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Curriculum Vitae

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Work co-ordinates

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Short Biography

Bob Eisenberg received his A.B. (summa cum laude) after three years of study under the tutelage of John Edsall at Harvard College. He started studying membranes at that time, working under the direction of John Pappenheimer and Steve Kuffler. He went to University College London for his Ph.D. under Paul Fatt with Alan Hodgkin as his external examiner (and hero!), Bernard Katz as Chairman, and Andrew Huxley as mentor, for many years. Eisenberg's Ph.D. thesis and later work for a decade or two used engineering methods (impedance measurements) to determine the electrical structure of cells and tissues (skeletal muscle, cardiac muscle, lens of the eye), developing mathematical models (with the help of Julian Cole and Victor Barcion) to describe the anatomy of the tissue, measured with statistical sampling methods of stereology (done mostly by Brenda Eisenberg). He served as Chairman of the Physiology Study Section of the NIH for several years, and Director of Research (etc) for the American Heart Association (Chicago Branch). After single channel recording was discovered, he was the inventor and senior designer of the AxoPatch patch clamp amplifier (working with Rick Levis, Jim Rae, and Alan Finkel) which is used by most workers in the field to this day.

Bob has spent many years on multi-scale analysis of ion channels, seeking to predict the current through the channel, in a range of solutions of different composition, over a range of voltages. Working with Zeev Schuss, he showed how the flux over a potential barrier of arbitrary shape could be evaluated analytically, starting from a description of the stochastic trajectories of diffusion. "Eyring models" of transition state theory arise as a special case, hardly easier to compute than the general formulas. Eisenberg (with Wolfgang Nonner and Dirk Gillespie, et al) has shown how the properties of concentrated bulk solutions (as summarized in the Density Functional Theory of the Liquid State) can account for the selectivity of L-type calcium channels, without invoking specific binding sites or quantum mechanical effects. Recently, he (helping Zeev Schuss and Boaz Nadler) have shown how mean field models can be derived from

a model of the stochastic trajectories of ions in solution, using the techniques of probability theory and one easily justified physical assumption. He is now (2006) designing abiotic ionic channels (which Zuzanna Siwy builds), helping Weishi Liu apply geometric perturbation theory to ion channels, and using mathematics of the design of channels, working with Heinz Engl and Martin Burger. Along the way, he helped Amit Singer (working with Zeev Schuss) show why perturbations in the charge distribution of NaCl did not produce sparks and electrocute eaters of table salt.

Internet Coordinates

Web Sites

Departmental Site: <http://www.rushu.rush.edu/molbio/>
with a 'Chairman's Message' at <http://www2.phys.rush.edu/physiomsg.html>
leading to Personal Site <http://www2.phys.rush.edu/RSEisenberg/physioeis.html>

PNP Online <http://www.pnponline.org/> Interactive software for running Poisson Nernst Planck theory, with Duan Chen, Wolfgang Nonner, Uwe Hollerbach, Brice Burgess, See-Wing Chiu

FTP Sites

- 1) [Reprints](#) available on this [hyperlink](#)
or by anonymous ftp from <ftp.rush.edu>.
(*sign on as anonymous;*, for password; use your email address)
Migrate to [/MoleBio/Bob_Eisenberg/Reprints](#)
or just click on this hyperlink
- 2) *PNP* is available in various flavors from <ftp.rush.edu> in
[/pub/Eisenberg/PNP](#); [/pub/Eisenberg/Hollerbach](#); [/pub/Eisenberg/Nonner](#)
- 3) Files of single channel currents with noise are in [/pub/Eisenberg/Noise](#), written in collaboration with Rick Levis (*deceased, 2005*).

Education

Elementary School: New Rochelle, New York

High School, 1956-59. Horace Mann School, Riverdale, New York City, graduated in three years with honors and awards in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Latin, English and History.

Undergraduate, 1959-62. Entered Harvard College with Advanced Placement as a sophomore, concentrated in Biochemical Sciences, Prof. J.T. Edsall tutor and mentor; advisor in Physiology Prof. J.R. Pappenheimer; graduated in three years A.B., *summa cum laude*.

Summer work, 1960-61. Nerve Muscle Program at Marine Biological Laboratory directed by Prof. S.W. Kuffler.

