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Education

AgroParisTech, INRAE, Université Paris-Saclay	PhD in Biotechnology	<i>Jouy-en-Josas, France</i>
Thesis: Metabolic engineering of <i>Yarrowia lipolytica</i> for the production of even- and odd-chain fatty acids		<i>October 2020</i>
Seoul National University	Master in Food Biotechnology	<i>Seoul, South Korea</i>
Thesis: Overproduction of Hepatitis B virus surface antigen in recombinant <i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i>		<i>February 2009</i>
Seoul National University	Bachelor in Food Biotechnology	<i>Seoul, South Korea</i>
		<i>February 2007</i>

Experience

Institut National de la Recherche Agronomique et Environment (INRAE)	Post-Doc	<i>Jouy-en-Josas, France</i>
• Metabolic engineering of <i>Yarrowia lipolytica</i>		<i>November 2020 – present</i>
Institut National de la Recherche Agronomique (INRA)	Assistant Engineer	<i>Jouy-en-Josas, France</i>
• Development of synthetic biological tools • Metabolic engineering of <i>Yarrowia lipolytica</i>		<i>September 2016 – September 2017</i>
Samsung Advanced Institute of Technology (SAIT)	Researcher	<i>Suwon, South Korea</i>
• Pretreatment of lignocellulosic biomass • Strain development and Fermentation for the production of biochemicals		<i>February 2009 – December 2013</i>
Mogam Institute, Green Cross Corp.	Visiting researcher	<i>Yongin, South Korea</i>
• Fermentation of recombinant <i>S. cerevisiae</i> for the production of sHBsAg (75L-scale)		<i>March 2007 – July 2007</i>

Publication

1. **YK Park***, F Bordes, F Letisse, JM Nicaud, Engineering precursor pools for increasing production of odd-chain fatty acids in *Yarrowia lipolytica*, *Metabolic Engineering Communications* 12 (2021) e00158
2. **YK Park***, JM Nicaud, Metabolic engineering for unusual lipid production in *Yarrowia lipolytica*, *Microorganisms* 8 (2020) 1937
3. **YK Park***, R Ledesma-Amaro*, JM Nicaud, *De novo* biosynthesis of odd-chain fatty acids in *Yarrowia lipolytica* enabled by modular pathway engineering, *Frontiers in Bioengineering and Biotechnology* 7 (2020) 484
4. PJ Trotter, K Juco, HT Le, K Nelson, L Tamayo, JM Nicaud, **YK Park**, Glutamate dehydrogenases in the oleaginous yeast *Yarrowia lipolytica*, *Yeast* 37 (2020) 103-115
5. **YK Park***, JM Nicaud, Screening a genomic library for genes involved in propionate tolerance in *Yarrowia lipolytica*, *Yeast* 37(2020) 131-140
6. **YK Park***, M Vandermies¹, P Soudier, S Telek, S Thomas, JM Nicaud, P Fickers, Efficient expression vectors and host strain for the production of recombinant proteins by *Yarrowia lipolytica* in process conditions, *Microbial Cell Factories* (2019) 18:167
7. M Larroude, **YK Park**, P Soudier, M Kubiak, JM Nicaud, T Rossignol, A goldengate toolkit for *Yarrowia lipolytica* synthetic biology, *Microbial Biotechnology* (2019) 12(6), 1249–1259
8. **YK Park**, P Korpys, M Kubiak, E Celinska, P Soudier, P Trebule, M Larroude, T Rossignol, JM Nicaud, Engineering the architecture of erythritol-inducible promoters for regulated and enhanced gene expression in *Yarrowia lipolytica*, *FEMS Yeast Research* 19 (2019) foy105
9. **YK Park**, T Dulerio, R Ledesma-Amaro, JM Nicaud, Optimization of odd chain fatty acid production by *Yarrowia lipolytica*, *Biotechnology for Biofuels* (2018) 11:158
10. H Gamboa-Melendez, M Larroude, **YK Park**, P Trebule, JM Nicaud, R Ledesma-Amaro, Synthetic biology to improve the production of lipases and esterases (Review), *Lipases and Phospholipases, Methods in Molecular Biology* 1835 (2018) 229-242
11. **YK Park**, JM Nicaud, R Ledesma-Amaro, The engineering potential of *Rhodospiridium toruloides* as a workhorse for biotechnological applications, *Trends in Biotechnology* 36 (2018) 304-317
12. JY Lee, CD Kang, SH Lee, **YK Park**, KM Cho, Engineering cellular redox balance in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* for improved production of L-lactic acid, *Biotechnology and Bioengineering* 112 (2015) 751-758
13. **YK Park**, SM Jung, HK Lim, YJ Son, YC Park, JH Seo, Effects of Trx2p and Sec23p expression on stable production of hepatitis B surface antigen S domain in recombinant *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, *Journal of Biotechnology* 160 (2012) 151-160
14. SE Park, HM Koo, **YK Park**, SM Park, JC Park, OK Lee, YC Park, JH Seo, Expression of aldehyde dehydrogenase 6 reduces inhibitory effect of furan derivatives on cell growth and ethanol production in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, *Bioresource Technology* 102 (2011) 6033-6038
15. EJ Kim, **YK Park**, K Lim, YC Park, JH Seo, Expression of hepatitis B virus surface antigen S domain in recombinant *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, *Journal of Biotechnology* 141 (2009) 155-159

