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2000–2003 Ph.D. Chemometrics, Central South University, Changsha, China.  
1997–2000 Master of Science, Analytical Chemistry, Hunan University, China  
1991–1995 Bachelor of Science, Chemistry, Hunan University, Changsha, China

### **Other academic and management activities**

Associated Editor in *Frontier in Genetics*, *Compactional Genomics*, since 2022  
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### **Publication (Index h= 37 Scopus)**

#### **Five Selected publications**

1. Xu, C.-J., Söderhäll, C., Bustamante, et al.  
DNA methylation in childhood asthma: an epigenome-wide meta-analysis. (2018)  
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2. Oltmanns, C., Liu, Z., Mischke, J., Tauwaldt, J., Mekonnen, Y.A., Urbanek-Quaing, M., Debarry, J., Maasoumy, B., Wedemeyer, H., Kraft, A.R.M., Xu, C.-J., \* and Cornberg, M., \* (2022). Reverse inflammaging: Long-term effects of HCV cure on biological age. *Journal of Hepatology*. 10.1016/j.jhep.2022.08.042
3. Xu, C.-J., Gruziova, O., Qi, C., et al. Shared DNA methylation signatures in childhood allergy: The MeDALL study. *J. Allergy Clin. Immunol.* 147, 1031–1040 (2021).
4. Rabold, K., Zoodsma, M., Grondman, I., Kuijpers, Y., Bremmers, M., Jaeger, M., Zhang, B., Hobo, W., Bonenkamp, H.J., de Wilt, J.H.W., Janssen, M.J.R., Cornelissen, L.A.M., van Engen-van Grunsven, I.C.H., Mulder, W.J.M., Smit, J.W.A., Adema, G.J., Netea, M.G., Li, Y., Xu, C.-J., \* and Netea-Maier, R.T. \* (2022). Reprogramming of myeloid cells and their progenitors in patients with non-medullary thyroid carcinoma. *Nature Communications* 13, 6149. 10.1038/s41467-022-33907-4.
5. van Breugel, M., Qi, C., Xu, Z., Pedersen, C.-E.T., Petoukhov, I., Vonk, J.M., Gehring, U., Berg, M., Bügel, M., Capraij, O.A., Forno, E., Morin, A., Eliassen, A.U., Jiang, Y., van den Berge, M., Nawijn, M.C., Li, Y., Chen, W., Bont, L., Bønnelykke, K., Celedón, J.C., Koppelman, G.H., and Xu, C.-J. (2022). Nasal DNA methylation at three CpG sites predicts childhood allergic disease. *Nature Communications*. 10.1038/s41467-022-35088-6.

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