.
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- 99. Nguyen, D., Behrens, D.M.<sup>†</sup>, Sen, S.<sup>†</sup>, Najdahmadi, A., Pham, J.N., Speciale, G., Lawrence, M.M., Majumdar, S., **Weiss, G.A.**\*, Botvinick, E.L.\* (2020) A photo-stable and proteolysis-resistant FRET-based calcium biosensor. *Anal. Chem.* **92**: 7683–7689. <sup>†</sup>Co-equal contributors.
- 98. Richardson, M.B., Gabriel, K.N., Garcia, J.A., Ashby, S.N., Dyer, R.P., Kim, J.K., Lau, C.J., Hong, J., Le Tourneau, R.J., Sen, S., Narel, D.L., Katz, B.B., Ziller, J.W., Majumdar, S., Collins, P.G., **Weiss, G.A.**\* (2020). Pyrocinchonimides conjugate to amine groups on proteins via imide transfer. *Bioconjugate Chem.* **31**: 1449-1462.
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- 94. Hoffmann, K., Milech, N., Juraja, S.M., Cunningham, P.T., Stone, S.R., Francis, R.W., Anastasas, M., Hall, C.M., Heinrich, T., Bogdawa, H.M., Winslow, S., Scobie, M.N., Dewhurst, R.E., Florez, L., Ong, F., Kerfoot, M., Champain, D., Adams, A.M., Fletcher, S., Viola, H.M., Hool, L.C., Connor, T., Longville, B.A.C., Tan, Y.-F., Kroeger, K., Morath, V., **Weiss, G.A.**, Skerra, A., Hopkins, R.M., Watt, P.M. (2018). A platform for discovery of functional cell-penetrating peptides for efficient multi-cargo intracellular delivery. *Sci. Rep.* **8**: 12538.
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- 83. Britton, J., Smith, J.N., Raston, C.L.\*, **Weiss, G.A.\*** (2017). Protein folding using a vortex fluidic device. *Methods Mol. Biol.* **1586**:211-220. Not peer-reviewed.

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- 80. Gul, O.T., Pugliese, K.M., Choi, Y., Sims, P.C., Pan, D., Rajapakse, A.J., **Weiss, G.A.**\*, Collins, P.G.\* (2016). Single molecule bioelectronics and their application to amplification-free measurement of DNA lengths. *Biosensors*. **6**: 29. Special Issue on Graphene and Carbon Nanotube Based Biosensors.
- 79. Britton, J., Castle, J.W., **Weiss, G.A.**\*, Raston, C.L.\* (2016). Harnessing thin film continuous-flow assembly lines. *Chem.-Eur. J.* **22**: 10773-10776.
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ACTIVE

Principal Investigator

E. Botvinick

Source: The Leona M. and Harry B.

Dates of Project

06/01/2017 to 05/30/2023 Co-PI

Total Direct Costs: ≈\$210,000 (Weiss)

Helmsley Charitable Trust (2018PG-

T1D008)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Development of a Multi-Analyte Sensor - Glucose, Lactate, Oxygen, Ketones, Insulin for people with T1D

This proposal aims to accelerate the development of in vivo sensors to improve the artificial pancreas through engineering receptors for insulin and other hormones.

## **ACTIVE**

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role
G.A. Weiss 07/01/16 to 01/05/24 PI

Source: Allergan Aesthetics an AbbVie Company (108201209000) Annual Direct Costs: ≈\$231,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Turnover-Based Selections for Re-Targeting Protease Catalysis

In this proposal, selections for BOTOX protease turnover will be combined with enzyme kinetics to provide iterative rounds of selection and dissection.

## **ACTIVE**

Principal InvestigatorDates of ProjectRoleH. Li09/01/21 to 08/31/23Co-ISource: ARPA-E (DE-AR0001508)Weiss Annual Direct Costs: ≈\$190,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Carbon-Efficient Conversion of Carboxylic Acids to Fuels and Chemicals

This proposal develops a cell-free enzymatic process to the production of negative carbon compounds.

#### **ACTIVE**

Principal Investigator

Van Etten, R.

Dates of Project

09/11/1997 - 01/31/21

Co-I

Source: NIH/NCI (2 P30 CA 062203-20)

Annual Direct Costs: \$16,442

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Cancer Center Support Grant

The Cancer Center Support Grant provides support for administration and infrastructure for the Chao Family Comprehensive Cancer Center. Dr. Weiss is the Program Leader of the Biotechnology, Imaging, and Drug Discovery Program.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role
G.A. Weiss 11/1/2020 – 10/30/2021 PI

Source: California Breast Cancer Research Program Annual Direct Costs: \$100,628

Title of Project (or Subproject)

A Virus BioResistor to Detect Anti-SARS-CoV-2 Antibodies for COVID-19 Disease Status Monitoring This project expands on the Weiss-Penner labs prior studies aimed at understanding immune responses to SARS-CoV-2 and developing better diagnostic devices for COVID-19.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role
G.A. Weiss 07/01/2016 to 12/31/2021 Co-PI

Source: NIH, NHGRI (1R01HG009188-01) Annual Direct Costs: \$389,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

DNA Sequencing Using Single Molecule Electronics

This project focuses on development of a new, all-electronic DNA sequencing method, based on single DNA polymerase molecules bound to nanoscale electronic transistors.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role
G.A. Weiss 06/1/2020 – 05/31/2021 PI

Source: UCI COVID-19 Research Accelerator Funding Track (CRAFT) Annual Direct Costs: \$25,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Virus BioResistor to Detect Anti-SARS-CoV-2 Antibodies for COVID-19 Disease Status Monitoring Using a combination of antibody epitope mapping and Virus BioResistors, this project examined antibody fingerprints associated with COVID-19 immune responses.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator

