

# Curriculum Vitae



## 1. General Information

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## 2. Education

2001-2004 B.Sc. with 1<sup>st</sup> class honored (Physics), Mahidol University, Thailand  
(GPA 3.77)

**Senior project:** Modeling of the Dynamic Pole-to-Pole Oscillations of the Min Proteins in Bacterial Cell Division: the Effect of an External Field.

**Advisor:** Assoc. Prof. Wannapong Triampo, Ph.D.

2005-2009 Ph.D. candidate (Physics), Mahidol University, Thailand.

**Thesis:** Biophysical Modeling and Monte Carlo Simulations of Receptor Dynamics in Signal Transduction

**Advisor:** Assoc. Prof. Wannapong Triampo, Ph.D.

Prof. Yongwimon Lenbury, Ph.D.

Asst. Prof. Narin Nuttavut, Ph.D.

## 3. Research Experience and Activities

May 2008 – March 2009 Visiting Scholar at Center for Theoretical Biological Physics (CTBP), University of California, San Diego, USA.

#### **4. Honors**

- 2005 Outstanding Physics Student with the Highest GPA throughout the Physics Program (2001-2004) Award, from Faculty of Science, Mahidol University, Thailand
- 2005 Outstanding Physics Student with the International Publication Year 2004 Award, from Faculty of Science, Mahidol University, Thailand
- 2005 Outstanding Physics Student with the Highest GPA year 2004 Award, from Professor Taeb Nilanithi Foundation

#### **5. Scholarship**

- 2001-2004 Sithangthong Scholarship from Faculty of Science, Mahidol University, Thailand
- 2003-2004 Research Projects for Undergraduate Students Scholarship from Thailand Research Fund
- 2005 – 2007: New Scientist Production Scholarship from Faculty of Science, Mahidol University, Thailand
- 2007 – Present: Strategic Scholarships for Frontier Research Networks from Commission on Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Thailand

## 6. List of International Publications

1. **Modchang C**, Kanthang P, Triampo W, Ngamsaad W, Tang IM, Nuttawut N, Sanguansin S, Boondirek A, and Lenbury Y. *Modeling of the Dynamic Pole-to-Pole Oscillations of the Min Proteins in Bacterial Cell Division: the Effect of an External Field*. Journal of the Korean Physical Society. (2005) **46**, 1031-1036. (Impact Factor 1.383).
2. Ngamsaad W, Triampo W, Kanthang P, Tang IM, Nuttawut N, **Modchang C**, and Lenbury Y. *A Lattice Boltzmann Method for Modeling the Dynamic Pole-to-Pole Oscillations of Min Proteins for Determining the Position of the Midcell Division Plane*. Journal of the Korean Physical Society. (2005) **46**, 1025-1030. (Impact Factor 1.383)
3. **Modchang C**, Triampo W, and Lenbury Y. *Mathematical Modeling and Application of Genetic Algorithm to Parameter Estimation in Signal Transduction: Trafficking and Promiscuous Coupling of G-protein coupled Receptors*. Computers in Biology and Medicine. (2008) **38** 574– 582. (Impact Factor 1.170)
4. Junthorn U, Unai S, Kanthang P, Ngamsaad W, Triampo W, **Modchang C**, Krittanai C, and Lenbury Y. *Single-Particle Tracking Method for Quantitative Tracking and Biophysical Studies of the MinE Protein*. Journal of the Korean Physical Society. (2008) **52(3)**, 639-648. (Impact Factor 1.204)
5. **Modchang C**, Triampo W, Kanthang P, Junthorn U, Unai S, Ngamsaad W, and Nattawut N. *Stochastic modeling of the effect of an external electric field on the Min protein Dynamics in E. coli.* . Journal of the Korean Physical Society. (2008) **53(2)**, 851-862. (Impact Factor 1.204)
6. Leelawattanachai J., **Modchang C.**, Triampo W\*, Triampo D., Lenbury Y. *Modeling and genetic algorithm optimization of early events in signal transduction via dynamics of G-protein-coupled receptors: internalization consideration.* Appl. Math. Comput. (2009) **207(2)**, 528-544. (**as a co-first author**) (Impact Factor 0.821)
7. Unai S., Kanthang P., Junthorn U., Ngamsaad W., Triampo\* W., **Modchang C.**, Krittanai C., *Quantitative analysis of time-series fluorescence microscopy using a spot tracking method: application to Min protein dynamics.* Biologia (2009) **64(1)**, 27-42. (Impact Factor 0.207)

