CURRICULUM VITAE August 2022

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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2020-Present Assistant Professor, University of Colorado Boulder

Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering

Biomedical Engineering Program, Affiliate

Materials Science and Engineering Program, Affiliate

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2018 Harvard Univ	versity, Cambridge, MA
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Postdoctoral Fellow, Bioengineering

Advisor: Prof. Samir Mitragotri

2017 North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC

Postdoctoral Associate, Chemical and Biological Engineering Advisors: Prof. Orlin D. Velev & Prof. Stefan Zauscher

2016 Duke University, Durham, NC

Ph.D., Biomedical Engineering

Dissertation: Acoustic and magnetic isolation and analysis of cells in microfluidic platforms

Advisor: Prof. Gabriel P. López

2011 University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

B.S. with High Distinction, Biomedical Engineering

Advisors: Prof. Jeffrey J. Saucerman & Prof. William F. Walker

HONORS AND AWARDS

2022	NIH Maximizing Investigators' Research Award (MIRA)
2022	Pew Scholar in the Biomedical Sciences
2022	Outreach Partner of the Year, Northglenn High School
2022	ONR Young Investigator Program Award
2022	NSF CAREER Award
2021	Beckman Young Investigator Award Finalist
2020	Best On-Demand Talk by the Controlled Release Society
2016	Dean's Award for Excellence in Mentoring, Duke University
2015	Exceptional Student Award, ISAC (international award to 1 Ph.D. student annually)
2014	NSF Graduate Research Opportunities Worldwide Award (to study in Lund, Sweden)
2013	Exceptional Student Award, ISAC (international award to 1 Ph.D. student annually)
2012	NSF Graduate Research Fellowship
2011	NSF Research Triangle MRSEC Fellowship
2011	Undergraduate Research & Design Symposium Finalist
2011	The Raven Society, UVA
2010	Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society

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PUBLICATIONS

From the University of Colorado Boulder (†corresponding author)

41. Day, NB; Dalhuisen, R; Loomis, NE; Adzema, SG; Prakash, J; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>.† "Tissue-adhesive hydrogel for multimodal drug release to immune cells in skin" *Acta Biomaterialia* 2022 (accepted; in press).

- 40. Tanjeem, N; Minnis, MB; Hayward, RC; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>.† "Shape-changing particles: From materials design and mechanisms to implementation" *Advanced Materials* 2022. 3(*34*): 2105758.
- 39. Day, NB; Wixson, WC; Shields IV, CW. † "Magnetic systems for cancer immunotherapy" *Acta Pharmaceutica Sinica B* 2021. 11(8): 2172–2196.
- 38. Sallam, MA; Prakash, S; Kumbhojkar, N; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Mitragotri, S. "Formulation-based approaches for dermal delivery of macromolecules: Recent advances and future perspectives" *Bioengineering & Translational Medicine* 2021. 6(3): e10215.

From Previous Institutions (†corresponding author; *co-first author)

