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2024–2025 **Visiting Scholar**, *Flinders University*

2019–2023 **Assistant Professor**, *Nanjing Institute of Geography and Limnology*, Chinese Academy of Sciences

Education

2016–2019 **Ph.D. in Physical Geography**, *University of Chinese Academy of Sciences*

2013–2016 **Master in Physical Geography**, *University of Chinese Academy of Sciences*

2009–2013 **Bachelor in Environmental Engineering**, *Huazhong Agricultural University*

Research Experience

2019–Current **Assistant Professor**, *Nanjing Institute of Geography and Limnology*

- Built a fully coupled model for surface-groundwater interaction in floodplain wetlands.
- Developed a new algorithm for evaluating surface hydrological connectivity with parallel computing technique.
- Explored how convective behaviors and moisture sources determine the variability of precipitation stable isotope.
- Developed a random forest model to predict river isotopes across China at the catchment scale.

2016–2019 **Ph.D. Candidate**, *University of Chinese Academy of Science*

- Built a 2D water environment model for Poyang Lake in China and coupled it with a runoff prediction model.
- Attributed the relative contributions of climate change and anthropogenic activities on the water environment.

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