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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Postdoctoral Fellow NIH, Bethesda, Neuroimaging, 2009-2015
Ph.D. University of Osnabrück, Germany, Cognitive Science, 2008
M.Phil. University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, Ergonomics, 2000
B.Eng. University of Hong Kong, Industrial Engineering, 1997

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2023-Present Associate Professor, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders,
University of Delaware, Newark, DE
2019-2023 Assistant Professor, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders,
University of Delaware, Newark, DE
2017-2019 Assistant Research Scientist, Nemours/Al DuPont Hospital for Children,
Wilmington, DE
2015-2017 Research Investigator, Department of Psychiatry, University of Michigan Medical
School, Ann Arbor, MI

AWARDS/RECOGNITIONS

2023-2024 NIGMS Supplements for Team Science Projects (Role: Project PI)
2022-2027 NIDCD R01 (Role: PI)
2022-present Editorial board member, Journal of Speech, Language, Hearing Sciences (Speech
section)
2021 Meritorious Poster Award, American Speech-Language-Hearing Association
2019-2020 Delaware Clinical and Translational Research Pilot Grant (Role: PI)
2019-2021 Delaware INBRE Pilot Grant (Role: co-I)
2017 Meritorious Poster Award, American Speech-Language-Hearing Association
2016 NIDCD Early Career Research (ECR) Award R21 (Role: PI)
2015 NIH Fellows Award for Research Excellence
2009-2014 NIH Visiting Fellow Award
2008 Organization for Human Brain Mapping Travel Award
2005-2008 DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) Research Grants for Doctoral
Candidates and Young Academics and Scientists
1997-1999 University of Hong Kong Postgraduate Studentship

PUBLICATIONS

33. **Chow HM**, Garnett EO, Ratner NB, Chang SE (2023). Brain activity during the preparation and production of spontaneous speech in children with persistent stuttering. *NeuroImage Clinical*, 38:103413.
32. **Chow HM**, Koenraads SPC, Garnett EO, Chang SE (2023). Developmental trajectories of brain morphology associated with childhood stuttering persistence and recovery. *Dev Cogn Neurosci.*, 60: 101224.
31. Garnett OE, McAuley JD, Wieland EA, **Chow HM**, Zhu DC, Dilley LC, Chang SE (2023). Neural bases of auditory rhythm discrimination in adults who stutter. *Brain and Language*, 236:105219.
30. Garnett EO, **Chow HM**, Limb S, Liu Y, Chang SE (2022). Neural activity during solo and choral reading: A functional magnetic resonance imaging study of overt continuous speech production in adults who stutter. *Front. Hum. Neurosci.*, 16:894676.
29. **Chow HM**, Li H, S Liu, Frigerio-Domingues C, Drayna D (2021). Neuroanatomical anomalies associated with rare AP4E1 mutations in people who stutter, *Brain Communications*, 3(4).
28. Johnson CA, Garnett EO, **Chow HM**, Spray GJ, Zhu DC, Chang SE (2021). Developmental Factors That Predict Head Movement During Resting-State Functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging in 3–7-Year-Old Stuttering and Non-stuttering Children, *Frontiers in Neuroscience*, 2021:1488.
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26. **Chow HM**, Garnett EO, Li H, Etchell A, Sepulcre J, Drayna D., Chugani D., Chang SE. (2020). Linking lysosomal enzyme targeting genes and energy metabolism with altered gray matter volume in children with persistent stuttering. *Neurobiology of Language*, 1(3): 365:380
25. Benito-Aragón C, Gonzalez-Sarmiento R, Liddell T, Diez I, d'Oleire Uquillas F, Ortiz-Terán L, Bueichekú E, **Chow HM**, Chang SE, Sepulcre J. Neurofilament-lysosomal genetic intersections in the cortical network of stuttering. *Prog Neurobiol.* 2020 Jan;184:101718. doi: 10.1016/j.pneurobio.2019.101718. Epub 2019 Oct 24. PubMed PMID: 31669185; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC6938554.
24. Chang SE, Garnett EO, Etchell A, **Chow HM**. Functional and Neuroanatomical Bases of Developmental Stuttering: Current Insights. *Neuroscientist.* 2019 Dec;25(6):566-582. doi: 10.1177/1073858418803594. Epub 2018 Sep 28. PubMed PMID: 30264661; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC6486457.
23. Garnett EO, **Chow HM**, Choo AL, Chang SE. Stuttering Severity Modulates Effects of Non-invasive Brain Stimulation in Adults Who Stutter. *Front Hum Neurosci.* 2019;13:411. doi: 10.3389/fnhum.2019.00411. eCollection 2019. PubMed PMID: 31824276; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC6881273.
22. Song J, **Chow HM**, Nikam R, Kandula V, Choudhary AK, Li H. Reproducibility of axonal water fraction derived from the spherical mean diffusion weighted signal. *Magn Reson Imaging.* 2019 Nov;63:49-54. doi: 10.1016/j.mri.2019.08.024. Epub 2019 Aug 16. PubMed PMID: 31425799.