G.A. Weiss

Source: Allergan Foundation

Dates of Project

06/1/2020-05/31/2021

PI

Annual Direct Costs: \$25,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Virus BioResistor to Detect Anti-SARS-CoV-2 Antibodies for COVID-19 Disease Status Monitoring Using a combination of antibody epitope mapping and Virus BioResistors, this project examined antibody fingerprints associated with COVID-19 immune responses.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator

G.A. Weiss

Source: NIH, NCI (1R33CA206955-01)

Dates of Project

07/01/2016 to 6/30/2021

Annual Direct Costs: \$249,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Monitoring Recurrent Bladder Cancer with Electro-Phage Biosensors

In this proposal scored 19 by the ZCA1 TCRB-9 study section, the development of phage-based biosensors for quantitating tumor-specific biomarkers will allow detection of recurrent bladder cancer.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator

R.M. Penner

O7/01/2018 to 6/30/2021 Co-I

Source: NSF (CBET 1803314)

Dates of Project

O7/01/2018 to 6/30/2021 Co-I

Annual Direct Costs (Weiss): ≈\$33,003

Title of Project (or Subproject)

The Impedance-Transduced BioResistor (ITBR): A Biosensor Architecture for the Rapid, Sensitive, and Label-Free Quantitation of Proteins

This project aims to develop a new type of biosensor capable of exceptionally fast and quantitative sensing.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role G.A. Weiss 10/01/18 to 09/30/19 Ы Source: Synthase, LLC (SI-210601) Total Direct Costs: ≈\$16.000

Title of Project (or Subproject) Continuous Flow Biosynthesis

This research contract explores the development of enzymes for continuous flow applications.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role E. Botvinick 07/01/2016 to 06/30/2020 Co-I Source: JDRF (Juvenile Diabetes Research Annual Direct Costs: \$286,000 (Weiss)

Foundation) (2-SRA-2017-330-Q-R)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Modification of the Human Insulin Receptor for In-Vivo Monitoring

This project aims to develop an insulin monitor for integration with an artificial pancreas to measure insulin levels continuously for weeks.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role G.A. Weiss 09/01/13 to 07/31/17 Co-PI

Source: NIH, NIGMS (1R01GM106957-01) Total Direct Costs: \$760,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

DNA Polymerase with Single-Molecule Resolution: Activity, Inhibition, and Drug Resistance This project examines DNA polymerase, its variants and orthologs at the single-molecule level using a carbon nanocircuit to monitor the enzyme during catalysis and inhibition.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role G.A. Weiss 08/01/12 to 04/30/17 ы

Source: NIH, NIGMS (1R01 GM100700-01) Total Direct Costs: \$760,000 (No cost extensions)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Membrane Protein Co-Crystallization with Highly Crystalline and Soluble Proteins In this research project, new types of protein libraries will be sifted to identify high affinity binders or unnatural ligands to membrane proteins.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role G.A. Weiss (PI: R. Martin) 08/01/11 to 07/31/16 Co-I Source: NIH, NEI (1R01EY021514-01) Total Direct Costs: \$25,000 (Weiss)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Solid-state NMR Methods for Investigating Native and Aggregated Eye Lens Proteins

This grant funds studies aimed at understanding the basis for protein aggregation in genetic cataract disease.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role G.A. Weiss 07/01/15 to 03/31/18 ы Source: PhageTech (PHAGE-203015) Total Direct Costs: \$124,119 (Weiss)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Sensors for the Detection of Genitourinary Cancers and Albuminuria

This contract funds foundational science necessary to develop phage-based biosensors

before clinical trials.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator

P.G. Collins

Dates of Project

07/01/15 to 03/31/17

Co-I

Source: NSF (1531833)

Total Direct Costs: \$294,903 (Collins)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Development of a Microscope with Simultaneous Electrical and Optical Measurement of Single Molecules

The goal of this MRI instrument development project is to design, assemble, and test a new type of microscope for single-molecule biophysics of protein function. No funding accrues to the Weiss lab.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Role
R.W. Martin 02/01/16 to 01/31/17 Co-I
Source: NIH / SIG Total Direct Costs: \$160.611.62

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Purchase of a Multi-Angle Light Scattering System with Integrated Size Exclusion

Chromatography

The system will be used to measure the absolute molecular weight and oligomeric state of proteins independent of retention time, as well as the second virial coefficient, which is a direct measure of aggregation propensity.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role
P.G. Collins 11/01/14 to 12/31/16 Co-I

Source: Illumina, Inc. (IL-201607) Total Direct Costs: \$86,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

DNA Base Discrimination with Nanocircuits

The major goal of this collaborative project with Illumina Inc. is to explore polymerase-based nanocircuits and their suitability for distinguishing different DNA base pairs.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role G.A. Weiss (PI: G. Fuji) 07/01/11 to 03/31/12 Co-I

Source: NIH, NCI (HHSN261201100068C) Total Direct Costs: \$47,323

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Viratrodes: Biosensors for the Detection of Circulating Tumor Cells and Cancer Biomarkers In this project, biosensors for detecting and quantifying circulating tumor cells in prostate and other cancers will be developed.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator

G.A. Weiss

Other Family Communication

Dates of Project

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Source: Chao Family Comprehensive Total Direct Costs: \$25,000

Cancer Center, UC Irvine
Title of Project (or Subproject)

Moving Bioelectronic Sensors of Urinary Cancer Biomarkers from the Bench to the Clinic This project prepares biomarker-based sensors for prostate and kidney cancer for clinical trials.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role
G.A. Weiss 09/01/13 to 08/31/14\* PI
Source: Life Technologies Annual Direct Costs: \$181,207

Title of Project (or Subproject)

DNA Polymerase-Conjugated Nanocircuits for Human Identification by STR Sequence

This project focused on the development of a carbon nanotube-based DNA sequencing system.