Doctoral work: University College London 1962-65 (Ph.D. in Biophysics: B. Katz, Chairman); Supervisor, P. Fatt; External Examiner, A.L. Hodgkin. Mentor

(over several decades): A.F. Huxley.

Personal

Home co-ordinates:

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Born in Brooklyn, New York, April 25, 1942: Citizen of the United States.

Social Security Number 075-xx-xxxx.

Married Ardyth Eisenberg, 1991.

Children (mother, Brenda Russell):

Benjamin Russell Eisenberg, born March 17, 1969.

Grandchild, mother Angelle Moutoussamy

Crystal Lynn Moutoussamy, born March 19, 1994

Emily Ruth Eisenberg, born February 8, 1973.

Jill Anna Trowbridge (formerly Eisenberg), born November 7, 1974.

Grandchildren, father John Trowbridge

James Louis Trowbridge, born August 15, 1997.

Holly Sophia Trowbridge, born July 11, 2000.

Henry Samuel Trowbridge, born January 15, 2004.

Alastair Solomon Trowbridge, born January 10, 2006

Sally Lynn Eisenberg, born June 20, 1979.

Academic Positions

Main Positions

Rush Medical College, Chicago IL

1995- Chairman of Molecular Biophysics and Physiology

1976 -.... Endowed Chair "The Francis and Catherine Bard Professor"

1976-1995 Chairman of Physiology

University of California at Los Angeles

1975-1976 Professor of Biomathematics and Physiology,
Chairmen: Carol Newton, W. Mommaerts

1970-1975 Associate Professor, Dept of Physiology

1968-1970 Assistant Professor, Dept of Physiology,

Duke University, Durham NC

Associate, 1965-1968. Department of Physiology, Duke University,
Chairman: D. Tosteson. Post-doctoral fellow of P. Horowicz, along with
P. Gage, C. Armstrong, etc.

Secondary Positions

Senior Scientist, Argonne National Laboratory (Mathematics and Computer Science Division, 2005 - ...
 Schlumberger Visiting Professor, University of Cambridge (UK) 2002
 Visiting Fellow, Corpus Christi College, University of Cambridge (UK) 2002
 Visiting Professor, 2000-2003 Computational Electronics, Beckman Institute, University of Illinois, Urbana Champaign
 Visiting Scientist, 1991-1995. Department of Physics, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, Long Island, NY.

Honors

Editorial Board, Journal of General Physiology, 1970-1991
 Editorial Board, Journal of Computational Electronics, 2001-...
 Associate Editor, Comments on Theoretical Biology, 1987- ..
 Associate Editor, News in Physiological Sciences, 1988-1992
 Harvard College Scholarship
 A.B. received *summa cum laude*
 Phi Beta Kappa: member of “Senior Sixteen”
 L.J. Henderson award for thesis in Biochemical Sciences
 Senior Common Room Award for “Most Promising Scholar”
 Schlumberger Visiting Professor, University of Cambridge (UK)
 Visiting Fellow, Corpus Christi College, University of Cambridge (UK)
 Schlumberger Medal, Physical Chemistry
 Plenary Lecture at European Mathematics Society/AMAM 2003
 Member Executive Board, American Physical Society (2002-2004)
 Fellow, American Physical Society (Division of Biological Physics)
 Argonne National Laboratory: Director’s Seminar

Grant Support

Continuous Grant Support (without interruption) thanks to a combination of NSF, NIH, and DARPA from approximately 1970 to present. Miscellaneous additional grants from AHA, MDA, Chicago Heart, etc.

Scientific Administration**AMERICAN PHYSICAL SOCIETY**

Councilor (First term: 2000-2004)
 Councilor (Second term: 2005-2009)
 Member of Executive Board (2002-2004)
 Member, Committee on Committees (2003- ...)
 Member, Audit Committee (2004 - ...), Chair Audit Committee (2005 - ...)
 Division of Biological Physics
 Executive Board (2001- ...)

BIOPHYSICAL SOCIETY

Member of U.S. National Committee International Union of Pure and Applied Biophysics (1978-1983)

Member of Council (1983-1986).

Member of Executive Board (1983-1986).

