

College of Environmental Science and Engineering

NAME OF THE PROGRAM

Environmental Engineering

环境工程

RESEARCH DIRECTIONS:

- Water Pollution Control
- Clean Production and Comprehensive Resource Utilization
- Environmental Biotechnology and Technology
- Environmentally Friendly Materials
- Environmental Monitoring, Assessment, and Planning Management
- Analysis and Control of Atmospheric Environmental Pollution
- Water Environment and Water Resources Utilization

TYPE OF THE DEGREE: Academic Degree

DEGREE CONFERRED: Master of Engineering

SCHOOLING: 3 years

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1、 BRIEF INTRODUCTION

Depart. Environmental Engineering (EE) of Donghua University is one of the earliest environmental disciplines established in China. It started to enroll undergraduate in 1976, and it obtained doctoral discipline of environment engineering in 2000, first-level doctoral discipline of Environmental Science and Engineering in 2005 and established post-doctoral station in 2007, which has a comprehensive system of cultivating bachelor, master, PhD and post doctorate. The subject is in the forefront of the same kind subject of colleges and universities with 211 Project, and is also with distinctive feature of textile. It is the vice president of China dyeing and Printing Industry Association as well as the vice director unit of Environmental Protection Committee of professional technical. The environment technology specialty has been approved the key subject of Shanghai in 2007, the national characteristic specialty in 2011, and have been incorporated in the national first 'excellent engineers education training plan' and 'Comprehensive reform of the Education Ministry'. In 2012 ESE as the class-one discipline was included in the first-class discipline (class B) construction plan in Shanghai. Depended on this discipline, it equips with grade A qualification certificate of National environmental impact assessment and 'Pollution prevention and control engineering technology center of national environmental protection in textile pollution', it is an important base of the talents cultivation and the transformation of study achievements. Environment and Ecology among top 1% in ESI. The Discipline of Environmental Engineering in Donghua University now includes: Environmental Engineering doctoral discipline, Environmental Engineering master discipline and Environmental Engineering post-doctoral station.

Related national centers and laboratories such as National Environmental Protection Textile Industry Pollution Prevention and Control Engineering Research Center, National Dyeing and Finishing Engineering Technology Research Center, National Advanced Printing and Dyeing Technology Innovation Center, Key Laboratory for Textile Industry Pollution Prevention and Emission Reduction Technology, National Laboratory for Circular Economy Engineering, are available in College of Environmental Science and Engineering.

The qualified teachers of the subject are abundant with 52 professional teachers, 25 of whom are professors, 27 are associate professors. There are 22 doctoral supervisors, and 52 master supervisors. Since the establishment of this discipline, it has trained over 1000 graduate students. Among them, more than 700 have been conferred with master's degrees, and over 100 have been awarded doctoral degrees. In the past five years, the discipline has successfully completed over 100 national and provincial research projects, earning more than 10 national and provincial-level science and technology awards. Additionally, it has obtained authorization for over 50 invention patents and received 8 awards for outstanding teaching achievements.

2、PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

We are recruiting and cultivating Master's degree students in the first-level discipline of Environmental Science and Engineering, welcoming applications from students with backgrounds in environmental engineering, environmental science, chemistry, chemical engineering, or biological science and engineering on a global scale.

Graduates in this field should possess a solid understanding of fundamental theories and systematic professional knowledge in areas such as environmental engineering (pollution control of water, air, and solid waste), sustainable development strategies, environmental management and planning, clean production, waste recycling, urban ecology, etc. They should be familiar with the current status and development trends in this field.

Successful candidates will demonstrate a strong ability to address practical issues encountered in production and daily life within this field, along with excellent professional ethics. They should be capable of undertaking innovative work in environmental pollution control, waste recycling, and clean production technology, or in the innovation and development of environmental management and planning. Candidates should also have the ability to conduct scientific research in this field, laying the foundation for further advanced studies.

Graduates will be equipped to engage in various roles such as scientific research, teaching, engineering design and management, decision-making, consulting, and other related areas.