**PREVIOUS** 

Co-Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role
G.A. Weiss 01/01/10 to 07/01/14 Co-PI

Source: UC Multi-Campus Research Total Direct Costs: \$282,357

Program

Title of Project (or Subproject)

California Center for Antiviral Drug Discovery

In the Weiss laboratory, this award funds discovery of new anti-HIV compounds targeting HIV Vif.

**PREVIOUS** 

Co-Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role
G.A. Weiss 03/01/08 to 02/28/14 Co-PI

Source: NSF-National Science Total Direct Costs: \$23,000

Foundation/CHE-0755547
Title of Project (or Subproject)

Chem-SURF (Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship)

This award supports a Research Experience for Undergraduates site designed to bring undergraduates

from non-research universities to experience cutting edge chemical research to

UC Irvine. The funding exclusively supports undergraduate education.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator

G.A. Weiss

Source: NIH (1R01 CA133592-01)

Dates of Project

09/01/08 to 08/01/13

PI

Total Direct Costs: \$871,500

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Single Molecule Enzymology with Carbon Nanocircuits

This project leverages advances in single molecule nanocircuits to investigate the kinetics and mechanisms of individual molecules, comparing wild-type and mutants.

**PREVIOUS** 

Co-InvestigatorDates of ProjectRoleG.A. Weiss04/01/11 to 03/31/12Co-I

Source: AAAS Total Direct Costs: \$23,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Training in Nanobiotechnology for Detection of Environmental Viruses

This project initiates a long-term collaboration between investigators from Morocco and the US to develop new methods for identifying and diagnosing pathogenic viruses found in environmental samples.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator

G.A. Weiss

Dates of Project

08/01/06 to 07/31/11

PI

Source: NIH (1R01 GM078528-01)

Total Direct Costs: \$891,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Engineering Soluble Aggregation-Prone and Membrane-Bound Proteins

This proposal describes new approaches to expedite the structural genomics of challenging proteins.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator

G.A. Weiss

Source: California HIV/AIDS Research

Dates of Project

09/01/06 to 02/28/09

Total Direct Costs: \$100,000

Program (IDEA award, ID06-I-181)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Dissection of HIV Nef by Combinatorial Mutagenesis

This project proposes to expand the anti-HIV arsenal through the development of inhibitors targeting HIV Nef.

**PREVIOUS** 

Co-InvestigatorDates of ProjectRoleG.A. Weiss (PI: Fuji)08/01/08 to 07/31/09Co-ISource: NIH (1 R43 AI074163)Total Direct Costs: ≈\$100,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Development of Virus Electrodes for Fungal Pathogen Detection

This proposal describes new sensors for *Aspergillus* infection based upon covalent virus surfaces with phage-displayed binders to infection markers.

**PREVIOUS** 

Co-Investigator Dates of Project Role
G.A. Weiss (PI: G. Fuji) 12/01/06 to 08/30/08 Co-I
Source: NIH (1R43CA11955-01) Total Direct Costs: \$105,021 (Weiss)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Selection and Characterization of PSMA Ligands from Phage-Displayed Libraries

This proposal applies phage-displayed combinatorial libraries to target a prostate cancer-specific marker with anti-cancer therapies and diagnostic imaging agents.

**PREVIOUS** 

Co-Investigator Dates of Project Role
G.A. Weiss (PI: P. Collins) 05/01/04 to 08/31/08 Co-I
Source: NSF (EF-0404057) Total Direct Costs: \$300,000 (Weiss)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Direct Electronic Sensing of Biomolecular Activity and Signaling

This proposal describes electronic architectures for molecular sensing based on carbon nanotube nanoelectronic devices.

**PREVIOUS** 

 Co-Investigator
 Dates of Project
 Role

 G.A. Weiss (PI: P. Felgner)
 06/15/04 to 12/14/06
 Co-I

 Source: NIH (1R43AI058365-01)
 Total Direct Costs: \$215,000 (Weiss)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Vaccinia Proteome Reagents from Phage Display

This proposal describes plans to identify receptors with high affinity and specificity for every protein in the vaccinia proteome.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role G.A. Weiss 12/01/05 to 11/30/06 PI

Source: Pacific Southwest Regional Center Total Direct Costs: \$25,000

of Excellence for Biodefense (NIAID, NIH)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Molecular Evolution of Viruses for Biodefense Sensors

This pilot project aims to develop ultra-sensitive devices for the detection of biodefense agents including botulinum toxin.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator

G.A. Weiss

Source: ACS Petroleum Research Fund

Dates of Project

06/01/04 to 05/30/06

PI

Total Direct Costs: \$35,000

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Title of Project (or Subproject)

Library Approaches to Exploring Terpene Cyclase Enzyme Mechanisms

The overarching aim of this proposal is to decipher how terpene cyclase enzymes accomplish complex organic synthesis.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role 09/01/02 to 08/31/05 G.A. Weiss ы Source: Arnold and Mabel Beckman Total Direct Costs: \$240.000

Foundation Young Investigator Award

(BF-30212)

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Molecular Recognition by Libraries of HIV Nef and Streptavidin

