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Dr. Pei LUO received her Bachelor of Pharmacy (2003) and Ph. D in Pharmacology (2008) both from West China School of Pharmacy, Sichuan University (Chengdu, P.R. China). Then she worked as postdoctoral research fellow at School of Chinese Medicine in Hong Kong Baptist University for 3 years (from Dec 2008 to Aug 2011). In Sep 2011, she joined the State Key Laboratory of Quality Research in Chinese Medicine and the Macau Institute for Applied Research in Medicine and Health, Macau University of Science and Technology as an Assistant Professor. She was promoted to be an associate professor in July 2017 and full professor in July 2024.

Dr. Pei LUO is particularly experienced in cardiovascular pharmacology and development of new products from Chinese medicines. Her recent research focus on crosstalk between mitochondrial dynamics and ischemia reperfusion, cardioprotective effect via mitochondrial fission regulation, novel mechanism of ginseng on mitochondrion, discovery and characterization of compound targeting on mitochondrial fusion/fission. Till now, she has obtained 5 research funding as principal investigator from the Science & Technology Development Fund (FDCT) of Macao SAR and the Macao Foundation of Macao SAR. She has published over 100 peer-reviewed papers in SCI/SCIE journals including *Journal of Controlled Release*, *Mitochondrion*, *Carbohydrate Polymers*, *Pharmacological Research*, *Journal of Pharmacology and*

*Experimental Therapeutics, Journal of Ethnopharmacology, Phytomedicine.* 20 peer-reviewed papers in Chinese core journal, and over 50 conference abstracts or posters. Dr. LUO has obtained 5 granted international patents (US and Australia) for the works in development of a living cell image method for mitochondrial dynamics, identification of novel ginsenoside with anti-ischemia effect, and 5 China patents from the discovery of new drug for treatment of ischemia heart disease.

## Academic Qualifications

- 2003,9 - 2008,6      **Ph. D in Pharmacology**  
West China School of Pharmacy, Sichuan University, Chengdu, Sichuan Province, P.R. China
- 1999, 9 - 2003,6      **Bachelor of Pharmacy**  
West China School of Pharmacy, Sichuan University, Chengdu, Sichuan Province, P.R. China

## Teaching Experience

- 2024,7 – present      **Professor**  
Macau Institute for Applied Research in Medicine and Health, State Key Laboratory of Quality Research in Chinese medicine, Macau University of Science and Technology, Macau, P.R. China
- 2017,7 – 2024.6      **Associate Professor**  
Macau Institute for Applied Research in Medicine and Health, State Key Laboratory of Quality Research in Chinese medicine, Macau University of Science and Technology, Macau, P.R. China
- 2011,9 – 2017.6      **Assistant Professor**  
Macau Institute for Applied Research in Medicine and Health, State Key Laboratory of Quality Research in Chinese medicine, Macau University of Science and Technology, Macau, P.R. China
- 2008,11 - 2011,8      **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**

Teaching Division, School of Chinese Medicine, Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU), Kowloon Tong, Hong Kong, P.R. China

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**Research Assistant**

Cardiovascular Drug Research and Development Division, Institute of Materia Medica, Chengdu DIAO Group Chengdu, Sichuan Province, P.R. China

**Teaching and Research Areas**

Teaching subjects: Pharmacology and Toxicity, Clinical Pharmacology, Methodology of Pharmacological Experiment

Research Areas: Cardiovascular Pharmacology and Mitochondrial Dynamics, Traditional Chinese Medicine Pharmacology