3、CURRICULUM

1. The 1st & 2nd semesters: courses study
2. November of the 3rd semester: thesis proposal submission and report
3. March of the 6th semester: thesis draft and Pre-defense
4. March of the 6th semester: concealed evaluation on the thesis
5. May of the 6th semester: oral defense on thesis

Main Courses

1. Advanced Analytical Chemistry 高等分析化学
2. Scientific Writing and Literature Seminar 科技论文写作与文献研讨
3. Environmental Microbiology 环境微生物学
4. Environmental Monitoring 环境监测
5. Engineering Unit-Operations 工程单元操作
6. Air Pollution Control Engineering 大气污染控制工程
7. The Basic Principles of Water Purification and Water Pollution Control 水污染控制原理与技术
8. Environmental Comprehensive Experiment 环境综合实验

9. Principles of Environmental Toxicology 环境毒理学原理
10. Membrane Science and Technology 膜科学与技术
11. Scientific Graphs Drawing and Data Analysis 科技绘图与数据处理
12. Environmental Biotechnology 环境生物技术
13. Ecomaterials 环境材料
14. Environmental Chemistry and Water Treatment 环境化学与水处理
15. Organic Pollution Chemistry 有机污染化学
16. Design of Experimental Methods in Wastewater Treatment 废水处理实验方法设计
17. Environmental Health 环境健康
18. Electrochemical Technologies: Fundamentals, Materials, and Applications 电化学技术: 机理、材料及应用

Description on Research Areas

(1) **Water Pollution Control:** Innovative treatment technologies for industrial wastewater from industries such as printing and dyeing, chemical engineering, efficient removal of typical refractory pollutants, wastewater membrane treatment technologies, and electrochemical treatment technologies.

(2) **Clean Production and Comprehensive Resource Utilization:** Research on low-water, low-energy consumption processes, waste recycling, and the resource utilization of sludge and organic waste.

(3) **Environmental Biotechnology and Technology:** Research on environmental microbial metabolic pathways, optimization of microbial enzyme activity, and improvement of wastewater biological treatment efficiency.

(4) **Environmentally Friendly Materials:** Design and development of new environmentally friendly materials applied in environmental protection to enhance energy utilization efficiency.

(5) **Environmental Monitoring, Assessment, and Planning Management:** Aimed at cultivating advanced applied professionals with essential knowledge and skills in environmental monitoring, assessment, and planning management, capable of engaging in environmental monitoring and assessment, as well as environmental planning and management.

(6) **Analysis and Control of Atmospheric Environmental Pollution:** Understanding the sources of atmospheric environmental pollution and the migration and transformation of pollutants in the atmosphere, mastering the basic methods, principles, and typical purification processes for removing atmospheric pollutants.

(7) **Water Environment and Water Resources Utilization:** Basic concepts, assessment, and classification of water environments, as well as the interconnection and transformation

of various elements in water quality. Regarding water resources, it involves basic concepts, evaluation, as well as rational allocation, comprehensive development, and sensible utilization. It addresses the relationship and mutual impact between water resources and socio-economic development, as well as the relationship with the environment and ecosystems.'

Requirements for Thesis Work and Publication of Academic Results

In addition to completing the required total credits for the prescribed courses, candidates for a master's degree must finish the thesis proposal, paper publication, and the writing of the master's thesis before submission and formal defense. The master's thesis generally consists of six parts: abstract, introduction or literature review, main body of the thesis, conclusion, reference list, and academic achievements obtained during the period of pursuing the degree. The master's thesis must be a systematic and complete academic paper, reflecting the research work independently conducted by the master's student under the guidance of the supervisor. It should have clear concepts, sound argumentation, rigorous structure, accurate calculations, reliable data, and be well-organized with concise and fluent writing. The use of charts, tables, and referenced materials should adhere to standards.

Before submitting the master's thesis for defense, candidates must ensure that their achievements meet the "Basic Requirements for Graduate Achievements in the College of Environmental Science and Engineering".