This proposal funds research to dissect molecular recognition between canonically strong and weak receptor-ligand interactions, streptavidin-biotin and Nef-CD4, respectively.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role G.A. Weiss 08/03/04 to 08/02/05 ы Total Direct Costs: \$20.000

Source: UCI School of Physical Sciences

Innovation Fund

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Targeting Ovarian and Prostate Cancer Markers with Phage-Displayed Libraries

This proposal funds identification of ligands to cancer-specific markers.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role G.A. Weiss ы 05/01/03 to 05/02/04 Source: Camille & Henry Dreyfus Total Direct Costs: \$27,500

Foundation Special Grant Program

In the Chemical Sciences Title of Project (or Subproject)

Equipment for Undergraduate Chemical Biology Laboratory

This proposal funds acquisition of equipment for an upper division, undergraduate

laboratory for students to learn cutting edge experimental techniques in chemical biology.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator Dates of Project Role 07/01/00 to 06/02/04 ы G.A. Weiss Source: UCI School of Physical Sciences Total Direct Costs: \$550,000

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Start-up Funding

Start-up funds were used to construct phage display libraries, hire students and post-docs and purchase equipment.

**PREVIOUS** 

Principal Investigator **Dates of Project** Role 07/01/01 to 06/30/02 G.A. Weiss ы Source: U.C. Cancer Research Total Direct Costs: \$50,000

Coordinating Committee

Title of Project (or Subproject)

Ovarian Cancer Binding by Phage-Displayed Peptides

This project investigated using phage-displayed peptides to recognize and potentially

diagnose ovarian cancer.

## **Invited Seminars**

229. COSMOS program, UCI Chao Family Comprehensive Cancer Center, Orange, CA – July 21, 2022.

- 228. Achievement Institute for STEM Scholars, Chapman University, Orange, CA July 14, 2022
- 227. California State University, San Marcos, CA March 8, 2022
- 226. Seattle Study Group, Dana Point, CA January 26, 2022
- 225. Society for Industrial Microbiology and Biotechnology annual meeting, Austin, TX August 11, 2021
- 224. WHO Working Group on COVID-19 Diagnostics, Virtual November 4, 2020
- 223. Women in Science "Science in COVID Era," Virtual October 24, 2020
- 222. PEGS Boston, Virtual September 1, 2020
- 221. Festival of Biologics, San Diego, CA March 2-4, 2020
- 220. UCI, Dept. of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, Irvine, CA January 31, 2020
- 219. CHI PepTalk, San Diego, CA January 21, 2020
- 218. ABRCMS Conference, Anaheim, CA November 2, 2019
- 217. Novozymes R&D Technology Conference, Copenhagen, Denmark September 20, 2019
- 216. National Science and Technology Development Agency, Bangkok, Thailand July 11, 2019
- 215. International Conference on Graphene and Nanomaterials, Bangkok, Thailand July 9, 2019
- 214. Bioelectronics Gordon Research Conference, Proctor Academy, NH June 16, 2019
- 213. Claremont Colleges, Pomona, CA April 24, 2019
- 212. Rice University, Dept. of Chemistry, Houston, TX April 17, 2019
- 211. PEGS Boston, Keynote presentation, Boston, MA April 8, 2019
- 210. Susan Komen Foundation Metastatic Breast Cancer Conference, Irvine, CA March 30, 2019
- 209. University of Texas, Austin, Division of Molecular Pharmaceutics and Drug Delivery, Austin, TX March 26, 2019
- 208. California State University, Los Angeles March 4, 2019
- 207. Rice University, Dept. of BioEngineering, Houston, TX January 8, 2019
- 206. National Academies New Voices Symposium, Irvine, CA September 12, 2018
- 205. SleepScore Labs, Carlsbad, CA August 10, 2018
- 204. Advanced Genomic Technologies, Boston, MA May 30, 2018
- 203. PEPTALK Conference, San Diego, CA January 9-10, 2018
- 202. California State University, Fullerton, CA November 2, 2017
- 201. Telethon Kids Institute, Perth, Australia October 12, 2017
- 200. Flinders University, Adelaide, Australia October 6, 2017
- 199. ComBio Conference, Adelaide, Australia October 4, 2017
- 198. University of Johannesburg, Soweto campus, South Africa August 9, 2017
- 197. University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa August 7, 2017
- 196. North-West University, Potchefstroom, South Africa August 3, 2017
- 195. University of Pretoria, Pretoria, South Africa August 2, 2017
- 194. University of Johannesburg, APK campus, South Africa August 1, 2017
- 193. Merck & Co., Kenilworth, New Jersey June 20, 2017
- 192. Concordia University, ACS Awards Dinner April 26, 2017
- 191. California State University, Los Angeles April 14, 2017
- 190. University of California, Davis, CA January 10, 2017
- 189. Caltech, Entrepreneur's Forum, Pasadena, CA November 12, 2016
- 188. University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA November 10, 2016
- 187. San Diego State University, San Diego, CA October 14, 2016
- 186. International Conference on Organic Chemistry, Las Vegas, NV August 11, 2016
- 185. Vertex Pharmaceuticals, La Jolla, CA July 21, 2016
- 184. Retrophin, Cambridge, MA June 10, 2016
- 183. TEDx talk Costa Mesa, CA May 14, 2016
- 182. University of Chicago, Chicago, IL May 10, 2016
- 181. California State University, Long Beach, Keynote address at Southern California Undergraduate Research Conference Long Beach, CA, April 23, 2016
- 180. National Achievement Rewards for College Scientists Foundation, Irvine, CA February 3, 2016
- 179. Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Irvine, CA January 15, 2016
- 178. Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA November 18, 2015