21. Garnett EO, **Chow HM**, Chang SE. Neuroanatomical Correlates of Childhood Stuttering: MRI Indices of White and Gray Matter Development That Differentiate Persistence Versus Recovery. *J Speech Lang Hear Res.* 2019 Aug 29;62(8S):2986-2998. doi: 10.1044/2019_JSLHR-S-CSMC7-18-0356. Epub 2019 Aug 29. PubMed PMID: 31465710; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC6813035.
20. Li H, Nikam R, Kandula V, **Chow HM**, Choudhary AK. Comparison of NODDI and spherical mean signal for measuring intra-neurite volume fraction. *Magn Reson Imaging.* 2019 Apr;57:151-155. doi: 10.1016/j.mri.2018.11.021. Epub 2018 Nov 26. PubMed PMID: 30496791; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC6331250.
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14. **Chow HM**, Chang SE. White matter developmental trajectories associated with persistence and recovery of childhood stuttering. *Hum Brain Mapp.* 2017 Jul;38(7):3345-3359. doi: 10.1002/hbm.23590. Epub 2017 Apr 8. PubMed PMID: 28390149; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC5632574.
13. Chang SE, **Chow HM**, Wieland EA, McAuley JD. Relation between functional connectivity and rhythm discrimination in children who do and do not stutter. *Neuroimage Clin.* 2016;12:442-50. doi: 10.1016/j.nicl.2016.08.021. eCollection 2016. PubMed PMID: 27622141; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC5008055.
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7. **Chow HM**, Mar RA, Xu Y, Liu S, Wagage S, Braun AR. Embodied comprehension of stories: interactions between language regions and modality-specific neural systems. *J Cogn Neurosci.* 2014 Feb;26(2):279-95. doi: 10.1162/jocn_a_00487. Epub 2013 Sep 18. PubMed PMID: 24047383.
6. **Chow HM**, Horovitz SG, Carr WS, Picchioni D, Coddington N, Fukunaga M, Xu Y, Balkin TJ, Duyn JH, Braun AR. Rhythmic alternating patterns of brain activity distinguish rapid eye movement sleep from other states of consciousness. *Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A.* 2013 Jun 18;110(25):10300-5. doi: 10.1073/pnas.1217691110. Epub 2013 Jun 3. PubMed PMID: 23733938; PubMed Central PMCID: PMC3690889.
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GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

P20GM139760 (PI: Elliott, Dawn), NIGMS	2023/02 – 2023/01
“Administrative supplements to fund team science development projects”	
Role: Project PI	
R01DC020157 (PI: Chow, Ho Ming), NIDCD	2022/04 – 2027/03
“Neural subtypes of developmental stuttering”	
U54GM104941C (PI: Binder-Macleod, Stuart), NIGMS	2019/12 – 2020/12
“Generating articulatory movement from speech using deep neural network”	
Role: Project PI	
P20GM103446 (PI: Stanhope, Steven), NIGMS	2019/11 – 2021/10
“Magnetic resonance elastography in characterization of pediatric gliomas”	
Role: Project co-I (Project PI: Nikam, Rahul)	
R21-DC015853 (PI: Chow, Ho Ming), NIDCD	2016/09 – 2021/08
Neural markers of persistence and recovery from childhood stuttering: An fMRI study of continuous speech production	
R01-DC011277 (PI: Chang, Soo-Eun), NIDCD	2016/07 – 2021/06
A longitudinal study of neural network development in children who stutter	
Role: Subcontractor	
R21-DC015312 (PI: Chang, Soo-Eun), NIDCD	2016/12 – 2019/11
Imaging genetics study of twins who stutter	
Role: Subcontractor	
1ZIADC000046 (PI: Drayna, Dennis) , NIDCD	2016/08 – 2017/08
Imaging-genetic study of developmental stuttering: A pilot study	
Role: Subcontractor	