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EDUCATION

- B.Sc. in Zoology, National Taiwan University, Taiwan (1973).
- M.P.H. in Public Health, National Taiwan University, Taiwan (1977).
- Sc.D. in Epidemiology, Johns Hopkins University, U.S.A. (1983).

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

- Associate Professor, Graduate Institute of Public Health, National Taiwan University (1983-1986)
- Professor, Graduate Institute of Public Health, National Taiwan University (1986-1994)
- Director, Graduate Institute of Public Health, National Taiwan University (1993-1994)
- Professor, Graduate Institute of Epidemiology and Preventive Medicine, National Taiwan University (1994-2015)
- Founding Director, Graduate Institute of Epidemiology and Preventive Medicine, National Taiwan University (1994-1997)
- Director General, Division of Life Sciences, National Science Council, Taiwan (1997-1999)
- Dean, College of Public Health, National Taiwan University (1999-2002)
- Deputy Minister, National Science Council, Taiwan (2002-2003)
- Minister, Department of Health, Taiwan (2003-2005)
- Minister, National Science Council, Taiwan (2006-2008)
- Distinguished Research Fellow, Genomics Research Center, Academia Sinica (2006-2015)
- Vice President, Academia Sinica (2011-2015)
- Vice President, Republic of China (Taiwan) (2016-present)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Epidemiology and genetic epidemiology
- Environmental health sciences

HONORS & AWARDS

- Foreign Associate, National Academy of Sciences, USA (2017)
- Distinguished Service Medal (First Class), Academia Sinica, Taiwan (2016)
- Honorary Doctoral Degree, China Medical University, Taiwan (2014)
- Outstanding Contribution in Science and Technology Award, Executive Yuan, Taiwan (2013)
- Knight, Pontifical Equestrian Order of St. Gregory the Great, Vatican (2013)
- Knowledge for the World Award, Johns Hopkins University, USA (2012)
- Science Profession Medal (First Class), National Science Council, Taiwan (2012)
- Knight, Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem, Vatican (2010)
- Member, Delta Omega Honorary Society, Johns Hopkins University, USA (2010)
- Science and Engineering Achievement Award, Taiwanese-American Foundation, USA (2009)
- Officier dans l'Ordre des Palmes Academiques, Ministry of Education, France (2009)
- Cutter Lectureship on Preventive Medicine, Harvard University, USA (2008)
- Honorary Member, Mongolian Academy of Sciences, Mongolia (2007)
- Member, World Academy of Sciences, Italy (2005)
- Presidential Science Prize, Taiwan (2005)
- Achievement Medal (First Class), Executive Yuan, Taiwan (2005)
- Health Medal (First Class), Department of Health, Taiwan (2005)
- Outstanding Research Fellow Award, National Science Council, Taiwan (2003)
- ISI Citation Classic Award, ISI Thomas Scientific, USA (2001)
- National Chair Professor, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (1999-2002)
- Academician, Academia Sinica, Taiwan (1998)
- National Chair Professor, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (1997-1998)
- Academic Award, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (1997)
- Health Medal (Second Class), Department of Health, Taiwan (1996)
- Outstanding Scholar, Foundation for Outstanding Scholarship, Taiwan (1995-1999)
- Outstanding Teaching Award, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (1992)
- Fogarty International Research Fellowship, National Institute of Health, USA (1989)
- Outstanding Research Award, National Science Council, Taiwan (1986-1996)
- Research Award, National Science Council, Taiwan (1978, 1983-1985)
- Scholarship for Studying Abroad, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (1979)
- Best Student Association Leader, National Taiwan University, Taiwan (1972)
- Book Coupon Award, National Taiwan University, Taiwan (1970)