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Ph.D. Physics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, 1982
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HONORS:

Fellow of the Biophysical Society, 2016
Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, 2014
Fellow of the American Physical Society, 2006
Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research Invited Lecturer, 1999
Francis Stuart Chapin Professor, 1993-1996
Hettleman Prize, University of North Carolina, 1991
Faculty Award for Women in Science, National Science Foundation, 1991-1997
Alumni Excellence Award, Guilford College, 1991
Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Award, 1990-1995
Margaret Oakley Dayhoff Award, Biophysical Society, 1989
Junior Faculty Development Award, University of North Carolina, 1989
Presidential Young Investigator Award, National Science Foundation, 1986-1991
Junior Faculty Award, E. I. Du Pont De Nemours & Co., 1986
Postdoctoral Fellowship, Damon Runyon - Walter Winchell Cancer Fund, 1982-1985

MEMBERSHIPS:

American Physical Society
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Biophysical Society
Society of Fluorescence

PAST AND CURRENT GRANT SUPPORT:

American Cancer Society
American Chemical Society Petroleum Research Fund
Dreyfus Foundation
Dupont Corporation
Glaxo-Wellcome, Inc.
National Institutes of Health
National Science Foundation
Newport Corporation
North Carolina Biotechnology Center
Zeiss Instruments

INVITED TALKS (recent):

Biophysical Society Thematic Meeting, Proteins on Surfaces, Proteins at Interfaces: Assembly, Activation and Signaling, Madrid, 10/15 (Co-organizer and Speaker)
Gordon Research Conference, Stochastic Physics in Biology, Ventura, 1/13 (Session Chair and Speaker)
Department of Chemistry, George Washington University, 3/12
Symposium on "Fluorescence Correlation Spectroscopy: Applications to Biophysics", National Meeting of the Biophysical Society, San Diego, 2/12 (Chair and Speaker)
Symposium on "Total Internal Reflection Fluorescence", National Microscopy and Microanalysis Meeting, Nashville, 8/11
Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, East Carolina University, 2/10
Symposium on "Structure and Function of Membranes, Proteins and Lipids", National Meeting of the American Chemical Society, Salt Lake City, 3/09
Department of Microbiology and Immunology (CBTP Student Symposium), Univ. Michigan Ann Arbor, 4/08
Symposium on "Structure, Properties and Function of Cell Membrane and Membrane Related Biomolecules", National Meeting of the American Chemical Society, New Orleans, 4/08
Department of Chemistry, Pennsylvania State University, 3/08
Fluorescence Subgroup Meeting, Biophysical Society Annual Meeting, 2/08
10th Conference on Methods and Applications of Fluorescence: Spectroscopy, Imaging and Probes, Salzburg, 9/07
American Association of Physics Teachers Annual Meeting, 7/07
Department of Chemistry, University of Maryland, 4/07
Dept. Chemistry & Biochemistry, University of North Carolina at Wilmington, 3/07
American Chemical Society Minnesota Section Meeting, Minneapolis, 10/06
Symposium on "Physical Properties of Biological Membranes", National Meeting of the American Chemical Society, San Francisco, 9/06
National Institutes of Health Workshop, "Frontiers in Live Cell Imaging", 4/06
Symposium on "Interaction of Peptides and Proteins with Membrane Surfaces", National Meeting of the

