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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS:

- Ph.D. (Structural Engineering, Mechanics and Materials) (2017), Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of California at Berkeley (UC Berkeley)
- Master of Science (Structural Engineering, Mechanics and Materials) (2013), Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, UC Berkeley
- Bachelor of Science (2012), Department of Civil Engineering, National Taiwan University

EMPLOYMENT RECORDS:

- Senior Lecturer, Department of the Built Environment, School of Design & Environment, National University of Singapore (NUS) (July 2021 - Present)
- Senior Lecturer, Department of Building, School of Design & Environment, NUS (May 2019 - Jun 2021)
- Research Fellow, School of Design & Environment, NUS (Mar 2019 - Apr-2019)
- Research Fellow, NUS Environmental Research Institute (March 2018 - Feb-2019)
- Graduate Student Researcher, Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering, UC Berkeley (2013 - Dec 2017)
- Graduate Student Instructor, Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering, UC Berkeley (Spring-2016, Fall-2016 and Fall 2017)

ADMINISTRATIVE LEADERSHIP:

- Co-lead for AM Enabled Design and Environment, Centre for Additive Manufacturing, NUS (Oct 2020 - Present)
- Student Representative, Safety Committee, UC Berkeley (2014 - 2017)

PROFESSIONAL/CONSULTING ACTIVITIES:

- Lectures, Course name: Engineering Risk Analysis (CIV ENG 193), Davis Hall 544, UC Berkeley (29 Aug 2017, 28 Sep 2017 and 19 Oct 2017)

- Oral presentation, topic: Using Waste Materials in Mortars for Modifying Rheological behavior and Microstructural Buildup for Concrete 3D Printing, Engineering Mechanics Institute Conference, Online presentation (28 May 2021)
- Oral presentation, topic: Multi-scale Pull-Out Resistance of Steel Reinforcing Bar embedded in Hybrid Fiber Reinforced Concrete (HyFRC), Fibre Concrete 2017 International Conference, Hotel DAP, Prague, Czech Republic (15 Sep 2017)
- Oral presentation, topic: Synergy between Hybrid Fiber Reinforced Concrete (HyFRC) and Rebar, Federal Highway Administration meeting, Davis Hall 542, UC Berkeley (23 Jan 2015)

TEACHING:

- Structural Systems
- Advanced Measurement
- Advanced Building Materials and Structures

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

- Construction 3D printing
- High performance and green construction materials
- Offshore structures
- Design and shape/topology optimization of novel structures

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS:

- **Lin A**, Tan YK, Wang CH, Kua HW, Taylor H. Utilization of Waste Materials in a Novel Mortar–Polymer Laminate Composite to be Applied in Construction 3D-Printing. *Composite Structures*. 2020-Dec (Vol. 253, 112764) (Impact factor: 5.138)
- Li X, **Lin A**, Young CH, Dai Y, Wang CH. Energetic and economic evaluation of hybrid solar energy systems in a residential net-zero energy building. *Applied Energy*. 2019 Aug (Vol. 254, 113709) (Impact factor: 8.848)
- **Lin A** and Ostertag CP. Interaction between High Performance Fiber Reinforced Cement-based Composite and Steel Reinforcement. *Engineering Structures*. (Under review) (Impact factor: 3.548)
- **Lin A**, Goel A, Wong DH, Yeo C, Chung J, Pang SD, Wang CH, Taylor H, Kua HW. Modular design of compressive load-dominated mortar components for rapid fabrication and assembly. *Automation in Construction*. (Submitted) (Impact factor: 5.669)
- Afroughsabet V, Geng G, **Lin A**, Biolzi L, Ostertag CP, Monteiro PJ. The influence of expansive cement on the mechanical, physical, and microstructural properties of hybrid-fiber-reinforced concrete. *Cement and Concrete Composites*. 2019 Feb (Vol. 96, pages 21-32) (Impact factor: 6.257)
- Arora S., Jung J., Liu M., Li X., Goel A., Chen J., Song S., Anderson C., Chen D., Leong K., Lim SH, Fong SL, Ghosh S, **Lin A**, Kua HW, Tan TW, Dai Y, Wang CH. Gasification biochar from horticultural waste: An exemplar of the circular economy in Singapore. *Science of The Total Environment*. 2021-Mar (Vol. 781, 146573) (Impact factor: 6.551)
- Hu X, Goh YM, **Lin A**. Educational Impact of An Augmented Reality (AR) Application for Teaching Structural Systems to Non-Engineering Students. *Advanced Engineering Informatics*. (Under review) (Impact factor: 3.879)

- **Lin A**, Ostertag CP. Multi-Scale Pull-Out Resistance of Steel Reinforcing Bar Embedded in Hybrid Fiber Reinforced Concrete (HYFRC). In IOP Conference Series: Materials Science and Engineering 2017 Sep (Vol. 246, No. 1, p. 012022). IOP Publishing.
- **Lin A**, Barthes C and Ostertag CP. Investigation of Bond Behavior between Steel Reinforcing Bar and Hybrid Fiber Reinforced Concrete (HyFRC) with a Rebar Pull-out Test Program Supported by Digital Image Correlation (DIC) and Vibration Tests. Composite Structures. (Under preparation)
- **Lin A** and Ostertag CP. Synergy between Macro and Micro Fibers in Cement Composite. Construction and Building Materials. (Under preparation)

AWARDS:

- SDE Teaching Excellence Award, National University of Singapore, 2019/2020
- Popert Fellowship, University of California, Berkeley (2014)
- Presidential Awards (Three times) (Academic 5%), National Taiwan University (Fall-2010, Fall-2011, Spring-2012)
- Chinese Institute of Civil and Hydraulic Engineering Scholarship (2011)