Patent

1. 2015, Genetically Engineered Yeast Cell Capable of Producing Lactate, Method of Producing the Same, and the Method of Producing Lactate by Using the Cell (US9663803)
2. 2014, Genetically Engineered Yeast Cell Producing Lactate Including Acetaldehyde Dehydrogenase, Method of Producing Yeast cell, and Method of Producing Lactate Using the Same (EP2873725, US9617569)
3. 2014, Mutant Microorganism Having Improved 1,4-BDO productivity and Method of Preparing 1,4-BDO using the mutant microorganism (US9416379B2)
4. 2013, Yeast Cell with Inactivated or Depressed Pyruvate Carboxylase and Method of Producing Lactate Using the Yeast Cell (first inventor, US9562243)
5. 2013, Yeast Cell with Increased Pyruvate Pool in Cytosol and Method of Producing Pyruvate-based Metabolite Using the Same (first inventor, EP2853602, US20150087032)
6. 2012, Modified Microorganism for High Efficient Production of Lactic Acid (EP2537935, US9150835)
7. 2011, Recombinant Microorganism for Simultaneously Producing 3-Hydroxypropionic Acid and 1,3-Propandiol (US20120301935A1)
8. 2011, Genetic Modification for Production of 3-Hydroxypropionic Acid (US8541212)
9. 2011, Method of Producing 3-Hydroxypropionic Acid Using Malonic Semialdehyde Reducing Pathway (EP2505656, CN102690774A, US20120244588)
10. 2011, Modified Microorganism Having Enhanced Xylose Utilization (US20120329104)
11. 2009, Method and Apparatus for Pretreating Biomass Using Internal Heat (EP2336291, US9139852)

Presentation

5th Applied Synthetic Biology in Europe

Engineering precursor pools for increasing production of odd-chain fatty acids in *Yarrowia lipolytica* (poster)

Virtual conference

2020

International Union of Microbiological Societies Congresses

Metabolic engineering of *Yarrowia lipolytica* for production of odd chain fatty acids (poster, *awarded)

Virtual conference

2020

Korean Society for Microbiology and Biotechnology, International symposium

Metabolic engineering of *Yarrowia lipolytica* for production of odd chain fatty acids (poster, *awarded)

Jeju, South Korea

2019

Engineering architecture of inducible promoters for regulated and enhanced gene expression in *Yarrowia lipolytica* (poster)

Yeast Lipid Conference

Push and pull of odd chain fatty acids production by *Yarrowia lipolytica* (poster)

Ljubljana, Slovenia

2019

4th Applied Synthetic Biology in Europe

Metabolic engineering of *Yarrowia lipolytica* for production of odd chain fatty acids (poster, *awarded)

Toulouse, France

2018

Non-conventional Yeasts

Metabolic engineering of *Yarrowia lipolytica* for production of odd chain fatty acids (poster, *awarded)

Rzeszow, Poland

2018

Engineering architecture of inducible promoters for regulated and enhanced gene expression in *Yarrowia lipolytica* (poster)

Symposium on Biotechnology for Fuels and Chemicals

Genome-wide screening of the furan-detoxifying genes in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* (poster)

New Orleans, US

2011

SIMB (Society for Industrial Microbiology and Biotechnology) annual meeting

Production of 3-hydroxypropionic acid in *Escherichia coli*

New Orleans, US

2011

Symposium on Biotechnology for Fuels and Chemicals

Effects of overexpression of NADPH-regenerating glucose 6-phosphate dehydrogenase on caprolactone production in recombinant *Escherichia coli* harboring cyclohexanone monooxygenase gene (poster)

New Orleans, US

2008

Awards

- 2020 **The excellent E-poster presentation award**, International Union of Microbiological Societies Congresses
- 2020 **Travel Grant**, COST (European Cooperation in Science and Technology), Short term scientific mission
- 2019 **Travel Grant**, FEMS conference attending grant
- 2019 **Travel Grant**, FEMS-Yeast Lipid Conference
- 2019 **Gold medal**, iGEM Competition (Université Paris-Saclay, Evry team)
- 2019 **The best poster presentation**, Korean Society for Microbiology and Biotechnology, International symposium
- 2018 **The best poster presentation**, 4th Applied Synthetic Biology in Europe
- 2018 **The best poster presentation**, Non-Conventional Yeasts
- 2018 **Travel Grant**, FEMS-Non-Conventional Yeasts
- 2017 **PhD Fellowship**, Kwanjeong Educational Foundation

Program Committees

2018 **Doc'Micalis (internal symposium)**, organizer

Jouy-en-Josas, France

2017 **Yeast Lipid Conference (international conference)**, organizer

Paris, France