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## Education

### *Postgraduate Medical Training*

Fellowship - Hematopathology  
Department of Pathology  
Virginia Commonwealth University Health System Richmond, Virginia

Residency - AP/CP training program

Department of Pathology  
Virginia Commonwealth University Health System  
Richmond, Virginia

### *Medical Education*

Suzhou Medical College Suzhou,  
Jiangsu 215007  
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### *Graduate Education*

PhD of Molecular Biology  
Shanghai Second Medical University  
Shanghai 200025  
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Suzhou Medical College Suzhou,  
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# Licenses & Certifications

## *Medical Licenses (Current)*

Board of Medicine, Commonwealth of Virginia

## *Board Certifications*

Diplomate, American Board of Pathology, combined Anatomic and Clinical Pathology  
Diplomate, American Board of Pathology, Hematology

# Recent Grants and Funding

2023-2028	NIH/NIAAA R01AA030180, 07/01/2023-04/30/2028, annual direct cost: \$336,916, Sphingolipids in alcoholic liver disease, Co-PI, 2% effort
2018-2024	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases/NIH/DHHS, 2R56DK115377-05A1, 07/25/2018-08/31/2024, LncRNA H19 in Cholestatic Liver Diseases, \$405,528, Co-PI, 2% effort

# Selected Publications

Rothschild SC, **Lai G**, Tombes RM, and Clements WK. 2023 Constitutively active CaMKII Drives B lineage acute lymphoblastic leukemia/lymphoma in tp53 mutant zebrafish PLOS Genetics Dec 20;19(12):e1011102, PMID: 38117861

Gilliam J, Catic A, Paulraj P, Dalton J, **Lai G**, Jackson-Cook C, Turner S, Ferreira-Gonzalez A, and Barrie E2022 Acute Megakaryoblastic Leukemia with Trisomy 3 and CBFA2T3-GLIS2, A Case Report. Genes, Chromosomes and Cancer Aug;61(8):491-496, PMID: 35294081

Liaquat S, **Lai G**, Patel S, and Jayakumar R 2021 Rare case of CD3- T cell larger granular lymphocytic leukemia; a diagnostic pitfall Arch Pathol Lab Med (2021 Sept) 145 (9): e79.

Y Wang, YL Tai, D Zhao, Y Zhang, J Yan, G Kakiyama, X Wang, EC. Gurley, J Liu, J Liu, J Liu, **G Lai**, PB. Hylemon, WM. Pandak, W Chen, and H Zhou 2021 Berberine prevents disease progression of nonalcoholic teatohepatitis through multiple target Cells Jan 21; 10(2):210, PubMed PMID: 33494295

Godbey EA, Dalton JB, **Lai G**, Sanford KW, Roseff SD. First reported case of leukocytapheresis in plasma cell leukemia Transfusion. 2020 Jan; 60(1):11-12, PMID: 31682280

Alder L, Graupner S, **Lai G**, and Yazbeck V. 2019 Case of a CD3 negative hepatosplenic T-cell lymphoma: diagnostic and therapeutic challenges Case Reports in Hematology Volume 2019 June 27; 2019:5315086, PMID: 31346479

Liu R, Li X, Zhu W, Wang Y, Zhao D, Wang X, Gurley EC, Liang G, Chen W, **Lai G**, Pandak WM, Robert Lippman H, Bajaj JS, Hylemon PB, Zhou H. 2019 Cholangiocyte-derived exosomal LncRNA H19 promotes hepatic stellate cell activation and cholestatic liver fibrosis Hepatology. Oct;70(4):1317-1335 PMID: 30985008

Kwong EK, Liu R, Zhao D, Li X, Zhu W, Wang X, Gurley EC, **Lai G**, Liu J, Hylemon PB, Zhou H. 2019 The role of sphingosine kinase 2 in alcoholic liver disease Dig Liver Dis. Aug;51(8):1154-1163. PMID: 31003959

Li X, Liu R, Huang Z, Gurley EC, Wang X, Huang J, He H, Yang H, **Lai G**, Zhang L, Bajaj JS, White W, Pandak WM, Hylemon PB, and Zhou H 2018 Cholangiocyte-derived exosomal long noncoding RNA H19 promotes cholestatic liver injury in mouse and human Hepatology Aug;68(2):599-615 PMID: 29425397

Liu R, Li X, Huang Z, Zhao D, Ganesh BS, **Lai G**, Pandak WM, Hylemon PB, Bajaj JS, Sanyal AJ, Zhou H. 2018 C/EBP homologous protein-induced loss of intestinal epithelial stemness contributes to bile duct ligation-induced cholestatic liver injury in mice Hepatology. Apr;67(4):1441-1457 PMID: 28926118