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Prof. Dr. Jiunn-Der Liao obtained Bachelor's degree from National Cheng Kung University (NCKU, 1984 Bachelor of Metallurgy and Materials Engineering, MME) in Taiwan, Masters' degrees from K. U. Leuven (1990 Master of MME and 1991 Master of Biomedical Engineering, BE) in Belgium and PhD degree from Ecole des Mines and INP Grenoble (1994 and 1995 Doctor of Materials Science and Engineering, MSE) in France. He had also worked at University of Heidelberg (1995~1996), Germany as a group leader for nearly two years, at Chung Yuan Christian University (Dept. BE), Taiwan as an Associate Professor from 1996~2002, and at NCKU, Taiwan as an Associate Professor and Professor (Dept. MSE) from 2002. His working languages proficiency includes: Taiwanese, Mandarin Chinese, English, and French.

Prof. Liao is currently the (1) Distinguished Professor, NCKU (2011-2014, 2014-2017, 2017-2020, 2020-2023); (2) Research Excellence Award NCKU (2011~); (3) Founder of a start-up company (in preparation).

Prof. Liao was the (1) Counselor and Director for Science and Technology, Taipei Representative Office in the European Union and Belgium (2015/7~2019/7); (2) Taiwan BIO NCP, ICT NCP, and Coordinator of Taiwan NCPs in Europe (2016/1~2019/6); (3) Chairman, Dept. MSE, NCKU (2009/8~2012/7); (4) Chairman of Institute of Nanotechnology and Microsystem Engineering (2011/5~2012/7); (5) Deputy Director General of Center for Micro/Nano Science and Technology (CMNST, 2006/1~2009/7); (6) Distinguished Researcher of CMNST, NCKU (2009/8~2014/7); (7) Coordinator of Taiwan NMP NCP (EU FP7).

His research interests include: (1) Nanofabricated surfaces, e.g., with the effect of surface enhanced Raman scattering for biomedical applications; (2) Mechanics of Biomaterials, e.g., engineering materials for tissue scaffolds, cell-surface interactions, mechanical transduction of cells; (3) Plasma Medicine, e.g., use of lowtemperature, atmospheric micro-plasma system for medical applications. Two national-level projects (as the PI) on a medical device have been completed- (1) Assessment of gentle plasma system applied for diabetic wound healing: proof-of-concept by animal model 2014-2015 and (2) Portable micro-plasma devices 2012-2013. Up till now, >20 PhD and >100 Master students have been supervised and >160 SCI papers, citations (Sept. 20, 2022) >2316, h-index =27) have been published.