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He has been awarded as the Excellent Instructor of National College Students' Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition for Agricultural Building Environment and Energy Engineering, the Excellent Instructor of College Students' Science and Technology Innovation, the Winning Award of the Lecture Competition for Young Teachers of the University, the Outstanding Communist Party Member of the College, and the Excellent Head Teacher of the College. In recent years, she was hired as "Vice President of Science and Technology" by Wuhan Lanying New Energy Co., Ltd. Hubei Lvxin Ecological Technology Co., Ltd. Employed as provincial science and technology commissioner.

Teaching

Dr. Yi pays high attention to teaching and educating students. At present, he has taught engineering thermodynamics, Combustion Science, Engineering Fluid Mechanics, Thermal Testing Technology and Energy

Basic Comprehensive Experiment as the main lecturer. Every year he was received better evaluation from students. She has won the second prize of Huazhong Agricultural University Teaching Achievement Award, the winning prize of Young Teachers' Lecturing competition, and the annual Teaching Innovation Excellence Award of "the fifth National University Teaching Innovation Competition of Xi 'an University".

Research

In recent years, he has presided or participated in several national key research and development programs, National Natural Science Foundation of China, Industry Special Projects of Ministry of Agriculture, Natural Science Foundation of Hubei Province, Basic Research Funds for Central Universities and other projects. Published more than 20 academic papers in Applied Energy, Energy Conversion and Management, Energy, Fuel Processing Technology, Combustion Science and Technology and other domestic and foreign academic journals and international conferences. Among them, 15 papers are indexed by SCI and EI, and more than 10 national authorized invention patents have been obtained. Currently, he is a reviewer of BT, JCP, EF, RSC AD, CES and other SCI journals.

Membership in Academic Societies

- Chinese Society of Engineering Thermophysics (CSET)
- Chinese Society of Agricultural Engineering (CSAE)

Current research interest

- Engaged in the related scientific research of agricultural waste treatment and energy utilization;
- Functional research of new energy and new materials;
- Thermal conversion mechanism of solid fuels;
- Development of agricultural pyrolysis carbonization equipment;
- Construction of rural distributed intelligent energy systems.

Research Programs

 Study on the mechanism of low temperature baking of livestock manure to treat livestock wastewater (Natural Science Foundation of Hubei Provincial), 2018CKB906, 01, 2018-12,2019

My duties: Project leader. System study of the adsorption properties and adsorption mechanism of low temperature baking of livestock manure in livestock wastewater.

Study on adsorption functionalization mechanism of biochar during high efficiency pyrolysis
of agricultural waste (Fundamental Research Funds for the Central Universities),
2662019PY018, 2019.01-2021.12.

My duties: Project leader. The preparation of biochar for adsorbents, catalyst carriers and soil improvers.

 Synergistic regulation mechanism of structure and nutrition of high-quality biochar fertilizer based on straw pyrolysis technology (National Natured Science Foundation of China), C31701310, 2018.01-2020.12.

My duties: Project major participant. Study on the structural evolution of straw during pyrolysis and carbonization and its slow-release properties to nutrients.

 Research and Demonstration of key technologies of no-maintenance green planting roof system based on biomass utilization (Major Projects of Technical Innovation of Hubei Province), 2019ACA153, 2019.01-2021.12.

My duties: Project major participant. Process control of biomass pyrolysis, carbonization and combustion for using in planting system.

• Integrated research on the hierarchical utilization technology of straw based on biochar

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My duties: Project major participant. Study of pyrolysis and carbonization mechanism and equipment of straw.

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- [8] <u>Baojun Yi*</u>, Qiaoxia Yuan, Hongliang Cao, Wenjuan Niu, Ming Wang, Yao Zhu, Shuiping Yan. Effect of alkali and alkaline earth metal species on the combustion characteristics of cattle manures. RSC Advances 2018; 8: 11705 - 13.

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- [10] Wei Wu, Qizhou Fan*, <u>Baojun Yi*</u>, Bichen Liu and Rujiao Jiang. Catalytic characteristics of a Ni–MgO/HZSM-5 catalyst for steam reforming of toluene. RSC Advances 2020; 10, 20872–20881

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