Member of Program Committee (1984).

Chairman of Nominating Committee (1985).

Chairman of Science Public Policy Committee (1985-1987).

CHICAGO CHAPTER OF SOCIETY FOR NEUROSCIENCE

Member of Council (1981-1984), Meeting Organizer, then President.

CHICAGO HEART ASSOCIATION

Member, Vice Chairman, then Chairman of the Research Council (1982-1986).

Member, Vice Chairman, then Chairman of Research Review Committee (1976-1986; 1989).

NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH

Member (1979-1981), then Chairman (1981-1983) of Physiology Study Section.

Member *ad hoc* (2004) Modeling and Analysis of Biological Systems (MABS) Study Section.

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Member, Steering Committee on Biology and Mathematics (1989, 1996).

PENNSYLVANIA MUSCLE INSTITUTE

Member (1980-1982; 1989-1990), then Chairman (1982-1987; 1989-1990) of the External Advisory Board, University of Pennsylvania, Director: A. Somlyo (1980-1987); Y. Goldman (1989-1990).

SOCIETY OF GENERAL PHYSIOLOGISTS

Councilor; Chairman, Membership Committee.

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI

External review of Graduate Program, Department of Physiology (1988).

Invited Lectures

Albert Einstein College of Medicine

American Chemical Society, Division of Physical Chemistry

American Heart Association

AMA Institute (1966)

American Physical Society (Division of Biological Physics) March Meeting, 2000

American Physical Society (Division of Biological Physics) March Meeting, 2006

American Chemical Society Meeting, San Francisco, 2000

American Physiological Society Meeting: 1978, 1979, 1983

Argonne National Laboratory: Director's Seminar

Association of Chairmen of Departments of Physiology

Australian National University (Canberra)

Baylor University
 Biological Chemists of the Federal Republic of Germany
 Biophysical Society, 1991: in Symposium on Ion Channels in Intracellular Membranes
 Biozentrum (Basel, Switzerland): Minicourse on Electrophysiology
 Biozentrum (Basel, Switzerland): Selectivity in Channels (Seminar in Structural Biology)
 Boston University (Department of Mathematics)
 Brandeis University (Biochemistry)
 Brigham Young University (Zoology)
 Brookhaven National Laboratory (Department of Physics)
 California Institute of Technology (Biology)
 California Institute of Technology (Applied Mathematics)
 Cambridge University (England) Physiology: Foster Club
 Cambridge University (England) Chemistry, in the “Lennard Jones Lecture Series”
 Cambridge University (England) Pharmacology
 Cambridge (England): Schlumberger Lecture, 2002
 Cambridge University (England) Centre for Computational Chemistry
 CCNY, Dept of Physics
 Centro de Investigacion y de Estudios del Avanzados (Mexico City)
 Chicago Heart Association Cardiovascular Research Forum
 Chicago Medical School
 City of Hope, Duarte, California
 K.S. Cole Symposium (FASEB, 1974)
 Colorado State University (Dept. of Chemistry)
 Columbia University, Dept of Chemical Engineering
 Conference on Fluctuations, Escape, and Optimal Control Traverse City MI
 Conference of N.Y. Academy of Science, 1977
 Cornell University Medical School: Department of Physiology
 Cornell University: Dept of Chemistry
 Courant Institute (NYU) Seminar “Mostly Biomathematics” (2004)
 DARPA (Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency)
 Many workshops.
 Director’s Seminar, 2001
 DSRC (Defense Sciences Research Council) Workshop on Biosensors
 DuPont Experimental Station
 European Mathematics Society: Plenary Lecture at AMAM 2003 (Applied Math ...)
 Participant (not speaker) at EMBO Meeting in honor of retirement of Max Perutz at Kings
 College, Cambridge, 1980
 Emory University
 Fine Structure Society (Rosemont IL 1995)
 Florida State University: Inaugural Workshop for Computational Science, 2000
 FOCUS 2000, DARPA workshop, Session Leader, Speaker, Plenary Session
 Gordon Conference on Smooth Muscle, 1973
 Gordon Conference on Skeletal Muscle, 1980
 Gordon Conference on Skeletal Muscle, 1983
 Gordon Conference on Skeletal Muscle, 1985
 Gordon Conference on Solid State Ionics, 1990