- 177. Protein Engineering Summit Europe, Phage Display track, Lisbon, Portugal November 4, 2015
- 176. Protein Engineering Summit Europe, Protein Expression track, Lisbon, Portugal November 2, 2015
- 175. California State University, Long Beach Long Beach, CA, October 27, 2015
- 174. National Institutes of Health (NIH), Bethesda, MD October 21, 2015
- 173. UC Irvine, Department of Biological Chemistry, Irvine, CA October 14, 2015
- 172. TEDx talk, Irvine, CA October 3, 2015
- 171. Bioorganic Chemistry Gordon Research Conference, Andover, NH June 11, 2015
- 170. Global Young Academy, Annual General Meeting Montebello, Quebec, Canada May 26, 2015
- 169. Keynote Presentation at Undergraduate Research Opportunities Symposium, UC Irvine, Irvine, CA– May 16, 2015
- 168. UCSF, Jim Wells 65th Birthday symposium, San Francisco, CA April 25, 2015
- 167. UC Irvine, Distinguished Seminar in Epidemiology, Irvine, CA April 10, 2015
- 166. UC Irvine, Associated Students of UCI Faculty Seminar March 31, 2015
- 165. Year of the Phage Symposium, San Diego, CA January 9-10, 2015
- 164. Irvine Pharmaceutical Services, Irvine, CA September 19, 2014
- 163. Banyan Biomarkers, San Diego, CA September 18, 2014
- 162. PhageTech, Irvine, CA September 17, 2014
- 161. Wayne St. University, Frontiers in Chemistry Seminar, Detroit, MI September 15, 2014
- 160. American Chemical Society national meeting, San Francisco, CA August 14, 2014
- 159. Physics at the Nanoscale 2014 (two presentations), Devět Skal, Czech Republic June 9-10, 2014
- 158. UC Irvine CEO Roundtable Executive Retreat, Napa Valley, CA May 2, 2014
- 157. Isis Pharmaceuticals, Carlsbad, CA April 2, 2014
- 156. University of Washington, Seattle, WA February 26, 2014
- 155. Stanford University, Stanford, CA February 10, 2014
- 154. Oklahoma State University, Distinguished Seminar in Biochemistry, Norman, OK November 4, 2013
- 153. Central European Institute of Technology (CEITEC) Brno, Czech Republic, October 4, 2013
- 152. California State University, San Marcos San Marcos, CA, September 19, 2013
- 151. Chao Family Comprehensive Cancer Center, Prostate Cancer DOT, Irvine, CA September 18, 2013
- 150. Cancer Research Institute, University of California, Irvine June 26, 2013
- 149. San Gorgonio section of American Chemical Society meeting Chino, CA, May 8, 2013
- 148. Ferring Research Institute San Diego, CA, April 19, 2013
- 147. Claremont Colleges Claremont, CA, April 16, 2013
- 146. Nanomedicine Symposium at Florida International University Miami, FL, February 18, 2013
- 145. California State University, Los Angeles Los Angeles, CA, January 15, 2013
- 144. Arizona State University Tempe, AZ, November 30, 2012
- 143. Concordia University Irvine, California, November 12, 2012
- 142. University of Twente Twente, Netherlands, November 2, 2012
- 141. Scripps Research Institute La Jolla, CA, October 18, 2012
- 140. California State University, San Bernadino San Bernadino, CA, October 11, 2012
- 139. California State University, Long Beach Long Beach, CA, October 4, 2012
- 138. University of Sydney Sydney, Australia, September 2, 2012
- 137. University of Queensland Brisbane, Australia, August 31, 2012
- 136. University of Melbourne Melbourne, Australia, August 29, 2012
- 135. University of Western Australia Perth, Australia, August 24, 2012
- 134. Phylogica Perth, Australia, August 23, 2012
- 133. University of Pretoria Pretoria, South Africa, May 24, 2012
- 132. Global Young Academy General Assembly meeting Johannesburg, South Africa, May 21, 2012
- 131. UC Irvine Cancer Research Symposium Irvine, CA, May 5, 2012
- 130. Keynote Presentation at the Phage Display at the Protein Engineering Summit Boston, MA, May

