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## **Education and Employment History**

### Education

#### **Queens College, City University of New York, New York, NY**

B.A. Chemistry, (Cum Laude), 1997

Thesis project: "Determination of the Critical Micelle Concentration of Surfactants in Aqueous Media".

#### **Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot, Israel**

M.Sc. Chemistry, (Summa Cum Laude), 2000

Thesis advisors: Abraham Shanzer (organic chemistry), Israel Rubinstein (materials science)  
Thesis title: "Coordination-Based Dendrimers Grown on Metal Surfaces".

#### **Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot, Israel**

Ph.D. Chemistry/Materials and Interfaces, 2005

Thesis advisor: Israel Rubinstein

Graduate studies partially supported by a Levy Eshkol Doctoral Fellowship

Thesis title: "Coordination Self-Assembled Nanostructures Based on Branched Building Blocks".

### Scientific Employment

2017- Curr.       - Associate Professor, Department of Physics, Department of  
Bioengineering, Northeastern University  
- Co-Director, Kostas Advanced Nano-Characterization Facility,  
Northeastern University, Burlington MA (appointed April 2016)  
- Graduate Program Director, Physics

2011- 2017       Assistant Professor, Department of Physics and Department of  
Chemistry/Chemical Biology, Northeastern University  
Co-Director, Kostas Advanced Nano-Characterization Facility,  
Northeastern University, Burlington MA (appointed April 2016)

- 2009-2011 Post-Doctoral Research Associate, Dept. of Physics and Astronomy, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia PA  
Mentor: Dr. Marija Drndic
- Developed and fabricated electrical/optical sensors for biomolecules. Fabricated ultrasensitive molecular Coulter Counters, nanogap microRNA electronic sensors, and graphene membranes functionalized with biomolecules for sensor development.*
- 2006-2009 Post-Doctoral Research Associate, Department of Biomedical Engineering, Boston University, Boston MA  
Mentor: Dr. Amit Meller
- Developed solid-state nanopore tool for single-molecule biophysics of DNA, RNA, and proteins. Utilized this tool for DNA sequence profiling, genomic mapping, and unzipping-based DNA sequencing. Invented novel method for probing DNA/drug interactions and procedure for chemical modification of nanopores.*
- 1997-1998 Research Assistant, Department of Chemistry, Queens College, NY.  
Advisor: Prof. Robert Bittman
- Synthesized cyclodextrin-based derivatives for shuttling cholesterol between lipoproteins and lipids. Synthesized ceramide analogs. Developed Mitsunobu process for stereospecific diol monoazidation.*

## Research and Scholarship

### Activities and Service

- Co-chair, Nanoscale Approaches Sub-Group, Biophysical Society (2022-2023)
- Oversight committee member, Boston Electron Microscopy Center (BEMC) (2021-curr)
- Co-Director, Kostas Advanced Nano-Characterization Facility ([www.neu.edu/kancf](http://www.neu.edu/kancf)), Northeastern University, Burlington Campus, MA (2016-curr)
- Advisory Board, Center for Nanoscale Systems, Harvard University
- Scientific Advisory Board, UST Corporation (2017-2019)
- Scientific Advisory Board, Catalog DNA (2021 – curr)
- Program Director, Department of Physics, Northeastern University (2017-curr)
- Member, Physics Committee on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (2020-curr)
- Co-developer, HHMI-funded workshop for faculty on “Promoting Inclusion and Diversity in the Classroom”, 2018/9
- Regular service on NSF, NIH, and European grant review panels
- Editorial board of PLoS One, Journal of Nanobiotechnology
- Manage Physics Machine shop, staffed with one full-time technician (2017-curr)
- Manager, Physics JEOL 2010F transmission electron microscope facility (2012-2022)
- Faculty Advisory Board, Boston Electron Microscopy Center (BEMC), Northeastern University (2022 – current)

Peer-Reviewed Publications (Google scholar report [here](#))

Refereed Research Papers ( \* = prior to Northeastern, # = co-correspondence)