- 37. Li, L; Shields IV, CW; † Huang, J; Zhang, Y; Ohiri, KA; Yellen, BB; Chilkoti, A; López, GP. "Rapid capture of biomolecules from blood via stimuli-responsive elastomeric particles for acoustofluidic separation" *Analyst* 2021. 145(24): 8087–8096.
- 36. Shields IV, CW;* Kim, YK;* Han, K; Murphy, AC; Scott, AJ; Abbot, NL; Velev, OD. "Control of the folding dynamics of self-reconfiguring magnetic microbots by using liquid crystallinity" *Advanced Intelligent Systems* 2020. 2(2): 1900114. **Editor's Choice
- 35. Han, K; Shields IV, CW; Bharti, B; Arratia, PE; Velev, OD. "Active reversible swimming of magnetically assembled "microscallops" in non-Newtonian fluids" *Langmuir* 2020. 36(25): 7148–7154.
- 34. Sallam, MA; Shields IV, CW; Prakash, S; Kim, J; Pan, DC; Mitragotri, S. "A dual macrophage polarizer conjugate for synergistic melanoma therapy" *Journal of Controlled Release* 2021. 335: 333–344.
- 33. Zhao, Z; Pan, DC; Qi QM; Kim, J; Kapate, N; Sun, T; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Wang, LW; Wu, D; Kwon, CJ; He, W; Guo, J; Mitragotri, S. "Engineering of living cells with polyphenol-functionalized biologically active nanocomplexes" *Advanced Materials* 2020. 32(49): 2003492.
- 32. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Evans, MA; Wang, LLW; Baugh, N; Iyer, S; Wu, D; Zhao, Z; Pusuluri, A; Ukidve, A; Pan, D; Mitragotri, S. "Cellular backpacks for macrophage immunotherapy" *Science Advances* 2020. 6(18): eaaz6579.
- 31. Shields IV, CW; Wang, LW; Evans, MA; Mitragotri, S. "Materials for immunotherapy" *Advanced Materials* 2020. 32(13): 1901633.
- 30. Wu, D; Pusuluri, A; Vogus, D; Krishnan, V; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Kim, J; Razmi, A; Mitragotri. "Design principles of drug combinations for chemotherapy" *Journal of Controlled Release* 2020. 323: 36–46.
- 29. Evans, MA; Shields IV, CW; Krishnan, V; Wang, LW; Zhao, Z; Ukidve, A; Lewandowski, M; Gao, Y; Mitragotri, S. "Macrophage-mediated delivery of hypoxia-activated prodrug nanoparticles" *Advanced Therapeutics* 2020. 3(2): 1900162.
- 28. Timmermann, M; Lukat, N; Schneider, LP; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; López, GP; Selhuber-Unkel, C. "Migration of microparticle-containing amoebae through constricted environments" *ACS Biomaterials Science & Engineering* 2020. 6(2): 889–897.
- 27. He, W; Kapate, N; Shields IV, CW; Mitragotri, S. "Drug delivery to macrophages: A review of targeting drugs and drug carriers to macrophages for inflammatory diseases" *Advanced Drug Delivery Reviews* 2020. 165-166: 15–40.
- 26. Pusuluri, A; Krishnan, V; Wu, D; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Wang, LW; Mitragotri, S. "Role of synergy and immunostimulation in design of chemotherapy combinations: An analysis of doxorubicin and camptothecin" *Bioengineering & Translational Medicine* 2019. 4(2): e10129.
- 25. Ohiri, U; Han, K; Shields IV, CW; Velev, OD; Jokerst, N. "Propulsion and assembly of remotely powered ptype silicon microparticles" *APL Materials* 2018. 6(12): 121102.
- 24. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Han, K; Ma, F; Miloh, T; Yossifon, G; Velev, OD. "Supercolloidal spinners: Complex active particles for electrically powered and switchable rotation" *Advanced Functional Materials* 2018. 28(*35*): 1803465.
- 23. Ohiri, U; Shields IV, CW; Han, K; Tyler, T; Velev, OD; Jokerst, N. "Reconfigurable engineered motile semiconductor microparticles" *Nature Communications* 2018. 9(1): 1791.

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22. Reyes, C; Fu, L; Suthanthiraraj, PPA; Owens, CE; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; López, GP; Charbonneau, P; Wiley, B. "The limits of primary radiation force in bulk acoustic standing waves for concentrating nanoparticles" *Particle & Particle Systems Characterization* 2018. 35(7): 1700470.

