

# Hongda Wang

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## EDUCATION

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**University of California, Los Angeles** September 2015 - Now  
MS&Ph.D in Electrical Engineering, advised by Aydogan Ozcan, Professor  
*California, USA*

**Peking University** September 2011 - July 2015  
B.S. in Physics, advised by Yan Li, Professor  
*Beijing, China*  
Dissertation: Laser Focus Engineering for Tight-Focusing.

## RESEARCH

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**University of California, Los Angeles** Advisor: Aydogan Ozcan, Professor  
*Graduate Research Assistant* September 2015 - Present  
Project: Biomedical optics research.

- Investigate novel imaging methods related to lens-free imaging techniques.

**Peking University** Advisor: Yan Li, Professor  
*Undergraduate Research Assistant* April 2013 - July 2015  
Project: Three-dimensional Focus Engineering

- Designed and optimized phase masks for three-dimensional focus engineering with C++ and MATLAB.
- Synthesized three dimensional wave field distribution including double-helix, trefoil knot, double-ring, etc., using spatial light modulator (SLM), femtosecond laser and beam shaping system.
- Fabricated micro-structures via two-photon polymerization and characterized them by Scanning Electron Microscopy.

**University of Michigan, Ann Arbor** Advisor: L. Jay Guo, Professor  
*Visiting Student* August 2014 - October 2014  
Project: Photoacoustic Wave Microscopy in Scattering Media

- Established an optical phase conjugation system with optical feedback loop to focus light through scattering media.
- Programmed and implemented phase control algorithms with Matlab SLM and CMOS camera. Increased focus area intensity by an order of magnitude.

**University of Tokyo** Advisor: Keisuke Goda, Professor  
*Summer Research Intern* June 2014 - August 2014  
Project: Weber Beam Light Sheet Microscopy

- Calculated phase masks and computer generated holograms for Airy beams and non-paraxial Weber beams.
- Experimentally generated Weber beams with SLM and calibrated beam profiles.

Project: Ultrashort Laser Pulse Measurement

- Built an auto-correlator using the Michelson's interferometer and two-photon absorption photo-detector, measured autocorrelation traces of mode-locked femtosecond laser pulses and obtained pulse durations.
- Built a Fourier transform spectrometer, measured the optical spectrum of a femtosecond laser.

## HONORS

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- First Prize for Undergraduate Research (top 7 out of 250 students) 2014
- WEIMING scholarship for excellent academic performance 2014
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- Presidential Scholarship for Undergraduate Scientific Research 2013
- First Prize in National Physics Competition for Undergraduates 2012
- First Prize in Chinese Physics Olympiad (CPhO) 2011

## TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

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| <b>Programming Languages</b> | C/C++, MATLAB, L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X, CUDA, Git |
| <b>Skills</b>                | Optical Alignment, Beam Shaping, Microscopy               |

## PUBLICATIONS

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1. Zhang, S. J., Li, Y., Wang, Y. K., Liu, L. P., **Wang, H. D.**, Xiao, Y. F., ... & Gong, Q. Controlling Young's modulus of polymerized structures fabricated by direct laser writing. *Applied Physics A*, 1-5.