- 1, 2012
- 129. Mainz University Mainz, Germany, April 3, 2012
- 128. Leibniz-Institut für Molekular Pharmakologie im Forshungsverbund Berlin, Germany, March 29, 2012
- 127. Lepoldina Nationale Akademie der Wissenschaften Halle, Germany, March 26, 2012
- 126. California Lutheran University Thousand Oaks, CA, March 19, 2012
- 125. Structure and Engineering of Difficult Proteins San Francisco, CA, February 19-20, 2012
- 124. AAAS Annual Meeting Vancouver, Canada, February 18, 2012
- 123. California State University, Los Angeles Los Angeles, CA, December 2, 2011
- 122. Chao Family Comprehensive Cancer Center Palm Springs, CA, November 12, 2011
- 121. University of California, Riverside Riverside, CA, November 7, 2011
- 120. San Diego State University San Diego, CA, October 31, 2011
- 119. IAP: Global Network of Science Academies Mexico City, Mexico, October 18, 2011
- 118. Los Alamos National Laboratory Los Alamos, New Mexico, August 18, 2011
- 117. Scripps Research Institute La Jolla, CA, April 18, 2011
- 116. Bowdoin College Brunswick, Maine, April 8, 2011
- 115. GlaxoSmithKline Waltham, MA, April 6, 2011
- 114. Western Washington University Bellingham, Washington, January 14, 2011
- 113. University of Texas, Southwestern Medical Center Dallas, Texas, November 16, 2010
- 112. Orange Coast College Costa Mesa, CA, October 27, 2010
- 111. California State University, San Bernardino San Bernardino, CA, October 21, 2010
- 110. Whittier College Whittier, CA, October 8, 2010
- 109. California State University, Fullerton Fullerton, CA, September 2, 2010
- 108. U.C. Irvine, Minority Scientists Program Irvine, CA, August 20, 2010
- 107. U.C. Irvine, CEO Roundtable Executive Retreat Sausalito, CA, May 1, 2010
- 106. Entrepreneur's Forum Irvine, CA, April 23, 2010
- 105. Cypress College Cypress, CA, April 22, 2010
- 104. V Nicaraguan Biotech Conference (via Skype) Managua, Nicaragua, April 22, 2010
- 103. Iowa State University Ames, Iowa, April 8, 2010
- 102. Dow Corning Midland, MI, March 23, 2010
- 101. InterAcademy Panel General Assembly London, UK, January 15, 2010
- 100. Wake Forest University Comprehensive Cancer Center Winston-Salem, North Carolina, December 3, 2009
- 99. University of Arizona Tucson, AZ, October 30, 2009
- 98. Leibniz-Institut für Molekular Pharmakologie im Forshungsverbund Berlin, Germany, October 12, 2009.
- 97. Cambridge Healthtech Institute Phage Display Conference Hannover, Germany, October 6, 2009
- 96. New York University New York City, NY, September 25, 2009
- 95. Albert Einstein College of Medicine New York City, NY, May 19, 2009
- 94. Physical Optics Corporation Torrance, CA, May 8, 2009
- 93. U.C. Irvine Strategic Partners for the Evaluation of Cancer Signatures Symposium Laguna Beach, CA, January 16, 2009
- 92. U.C. Irvine LifeChips International Symposium Irvine, CA, January 9-10, 2009
- 91. The Telethon Institute for Children's Research Perth, Australia, November 26, 2008
- 90. Phylogica Perth, Australia, November 24, 2008
- 89. Genentech South San Francisco, CA, September 23, 2008
- 88. CODA Genomics Laguna Hills, CA, August 7, 2008
- 87. IBC Beyond Antibodies Conference La Jolla, CA, July 28, 2008
- 86. Dow-Corning Midland, MI, July 17, 2008
- 85. Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory Berkeley, CA, July 15, 2008
- 84. U.C. Irvine LifeChips Workshop on Cancer, Stem Cells, and Micro/nanotechnology Irvine, CA, May 30. 2008
- 83. U.C. Irvine Campuswide Symposium on Basic Cancer Research Irvine, CA, May 3, 2008
- 82. Cambridge Healthtech Institute Phage Display Conference Cambridge, MA, April 28, 2008

- 81. U.C. Irvine, Department of Pathology Irvine, CA, March 21, 2008
- 80. Lund University Lund, Sweden, March 16, 2008
- 79. Saddleback College Mission Viejo, CA, March 7, 2008: Distinguished Guest Lecture
- 78. Materials Research Society Symposium MM: Biomolecular and Biologically Inspired Interfaces and Assemblies Boston, MA, November 26-30, 2007
- 77. U.C. San Diego La Jolla, CA, November 5, 2007
- 76. Georgia State University Atlanta, GA, September 21, 2007
- 75. Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory Livermore, CA, March 5, 2007
- 74. California State University, Fullerton Fullerton, CA, February 28, 2007
- 73. NANOWorld, Loyola Marymount University Los Angeles, CA, January 24, 2007
- 72. AvidBiotics San Francisco, CA, December 19, 2006
- 71. UCLA Los Angeles, CA, December 6, 2006
- 70. University of California, Riverside Riverside, CA, November 8, 2006
- 69. NSF Workshop in Physical Organic Chemistry San Gabriel, CA, October 27-31, 2006
- 68. Université de Montréal Montréal, Canada, October 13, 2006
- 67. San Diego State University San Diego, CA, October 6, 2006
- 66. University of Maryland Rockville, Maryland, June 5, 2006
- 65. Cambridge Healthtech Institute Phage Display Conference Cambridge, MA, April 24-26, 2006
- 64. Harvey Mudd College Claremont, CA, March 22, 2006
- 63. Palm Springs Symposium on HIV/AIDS Palm Springs, CA, March 2-4, 2006
- 62. The Scripps Research Institute La Jolla, CA, December 12, 2005
- 61. University of Minnesota Minneapolis, Minnesota, December 8, 2005
- 60. Harvard University Cambridge, MA, November 7, 2005
- 59. University of Massachusetts Medical Center Worcester, MA, November 4, 2005
- 58. U.C. Irvine, Department of Chemistry Irvine, CA, October 26, 2005
- 57. Santa Clara University Santa Clara, CA, October 7, 2005
- 56. Michigan State University East Lansing, MI, September 7, 2005
- 55. Purdue University Lafavette, IN, September 6, 2005
- 54. Arnold & Mabel Beckman Foundation Young Investigator Symposium Irvine, CA, August 27, 2005
- 53. U.S. Food and Drug Administration Irvine, CA, June 22, 2005
- 52. Gordon Research Conference (Bioorganic Chemistry) Proctor, NH, June 16, 2005
- 51. Tufts University Medford, MA, May 19, 2005
- 50. Cornell University Ithaca, NY, May 18, 2005
- 49. Stanford University Stanford, CA, March 30, 2005
- 48. American Chemical Society National Meeting San Diego, CA, March 13, 2005
- 47. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Urbana-Champaign, IL, March 3, 2005
- 46. University of Wisconsin, Madison Madison, WI, March 1, 2005
- 45. University of Illinois at Chicago Chicago, IL, February 28, 2005
- 44. Caltech Pasadena, CA, February 2, 2005
- 43. University of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA, January 7, 2005
- 42. Memorial Sloan Kettering Institute New York City, NY, December 14, 2004
- 41. Columbia University New York City, NY, December 10, 2004
- 40. Target-Based Compound Libraries Conference San Diego, CA, December 6-8, 2004
- 39. Celera Genomics South San Francisco, CA, December 2, 2004
- 38. U.C. San Francisco San Francisco, CA, November 17, 2004
- 37. Genentech, Inc. South San Franscisco, CA, November 16, 2004
- 36. U.C. Irvine, Department of Physiology and Biophysics Irvine, CA, September 13, 2004
- 35. University of Delaware Newark, DE, September 8, 2004
- 34. Johns Hopkins University Baltimore, MD, September 7, 2004
- 33. Gordon Research Conference (Combinatorial Chemistry) Oxford, UK, August 22-26, 2004
- 32. U.C. Santa Cruz Santa Cruz, CA, May 10, 2004
- 31. U.C. Irvine, Department of Cell and Developmental Biology Irvine, CA, April 15, 2004
- 30. American Chemical Society National Meeting Anaheim, CA, March 28, 2004
- 29. Pennsylvania State University State College, PA, December 16, 2003