- 21. Shields IV, CW; White, JP; Osta, EG; Patel, J; Rajkumar, S; Kirby, N; Therrien, JP; Zauscher, S. "Encapsulation and controlled release of retinol from silicone particles for topical delivery" *Journal of Controlled Release* 2018. 278: 37–48.
- 20. Han, K; Shields IV, CW; Velev, OD. "Engineering of self-propelling microbots and microdevices powered by magnetic and electric fields" *Advanced Functional Materials* 2018. 28(25): 1705953.
- 19. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Velev, OD. "The evolution of active particles: Towards externally powered self-propelling and self-reconfiguring particle systems" *Chem* 2017. 3(4): 539–559.
- 18. Han, K; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Diwakar, NM; Bharti, B; López, GP; Velev, OD. "Sequence-encoded colloidal origami and microbot assemblies from patchy magnetic cubes" *Science Advances* 2017. 3(8). e1701108.
- 17. Fu, L; Bian, C; Shields IV, CW; Cruz, D; López, GP; Charbonneau, P. "Assembly of hard spheres in a cylinder: a computational and experimental study" **Soft Matter** 2017. 13(18): 3296–3306.
- 16. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Ohiri, KA; Szott, LM; López, GP. "Translating microfluidics: Cell separation technologies and their barriers to commercialization" *Cytometry Part B* 2017. 92(2): 115–125.
- 15. Ohiri, KA; Evans, BA; Shields IV, CW; Gutiérrez, RA; Carroll, NJ; Yellen, BB; López, GP. "Magnetically responsive negative acoustic contrast microparticles for bioanalytical applications" *ACS Applied Materials and Interfaces* 2016. 8(23): 25030–25035.
- 14. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Wang, JL; Ohiri, KA; Essoyan, ED; Yellen, BB; Armstrong, AJ; López, GP. "Microfluidic device for separating cancer cells from whole blood: acoustically enhanced magnetic sorting and single cell templating" *Lab on a Chip* 2016. 16(19): 3833–3844.
- 13. Johnson, KA; Vormohr, HR; Doinikov, AA; Bouakaz, A; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; López, GP; Dayton, PA. "Experimental verification of theoretical equations for acoustic radiation force on compressible spherical particles in traveling waves" *Physical Review E* 2016. 93(5): 053109.
- 12. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Cruz, DF; Ohiri, KA; Yellen, BB; López, GP. "Fabrication and operation of acoustofluidic devices supporting bulk acoustic standing waves for sheathless focusing of particles" *Journal of Visualized Experiments* 2016. (109): e53861.
- 11. Wang, PY;* Shields IV, CW;* Zhao, T; Jami, H; López, GP; Kingshott, P. "Rapid self-assembly of shaped microtiles into large, close-packed crystalline monolayers on a solid surface" *Small* 2016. 12(2): 1309–1314.
- 10. Owens, CE; Shields IV, CW; Cruz, DF; Charbonneau, P; López, GP. "Highly parallel acoustic assembly of microparticles into well-ordered colloidal crystallites" *Soft Matter* 2016. 12(3): 717–728.
- 9. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Reyes, C.; López, GP. "Microfluidic cell sorting: A review of the advances in the separation of cells from debulking to rare cell isolation" *Lab on a Chip* 2015. 15(5): 1230–1249.
- 8. Gao, L; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Johnson, LM; Graves, SW; Yellen, BB; López, GP. "Two-dimensional spatial manipulation of microparticles in continuous flows in acoustofluidic systems" *Biomicrofluidics* 2015. 9(1): 014105.
- 7. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Livingston, CE; Yellen, BB; López, GP; Murdoch, DM. "Magnetographic array for the capture and enumeration of single cells and cell pairs" *Biomicrofluidics* 2014. 8(4): 041101.
- 6. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Sun, D; Johnson, K; Duval, K; Rodriguez, AV; Gao, L; Dayton, PA; López, GP. "Nucleation and growth synthesis of functional, monodisperse and acoustically programmable particles" *Angewandte Chemie International Edition* 2014. 53(31): 8070–8073.
- 5. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Johnson, LM; Gao, L; López, GP. "Elastomeric negative acoustic contrast particles for capture, acoustophoretic transport, and confinement of cells in microfluidic systems" *Langmuir* 2014. 30(14): 3923–3927.
- 4. Yang, JH; Polanowska-Grabowska, RK; Smith, JS; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Saucerman, JJ. "PKA catalytic subunit compartmentation regulates contractile and hypertropic responses to β-adrenergic signaling" *Journal of Molecular and Cellular Cardiology* 2014. 66: 83–93.
- 3. Liu, J; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Omofoye, O; López, GP. "Programmable anisotropic microparticles for self-assembly applications" *Materials Research Society Symposium Proceedings* 2014. 1622: 1–6.
- 2. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Zhu, S; Yang, Y; Bharti, B; Liu, J; Yellen, BB; Velev, OD; López, GP. "Field-directed assembly of patchy anisotropic microparticles with defined shape" *Soft Matter* 2013. *9*(38): 9219–9229.

