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Grants Held

NUS Startup

Principal Investigator S\$180,000 April 15 – March 17

Quantifying rare, deleterious coding variations in drug metabolism genes in Asian populations

NIDDK/NIH

Principal Investigator (Singapore) US\$47,058 May 16 – April 17

Proposal for the AMP T2D-GENES Data Coordination Center and Web Portal

FNIH, USA

Principal Investigator US\$297,971.14 Aug 16 – July 18

Deposition of East Asian and South Asian individual-level data into Accelerating Medicines Partnership T2D Knowledge Portal

Academic Publications

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Invited/Conference Presentations

- Sim X. Genomics and Type 2 Diabetes. Invited speaker for the c-BIG Symposium, November 11, 2016, Exploration Theatre, Matrix, Biopolis, Singapore.
- **Sim X**, Wang C, Chai JF, Kao SL, Podgornaia AI, Chothani S, Liu X, Cheng CY, Sabanayagam C, Teo YY, Wong TY, van Dam RM, Liu J, Reilly DF, Paterson A, Tai ES. A coding 27bp deletion in SLC4A1 is associated with 0.53% lower HbA1c in Malays. Presented at the 66th Annual Meeting of The American Society of Human Genetics, October 21, 2016, Vancouver, Canada. **(Poster Presentation; Reviewers' Choice Abstract)**
- **Sim X** on behalf of AGEN and DIAMANTE consortia. Type 2 diabetes genetics in East Asians. Invited speaker for the 12th KOGO Winter Symposium 2016, February 2, 2016, Hong-Cheon, Korea. **(Invited Presentation)**.
- **Sim X**, Welch RP, Jackson AU, Stringham HM, Teslovich TM, Chines PS, Narisu N, Fuchsberger C, Huyghe JR, Locke AE, Cannon ME, Ala-Korpela M, Boehnke M, Mohlke KL, Laakso M. Identification of novel and rare coding variants associated with free fatty acids and serum fatty acid profile. Presented at the 64th Annual Meeting of The American Society of Human Genetics, October 21, 2014, San Diego, CA, USA. **(Poster Presentation)**.
- **Sim X**, Highland HM, Rivas MA, Im HK, Manning AK, Mahajan A, Locke AE, Grarup N, Fontanillas P, Teslovich TM, Flannick J, Fuchsberger C, Gaulton K, Kang HM, Meigs JB, Lindgren CM, T2D-GENES and GoT2D Consortia, Contribution of coding variation to type 2 diabetes-related quantitative traits in 13,000 exomes from multiple ancestries. Presented at the 63th Annual Meeting of The American Society of Human Genetics, October 24, 2013, Boston, MA, USA. **(Oral Presentation)**.
- **Sim X**, Mahajan A, Manning AK, Rivas MA, Grarup N, Locke AE, Highland HM, Im HK, Meigs JB, Lindgren CM, T2D-GENES and GoT2D Consortia, Exome chip genotyping in >30,000 non-diabetic European individuals identifies low frequency coding variants associated with glycemic traits. Selected for poster presentation at The Genomics of Common Diseases 2013, September, Oxford, UK. **(Poster Presentation)**.
- **Sim X**, Rivas MA, Manning AK, Locke AE, Lindgren CM, GoT2D Consortium, Mapping quantitative traits with integrated whole exome/genome/array panel in individuals of European descent. Presented at the 62th Annual Meeting of The American Society of Human Genetics, November 8, 2012, San Francisco, CA, USA. **(Oral Presentation)**.
- **Sim X**, Highland HM, Manning AK, Rivas MA, Im HK, .., McCarthy MI, The impact of genetic variation on diabetes-related quantitative traits from whole exome sequences, the T2D-GENES Consortium. Presented at The Genomics of Common Diseases 2012, September 21, Potomac, MD, USA. **(Poster Presentation)**.
- **Sim X**, Ong RTH, Tay WT, Suo C, Wong TY, Tai ES, Chia KS, Teo YY, Combining signatures of selection and disease-associated loci in three ethnic groups. Presented at the 60th Annual Meeting of The American Society of Human Genetics, November, 2010, Washington, DC, USA. **(Poster Presentation)**.
- Teo YY, **Sim X**, Ku CS, Ong RTH, Tan ATS, Tantoso E, Pawitan Y, Seielstad M, Lee EJD, Chia KS, The Singapore Genome Variation Project. Presented at the Integrative Molecular Cancer Epidemiology, An IARC-EACR-AACR-ECNIS Symposium, July, 2008, Lyon, France. **(Poster Presentation)**.
- **Sim X**, Ali RA, Wedren S, Goh DLM, Tan CS, Hall P, Chia KS, Ethnic differences in the time trend of breast cancer incidence: Singapore 1968 – 2002. Presented at the AACR American Association for Cancer Research, April 1 – 5, 2006, Washington, DC, USA. **(Poster Presentation)**.

