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Research Interests

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- Cardiovascular regenerative engineering
- · Formation of alpha actin filaments in smooth muscle progenitor cells
- · Pattern formation of vascular smooth muscle cells

Selected Publications

Liu SQ. Bioregenerative Engineering: Principles and Applications. John Wiley & Sons, New York, March 2007.

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Honors

- 1993, Best journal paper award, American Society of Mechanical Engineers
- 1994, Melville Medal, American Society of Mechanical Engineers
- 1998, Established investigator Award, American Heart Association
- 2000, Richard Skalak Best Paper Award, the American Society of Mechanical Engineers
- 2003, Featured articles (2), Association for Eradication of Heart Attack



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