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1. Johnson, LM; Gao, L; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Smith, M; Efimenko, K; Cushing, K; Genzer, J; López, GP. "Elastomeric microparticles for acoustic mediated bioseparations" *Journal of Nanobiotechnology* 2013. 11(22): 1–19.

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Issued Patents

- 5. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Kirby, N; López, GP. "Compositions, systems, and methods for the encapsulation and delivery of a substance" U.S. Patent 10,238,586. Issued March 26, 2019.
- 4. Johnson, LM; López, GP; Shields IV, CW; Gao, L. "Acoustically responsive particles" U.S. Patent 9,797,897. Issued October 24, 2017.

Patent Applications

- 3. Mitragotri, S; Evans, MA; <u>Shields IV, CW</u>. "Compositions and methods relating to macrophages and/or monocytes with adhered particles" U.S. Patent App. No.: 16/960,393. Published December 3, 2020.
- 2. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Minnis, MB. "Microscale robots for mucosal drug delivery" U.S. Patent App. No.: 63/171,292. Filed May 6, 2022.
- 1. <u>Shields IV, CW</u>; Thome, CP. "Acoustic enrichment of adoptive cell transfers" U.S. Provisional Patent App. No.: 63/315,729. Filed March 2, 2022.

PODIUM PRESENTATIONS

Departmental Seminars

- 6. University of New Mexico. Department of Pathology. November 2021.
- 5. CU Anschutz School of Medicine. Comprehensive Cancer Center (UCCC) Symposium. November 2021.
- 4. University of Texas at San Antonio. Department of Biomedical and Chemical Engineering. October 2021.
- 3. Louisiana State University. Cain Department of Chemical Engineering. April 2021.
- 2. University of Colorado Boulder. Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering. February 2018.
- 1. Colorado School of Mines. Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering. February 2018.

Invited Conference Talks

- 7. Biomedical Engineering Society (BMES), Annual Meeting (San Antonio, TX). October 2022. "Bubble-based acoustic propellers for sustained corticosteroid delivery in the bladder".
- 6. Acoustical Society of America (ASA), 182nd Meeting (Denver, CO). May 2022. "Bubble-based propulsion of engineered particles for drug delivery and immunotherapy".
- 5. Macrophage-Directed Therapies Summit, 2nd Annual Meeting (virtual). October 2020. "Backpacks: Disc-shaped particles to guide and sustain macrophage phenotypes for anti-tumor therapies".
- 4. Biophysics Supergroup Meeting (virtual). September 2020. "Macrophages under pressure and an overview of research projects in the Shields Lab".
- 3. American Chemical Society (ACS), 256th National Meeting (Boston, MA). August 2018. "Elastomeric particles for cell and biomarker isolation in acoustofluidic devices".
- 2. American Physical Society (APS), March Meeting (New Orleans, LA). March 2017. "Sonocrystallization: Application of radiation forces from acoustic standing waves for configurable assembly".
- 1. IBM Thomas J. Watson Research Center (White Plains, NY). November 2015. "Microfluidic cell sorting: Acoustic and magnetic methods for cell separation and analysis".

Contributed Talks

- 25. Backpacks for guiding macrophage phenotypes in cancer immunotherapy. BMES Annual Meeting (virtual). October 2020.
- 24. Backpacks on macrophages: A general approach to regulate phenotypes of adoptive cell transfers. Controlled Release Society (CRS) Annual Meeting (virtual). June 2020.
- 23. Controlling cellular phenotypes via cytokine-releasing backpacks for cancer immunotherapy. AIChE Annual Meeting (Orlando, FL). November 2019.
- 22. Colloidal micromachines regulated by liquid crystals. APS March Meeting (Boston, MA). March 2019.