- [78.](#) Yu L, Kang X, Li F, Mehrafrouz B, Makhamreh A, Fallahi A, Aksimentiev A, Chen M, Wanunu M, Unidirectional Single-File Transport of Full-Length Proteins Through a Nanopore, **bioRxiv**, DOI: 10.1101/2021.09.28.462155 (2021). Accepted to **Nature Biotechnology**, Sept 2022.
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- [76.](#) Tripathi P, Firouzbakht A, Gruebele M, Wanunu M, Direct Observation of Single-protein Transition State Passage by Nanopore Ionic Current Jumps. **The Journal of Physical Chemistry Letters**, 13, 5918–5924 (2022).
- [75.](#) Makhamreh A, Tavakoli S, Gamper H, Nabizadehmashhadroghi M, Fallahi A, Hou Y, Rouhanifard S#, Wanunu M#, Messenger-RNA Modification Standards and Machine Learning Models Facilitate Absolute Site-Specific Pseudouridine Quantification. **bioRxiv** DOI: 10.1101/2022.05.06.490948 (2022).
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- [71.](#) Farhangdoust F, Cheng F, Liang W, Liu Y, Wanunu M, Rapid Identification of DNA Fragments through Direct Sequencing with Electro-Optical Zero-Mode Waveguides. **Advanced Materials**, 2108479 (2021).
- [70.](#) Arcadia CE, Hu K, Epstein S, Wanunu M, Adler A, Rosenstein JK, CMOS electrochemical imaging arrays for the detection and classification of microorganisms, 2021 **IEEE International Symposium on Circuits and Systems (ISCAS)**, IEEE, 1-5 (2021).
- [79.](#) Hejazi D, Tan R, Kari Rezapour N, Mojtavavi M, Wanunu M, Kar S, MoS<sub>2</sub> Nanosheets with Narrowest Excitonic Line Widths Grown by Flow-Less Direct Heating of Bulk Powders: Implications for Sensing and Detection. **ACS Applied Nano Materials**, 4, 2583-2593 (2021).
- [68.](#) Tripathi P, Benabbas A, Mehrafrouz B, Yamazaki H, Aksimentiev A, Champion PM, Wanunu M, Electrical unfolding of cytochrome c during translocation through a nanopore constriction. **Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences** 118, e2016262118 (2021).
- [67.](#) Mojtavavi M, VahidMohammadi A, Ganeshan K, Hejazi D, Shahbazmohamadi S, Kar S, Van Duin AC, Wanunu M, Wafer-Scale Lateral Self-Assembly of Mosaic Ti<sub>3</sub>C<sub>2</sub>T<sub>x</sub> MXene Monolayer Films. **ACS Nano**, 15, 625-636 (2021).
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- [24.](#) "Nanocomposite gold-silk nanofibers", Cohen-Karni T, Jeong KJ, Tsui J, Reznor G, Mustata M, Wanunu M, Graham A, Marks C, Bell DC, Langer R, Kohane DS, **Nano Letters**, 12, 5403–5406 (2012).
- [\\*23.](#) "Integrated Nanopore Sensing Platform with Sub-Microsecond Temporal Resolution", Rosenstein J, Wanunu M, Merchant C, Drndic M, and Shepard K, **Nature Methods**, 9, 487-492 (2012).
- [\\*22.](#) "Nanopore Analysis of Individual RNA/Antibiotic Complexes", Wanunu M#, Bhattacharya S, Xie Y, Tor Y, Aksimentiev A#, Drndic M#, **ACS Nano**, 5, 9345-9353 (2011). [highlighted in C&E News and ACS's In Nano]
- [\\*21.](#) "Discrimination of methylcytosine from hydroxymethylcytosine in individual DNA Molecules", Wanunu M\*, Cohen-Karni D\*, Johnson RR\*, Fields L, Benner J, Peterman N, Zheng Y, Klein ML, and Drndic M, **Journal of the American Chemical Society**, 133, 486–492 (2011).
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