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Assistant Professor
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Education:

08/1991-06/1995	BS,	Biomedical Engineering, Zhejiang University, China
08/1995-06/1998	MS,	Bioelectromagnetics, Zhejiang University, China
08/2005-06/2010	PhD,	Medical physics, University of Heidelberg, Germany

Career/Academic Appointments:

07/1998-06/2003 Medical Physicist, Department of Radiation Oncology, 2nd Affiliated Hospital, Zhejiang University School of Medicine, China

TPS commissioning; 3D and IMRT treatment planning on XIO(CMS) and Xknife (RSA); IMRT QA, Linac QA; Animal study for conformal radiotherapy of pancreatic malignancy and the dose impact to the duodenum.

12/2010-02/2011 Postdoctoral Fellow in medical physics, Department of Radiation Oncology, Virginia Commonwealth University, USA

Evaluation of dose mapping errors via use of a volume-based dose mapping method on Pinnacle TPS (mentor: Dr. Jeffrey Siebers)

01/2012-02/2013 Postdoctoral Fellow in medical physics, Department of Radiation Oncology, Massachusetts General Hospital, Harvard University, USA

Multi-criteria optimization informed VMAT planning on Raystation TPS (mentor: Dr. David Gierga)

07/2014-06/2016 Resident, Medical Physics, Department of therapeutic radiology, Yale New Haven Hospital, Yale University, USA

07/2016-present Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of therapeutic radiology, Yale New Haven Hospital, Yale University, USA

Primary physicist of RefleXion PET-Linac (leading clinical physics IGRT/Scintix BGRT project); Primary physicist of Surface imaging system (CRAD) at main campus; Primary physicist of Orthovoltage machine; Primary physicist of Rapid Planning system; Previous primary physicist of Elekta Synergy system at main campus

Honors & Recognition:

1998	Excellent thesis award in Natural Science of Zhejiang province, China
2004	DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) full scholarship holder for German
	language and culture courses in Goethe-Institute and PhD study in Germany

Patent:

Magnetic cyclotron electrochemical cancer treatment device. Huixiao Chen, Zhuming Yu, Guozhang Chen. CN123899A, CN1121881C, China

Invited Speaking Engagements and Presentations

- 1. "Commissioning and verification of PrecisePLAN R2.20", ESTRO/Elekta User Meeting, 2007, Barcelona, Spain
- 2. "Measurement-based approach for verification of XVMC", DEGRO, 2008, Vienna, Austria
- 3. "MCO-informed VMAT planning for prostate cancer", Young Investigators Symposium, NEAAPM 2012, Boston, USA
- 4. "VMAT Dosimetry lecture", Massachusetts General hospital, 2013, Boston, USA
- 5. "Knowledge-based Treatment planning", Yale New Haven hospital, 2015, New Haven, USA

- 6. "A simple predicator for V105 in breast tangential treatment planning", AAPM, 2017, Denver, USA
- 7. "A small footprint couch-top support device for image guided radiotherapy of heavy patients", Yale New Haven hospital, 2023, New Haven, USA
- 8. "Reflexion X1 PET-Linac system and IGRT/BGRT commissioning", CAMPS Meeting, 2024, New Haven, USA

Professional Service:

Peer Reviewer:

2012-present Journal of Physics in Medicine and Biology

2013-present Journal of Medical Dosimetry 2022-present Journal of Medical Physics

2019-present Journal of Applied Clinical Medical Physics

Professional Organizations:

2012-present American Association of Physicists in Medicine (AAPM) 2021-present American Society for Radiation Oncology (ASTRO)

Publications:

Peer-Reviewed Original Research

- 1. **Huixiao** Chen, Guozhang Chen. Experimental study of temperature elevation by 915 MHz ferromagnetic resonance. *Computerized Tomography Theory Applications*. 1998; 7(1):20-23
- 2. Zuming Yu, Guozhang Chen, **Huixiao Chen**. Electrochemotherapy with cyclotron method: a new system of treatment for cancer. *Chinese Journal of Medical Instrumentation*. 1998; 4(11):23-24
- 3. Guozhang Chen, **Huixiao Chen**. The remarkable effect on treatment of malignancy by electrochemotherapy with cyclotron method. *Medical Devices and Health Care Magazine*. 1998 (Chinese); (6):78-84
- 4. Guozhang Chen, **Huixiao Chen**. A research hotspot in bioelectromagnetics --- non-thermo reaction. *Physics (Chinese)*. 1998; 27(3): 151-155
- 5. Guangwei Yu, **Huixiao Chen**. Maintenance and aging judgement of electron gun of SIEMENS accelerator. *Chinese Journal of Radiation Oncology*. 2003; 312(4): 28
- 6. Guangwei Yu, **Huixiao Chen**. Uncertainties on delineation of Target Volume on CT image for breast cancer. *Chinese Journal of Radiological Medicine and Protection*. 2005;(3): 84-85
- 7. Guangwei Yu, Shuhui Jin, Yongjie Shui, **Huixiao Chen**. Evaluation of three-dimensional conformal radiotherapy based on dose distribution. *Zhongguo Yi Liao Qi Xie Za Zhi*. 2005, 29: 210-1.
- 8. Ramesh Boggula, Friedlieb Lorenz F, **Huixiao Chen**, Gansemer C, Hansjoerg Wertz, Lutz Mueller, Frederik Wenz, et al. Commissioning of a system to correlate dose measurements to patient anatomy. *International Journal of Radiation Oncology, Biology, Physics.* 2008; 72(1): S662; DOI:10.1016/j.ijrobp.2008.06.354; Project: COMPASS
- 9. **Huixiao Chen**, Frank Lohr, Peter Fritz, Frederik Wenz, Barbara Dobler, Friedlieb Lorenz, Werner Mühlnickel. A comparison of absolute dose and dose distribution between Pencil Beamand Monte Carlo-algorithms based on actual patient CT scans. *International Journal of Radiation Oncology Biology Physics*. 2010. Nov 1; 78(3):955-63.
- 10. **Huixiao Chen**, David L Craft, David P Gierga. Multi-Criteria Optimization informed VMAT planning. *Medical Dosimetry*. 2014; 39(1): 64-73
- 11. **Huixiao Chen**, Brian A Winey, Juliane Daartz, Kevin S Oh, John H Shin, David P Gierga. Efficiency gains for Spinal Radiosurgery using Multi-criteria optimization IMRT guided VMAT planning. *Practical Radiation Oncology*. 2015; 5(1): 49-55

