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Research Interests: Aquifer Biogeochemistry, Environmental Microbiology

Personal profile:



In 2011, he graduated from the Environmental Engineering Department of Kunming University of Science and Technology (a national key training discipline), and in 2016 he was awarded the degree in environmental science and engineering from China University of Geosciences (Beijing) and stayed in the same year, working as a graduate student in the Academy of Sciences State Key Laboratory of Physical and Environmental Geology; in 2019, he was exceptionally appointed as a master supervisor, and in 2020 he was promoted to associate Researcher, will be hired as a doctoral supervisor in 2021, the eighth batch of "truth-seeking scholars" of China University of Geosciences (Beijing).

2018.11-2020.12 School of Earth and Environmental Sciences and Williamson Research Center, University of Manchester

Sub-Environmental Science) Visiting Scholar (2018.11-2019.11 is funded by CSC; 2019.12 to now is remote visit

scholar). 2016 Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation of China University of Geosciences (Beijing). Served as the "Water" album Guest

Editor, "iMeta" youth editorial board member and Frontiers series journals Microbiological Chemistry and

Geomicrobiology Editorial Board Reviewing Editor.

Environmental Science and Technology/Water Resources Research

The first author of international academic journals such as Environmental International and co-published 40 scientific research papers

More than one paper, including the first/corresponding authorship, published in ES&T (3 papers), WRR (1 paper) and other international mainstream

journals, with a total of more than 830 citations. Reviewed by more than ten international mainstream journals such as ES&T, WR, JHM, EP, etc.

people.

Research situation:

He has long been engaged in theoretical and experimental research on environmental geochemistry and biogeochemistry. Currently the main research

Interest includes biogeochemical mechanisms (C, P, N, S,

Fe and other multi-element biogeochemical cycles), organic matter-microbe-mineral interactions, etc. proficient in various

Along with experimental techniques, including molecular biology techniques (especially metagenomics, microbial ecology, etc.),

Microbial pure culture technology, isotope analysis technology, three-dimensional fluorescence spectroscopy, synchrotron radiation technology (XANES

and EXAFS), etc. For molecular bioinformatics analysis, there are good server analysis resources, and the subject

Group builds 3 servers (128 cores, 4T memory; 56 cores, 500G memory; 24 cores, 200G memory),

The United Kingdom cooperates with 3 shared servers (the maximum analysis capability exceeds 56 cores and 1.5T memory). Manchester

Many internationally renowned scientific research institutes, such as the University of Stuttgart University, the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Lausanne, etc., have established research institutes in the field of

Long-term and stable international cooperative relations.

Presided over or participated in scientific research projects (subjects):

1. General Fund Project of the National Natural Science Foundation of China, 42072273, "Decommissioning of CO₂+O₂ in-situ leaching uranium mines
Biogeochemical process and reaction migration mechanism of uranium in groundwater in mining areas", 2021/01-2024/12, 610,000 yuan,
In research, host

2. National Natural Science Foundation of China Youth Fund Project, 41702272, Iron reduction in high-arsenic groundwater systems
Bacteria and their iron reduction-biogeochemical kinetics of arsenic release, 2018/01-2020/12, 270,000 yuan, closed
topic, host

3. The National Key R&D Program "Key Scientific Issues of Transformative Technology" key project,
2021YFA0715900 , Research on the theory and technology of in-situ regulation of poor quality groundwater improvement,
2022/01-2026/12, in research, sub-project leader

4. Key project of National Natural Science Foundation of China, 42130509, typical groundwater driven by carbon, nitrogen and sulfur cycle
Conversion process and enrichment mechanism of redox-sensitive components, 2022/01-2026/12, 2.89 million, under research, participation

5. International (Regional) Cooperation Project of the National Natural Science Foundation of China, 41861144027, CKDu in groundwater
The enrichment mechanism, intake route and treatment technology of pathogenic factors, 2019/01-2021/12, 1.8 million yuan, under research,
participate

6. National major science and technology sub-project, 2018ZX07109-004, groundwater pollution in typical replenishment areas
Risk prevention and control key technology research and engineering demonstration, 2018/01-2020/06, 4 million, final, backbone

7. General project of the National Natural Science Foundation of China, 41672225, organic monomers in high-arsenic groundwater systems
Isotopic characteristics and biogeochemical significance, 2017/01-2020/12, 800,000, completed, participated

8. National Outstanding Youth Science Fund Project, 41222020, Groundwater Biogeochemistry,
2013/01-2015/12, 1 million, completed, participated

Published papers:

2023

1. Chongsheng Lu, **Wei Xiu#**, Huaming Guo#, Guoxi Lian, Bing Yang, Tianjin
Zhang, Erping Bi, Zheming Shi. 2023. Multi-isotope based identification and
quantification of oxygen consuming processes in uranium hosting aquifers with CO₂+
O₂ in-situ leaching. Water Resources Research, e2022WR033980
2. Chaoshuo Hou, **Wei Xiu#**, Huaming Guo, Simeng Li, Chunping Jiang. 2023.