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21. Encapsulation, protection and programmed release of retinol from silicone particles for topical applications. 256th ACS National Meeting (Boston, MA). August 2018.

- 20. Moving past simple shapes: Engineered active particle spinners and motors powered by AC electric fields. 2017 AIChE Annual Meeting (Minneapolis, MN). October 2017.
- 19. Rational design of active particles for programmed spinning and precession by AC electric fields. 2017 MRS International Materials Research Congress (Cancun, Mexico). August 2017.
- 18. A self-assembled microviscometer: Reconfigurable microdevices from patchy microcubes for investigating liquid crystals. 2017 MRS International Materials Research Congress (Cancun, Mexico). August 2017.
- 17. Encapsulation and controlled release of active ingredients from monodisperse, silicone particles. 2016 MRS Fall Meeting & Exhibit iMatSci (Boston, MA). November 2016.
- 16. Acoustic and magnetic methods for the isolation and analysis of biomarkers in microfluidic platforms. Acoustofluidics (Tech. Univ. of Denmark, Copenhagen). September 2016.
- 15. Promise of elastomeric particles: Bio- sequestration, separation and delivery. 90th Colloid & Surface Science Symposium (Harvard Univ., Boston, MA). June 2016.
- 14. Configurable assembly of microparticles via acoustic standing waves. 90th Colloid & Surface Science Symposium (Harvard Univ., Boston, MA). June 2016.
- 13. Acoustic radiation forces for the rapid and programmable assembly of microparticles and nanoparticles. 251st ACS National Meeting (San Diego, CA). March 2016.
- 12. Peptide-conjugated elastomeric particles for acoustic isolation of biomarkers from whole blood. 251st ACS National Meeting (San Diego, CA). March 2016.
- 11. Magnetic separation of acoustically focused cancer cells from blood for magnetographic templating and cellular analysis. 251st ACS National Meeting (San Diego, CA). March 2016.
- 10. Acoustic and magnetic methods for cell sorting and single cell analysis in a microfluidic device. 30th CYTO Meeting (Glasgow, Scotland). June 2015.
- 9. Functional, monodisperse and acoustically programmable silicone gel particles for bioanalytical acousto-fluidics. 88th Colloid & Surface Science Symposium (Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA). June 2014.
- 8. Acoustically programmable, elastomeric particles. 2014 MRS Fall Meeting & Exhibit iMatSci (Boston, MA). November 2014.
- 7. Directed assembly of microactuators: Field-controlled folding and bending of chains of patchy microcubes. 88th Colloid & Surface Science Symposium (Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA). June 2014.
- 6. Microfluidic systems for acoustic cell sorting. Prostate Cancer Research Forum at Duke Hospital (Durham, NC). May 2014.
- 5. Elastomeric particles for acoustophoretic bioseparations. Duke University Pratt Frontiers in Technology Translation (Durham, NC). May 2014.
- 4. Programmable microparticles synthesized from nucleation and growth for on-chip biosensing. 2nd IZON Science Symposium (Boston Univ., Boson, MA). October 2013.
- 3. Anisotropic-shaped microparticles for self-assembly applications. 5th Self-Assembled Soft Matter Nano-Structures at Interfaces Meeting (New Bern, NC). September 2013.
- 2. Acoustofluidic cell sorting via negative acoustic contrast capture colloids. 28th CYTO Meeting (San Diego, CA). May 2013.
- 1. Controlling cell decisions by manipulating subcellular signaling. Undergraduate Research and Design Symposium (U. of Virginia, Charlottesville). May 2011.

