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| **EDUCATION/TRAINING** *(Begin with baccalaureate or other initial professional education, such as nursing, and include postdoctoral training.)* |
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| West China University of Medical Sciences, China | MD | 1995 | Clinical Medicine |
| Yamanashi Medical University, Japan | Ph.D. | 2003 | Biochemistry |
| The Jackson Laboratory, Bar Harbor, Maine | Postdoctoral | 2003-2005 | Immunology and genetics |
| University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA | Postdoctoral | 2005-2007 | Immunology and genetics |

1. **Positions and Honors.** List in chronological order previous positions, concluding with your present position. List any honors. Include present membership on any public or private advisory committee.

Positions and Employment

1995/7-1998/2 Resident, Department of Endocrinology and Metabolism, First Affiliated Hospital, West China University of Medical Sciences. Chengdu, Sichuan, People's Republic of China

1998/2-1998/9 Chief Resident, Department of Endocrinology and Metabolism, First Affiliated Hospital, West China University of Medical Sciences. Chengdu, Sichuan, People's Republic of China

2003/5-2005/10 Postdoctoral Associate, The Jackson Laboratory, ME

2005/11-2007/9 Postdoctoral Associate, University of Pittsburgh, PA

2007/10- Assistant Scientist, Department of Pathology, Immunology and Laboratory Medicine, University of Florida, FL

Other Experience and Professional Memberships

1999-2003 Professional Member, Japan Diabetes Society

2006- Professional Member, American Diabetes Association

2006- Professional Member, American Association of Immunologists

2010- Professional Member, Immunology of Diabetes Society

Honors

1998-2003 Japanese Government Scholarship, Japan

2002 Excellent oversea student thesis in Yamanashi Medical University, Japan

2009 American Diabetes Association’s Young Investigator Travel Grant Award, Scientific Sessions

2010 Immunology of Diabetes Society’s Young Investigator Travel Grant Award, 11th IDS meeting

2012 Federation of Clinical Immunology Societies Travel Award, 2012 FOCIS meeting

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15. [**Chen J**, Chen YG, Reifsnyder PC, Schott WH, Lee CH, Osborne M, Scheuplein F, Haag F, Koch-Nolte F, Serreze DV, Leiter EH (2006).](http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=pubmed&dopt=Abstract&list_uids=16585549&query_hl=1&itool=pubmed_docsum) Targeted disruption of CD38 accelerates autoimmune diabetes in NOD/Lt mice by enhancing autoimmunity in an ADP-ribosyltransferase 2-dependent fashion. *J Immunol*. Apr 15;176(8):4590-9.
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5. **Chen J**, Gallo L, Pliner V, Annamalai M, Mathews CE. *Idd22* Prevents T1D by Providing Beta Cell Resistance Against Autoimmune Destruction. Poster. The 11th International Congress of the Immunology of Diabetes Society. Incheon, Korea. 2010
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7. **Chen J**, Mathews CE. Susceptibility to Free Radical-Mediated and Autoimmune Diabetes is Controlled by Retrogenetic Interactions of the Nuclear and Mitochondrial Genomes. 69th ADA annual meeting. Oral presentation. New Orleans, LA. 2009.
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**Source**: National Institutes of Health (NIDDK)

**Title**: *mt-Nd2* and resistance to autoimmune diabetes

**Project Role**: Co-Investigator

**Objective**: Understand the role that the sequence variation in mitochondrial genome *mt-Nd2* plays in resistance to T1D.

ADA Grant #7-12-IN-09 Chen (PI) 7/1/2012-6/31/2014

**Source**: American Diabetes Association

**Title**: Role of T cell mitochondrial function in the pathogenesis of Type 1 Diabetes

**Project Role**: PI

**Objective**: To investigate T cell mitochondrial function changes and their consequence in T cell function during the pathogenesis of human Type 1 diabetes. To characterize CD4+ T cell metabolic activity in patients with T1D, and assess metabolic substrate utilization in human CD4+ TH subsets in patients with T1D

JDRF Grant 17-2012-595 Chen (PI) 10/1/2012-9/30/2014

**Source**: Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundations

**Title**: Lymphocyte Mitochondrial Dysfunction in Type 1 Diabetes

**Project Role**: PI

**Objective**: To investigate lymphocyte mitochondrial function changes and metabolomics during the pathogenesis of human Type 1 diabetes.

Completed Research Support

TJL fellowship Chen (PI) 06/01/03-05/31/04

**Source**: The Jackson Laboratory

**Title**: Role of mitochondria in diabetes resistance of ALR mice

**Project Role**: PI

**Objective**: To investigate the role of mitochondria in the protection of beta cells against immune attacks in ALR and NOD mouse model.

EPIG grant Chen (PI) 09/01/08-05/31/09

**Source**: Department of Pathology, Immunology and Laboratory Medicine, University of Florida, FL

**Title**: Creation of human ρ0 beta cell line and Human ρ0 T cell line

**Project Role**: PI

**Objective**: The goal of this project was to create beta cell line and T cell line that deprived of mitochondrial DNA, to provide tools for further study of the role of mitochondria in the pathogenesis of autoimmune diseases including Type 1 diabetes.