Gordon Conference on Ion Channels, 1998
Gordon Conference on Ion Channels, 2000
Harvard University (Neurobiology)
Hebrew University, Jerusalem: Fritz Haber Lecturer in Physical Chemistry
Hebrew University, Jerusalem: Bat Sheva (de Rothschild) Seminar
Hebrew University, Jerusalem: Protein Dynamics and thermodynamics, participant and session chair.
Henderson Symposium (Basic and Applied Statistical Mechanics of Condensed Matter, Brigham Young University, 2004)
HRL (formerly Hughes Research Lab) Malibu: Physics Colloquium, 1999.
HRL (formerly Hughes Research Lab) Malibu: Colloquium, 2005.
IEEE International Conference on Pattern Recognition (1994), presented by Amir Averbuch and Moshe Israeli
Intel Workshop on Early Disease Detection (Sept 2002)
Institute for Pure and Applied Mathematics, IPAM, UCLA, Ion Channels (2002)
Institute for Pure and Applied Mathematics, IPAM, UCLA, Inverse Problems, Lecture and Workshop (2003)
Institute for Pure and Applied Mathematics, IPAM, Lake Arrowhead UCLA Conference: Inverse Problems Reunion (2005)
Institute for Pure and Applied Mathematics, IPAM, Lake Arrowhead UCLA Conference: Inverse Problems Reunion (2006)
Institute for Theoretical Physics, University of California, Santa Barbara, Conference on Electrostatic Effects in Complex Fluids and Biophysics, 1998
International Conference on Circuit/System Theory, Sydney, Australia (1970)
International Conference on Computational Nanoscience
International Conference on Unsolved Problems of Noise and fluctuations in physics, biology, and high technology, Bethesda, 2002
International Filter Symposium, Santa Monica, CA, 1972
International Workshop on Computational Electronics: IWCE-5, 1997, Notre Dame.
International Workshop on Computational Electronics, IWCE-6, 1998, Osaka
International Workshop on Computational Electronics, IWCE-8, 2001, UIUC
International Workshop on Computational Electronics, IWCE-9, 2003, Roma, Italia
International Workshop on Computational Electronics, IWCE-11, 2006, Vienna, Austria
Johns Hopkins (Department of Biology)
Johns Hopkins (Department of Biomedical Engineering)
Kansas University (Mathematics)
Laboratory of Molecular Biology, MRC, Cambridge England
Lancaster University (Dept of Physics)
Liblice Conference (5th) on Statistical Mechanics of Liquids
Los Alamos National Laboratory (Center for Nonlinear Studies)
Loyola University, Dept of Physiology, Maywood, Illinois
Marquette University: Department of Biology
Marquette University: Department of Mathematics
Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole
Max Planck Institute (Heidelberg)
Mayo Clinic

McMaster University: Dept. of Physics (Hamilton, Ontario)
Medical College of Virginia
Medical College of Wisconsin
Medical Research Council, Mill Hill, England
Merck, Sharpe, and Dhome
Mesilla Conference on Physical Chemistry (2001)
MIT Bio-Informatics Seminar (with the Whitehead Institute)
Monash University, Australia: Electrical Engineering
Monash University, Australia: Department of Physiology
NASA Ames: Biomolecular Systems
National Science Foundation (first MOBS Seminar: Modeling of Biological Systems)
New York University Medical School (Physiology)
New York University (Biology: Tamar Schlick's Group)
NATO Advanced Research Workshop. Ionic Soft Matter Lviv Ukraine
NIH NINCDS
NIH Arthritis Institute
NIH GMS
NISTI-NIGMS Digital Biology Speaker (2003)
NIST Physical and Chemical Properties Division
Northwestern University: Evanston, Applied Mathematics
Northwestern Univ Evanston, Mathematics "Conversations in Mathematics & Biology"
Northwestern University: Evanston, Neurosciences
Northwestern University Evanston, Physics and Engineering Sciences
Northwestern University: Chicago, Physiology
Notre Dame, Dept. of Electrical Engineering
Notre Dame, Dept of Chemistry and Biochemistry
Novartis Foundation Symposium: Gramicidin and Related Peptides, 1998
Novartis Foundation Meeting: Physical Models of Ion Permeation, 2000
Oregon Health Sciences University (Vollum Institute)
Oxford University (England) Physiology
Oxford University Biochemical Society (England)
Oxford University Seminar in Physical and Theoretical Chemistry (England)
Oxford University Seminar in Chemistry (Hagan Bayley)
Oxford University OCIAM Mathematics in Medicine 5th Study Group (Oct, 2005)
Oxford University OCIAM Mathematics in Medicine: Ion Channels (March, 2006)
PacifiChem (meeting of American Chemical Society, 2000)
PacifiChem (meeting of American Chemical Society, 2005)
Polytechnic University (NY) Dept of Chemical Engineering
Purdue University: Dept. of Biology
Purdue University: Dept. of Electrical Engineering: Solid State Physics
Radon Institute (RICAM) EMS (European Mathematics Society) Linz, Austria, 2006
Lectures on Ion Channels
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Dept. of Mathematics
Rowland Institute (Cambridge MA)
Satellite Meeting (Debrecen) of International Physiological Congress, 1980
Schlumberger Cambridge Research