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Teaching Record

- Quantitative Epidemiological Methods CO5103 AY15/16. Course coordinator and lecturer
- Community Health Project (CHP) statistical advisor, 2015. Title: Knowledge, Attitudes and Perceptions (KAP) Influencing the Utilization of Home-based Intermediate and Long Term Care Services in Singapore.
- Course Instructor, Genetics and Genomics of Complex Phenotypes, April 26 – 30, 2010
- Teaching Assistant, Quantitative Epidemiological Methods, Masters of Public Health, National University of Singapore (2007 – 2010)
- Teaching Assistant, Advanced Quantitative Epidemiological Methods, Masters of Public Health, National University of Singapore (2008 – 2011)

Students Advising

- Yeli Wang, PhD in PH, SSHSPH (2015 – present; Project title): co-advisor

PhD examiner

- Jin Zhou, PhD in Statistics, Department of Statistics and Applied Probability (15 Dec 2015; Statistical challenges in next generation genomics study): examiner

PhD qualifying examination

- Ying Chen, PhD in PH, SSHSPH (2016-07-29; oral; Assessing inpatient diabetes mellitus care with data science and analytics): Chair
- Raymond Boon Tar Lim, PhD in PH, SSHSPH (2016-01-18; oral; Efficacy of a health promotion and sexually transmitted infection (STI) prevention program for entertainment: Chair
- Woei-Yuh Saw, PhD in PH, SSHSPH (2015-08-17; oral; Mapping the genetic architecture of global populations): Examiner
- Neelakantan Nithya, PhD in PH, SSHSPH (2015-03-20; oral; Assessment of dietary intakes and identification of dietary patterns to reduce risk of coronary heart disease in the Singapore population): Chair

Thesis advisory committee

- Wei-Chuen Tan-Koi, PhD in PH, SSHSPH (2016 – present; Project title): Chair
- Xiaohe Li, PhD in PH, SSHSPH (2015 – present; Project title): Chair
- Woei-Yuh Saw, PhD in PH, SSHSPH (2015 – present; Project title): Chair

MPH practicum

- Yafang Dou, MPH full time 2015/2016. The association of physical activity and sedentary behavior with incident cardiovascular disease.

Independent Study Module

- Wei-Chuen Tan-Koi, PhD in PH, SSHSPH (2016-04-01; Applications of pharmacogenomics in regulatory science: a product life cycle review): Examiner

Community Health Project (CHP) for medical students

- [2015/2016] Statistical advisor for two Community Health Project groups. CHP group 4: A Study of Public Perspectives on the Concept of a Tobacco Endgame and Tobacco Endgame Strategies in Singapore and CHP group 3: Prevalence and Epidemiology of Common Skin Conditions and the Disease Burden on Quality of Life in the Singaporean Population. Both groups were among the top three scoring groups for presentation.

Courses Attended

- Pathogen Genomics Capacity Building Workshop (02 Feb – 06 Feb 2015)

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Awards

- Best Research Publication Award Academic Year 2011 – 2012. 2nd Annual Graduate Scientific Congress 2012. Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine. National University of Singapore, Singapore.

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BMC Medical Genomics, BMC Genetics, Diabetes, Diabetologia, European Journal of Human Genetics, Gene, Human Heredity, Journal of Human Genetics, PLoS One, Sage Open, Scientific Reports