4、SUPERVISOR INFORMATION



Prof. Dr. Yanan Liu (Doctor's Supervisor)

Research Area:

- 1) Non-thermal plasma application in air, water and soil pollution control;
- 2) Functional catalysts synthesis by Non-thermal plasma used for pollutants removal from air, water and soil.
- 3) Combined AOPs and biological technology for water and soil treatment

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Dr. Yanan LIU got her Ph.D. in Environmental Engineering from Harbin Institute of Technology in 2005, worked in Donghua University since 2005, postdoctoral fellow in Plasma Application in LGPPTS at ENSCP-UMPC (Paris, France) from 2009 to 2011, full Professor of Environmental Engineering in Donghua since 2014. Professor Liu's expertise includes environmental engineering, plasma chemistry and environmental microbiology. The main focus of her research is on

developing removal methods for emerging pollutants, such as per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) and other recalcitrant chemicals or organisms, soil remediation and improvement, organic waste treatment and recycling, and development of physical agriculture technology based on non-thermal plasma and fine bubbles.

Main Achievements: About 50 papers have been published. 5 patents have been authored and 3 projects are being undertaken as chief investigator.

Selected recent publications:

- [1] Dahai Zhu, Zhuyu Sun, Han Zhang, Ai Zhang, Yinyin Zhang, Andere Clement Miruka, Luxiang Zhu, Rui Li*, Ying Guo, **Yanan Liu***. Reactive nitrogen species generated by gas-liquid dielectric barrier discharge for efficient degradation of perfluorooctanoic acid from water. *Environmental Science & Technology*. DOI: 10.1021/acs.est.1c06342
- [2] Han Zhang, Pan Li, Ai Zhang, Zhuyu Sun, Jinxia Liu*, Paul Héroux, **Yanan Liu***. Enhancing interface reactions by introducing microbubbles into a plasma treatment process for efficient decomposition of PFOA. *Environmental Science & Technology*. 2021, doi: 10.1021/acs.est.1c01724
- [3] Xiaoting Gao, Keliang Huang, Ai Zhang*, Cihao Wang, Zhuyu Sun, **Yanan Liu***. Simultaneous degradation of glucocorticoids and sterilization using bubbling corona discharge plasma based systems: a promising terminal water treatment facility for hospital wastewater. *Chemical Engineering Journal*. 2021, 430, part 3, 132845, 2022. 2. 15
- [4] Dahai Zhu, Li Cai, Zhuyu Sun, Ai Zhang, Paul Héroux, Hyunjung Kim, Wei Yu, **Yanan Liu***. Efficient degradation of tetracycline by RGO@black titanium dioxide nanofluid via enhanced catalysis and photothermal conversion. *Science of The Total Environment*. 2021, 787: 147536
- [5] **Yanan Liu**, Quan Zhou, Zhenyu Li, Ai Zhang*, Jiaxun Zhan, Andere Clement Miruka, Xiaoting Gao, Jie Wang. Effectiveness of chelating agent-assisted Fenton-like processes on remediation of glucocorticoid contaminated soil using chemical and biological assessment: performance comparison of CaO₂ and H₂O₂. *Environmental science and pollution research international*. 2021 *Environ Sci Pollut Res* (2021). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11356-021-15150-4>
- [6] **Yanan Liu**, Qiancheng Wang, Cihao Wang, Ai Zhang*, Keliang Huang, Jinxia Liu, Andere Clement Miruka, Qianhan Han, Ying Guo. Degradation of dichloroacetic acid in a novel corona discharge reactor integrated with microbubbles generation. *Separation and Purification Technology*. 2021, 274: 119019.
- [7] Jingyi Zhao, Ai Zhang, Paul Héroux, Zhuyu Sun, **Yanan Liu***. Remediation of diesel fuel polluted soil using dielectric barrier discharge plasma. *Chemical Engineering Journal*. 2021, 417: 128143
- [8] Qiancheng Wang, Ai Zhang, Pan Li, Paul Héroux, Han Zhang, Xin Yu, **Yanan Liu***. Degradation of aqueous atrazine using persulfate activated by electrochemical plasma coupling with microbubbles: removal mechanisms and potential applications. *Journal of Hazardous Materials*. 2021, 403: 124087.
- [9] Jiaxun Zhan, Ai Zhang, Paul Héroux, Ying Guo, Zhuyu Sun, Zhenyu Li, Jingyi Zhao, **Yanan Liu***. Remediation of perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) polluted soil using pulsed corona discharge plasma. *Journal of Hazardous Materials*. 2020, 387: 121688.