- 12. **Huixiao Chen**, Kevin Morley, Ronnie Rodriguez, Emily Draeger, Muhammed Shafiq Hassan, Zhe (Jay) Chen. A small footprint couch-top support device for image-guided radiotherapy of heavy patients. *Journal Of Applied Clinical Medical Physics*. 2022; 23(12), e13788
- 13. Fada Guan, **Huixiao Chen**, Emily Draeger, Yuting Li, Resat Aydin, Christopher J. Tien, Zhe (Jay) Chen. Characterization of Gafchromic TM EBT4 film with clinical KV/MV photons and MeV electrons. *Precision Radiation Oncology*. 2023; 7(2): 81-146

Conference Posters

- 1. **Huixiao Chen**, Martin Polednik, Yasser Abo-Madyan, Hansjoerg Wertz, Frank Lohr, Frederik Wenz, Friedlieb Lorenz. Influence of rounded leaf end on dose calculation for a typical breast IMRT patient plan. *DEGRO 2008*, Vienna, Austria
- 2. **Huixiao** Chen, Friedlieb Lorenz, Martin Polednik, Frank Schneider, Volker Steil, Frank Lohr, Yasser Abo-Madyan, Markus Alber, Frederik Wenz, Juergen Hesser. Measurement-based approach for verification of XVMC. *DEGRO 2008*, Vienna, Austria
- 3. **Huixiao Chen**, Nahla Saleh-Sayah, William T Watkins, Chenyu Yan, Francisco J Salguero, Emily Heath, Jeffrey V Siebers. Evaluation of dose mapping errors via use of a volume-based dose mapping method. *AAPM 2012*, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 4. **Huixiao Chen**, David L Craft, David P Gierga. MCO-informed VMAT planning for prostate cancer. *AAPM 2012*, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 5. Brian A Winey, **Huixiao Chen**, Juliane Daartz, David P Gierga, John H Shin, J. Schwab, Kevin S Oh. Dosimetric effects of diaphragm motion on spine SBRT treatments. *AAPM 2013*, Indianapolis, USA
- 6. **Huixiao Chen**, Brian A Winey, Juliane Daartz, David P Gierga. Parameter sensitivity analysis of VMAT planning for Spine SBRT. *AAPM 2013*, Indianapolis, Indiana, USA
- 7. **Huixiao Chen**, Zhe Chen, Ravinder Nath, Fanqing Guo. Quality assurance of 4DCT process using ET gating system. *AAPM 2015*, Anaheim, CA, USA
- 8. **Huixiao Chen**, John Kim, David J Carlson, Jun Deng, Ravinder Nath, Zhe Chen. A simple predictor for V105 in breast tangential treatment planning. *AAPM 2017*, Denver, USA
- 9. **Huixiao Chen**, Fanqing Guo, David J. Carlson, Jun Deng, Ravinder Nath, Zhe Chen. Commissioning and potential clinical implementation and advantageous of 2.5MV photon beams for selected radiotherapy cases. *AAPM 2017*, Denver, USA
- 10. **Huixiao Chen**, Stephanie Winter, John H Kim, John Kim, Jacqueline R Kelly, Joseph N Contessa, Kenneth Roberts, Jun Deng, Zhe Chen. Efficiency gain and quality improvements for whole brain treatment planning with hippocampal sparing utilizing a shared RapidPLAN model. *AAPM 2018*, Nashville, TN, USA
- 11. Muhammed Shafiq Hassan, **Huixiao Chen**, James Bond, Denise Allen, Zhe Chen. Evaluation of a Commercial Tungsten Eye Shield for Orthovoltage beams using Gafchromic film. *AAPM 2020*, virtual meeting
- 12. **Huixiao Chen**, Kevin Morley, Ronnie Rodriguez, Emily Draeger, Muhammed Shafiq Hassan, Zhe Chen. A small footprint couch-top support device for image-guided radiotherapy of heavy patients. *AAPM 2020*, virtual meeting

Students and Physics Residents Teaching and Training Experience:

2017-present Supervision of clinical rotations of Linac, Surface Imaging, Orthovoltage machine, Special procedures including BGRT, SBRT, TBI, and TSET

Languages English, German, Chinese