- 28. University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, PA, December 15, 2003
- 27. University of California, Irvine, Department of Chemistry Irvine, CA, November 19, 2003
- 26. Iowa State University Ames, IA, November 4, 2003
- 25. Pioneer Hi-Bred / DuPont Ames, IA, November 3, 2003
- 24. University of California, Irvine, Department of Microbiology Irvine, CA, October 16, 2003
- 23. California State University, Fullerton Fullerton, CA, October 10, 2003
- 22. American Chemical Society National Meeting New York City, NY, September 8, 2003
- 21. University of California at San Diego San Diego, CA, June 9, 2003
- 20. University of Rochester Rochester, NY, June 2, 2003
- 19. Dyax Corp. Cambridge, MA, May 14, 2003
- 18. Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory Livermore, CA, February 4, 2003
- 17. Xenon Genetics Vancouver, Canada, January 20, 2003
- 16. Understanding Phage Display 2003 Vancouver, Canada, January 17-20, 2003
- 15. University of California, Irvine, Institute of Genomics and Bioinformatics Irvine, CA, September 24, 2002
- 14. University of California, Irvine, Department of Molecular Biology and Biochemistry Irvine, CA, June 21, 2002
- 13. Phage Display: The Chemistry Set for Proteins Cambridge, MA, April 22-23, 2002
- 12. University of Maryland, Baltimore County Baltimore, MD, March 5, 2002
- 11. Viruses: the environment and cancer Monterey, Mexico, November 8-10, 2001
- 10. Synthesis and Structure of Biological Macromolecules Symposium Irvine, CA, September 22, 2001
- 9. IBM, Industry Solutions Laboratory White Plains, NY, September 11, 2001
- 8. Children's Hospital Los Angeles, University of Southern California Los Angeles, CA, August 6, 2001
- 7. Hitachi Chemical Research Irvine, CA, July 20, 2001
- 6. Nanogen La Jolla, CA, May 11, 2001
- 5. California State University Long Beach Long Beach, CA, April 25, 2001
- 4. Phage Display Technologies Conference Cambridge, MA, April 9, 2001
- 3. University of California, Irvine Irvine, CA, November 7, 2000
- 2. Chao Family Comprehensive Cancer Center Retreat Oxnard, CA, October, 2000
- 1. University of California, Irvine Irvine, CA, October 11, 2000

## **Teaching Experience**

Chemistry 51A,B,C, & LC: *Introduction to Organic Chemistry* (2001, 2005-present) – The sophomore organic chemistry series emphasizes mechanistic organic chemistry as a tool both to manipulate and understand our surroundings.

Chemistry 128: *Introduction to Chemical Biology* (2003-2018) – Using the tools of arrow pushing and mechanistic organic chemistry, this upper division course surveys the chemical basis for life, ranging from the Central Paradigm of Molecular Biology to viruses. The course introduces students to cutting-edge concepts in chemical biology, and concludes with an assignment to devise an original research proposal.

Chemistry 128L: *Chemical Biology Laboratory* (2002-2003) — Devised when no examples of chemical biology lab courses were offered, this course was designed to introduce upper-division undergraduates to key laboratory skills in chemical biology. The experiments, adapted for undergraduate pedagogy, emphasize discovery, and draw from a wide variety of techniques in chemical biology — including combinatorial synthesis, phage display, and toxicity assays.

Chemistry 219: *Graduate Chemical Biology* (2002-2003, 2016, 2018) – This course, which was initiated and developed by GAW, surveys current topics at the forefront of chemical biology, including mechanistic enzymology, post-translational modification reactions, protein engineering and chemical genetics. The course concludes with an assignment to write a research proposal.

Chemistry 220: *Graduate Bioorganic Chemistry* (2000-2003) – This course examines the mechanism of action for a broad range of cytotoxic agents.