Society of General Physiologists Meeting, Woods Hole
 Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics:
 Invited lecture, Conference on Applied Probability in Science & Engineering Society
 of Industrial and Applied Mathematics
 Invited lecture, symposium on “Ionic Channels in Biological Membranes”. Annual
 meeting, 1993
 Invited lecture, symposium on Ionic Channels, 2001
 Invited lecture, symposium Electrodifussion: Modeling, Analysis, Simulation, and
 Applications, 2005
 Invited lecture, symposium Multiscale Modeling of Electrochemical Systems, 2006
 SPIE Annual Meeting (1994) *in* Symposium “Mathematical Imaging: Wavelet
 Applications” (presented by Amir Averbuch and Moshe Israeli)
 Stanford University (Department of Electrical Engineering)
 State University of New York (Albany)
 State University of New York (Stony Brook)
 Taft School Centennial Symposium
 Telluride Science Research Center Symposium on Biological Ion Channels (2003)
 Telluride Science Research Center Symposium on Biophysical and Biochemical Properties
 of Ion Channels in Epithelia (2004)
 Telluride Science Research Center Symposium Biological Ion channels: Structure and
 Function (2005)
 Texas Instrument Corporation (1966)
 Thomas Jefferson University: Daniel Baugh Institute
 TMR Meeting on Kinetics, Goteborg Sweden, 2000, Plenary Speaker
 Tulane University (1967)
 UCLA: Biology Department (1968)
 UCLA: Jerry Lewis Muscle Disease Center
 UCLA: Physiology Department
 UCLA: Molecular Biology Institute
 UCLA: Department of Anesthesiology
 UCLA School of Engineering
 UCLA Dept of Bioengineering
 University College (London): Biophysics
 University College (London): Physiology
 University of Buffalo (SUNY) Dept of Physiology and Biophysics
 University of Buffalo (SUNY) Dept of Electrical Engineering
 University of California (Berkeley) Chemical Engineering, Chakraborty Group
 University of California (Berkeley) Colloquium in Physics Dept (Marvin Cohen)
 University of California (Irvine) Miledi Group
 University of California (Irvine) Colloquium in Physics
 University of California (San Francisco)
 University of Chicago: Department of Biophysics
 University of Chicago: Department of Physiology
 University of Chicago: Department of Chemistry
 University of Chicago: Applied Mathematics
 University of Florida Dept. of Chemistry, Charles Martin’s Nanogroup