American Chemical Society, Atlanta, 3/06
National Institutes of Health Workshop on Signaling Defects in Aging Immune Cells, 10/05
6th International Weber Symposium on Innovative Fluorescence Methodologies in Biochemistry and
Medicine, Kauai, Hawaii, 7/05
Gordon Research Conference, Chemistry of Supramolecules and Assemblies, Maine, 6/05
37th Annual Oak Ridge Conference, Pushing the Technology Envelope II: An Exploration of the Future
of Clinical Laboratory Testing, Baltimore, 4/05
Organizing Committee, Biophysical Discussion on Probing Membrane Microdomains, Asilomar, 10/04
Zeiss Symposium on Fluorescence Correlation Spectroscopy and Related Methods, Dresden, 10/04
FASEB Summer Conference on Molecular and Cellular Membranes, Tucson, 6/04
Membrane Structure and Assembly Subgroup Meeting, "Looking for Lipid Rafts", Biophysical Society
Annual Meeting, 2/04
Department of Physics, University of South Florida, Tampa, 10/03
Department of Molecular Medicine, Oregon Health Sciences University, 10/03
Department of Neuronal Signaling and Cellular Biophysics, Max Planck Institute for Biophysical
Chemistry, Goettingen, Germany, 9/03
8th Conference on Methods and Applications of Fluorescence: Spectroscopy, Imaging and Probes,
Prague, 8/03
Workshop on Total Internal Reflection Fluorescence, Biomolecular Interaction Technologies Center
(NSF Industry/University Cooperative Research Center), University of New Hampshire, 7/03 (2
day course)
Workshop on Quantifying Reversible Macromolecular Association, Biophysical Society Annual Meeting,
San Antonio, 3/03
Symposium, Annual Meeting of the Federation of Analytical Chemistry and Spectroscopy Societies,
Providence RI, 10/02
Department of Biochemistry, Duke University, 2/02
Department of Chemistry, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 11/01
Biophysics Research Division, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 4/01
Symposium on G-Protein Coupled Receptors, Pfizer, Boston, 10/00
Zeiss Symposium on Fluorescence Correlation Spectroscopy and Related Methods, St. Louis, 10/00
Department of Chemistry, Texas A&M University, 4/00
Gordon Conference on Reversible Associations in Structural and Molecular Biology, 2/00

PUBLICATIONS:

Liu P,** Wang X,** Itano MS, Neumann AK, Jacobson K,* Thompson NL* (2014) Low copy numbers of DC-SIGN in cell membrane microdomains: Implications for structure and function. *Traffic* 15, 176-196. **equal contributions; *equal contributions

Itano MS, Graus MS, Pehlke C, Wester MJ, Liu P, Lidke KA, Thompson NL,* Jacobson K,* Neumann AK* (2014) Super-resolution imaging of C-type lectin spatial rearrangement within the dendritic cell plasma membrane at fungal microbe contact sites. *Frontiers in Physics: Membrane Physiology and Membrane Biophysics*, Aug 12 doi: 10.3389/fphy.2014.00046 *equal contributions

Garcia-Parajo MF, Cambi A, Torreno-Pina JA, Thompson NL, Jacobson K (2014) Nanoclustering as a dominant motif in plasma membrane organization. *Journal of Cell Science* 127, 4995-5005.

Navaratnarajah P, Steele BL, Redinbo MR, Thompson NL (2012) Rifampicin - independent interactions between the pregnane X receptor ligand binding domain and peptide fragments of co-activator and co-repressor proteins. *Biochemistry* 51, 19-31.

Liu P, Wang X, Itano MS, Neumann AK, Jacobson K,* Thompson NL* (2012) The formation and stability of DC-SIGN microdomains require its extracellular moiety. *Traffic* 13, 715-726. *equal contributions

Itano MS, Steinhauer C, Schmied J, Forthmann C, Liu P, Neumann AK, Thompson NL,* Tinnefeld P,* Jacobson K* (2012) Super-resolution imaging of C-type lectin and influenza hemagglutinin nanodomains on plasma membranes using blink microscopy. *Biophysical Journal* 102, 1534-1542. *equal contributions

Thompson NL, Navaratnarajah P, Wang X (2011) Measuring surface binding thermodynamics and kinetics by using total internal reflection with fluorescence correlation spectroscopy: Practical considerations. *Journal of Physical Chemistry B* 115, 120-131

Itano MS, Neumann AK, Liu P, Zhang F, Gratton E, Parak WJ, Thompson NL,* Jacobson K* (2011) DC-SIGN and influenza hemagglutinin dynamics in plasma membrane microdomains are markedly different. *Biophysical Journal* 100, 2662-2670. *equal contributions

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