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Education

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2010.09 – 2014.06 B.S. (with honor)	School of Civil Engineering, Chongqing University, China (Ranking: 1/23)

Experiences

Visiting Student, Laboratory for Waste Management, Paul Scherrer Institute, Switzerland, 2017.09 - 2018.03

Visiting researcher, Laboratory for Waste Management, Paul Scherrer Institute, (supported by EURAD Mobility Grant), 2020.08

Honors and awards

2019	Excellent Doctoral Graduate
2018	National Scholarship for Graduate Students
2017	Sijimuge Scholarship
2017	China Scholarship for Graduate Student Overseas Study
2017	Excellent Student Leader
2014	Excellent Graduate of Chongqing University

Publications

In Journal

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5. **Y.K. Yang**, R.A. Patel, S.V. Churakov*, N.I. Prasianakis, G. Kosakowski and M. Wang*, Multiscale modeling of ion diffusion in cement paste: electrical double layer effects. *Cement and Concrete Composites* **96**: 55-65, 2019
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5. **Y.K. Yang**, M. Wang*. Upscaling Scheme for Long-term Ion Diffusion in Charged Porous Media. 14th Chinese National Conference of Porous Flow. Hangzhou, China, 2017 8. (in Chinese)
4. **Y.K. Yang**, X. He, and M. Wang*, Pore-scale Modeling of Ion Transport In Micro/Nano Porous Media. 3rd International Conference on Maintenance Science and Technology. Shenzhen, China, 2016 11.
3. **Y.K. Yang**, X. He, M. Wang*. A Mesoscale Simulation of Ion Diffusion in Porous Media. 6th Chinese National Conference on Underground Waste Management. Beijing, China, 2016 11. (in Chinese)
2. **Y.K. Yang**, X. He, M. Wang*. Simulation of Unsteady Diffusion of Chloride Ions in Cement. Chinese National Conference of Mechanics 2015. Shanghai, China, 2015 8. (in Chinese)
1. **Y.K. Yang**, X. He, M. Wang*. A Mesoscale Simulation of Ion Diffusion in Concrete. Chinese National Conference of Engineering Thermophysics. Xian, China, 2014 11. (in Chinese)