University of Gröningen, Netherlands (Department of Chemistry)
University of Hawaii (von Bekesy Laboratory)
University of Illinois (Chicago): Department of Chemistry
University of Illinois (Chicago): Department of Physics
University of Illinois Medical School (Chicago): Department of Biochemistry
University of Illinois Medical School (Chicago): Department of Ophthalmology
University of Illinois Medical School (Chicago): Department of Physiology
University of Illinois (Champaign-Urbana): Physiology
University of Illinois (Champaign-Urbana): Biological Physics
University of Illinois (Champaign-Urbana): Physics, Beckman Institute
University of Illinois (Champaign-Urbana): Computational Electronics
University of Linz, Oesterreich (Austria). Johan Radon Institute of Applied Mathematics.
University of Maryland (Baltimore): Physiology
University of Maryland (Baltimore): Biochemistry
University of Maryland (College Park): Electrical Engineering, Electrophysics Series
University of Maryland (College Park): Institute for Physical Science and Technology
University of Maryland (College Park): CSCAMM
University of Massachusetts (Amherst) Department of Chemistry
University of Miami: Biophysics and Physiology
University of Michigan: Michigan Interdisciplinary Mathematics Meeting.
University of Michigan: Seminar in Applied and Interdisciplinary Mathematics
University of New South Wales, Australia
University of Notre Dame (Dept. of Electrical Engineering)
University of Oklahoma
University of Pennsylvania
University of Rochester (Physiology)
University of Rochester (Neurology)
University of Rochester (Neuromuscular Center)
University of Sydney, Australia
University of Texas (Austin), Texas Institute for Computational and Applied Mathematics
University of Texas (Austin), Physics and Mathematics Seminar
University of Texas (Austin), Colloquium in Physics
University of Texas (Austin) Center for Nonlinear Dynamics (Harry Swinney)
University of Texas (Galveston)
University of Texas (Southwestern: Dallas)
University of Tokyo (Neuroscience)
University of Utah
University of Vermont
University of Washington
University of Wisconsin Madison (Electrical Engineering)
University of Wisconsin Madison (Contemporary Biochemistry)
University of Wisconsin Milwaukee
University of Florida (Dept. of Chemistry, Charles Martin's Nanogroup)
University of Wisconsin Milwaukee
European Mathematics Society: Plenary Lecture at AMAM 2003 (Applied Math ...)

Henderson Symposium (Basic and Applied Statistical Mechanics of Condensed Matter, Brigham Young University, 2004)
 NATO Advanced Research Workshop. Ionic Soft Matter Lviv Ukraine
 Telluride Science Research Center Symposium on Biophysical and Biochemical Properties of Ion Channels in Epithelia (2004) Texas Instrument Corporation
 University of Florida (Dept. of Chemistry, Charles Martin's Nanogroup)
 USA-Japan Seminar Excitation-Contraction Coupling, Tokyo 1971
 Vanderbilt University Colloquium on Physics
 Washington University, St. Louis, Physiology
 Washington University, St. Louis, Center for Computational Chemistry
 Weizmann Institute, Rehovot: Bat Sheva (de Rothschild) Seminar.
 Weizmann Institute, Rehovot: Chemistry Dept
 Western Nerve Net (San Diego)
 Workshop on Wavelets: 16th International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Biology and Medicine Society.
 World Congress on Medical Physics and Biomedical Engineering, 1994.
 Yale University (Department of Physiology)
 Yale University (Section of Neuroscience)
 Yale University (Dept of Mathematics and Computational Science)
 Yangtze Conference on Fluids and Interfaces

Symposia Organized

Chairman, Mini-symposium on **The Lens as a Syncytium**, Biophysical Society Meeting, 1980.

Co-Chairman, with Brian Salzberg, **Symposium on Fine Processing in the Fine Processes of the Nervous System**, Biophysical Society Meeting, 1984.

Chairman of Symposium and Luncheon **Calcium Signals in Muscle**, Biophysical Society Meeting, 1985

Chairman of Symposium. **Nerve Impulse: From Conduction to Channels by way of Conductance** at the 100th Anniversary Meeting of the American Physiological Society, 1987.

Chairman of Symposium. **Skeletal Muscle Physiology: an Update** at the 100th Anniversary Meeting of the American Physiological Society, 1987.

Chairman of Minisymposium. **Moving through (Biological) Channels**, Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics Conference on Applied Probability in Science and Engineering, New Orleans, 1990.

Chairman of Minisymposium. **Ionic Movement through Biological Channels**. Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics, Annual Meeting. Chicago, 1990.

Organizer of Workshop: **From Structure to Permeation in Open Ionic Channels**. Biophysical Society Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., 1993

Chairman of Symposium: **Ionic Channels: Natural Nanotubes**. American Physical Society Annual Meeting, 2000.

