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EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE			
Institution/Location	Degree <i>(if applicable)</i>	Completion Date (MM/YYYY)	Field of Study
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PERSONAL STATEMENT (AREAS OF RESEARCH INTERESTS)			
<p>Our lab works on the mechanisms underlying angiogenic morphogenesis, especially focusing on the self-organizational ability of vascular cells and the roles of blood flow-dependent mechanical stimuli, using integrative approaches that include medicine, developmental biology, quantitative biology, reconstitution biology and theoretical biology. We also investigate tissue-specific and functional structure formation and patterning of vasculature via interactions between vascular cells and the environments.</p>			
CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE			
None			