- [10] Xiaoting Gao, Ai Zhang, Paul Héroux, Wolfgang Sand, Zhuyu Sun, Jiaxun Zhan, Cihao Wang, Siyu Hao, Zhenyu Li, Zhenying Li, Ying Guo, **Yanan Liu***. Effect of Dielectric Barrier Discharge Cold Plasma on Pea Seed Growth. *J. Agric. Food Chem.* 2019, 67 (39): 10813-10822.
- [11] **Yanan Liu**, Cihao Wang, Xue Shen, Ai Zhang*, Shuwen Yan, Xiang Li, Andere Clement Miruka, Shimin Wu, Ying Guo, Stéphanie Ognier. Degradation of glucocorticoids in aqueous solution by dielectric barrier discharge: Kinetics, mechanisms, and degradation pathways. *Chemical Engineering Journal.* 2019, 374: 412-428.
- [12] Jiaxun Zhan, Ai Zhang, Paul Héroux, Xiang Li, Zhenyu Li, Jingyi Zhao, Ying Guo, **Yanan Liu***. Gasoline degradation and nitrogen fixation in soil by pulsed corona discharge plasma. *Science of The Total Environment.* 2019, 661: 266-275.
- [13] **Yanan Liu**, Xue Shen, Jihui Sun, Pan Li, Ai Zhang*. Treatment of aniline contaminated water by a self-designed dielectric barrier discharge reactor coupling with micro-bubbles: optimization of the system and effects of water matrix. *Journal of Chemical Technology and Biotechnology.* 2019, 94 (2): 494-504.
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- [15] **Yanan Liu***, Han Zhang, Jihui Sun, Jinxia Liu, Xue Shen, Jiaxun Zhan, Ai Zhang, Stéphanie Ognier, Simeon Cavadias, Pan Li*. Degradation of aniline in aqueous solution using non-thermal plasma generated in microbubbles. *Chemical Engineering Journal.* 2018, 345 (1): 679-687.
- [16] Jiaxun Zhan, **Yanan Liu***, Wenyan Cheng, Ai Zhang, Rui Li, Xiang Li, Stéphanie Ognier, Shijie Cai, Cheng Yang, Jinxia Liu. Remediation of soil contaminated by fluorene using needle-plate pulsed corona discharge plasma. *Chemical Engineering Journal.* 2018, 334 (15): 2124-2133.
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Prof. Dengxin Li (Doctor's Supervisor)

Research Area:

Biomass CO₂ gasification, soil heavy metal removal, industrial wastewater treatment, flue gas desulfurization and denitrification, as well as solid waste resource utilization.

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Requirements for future international students:

Recruitment of international students interested in the fields of CO₂ gasification, soil heavy metal removal, and industrial wastewater treatment. Prospective students should be proficient in English for communication and academic paper writing, demonstrate a strong interest in scientific research, and exhibit resilience and diligence

1989-07, Shandong Normal University, Bachelor's in Chemistry

1989-09 to 1992-07, Shanxi Institute of Coal Chemistry, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Master's in Organic Chemistry

1997-09 to 2000-06, East China University of Science and Technology, Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering

2001-04 to 2003-07, Tsinghua University, Postdoctor

2000-09 to 2001-03, Institute of Resource and Environmental Research, Japan Industrial Technology Research Institute, Researcher

1992-07 to 2003-06, Shandong University of Science and Technology, Department of Chemical Engineering, Associate Professor

2003-07 to Present, Donghua University, College of Environmental Science and Engineering, Professor

Selected recent publications:

[1] Wang, Xi; Hussain, Asif; Li, Qingqing; Ma, Mingyu; Wu, Juan; Deng, Mingqiang; Yang, Jie; Li, Dengxin*. Core-shell design of UiO66-Fe₃O₄ configured with EDTA-assisted washing for rapid adsorption and simple recovery of heavy metal pollutants from soil[J]. Journal of Environmental Sciences, 2024, 139: 556-568.

