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Education

Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering, Louisiana State University, Dec., 2003
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M.S. in Chemical Engineering Tianjin University, Tianjin, China Mar. 1995
Research area: Chemical Reaction Engineering
B.S. in Chemical Engineering Hebei University of Technology (HBUT), Tianjin, China July 1992
Specialty: Inorganic Chemical Engineering

Research Interests Fate and transport of contaminants in the environment, assessment and remediation of contaminated sediments, environmental chemistry and toxicology, and environmental statistics.

Experience

Research associate, Dept. of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering, University of Texas at Austin, TX, Sept.2006-Present
Postdoc fellow, Dept. of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering, University of Texas at Austin, TX, Aug. 04- Sept.2006
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Research assistant, Department of Chemical Engineering, LSU 8/98 –8/03

Publications

X.X.Lu, J.W. Fleegeer, and D.D.Reible, 2006. Bioavailability of PAHs in field-collected Anacostia river sediment. *Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry*, 25(11), 2869-2874.
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X.X. Lu, Hui Liao and Shaofen Li. 1998. Estimation of coordination number of porous media by effective medium approximation. *Gaoxiao Huanxue Gongcheng Xuebao*, 12(1) 12-16.

Major Presentations

X. X. Lu, D.D. Reible and J.W. Fleegeer, SETAC annual meeting, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, and 2006.

X. X. Lu, D.D. Reible and J.W. Fleegeer, AIChE annual meeting, 2002, and 2004

X.X. Lu, and D.D. Reible, US-China workshop on sediment transport and environmental studies.
Milwaukee, Wisconsin, July, 2002

Honors and Awards

Dr. Charles E. Coats Scholar Research Awards (\$5000/year), 2002-2003

2003 College of Engineering Exemplary Dissertation Award

2003 Charles E. Coats Outstanding Dissertation Award