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### **PI**

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### **Date Joined**

January, 2009,

### **Education Background**

Ph.D., Department of Polymer Science, University of Akron, Akron, Ohio, 2000

M.S., Department of Macromolecular Science, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, 1996

B.S., Materials Chemistry, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, 1993

### **Professional Experience**

#### **Professor**

Department of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, Case Western Reserve University, OH, January 2013 - present

#### **Associate Professor**

Department of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, Case Western Reserve University, OH, January 2009 - 2013

#### **Associate Professor**

Department of Chemical Engineering and Institute of Materials Science, University of Connecticut, CT, August 2007 - January 2009

#### **Assistant Professor**

Department of Chemical Engineering and Institute of Materials Science, University of Connecticut, CT, August 2002 - August 2007

#### **Postdoctoral Fellow**

Maurice Morton Institute and Department of Polymer Science, University of Akron, OH, 2000 - 2002

### **Awards and Honors**

- Polymer Program Director's Award for Faculty Excellence, 2008
- RogersTeaching Excellence Award, 2005
- DuPont Young Professor Award, 2005
- 3M Nontenured Faculty Award, 2004
- NSF CAREER Award, 2004
- Gencorp University Signature Award for Outstanding Academic and Research Work, 1999
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