# **Significant Departmental Service**

Vice Chair for Safety (2020-present)

Chair and Member, Mass Spec Facility Oversight Committee (2016-present)

Chair, Chemical Biology Faculty Search Committee (2018-2020)

Member, Committee for Faculty Hiring and Composition (2016-2018)

Chair, Chemical Biology Faculty Search Committee (2017-2018)

Member, Department Program Review Subcommittee – Evaluation of Graduate Program (2016-2017)

Mass Spec Director Search Committee, Chair (2016-2017)

Mass Spec Proteomics Staff Search Committee, Chair (2016-2017)

Chair, Chemistry Education in the 21st Century Committee (2013-2014)

Member, Graduate Admissions and Recruiting Committee (2000-2013)

Vice Chair, Graduate Affairs (2010-2013)

Chair, Graduate Admissions and Recruiting Committee (2010-2013)

Member, Graduate Student Awards Committee (2010-2013)

Chair. Chemical Biology faculty search committee (2008-2009)

Chair, Undergraduate and TA Awards Committee (2006-2013)

Chair, Sophomore Organic Chemistry Steering Committee (2008-2010)

Member, Space Planning Committee (2008-2013)

Member, Advanced Laboratory Issues Committee (2007-2013)

Chair, Organic Chemistry Seminars Committee (2001-2002, 2004-2005)

Member, Parallel Synthesis Facility Oversight Committee (2004-2005)

Member, EKC Lee Fellowship and Distinguished Lectureship Committee (2002-2003)

# **Significant University Service**

Co-Program Leader, Biotechnology, Imaging, and Drug Discovery Program (formerly, Chemical and Structural Biology Program) of the Chao Family Comprehensive Cancer Center (2009-present)

Member, Cancer Research Institute Advisory Board (2013-present)

Faculty Representative, Beall Applied Innovation Board of Directors (2019-present)

Member, Advisory Committee of the Minority Science Programs (2018-present)

Member, Campus-wide Honors Program Board (2017-2020)

Chemistry Representative to Physical Sciences Steering Committee (2017-2019)

Representative to the UCI Faculty Senate Representative Assembly (2017-2019)

Chair, School of Physical Sciences Executive Committee (2018-2019)

Member, UC Irvine, CFCCC Director Designate Search Committee (2011-2012)

Member, UC Irvine, Center for Immunology Advisory Board (2013-2018)

Member, Executive Committee of the University of California Biotechnology Research Education Program (2006-2009)

Member, Council on Undergraduate Admissions and Relations with Schools (2008-2011)

Faculty Advisor, UC Irvine Chemistry House (2000-2006)

Member, Workgroup on UC Irvine Graduate Student Residential Life (2005)

Member, UC Irvine DNA and Protein Sequencing Oversight Committee (2003-2005)

## Significant Service to the Scientific Community

Grant reviewer to the NIH (2001, 2003-present) – Standing member of NANO study section, and ad hoc member of >20 study section meetings including ALY, F04A, F04B, F32, S10, SBCA, and NANO.

Co-Chair, 2009 Indian-American Frontiers of Science Symposium Organizing Committee, sponsored by the US National Academy of Sciences and the Kavli Foundation.

Member, Science Foundation of Ireland – Biochemistry study section (2007-2008)

Reviewer of grant proposals submitted to the NSF, the ACS Petroleum Research Foundation, the

Science Foundation of Ireland, the Research Corporation, the US Civilian Research and Development Foundation, the Swiss NSF, and the Marsden Foundation.

Reviewer of papers submitted for publication (2000-present) – Includes peer review for Analytical Chemistry; Archives in Biochemistry and Biophysics; Angewandte Chemie; Biochemica Biophysica Acta; Biochemistry; Biotechniques; Biotechnology and Bioengineering; BMC Biotechnology; ChemBioChem; Chemical Reviews; Chemistry & Biology; FEBS Letters; Journal of the American Chemical Society; Journal of Organic Chemistry; Journal of Virology; Organic & Biomolecular Chemistry; Nature; Nature Biotechnology; Nucleic Acids Research; Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, USA; Protein Engineering, Design and Selection; Protein Science; Proteins; Vaccine.

Chair and Organizer of conferences and sessions at conferences – American Chemical Society National Meeting – New York City, NY, September 8, 2003; Gordon Research Conference in Bioorganic Chemistry – Proctor, NH, June 18, 2003; Cambridge Healthtech Institute Molecular Display Conference – Cambridge, MA, 2003-08; National Academy of Sciences Indo-US Kavli Frontiers in Science Symposium – Irvine, CA, January 18-20, 2007 and Agra, India, March 1-4, 2009 (Co-Chair, Organizing Committee).

Associate Editor and Editor, Current Protocols in Chemical Biology (2010-present)

## Consulting

Debut Biotechnology (2019-present, Co-Founder, SAB Chair, Board Secretary; equity)

Janux (2017-present; paid; equity)

PhageTech, Inc. (2014-present; Co-Founder, Board Member, Chief Scientific Officer; equity)

Allergan (2011-2017; paid)

Synthase (2017-2018; Co-Founder, Board Member; equity)

Phylogica, Ltd. (2007-2018; Chair or Member, Scientific Advisory Board; paid)

Group IV (2012; pro bono unpaid)

Molecular Express (2004-2011; Member, Scientific Advisory Board; pro bono unpaid)

Coda Genomics (2006-2010; pro bono unpaid)

Dow-Corning (2008-2010; paid)

Physical Optics Corporation (2009-2010; paid)

Pacific Marine Mammal Center (2008; pro bono unpaid)

Immport Therapeutics (2003-2006; pro bono unpaid)

## **Significant Community Service**

IUSD Ask-A-Scientist-Night Participant (2001-2022)

UCI COSMOS Guest Lecturer (2001)

UCI AGEP and UC LEADS Speaker (2003)

UCI Academy for Lifelong Learning lecturer (2004)

McFadden Intermediate School Career Day speaker (2005)

Media contact (various)

Panelist, Intelligent Design Forum (May 10, 2006)

Speaker, Irvine Unified School District Career Day (2011, 2012, 2014-2018)