8. Sriyab S., Yojina J., Ngamsaad W., Kanthang P., **Modchang C.**, Nuttavut N., Lenbury Y., Krittanai C., Triampo W. *Mesoscale modeling technique for studying the dynamics oscillation of Min protein: Pattern formation analysis with lattice Boltzmann method*. Computers in Biology and Medicine (Impact Factor 1.170), Computers in Biology and Medicine. (2009) **39** 412-424 (Impact Factor 1.170).
9. **Charin Modchang**, Suhita Nadkarni, Wannapong Triampo, Herbert Levine, Wouter-Jan Rappel. *A comparison of deterministic and stochastic simulations of neuronal vesicle release models*. **Submitted (2009)**
10. Waipot Ngamsaad, Paisan Kanthang, **Charin Modchang**, Somchai Sriyab, Wannapong Triampo. *The Effect of Boundary Conditions on Mesoscopic Lattice Boltzmann Method: case Study of a Reaction-Diffusion Based Model for Min-Protein Oscillation*. **Submitted (2009)**
11. Apiwat Wisitsorasak, Wannapong Triampo, Darapond Triampo, **Charin Modchang**, Yongwimon Lenbury. *Stochastic biophysical model of heterodimerization of receptors: Monte Carlo simulations*. **Submitted (2009)**

## **7. Research Work Presented in Conferences, Seminars and Proceedings**

1. **Modchang C.**, and Triampo W. *Modeling of the Dynamic Pole-to-pole Oscillations of the Min Proteins in Bacterial Cell Division: the Effect of an External Field*. The sixth Science Project Exhibition, Faculty of Science, Mahidol University, Thailand, 15 Mar 2005.
2. **Modchang C.**, and Triampo W. *Deterministic and Stochastic Modeling of Mechanism for Compartmentalization Involved in Bacteria Division Processes: E. Coli & L. interrogans*. The Third Industrial and Research Projects for Undergraduate Students, Bangkok, Thailand, 1 – 3 May 2005.
3. Ngamsaad W, Triampo W, Kanthang P, Tang IM, Nuttavut N, **Modchang C.**, and Lenbury Y. *A Lattice Boltzmann Method for Modeling Min Proteins Oscillation in Escherichia coli*. Proceedings of the International Conference in Mathematics and Applications, 15-17 December 2005 Chaophya Park Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand.

4. **Modchang C**, Triampo W, and Lenbury W. *Mathematical Model Investigations of Signal Transduction via G-Protein Coupled Receptors: Trafficking and Promiscuous Coupling of Receptors*. International Conference in Mathematics and Applications 2007, Bangkok, Thailand, 15 – 17 Aug 2007
5. Leelawattanachai J, Triampo W, **Modchang C**, and Lenbury Y. *Modeling of Signal Transduction via Dynamics of G-Protein-Coupled Receptors: Internalization Consideration*. International Conference in Mathematics and Applications 2007, Bangkok, Thailand, 15 – 17 Aug 2007
6. **Modchang C**, Triampo W, and Lenbury Y. *A Stochastic Model of Min Protein Oscillations in Escherichia Coli: the Effect of an External Electric Field*. 33<sup>rd</sup> Congress on Science and Technology of Thailand, Nakhon Si Thammarat, Thailand, 18 – 20 Oct 2007
7. Junthorn U, Unai S, Kanthang P, Ngamsaad W, Triampo W, **Modchang C**, Krittanai C, and Lenbury Y. *How to track MinE protein oscillations in Escherichia coli*. 33<sup>rd</sup> Congress on Science and Technology of Thailand, Nakhon Si Thammarat, Thailand, 18 – 20 Oct 2007.

## 8. Books

1. Randall I. Charles, Warren Crown and Francis Fennell, **Scott Foresman-Addison Wesley Mathematics: Book 6 Volume 1**, Pearson Education Indochina LTD.

แปลและเรียบเรียง: ศศ.ดร. วีระชัย สิริพันธ์วรารักษ์ ผู้ช่วยแปลและเรียบเรียง: ชรินทร์ โหมดขัง และ ธนาวุฒิ  
วัฒนปรีชากิจ

## 9. Research Interests

- Computational and Theoretical Biophysics
- Biophysical Modeling and Monte Carlo Simulations in Signal Transductions
- Genetic Algorithm and Optimization
- Pattern Formation and Proteins Oscillation in *E. coli*
- Effect of Electric Field on Biological Systems
- Random Walk

## 10. Computer Skills

- Programming: C, C++, Matlab, Mathematica
- Operating Systems: Windows, Linux
- Software: TeX, LaTeX, MS Office, Adobe Photoshop, ImageJ, Image Pro, gnuplot, Macromedia Flash, Macromedia Dreamweaver

## 11. Academic References

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