**Recent 5 years Publications** [\* , corresponding author(s); † , contribution

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- 1) Xiao-Yi Chen, Tian-Tian Wang, Qing Shen, Hao Ma, Zhan-Hua Li, Xi-Na Yu, Xiao-Feng Huang, Lin-Sen Qing\*, **Pei Luo\***. Preclinical Investigations on Anti-fibrotic Potential of Long-Term Oral Therapy of Sodium Astragalosidate in Animal Models of Cardiac and Renal Fibrosis. *ACS Pharmacology & Translational Science*, 2024 7 (2), 421-431.
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- 6) Pan Liang, Tao Bi, Yanan Zhou, Yining Ma, Xinyue Liu, Wei Ren, Sijin Yang\*, and **Pei Luo**\*. Insights into the Mechanism of Supramolecular Self-Assembly in the Astragalus membranaceus-Angelica sinensis Codecoction. *ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces*, 2023, 15, 41, 47939-47954.
  - 7) Ying Zhang, Ping Liu, Li-Jia Tang, Pei-Min Lin , Run Li , Huai-Rong Luo\*, **Pei Luo**\*. Basing on the machine learning model to analyse the coronary calcification score and the coronary flow reserve score to evaluate the degree of coronary artery stenosis. *Computers in Biology and Medicine*, 2023 Sep:163:107130.
  - 8) Qianlong Wang, Tiantian Wang, Chonkit Lio, Xina Yu, Xiaoyi Chen, Lancong Liu, Youjiao Wu, Hui Huang, Linsen Qing\*, **Luo P**\*. Surface hydrolysis-designed AuNPs-zwitterionic-glucose as a novel tool for targeting macrophage visualization and delivery into infarcted hearts. *Journal of Controlled Release*, 2023 Apr:356:678-690.
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  - 10) Aiting Liu, **Luo P**, Hui Huang\*. New insight of complement system in the process of vascular calcification. *Journal of Cellular and Molecular Medicine*. 2023 Apr 1.
  - 11) Zhang, M, Wang, PY, Jin, DP, Jian, SK, Wu, JH, Huang, M, Xie, HJ, Zhao, QL, Yang, HC, **Luo P**, Yuan, H\*, Xue, J\*, Shen, Q\*. Chain-locked precursor ion scanning based HPLC-MS/MS for in-depth molecular analysis of lipase-catalyzed transesterification of structured phospholipids containing  $\omega$ -3 fatty acyl chains. *Food Chemistry*, 2023 Volume 399.
  - 12) Liu, LC<sup>†</sup>, Ding, WF<sup>†</sup>, \*, He, LL, Yang, Y, Guan, FY, Sun, XL, Peng, Y, Chen, X, Zhao, WH, Xiao, Y, **Luo P**\*. RGD and Scutellarin Conjugate (WK001) Targeting Platelet Glycoprotein IIb/IIIa Receptor Protects from Myocardial Ischemia/ Reperfusion Injury: Synthesis, Characterization, and Bioactivity Evaluation. *Bioconjugate Chemistry*. 2023 Mar 15;34(3):477-488.

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- heart diseases with traditional Chinese medicine. *Phytomedicine*. 2022 Sep; 104:154268.
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- 23) Li, ZY, Yang, W, Yang, Y, Wu, JB, **Luo P**, Liu, Y\*. The Astragaloside IV Derivative LS-102 Ameliorates Obesity-Related Nephropathy. *Drug Design, Development and Therapy*. 2022 Mar 14; 16:647-664.
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## Research Project as Principal Investigator (as PI)

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At Macau University of Science and Technology. Science & Technology Development Fund of Macao SAR (澳門科學技術發展基金).  
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*Project No:* 0028/2019/AGJ. 2020~2021.
- 3) *Project title:* 組蛋白去乙酰化酶 Sirt6 失調導致慢性腎臟病動脈鈣化的分子機制及人參炔醇幹預的保護作用。2020年度國家自然科學基金委員會與澳門科學發展基金聯合科研資助合作研究項目(全國共11項)。  
*Project No:* 0050/2020/AFJ, 2020~2021.
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At Macau University of Science and Technology. Science & Technology Development Fund of Macao SAR (澳門科學技術發展基金).  
*Project No:* 073/2011/A3, 2012~2015.
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- 6) *Project title: Bruker in vivo small animal image platform (布魯克活體動物成像系統) .*

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