- Chairman and Organizer of **Novartis Foundation Meeting: Physical Models of Ion Permeation**, 2000
- Chairman and Organizer of **Symposium at International Conference on Computational Nanoscience, 2001: Nanostructure Simulation from thin oxides to biological ion channels**.
- Co-organizer of **Yangtze Conference on Fluids and Interfaces** (Chief Organizers Kwong-Yu Chan and D Henderson). Chairman, Ion Channels Session, 2001. see *J Colloid Interface Sci.* 2002 Vol. 246, p.222.
- Organizer and Chairman of **Nanostructures: biological ion channels to thin oxides**. Nanotech 2003, San Francisco.
- Co-organizer and Chairman (with Dirk Gillespie) of **Physical Models of Ion/Protein Interactions**, American Physical Society (Div of Biological Physics) March, 2003. Austin, TX
- Chairman (Organizer Maria Kurnikova) **Physics of Ion Interactions with Proteins**, March, 2004, American Physical Society, Montreal Quebec Canada.
- Member, Organizing Committee, NATO Advanced Research Workshop. **Ionic Soft Matter** Lviv Ukraine, 2004.
- Helper to Andrij Trokhymchuk and David Busath, **Festschrift for Doug Henderson**, Brigham Young University, 2004.
- Co-organizer, with Heinz Engl, **RICAM Seminar on Ion Channels**, Johan Radon Institute of Applied Mathematics, University of Linz (Austria), 2004.
- Organizer and Chair, **Multiscale Analysis in Biology: Computation**, American Physical Society, March, 2005, Los Angeles.
- Organizer and Chair: **MultiScale Analysis of Ions in Solutions, Proteins, and Channels: Analysis**, American Physical Society, March, 2005, Los Angeles.
- Problem Presenter: **Mathematics in Medicine Study Group**, Mathematics Institute, Oxford University, Sept. 2005, March 2006
- Organizer and Chair: **Physical Models of Ion Channels**, American Physical Society, March 2006, Baltimore
- Helper to Chris Breward: Oxford University OCIAM **Mathematics in Medicine: Ion Channels**, March, 2006.
- Member, Organizing Committee for **Special Semester on Quantitative Biology analyzed by Mathematical Methods**: RICAM (Radon Institute for Computational and Applied Math); (Oct 2007- Jan 2008: Johannes Kepler Univ of Linz, Austria) <http://www.ricam.oeaw.ac.at/ssqbm/>
Co-chair (with Martin Burger) of Sessions on Membranes and Ion Channels.
- Co-organizer, with Martin Bazant of Symposium, **Multiscale Modeling of Electrochemical Systems** SIAM (Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics), 2006

Equipment and Software Designed

Wide band amplifiers for microelectrode recording (with several collaborators, see publications 3, 9, 11, 16, 22, and 24).

Software for computing and analyzing impedance measurements with wide band amplifiers (*ibid.*)

Axopatch Amplifier for patch clamp recording, with R. Levis, J. Rae, and A. Finkel, sold by Axon Instruments, Burlingame CA, now part of Molecular Devices Sunnyvale CA.

Perfusing Pipettes, a hardware kit available from Adams-List Associates, for perfusing patch pipettes.

PNP Online <http://www.pnponline.org/> Interactive software for running Poisson Nernst Planck theory, with Duan Chen, Wolfgang Nonner, Uwe Hollerbach, Brice Burgess, SeeWing Chiu

Patent Application, PCT/NL2003/000013 Liquid Based Electronic Device (from BioMade, Groningen, Netherlands.)

Patent Application, Mathematical Design of Ion Channel Selectivity via Inverse Problems Technology (with Heinz Engl and Martin Burger, from Rush University Medical Center.)

Professional Societies

American Association for Advancement of Science
American Mathematical Society
American Physiological Society
American Physical Society
American Society of Cell Biologists
Biophysical Society
Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineering
Mathematical Association of America
New York Academy of Sciences
Physiological Society, England (Associate Member)
Royal Society of Chemistry (UK)
Society of General Physiologists
Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics
Society of Neuroscience
Institute for Strategic Studies (London: 1963-1992)

Research Interests

1960's-1980's: Electrical properties of cells and tissues. The relationship between the structure of biological tissues and the pathways for current flow: measurements of linear electrical properties to determine equivalent circuits of skeletal and cardiac muscle, nerve, the lens of the eye, and epithelia.