Application of Al-Fe Co-modified Rice-Straw Biochar to Fluoride Removal:

Synthesis, Optimization, and Performance. *Water, Air, & Soil Pollution* 234 (3), 169

3. Natali Hernandez-Becerra, Lisa Cliffe, **Wei Xiu**, Christopher Boothman, Jonathan R. Lloyd, Sophie L. Nixon#. 2023. New microbiological insights from the Bowland shale highlight heterogeneity of the hydraulically fractured shale microbiome. *Environmental Microbiome* 18 (1), 14

4. Oliver Moore, **Wei Xiu**, Huaming Guo, David A. Polya, Bart van Dongen, Jonathan R. Lloyd. 2023. The role of electron donors in arsenic-release by redox-transformation of iron oxide minerals—A review. *Chemical Geology*, 121322 2022:

1. **Wei Xiu***, Min Wu*, Sophie L. Nixon, Jonathan R. Lloyd, Naji M. Bassil, Ruixuan Gai, Tianjin Zhang, Zhan Su, and Huaming Guo #. 2022. Genome-Resolved Metagenomic Analysis of Groundwater: Insights into Arsenic Mobilization in Biogeochemical Interaction Networks. *Environmental Science & Technology* 56 (14), 10105-10119. DOI: 10.1021/acs.est.2c02623

2. Di Zhang * Tiantian Ke *, **Wei Xiu** #, Cui Ren, Guangyu Chen 3, Jonathan R. Lloyd, Naji M. Bassil, Laura A. Richards, David A. Polya, Guangcai Wang, Huaming Guo #. 2022. Quantifying sulfidization and non-sulfidization in long-term in-situ microbial colonized As(V)-ferrihydrite coated sand columns: Insights into As mobility. *Science of The Total Environment* 858(Pt 3):160066 DOI: 10.1016/j.scitotenv.2022.160066

3. Tiantian Ke*, Di Zhang *, Huaming Guo #, **Wei Xiu**, Yi Zhao Geogenic arsenic and arsenotrophic microbiome in groundwater from the Hetao Basin. 2022. *Science of The Total Environment* 852(Pt 2):158549. DOI: 10.1016/j.scitotenv.2022.158549

4. Mengyu Liang, Huaming Guo; Wei Xiu 2022. Effects of low molecular weight organic acids with different functional groups on arsenate adsorption on birnessite. *Journal of Hazardous Materials* 436(20):129108. DOI: 10.1016/j.jhazmat.2022.129108

2021

1. **Xiu, W.**, Ke, T., Lloyd, JR, Shen, J., Bassil, NM, Song, H., Polya, DA, Zhao,

Y., Guo, H., 2021. Understanding Microbial Arsenic-Mobilization in Multiple Aquifers: Insight from DNA and RNA Analyses. *Environ. Sci. Technol.* <https://doi.org/10.1021/acs.est.1c04117>

2. **Xiu, Wei**; Yuan, Wenjie; Polya, David A.; Guo, Huaming*; Lloyd, Jonathan R.; A critical review of abiotic and microbially-mediated chemical reduction rates of Fe(III) (oxyhydr)oxides using a reactivity model, *Applied Geochemistry*, 2021, 126. (Journal paper; Editor's Choice for open access)
3. Hou, C., **Xiu, W.***, He, M., 2021. Simulating Nonequilibrium Transport Processes of Ammonium Through Unsaturated Sandy Soil. *Water, Air, Soil Pollut.* 232, 1–15. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11270-021-05409-4>

2020

1. Liang Wei, Qian Ding, Huaming Guo, **Wei Xiu**, Zhengcai Guo. (2020) Forms and mobility of heavy metals/metalloids in sewage-irrigated soils in the North China Plain. *J Soils Sediments*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11368-020-02744-7>
2. Liang, M., Guo, H. & **Xiu, W.** (2020) Arsenite oxidation and arsenic adsorption on birnessite in the absence and the presence of citrate or EDTA. *Environ Sci Pollut Res*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11356-020-10292-3>
3. H. Guo, Y. Chen, H. Hu, K. Zhao, H. Li, S. Yan, **W. Xiu**, RM Coyte, A. Vengosh (2020) High hexavalent chromium concentration in groundwater from a deep aquifer in the Baiyangdian Basin of the North China Plain. *Environ. Sci. Technol.*, 54 , 10068-10077
4. W Qiao, H Guo, C He, Q Shi, **W Xiu**, B Zhao. (2020) Molecular evidence of arsenic mobility linked to biodegradable organic matter *Environmental science & technology* 54 (12), 7280-7290
5. **W Xiu**, J Lloyd, H Guo, W Dai, S Nixon, NM Bassil, C Ren, C Zhang, T Ke,, , David Polya. (2020) Linking microbial community composition to hydrogeochemistry in the western Hetao Basin: Potential importance of ammonium as an electron donor during arsenic mobilization. *Environment International* 136, 105489