PERSONNEL SUPERVISED

Postdocs (1)

1.	Jin Gyun Lee	Chemical & Biological Engineering		06/2021 - Present	
Graduate Students (6)					
1.	Nicole Day	Biological Engineering	PhD	01/2020 - Present	
2.	Cooper Thome	Biological Engineering	PhD	01/2020 - Present	
3.	Montana Minnis (co-advised: R. Hayward)	Chemical Engineering	PhD	01/2020 - Present	
4.	Taylor Ausec (co-advised: A. Goodwin)	Biological Engineering	PhD	01/2022 - Present	
5.	Ritu Raj (co-advised: A. Gupta)	Chemical Engineering	PhD	01/2022 - Present	

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6.	Kendra Kreienbrink	Materials Science and Engineering / IQ Biology	PhD	05/2022 - Present
Visit	ting Scholars (1)			

Rianne Dalhuisen U Twente Biomedical Engineering MS 09/2021 - 02/2022

Undergraduate Students (12)

William Wixson (01/2020 – 05/2021, CU Boulder ChBE), Alex Evenchik (05/2020 – 08/2020, MIT MSE), Julia Bendorf (08/2020 – 05/2022, CU Boulder ChBE), Caitlin Soon (05/2021 – 12/2021, CU Boulder ChBE), John Fowle (05/2021 – 05/2022, CU Boulder ChBE), Chris Orear (05/2021 – Present, CU Boulder BME), Sarah Adzema (05/2021 – Present, CU Boulder ChBE), Nichole Loomis (08/2021 – Present, CU Boulder ChBE), Lisa Carr (01/2022 – Present, CU Boulder ChBE), Wren Hoertdoerfer (05/2022 – Present, CU Boulder ChBE), Alexandra Dalton (05/2022 – Present, CU Boulder ChBE), Jackson Carter (05/2022 – Present, CU Boulder BME)

High School Students (1)

Ishika Ganny (Fairview High School, 06/2022 – 08/2022)

TEACHING

University of Colorado Boulder

Term	Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Enrollment	Team Taught
2020 Spring	CHEN 4836/5836 (001)	Nanomaterials	3.0	35	N
2020 Fall	CHEN 4836/5836 (001)	Nanomaterials	3.0	52	N
2022 Spring	BMEN 2010 (001, 002)	Biomaterials	3.0	72	Y
2022 Fall	CHEN 4836/5836 (001)	Nanomaterials	3.0	48	N

FUNDING

Active Grants (>\$4.0M total raised since 2020)

Extramural

9. NIH / NIGMS MIRA

1R35GM147455-01 (Role: PI) 09/01/2022 - 08/31/2027

Adoptive Macrophage Transfers for Nanoparticle Delivery

The goal of this project is to understand of the factors that govern macrophage-mediated transport of nanoparticles to inflamed tissues.

PI: Shields IV, CW

8. Pew Biomedical Scholar Award

#30081 (Role: PI)

08/01/2022 - 07/31/2026

Programmable Microscale Robotics for Precision Biomedicine

The goal of this project is to develop magnetically powered microscale robots to improve the delivery of drugs through thick mucosal barriers.

PI: Shields IV, CW

7. NSF CAREER / Biosensing Program

CBET 2143419 (Role: PI)

07/01/2022 - 06/30/2027

CAREER: Shape-Encoded Electrokinetic Particles for Multiplexed Biosensing

The goal of this project is to develop shape-encoded microparticles capable of detecting heterogenous biomarkers through induced charge electrophoresis.

PI: Shields IV, CW

6. ONR YIP / Undersea Medicine Program

N000142212541 (Role: PI)

07/01/2022 - 06/30/2025

Mapping Immune Cell Responses to High Pressures in Decompression Illness

The goal of this project is to develop a human lung-on-a-chip device to study the response of alveolar macrophages to gas compression and decompression encountered during deep sea diving.

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PI: Shields IV, CW

5. NIH / NCI

1R21CA267608-01A1 (Role: MPI)

06/15/2022 - 05/31/2024

Macrophage-Mediated Delivery of Acoustically Propelled Nanoparticles for Sensitizing Immunologically Cold Tumors

The goal of this project is to study macrophage-mediated delivery of nanoparticles to solid tumors that elicit an immune response through ultrasound-triggered propulsion and drug release.

