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Education

Sept 2018- Present Graduate Student Researcher
University of California, Riverside

Sept 2012- June 2017 Bachelor of Science in Entomology
University of California, Riverside

Research experience

Apr 2021 – Present Graduate Student Researcher – Stouthamer Lab, UC Riverside
Morphology of *Euwallacea fornicatus* sp. Complex in Taiwan

Apr 2021 – Present Graduate Student Researcher – Stouthamer Lab, UC Riverside
Arthropod survey in Southern California relating to the decreasing
numbers of Polyphagous and Kuroshio Shot Hole Borer.

Sept 2018- Dec 2020 Graduate Student Researcher – Stouthamer Lab, UC Riverside
Life cycle, consumption rate, and egg laying behavior of two
potential predators of Asian Citrus Psyllid

Jun 2017- Sept 2018 Lab assistant 1 – Stouthamer lab, UC Riverside
Rearing of foreign parasitoids for Shot Hole Borer and predators of
Asian Citrus Psyllid

July 2015 – Jun 2017 Undergraduate Research Assistant – Heraty lab, UC Riverside
Preservation of Chalcididae specimens and description of a new
species of *Orasema*.

July 2015 - Sep 2018 Undergraduate Research Assistant – Weirauch lab, UC Riverside
Databasing scientific specimens collected from Hawaii

Publications

Fang-Ling Liu , Paul Rugman-Jones , Yi-Chang Liao , Veronica Fernandez , Iris
Chien , Christine Dodge , Miriam Cooperband , Shu-Jen Tuan , Richard Stouthamer,
The attractiveness of α -copaene to members of the *Euwallacea fornicatus*
(Coleoptera: Curculionidae) species complex in California and Taiwan (In Progress)

Iris Chien, John M Heraty, Come and Gone: Description of a New Species of Eucharitidae (Hymenoptera) Attacking *Solenopsis* (Hymenoptera: Formicidae) in Texas, *Insect Systematics and Diversity*, Volume 2, Issue 1, January 2018, ixx012, <https://doi.org/10.1093/isd/ixx012>

Teaching and Mentoring

July 2020 Natural History of Entomology (ENTM 100)
University of California, Riverside

2019 Mentoring two undergraduate student on the flight and egg laying
behavior of *Diomus pumilio* and *Rhyzobius lophanthae*

Presentations

Iris Chien and Richard Stouthamer. Strange Oviposition Behavior in *Diomus pumilio* and *Rhyzobius lophanthae*. Poster presentation delivered at the Entomological Society of America Annual Meeting, Nov. 2019