2019

1. **Xiu, W.**, Yu, X., Guo, H., Yuan, W., Ke, T., Liu, G., ... & Dong, H. (2019).
Facilitated arsenic immobilization by biogenic ferrihydrite-goethite biphasic Fe
(III) minerals (Fh-Gt Bio-bi-minerals). ***Chemosphere*** **225**, 755-764.
2. HY Wang, HM Guo, **W. Xiu** *, J Bauer, GX Sun, XH Tang, S Norra. Indications
that weathering of evaporite minerals affects groundwater salinity and As
mobilization in aquifers of the northwestern Hetao Basin, China. ***Applied
Geochemistry*** 109, 104416.
3. **Xiu, W.**, Guo, HM, Yu, XN, Yuan, WJ, & Ke, TT (2019, August).
Characteristics and mechanisms of arsenic behavior during the microbial
oxidation-reduction of iron. In Environmental Arsenic in a Changing World:
Proceedings of the 7th International Congress and Exhibition on Arsenic in the
Environment (AS 2018), July 1-6, 2018, Beijing, PR China (p. 150). CRC Press.
4. Li, X., Guo, H., Zheng, H., **Xiu, W.**, He, W., & Ding, Q. (2019). Roles of different
molecular weights of dissolved organic matter in arsenic enrichment in
groundwater: Evidences from ultrafiltration and EEM-PARAFAC. ***Applied
Geochemistry*** **104**, 124-134.
5. Guo, H., Li, X., **Xiu, W.**, He, W., Cao, Y., Zhang, D., & Wang, A. (2019).
Controls of organic matter bioreactivity on arsenic mobility in shallow aquifers of
the Hetao Basin, PR China. ***Journal of Hydrology***, 571, 448-459.
6. Li, F., Guo, H., Zhao, K., **Xiu, W.**, Shen, J., & Chen, Y. (2019).
transport of arsenic through modified granular natural siderite filters for arsenic
removal. ***Geoscience Frontiers*** *online*, in press.
7. H Guo, Z Shen, Y Chen, K Zhao, H Li, W Xiu, L Weng. (2019) Differences in
hydrogeochemistry between shallow and deep aquifers in the Baiyangdian basin,
China. ***E3S Web of Conferences***, 98, 07009
8. M Liang, H Guo, W Xiu. (2019) Mechanisms of arsenite oxidation and arsenate
adsorption by a poorly crystalline manganese oxide in the presence of low
molecular weight organic acids. ***E3S Web of Conferences*** 98, 04009

2018

1. Wang, Z., Guo, H., **Xiu, W.**, Wang, J., & Shen, M. (2018). High arsenic groundwater in the Guide basin, northwestern China: Distribution and genesis mechanisms. *Science of the Total Environment*, 640, 194-206.
2. Mao, R., Guo, H., **Xiu, W.**, Yang, Y., Huang, X., Zhou, Y., ... & Jin, J. (2018). Characteristics and compound-specific carbon isotope compositions of sedimentary lipids in high arsenic aquifers in the Hetao basin, Inner Mongolia. *Environmental pollution*, 241, 85-95.
3. Guo, H., Zhao, W., Li, H., **Xiu, W.**, & Shen, J. (2018). High Radionuclides in Groundwater of an Inland Basin from Northwest China: Origin and Fate. *ACS Earth and Space Chemistry*, 2(11), 1137-1144.
4. Ma, J., Guo, H., Lei, M., Li, Y., Weng, L., Chen, Y., ... & **Xiu, W.** (2018). Enhanced transport of ferrihydrite colloid by chain-shaped humic acid colloid in saturated porous media. *Science of the Total Environment*, 621, 1581-1590.
5. **Xiu, W.**, Guo, H., Zhou, X., Wanty, R. B., & Kersten, M. (2018). Change of arsenite adsorption mechanism during aging of 2-line ferrihydrite in the absence of oxygen. *Applied Geochemistry*, 88, 149-157.

2017

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2. ZhilinYang, **Wei Xiu**, Huaming Guo, Fulan Li. (2017). Arsenate removal from aqueous solution by siderite synthesized under high temperature and high pressure. *Environmental Science & Pollution Research*, 1-10.
3. Di Zhang, Huaming Guo, **Wei Xiu**, Ping Ni, Hao Zheng, Chao Wei. (2017). In-situ mobilization and transformation of iron oxides-adsorbed arsenate in

natural groundwater. *Journal of Hazardous Materials*, 321, 228-237.

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2015

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