The modeling of tissues of complex geometry and the solution—in physically meaningful form—of the differential (or difference) equations which describe such tissues. Thus, models of the three dimensional spread of current in spherical and cylindrical cells; models of the spread of current in the random network of transverse tubules in skeletal muscle; models of current flow in the clefts of cardiac muscle; models of current flow in epithelia; models of current flow in dendritic trees.

The use of advanced mathematical techniques (ranging from singular perturbation theory to—when all else fails—brute force numerical simulation) to provide insight into the physical meaning of complex theory.

1960's-1990's: Excitation-contraction coupling in skeletal and cardiac muscle; particularly, the junction between the tubular system and the sarcoplasmic reticulum and the mechanism of calcium release from the sarcoplasmic reticulum.

The electrical properties of the sarcoplasmic reticulum and its ionic channels as seen in patch clamp measurements from skinned muscle fibers.

1980's – 2000's -... : Analysis of ionic channels, experimental and theoretical: properties of single channels in epithelia, particularly “pressure activated” channels. Single channels in sarcoplasmic reticulum of skinned muscle fibers.

Design of patch clamp amplifiers, headstage, holders with “zero excess” noise.

Optimal detection of single channel events using signal detection theory.

Measurement of open channel noise.

Theoretical analysis of ion movement through channels using an hierarchy of models from molecular dynamics to continuum electrostatics.

Simulations of the molecular dynamics of channel proteins.

Stochastic analysis of flux over barriers: first passage times, concentration boundary conditions and ionic fluxes.

PNP model of the open channel. Poisson-Nernst-Planck model of open channels, in which the potential distribution through the channel is calculated not assumed. PH model of the open channel, the Poisson Hydrodynamic model including temperature changes.

Coupling of fluxes, active transport, gating, and gating currents in a permanently open channel of one conformation as predicted by the PNP model in complex geometries and the PH model.

The stochastic generalization of the PNP model.

Simulations of the molecular dynamics of the entry process models of gramicidin.

2000's -... :

Design and construction of ion channels as useful devices.

Thus, building design tools for understanding current flow in bulk solution, ion channels, and proteins in general.

Computation of macroscopic properties of ionic solutions and channels from higher resolution models, using Langevin-Poisson, Monte Carlo Poisson, or Molecular Dynamics Poisson methods.

Mathematical analysis of macroscopic properties of ionic solutions and channels starting from higher resolution models, using Langevin-Poisson, Monte Carlo Poisson, or Molecular Dynamics Poisson methods.

Simulations and theories of gating and conformational change.

Construction of nonequilibrium statistical mechanics starting from the properties of chaotic trajectories computed with Poisson and molecular dynamics. Statistical mechanics as stochastic processes.

Crowded Charge model of protein function, specifically, ion selectivity and permeation in ion channels.

Administrative Work**UCLA**

Member of Committee for Graduate Students.

First Year Advisor for Graduate Students.

Member of numerous review committees for promotions: received commendation from Vice Chancellor Saxon for work on review committees.

Member of Advisory Committee for the Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy Center.

Rush University

Chairman, Department of Physiology, then Department of Molecular Biophysics and Physiology. Recipient and first holder of "The Francis and Catherine Bard Chair of Physiology"

Department has approximately 10 tenure track faculty since 1976 and approximately 7,000 sq ft of usable research space. All faculty with research space (i.e., 4 laboratories) have had NIH or equivalent funding without interruption, thanks to their significant personal productivity. Key members (alphabetical order) in research: Fred Cohen (viral fusion); Tom DeCoursey (H^+ ion channels); Mike Fill (Ryanodine Receptor); Dirk Gillespie (selectivity); Josefina Ramos-Franco (IP_3 receptor); Eduardo Rios (Ca^{++} movement); in Medical School Teaching, Joel Michael, Tom Shannon, and Dirk Gillespie; in Nursing Teaching Joe Zbilut.

Academic Administration.

Member of College Councils.

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