[2] Xiao, Zhengguo; Li, Dengxin*; Wang, Feikun; Sun, Zhihong; Lin, Zhengyou. Simultaneous removal of NO and SO₂ with a new recycling micro-nano bubble oxidation-absorption process based on HA-Na[J]. Separation and Purification Technology, 2020, 242. [3] Xiao, Zhengguo; Li, Dengxin*; Zhu, Qiaoling; Sun, Zhihong; Simultaneous removal of NO and SO₂ through a new wet recycling oxidation-reduction process utilizing micro-nano bubble gas-liquid dispersion system based on Na₂SO₃[J], FUEL, 2020, 263.

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Prof. Dr. Jinli Qiao (Doctor's Supervisor)

Research Area: Electrochemistry

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As a Professor, Ph.D. Supervisor and Scientific Core-Competency Leader at Donghua University, China, she received her PhD in Electrochemistry from Yamaguchi University, Japan. Starting from 2008 to present, she carried out and has been carried out in total 12 projects funded by Chinese Government including NNSF of China. As the first/corresponding author, Dr. Qiao has published over 100 peer reviewed journal articles, 40 conference and Keynote/invited oral presentations, 4 book chapters, 3 co-edited books, more than 30 Japan/China invention patents and 12 authorized. Prof. Qiao is the Vice President of the International Academy of Electrochemical Energy Science (IAOEEES) <http://www.iaoees.org/>, and the Board Committee Member of Electrodriving Membrane Industry Association of China, <http://www.membranes.com.cn/xiehuijianjie/fenzhijigou/>. She also serves as the Guest Editor for peer-reviewed journals including *Electrochimica Acta*, *Applied Energy* and *International Journal of Hydrogen Energy*. She has more than 20 years of scientific research experience, particularly in the area of electrochemical material development and energy storage and conversion including PEM fuel cells, metal-air batteries, supercapacitors and CO₂ electroreduction.

Selected recent publications:

- [1] Yongxia Wang, Xiangzhi Cui, Luwei Peng, Lulu Li, **Jinli Qiao***, Haitao Huang, Jianlin Shi#, Metal-nitrogen-carbon catalysts of specifically coordinated configurations toward typical electrochemical redox reactions, *Adv. Energy Mater.*, 2021, in press (IF:25.245)
- [2] Israr Masood ul Hasan, Luwei Peng, Jianfeng Mao, Ruiman He, Yongxia Wang, Jing Fu#, Nengneng Xu, **Jinli Qiao***, Carbon-based metal-free catalysts for electrochemical CO₂

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- [3] Luwei Peng, Yaofeng Wang, Yongxia Wang, Nengneng Xu, Wenshuang Lou, Peixuan Liu, Dongqing Cai, Haitao Huang, **Jinli Qiao***, Separated growth of Bi-Cu bimetallic electrocatalysts on defective copper foam for highly converting CO₂ to formate with alkaline anion-exchange membrane beyond KHCO₃ electrolyte, *Appl. Catal. B: Environ.*, 2021, 288, 120003 (IF:16.683)
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- [9] Nengneng Xu, Jiawen Liu, **Jinli Qiao***, Haitao Huang, Xiao-Dong Zhou#, Interweaving between MnO₂ Nanowires/ Nanorods and Carbon nanotubes as Robust Multifunctional Electrode for Both Liquid and Flexible Electrochemical Energy Devices, *J. Power Sources*, 2020, 455, 227992 (IF:8.247)
- [10] Nengneng Xu, Joshua A. Wilsonc, Yu-Dong Wang, Tianshun Su, Yanan Wei, **Jinli Qiao***, Xiao-Dong Zhou#, Yanxing Zhang#, Shunhui Sun, Flexible self-supported bi-metal electrode as a highly stable carbon- and binder-free cathode for large-scale solid-state zinc-air batteries, *Appl. Catal. B: Environ.* 2020, 272, 118953 (IF:16.683)
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