MPI: Goodwin, AP; Shields IV, CW

4. Cancer League of Colorado #220571-AL (Role: MPI)

01/01/2022 - 12/31/2022

Assessment of Cell Types for Delivering MerTK Inhibitors to Sarcomas

The goal of this project is to study how different immune cell populations transport MerTK inhibitors to sarcomas in mice.

MPI: Lee-Sherick, AB; Shields IV, CW

3. NIH / NIAID

1R21AI154266-01A1 (Role: PI)

04/09/2021 - 04/08/2023

Acoustofluidic Pipette for Rapid Serodiagnosis of Candida Infection

The goal of this project is to develop a handheld acoustic pipette for rapid and effective isolation of fungal biomarkers for downstream quantification.

PI: Shields IV, CW

<u>Intramural</u>

2. AB Nexus Program

University of Colorado (Role: Co-PI)

06/01/2022 - 05/30/2023

Immune Reprogramming of Myeloid Cells in Pancreatic Islets Using Engineered Particles

The goal of this project is to skew islet myeloid cells towards a phenotype that supports beta cell health and suppresses autoreactive T cells using particles that attach to myeloid cells and slowly release drugs.

PI: Friedman, RS

1. CU Boulder Core Facility Voucher Program

CU Boulder (Role: PI)

06/01/2021 - 05/30/2023

Engineered Microparticles for Immunomodulation and Biosensing

The goal of this project is to leverage user facilities at CU Boulder to manufacture particles for applications in biosensing and drug delivery.

PI: Shields IV, CW

Completed Grants

None

EXTERNAL SERVICE

Editorial Service

2021-Present Guest Associate Editor, Bioengineering & Translational Medicine

Proposal Reviewer

- 2022 NIH Early Career Reviewer, Ad Hoc Reviewer for the NIH ZRG1 OTC1-A (80) S Study Section
- 2022 NSF CBET Reviewer
- 2022 NSF Reviewer (General)
- 2021 Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)

Conferences and Symposia

- 2022 Co-Organizer of "Active Matter" at ACS Colloids (Golden, CO)
- 2021 Reviewer for BMES Annual Meeting (Orlando, FL)
- 2021 Chair of "Active and Responsive Colloidal Matter" session at ACS Colloids (virtual)

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- 2020 Co-Organizer of "Wearable and Environmental Sensors" session at AIChE (virtual)
- 2020 Co-Organizer of "Application in Bio-Sensors" session at AIChE (virtual)
- 2019 Co-Organizer and Chair of "Sensors" poster session at AIChE (Orlando, FL)
- 2019 Chair of "Targeted, Responsive Drug Delivery Systems" session at BMES (Philadelphia, PA)
- 2019 Chair of "Self-Assembly I" session at the APS March Meeting (Boston, MA)
- 2018 Chair of "Engineering the Interface" session at the 256th ACS National Meeting (Boston, MA)

Journal Reviewer

Reviewed >80 papers since 2016 in journals such as ACS Applied Bio Materials, ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces, ACS Biomaterials Science & Engineering, ACS Nano, Advanced Drug Delivery Reviews, Advanced Healthcare Materials, Advanced Science, Analytica Chimica Acta, Bioengineering & Translational Medicine, Biointerphases, Biomolecules, Colloid and Interface Science Communications, Colloids and Surfaces B: Biointerfaces, Current Opinion in Colloid & Interface Science, Drug Delivery and Translational Research, IEEE Transactions on Electron Devices, Journal of Applied Physics, Journal of Controlled Release, Journal of Immunology and Regenerative Medicine, Journal of Materials Chemistry B, Journal of Materials Chemistry C, Journal of Materials B, Journal of Molecular Biology, Micromachines, Molecules, Nano Letters, Nanomaterials, Particulate Science and Technology, Pharmaceutical Research, PLOS One, Processes, Lab on a Chip, Robotics and Autonomous Systems, Scientific Reports, Sensors, Sensors and Actuators B: Chemical, Small, and Ultrasonics