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## PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- June 2011-present  
**Brigham Young University** – Provo, Utah  
Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry
- 2008-2011  
**The Scripps Research Institute** – La Jolla, California  
NIH Postdoctoral Research Fellow (Professor Jeffery W. Kelly)  
Stabilizing protein native states by N-glycosylation of enhanced aromatic sequons in reverse turns

## EDUCATION

- 2003-2008  
**University of Wisconsin** – Madison, Wisconsin  
Ph.D., Chemistry (Professor Samuel H. Gellman)  
Dissertation: “Development of  $\alpha/\beta$ -Peptide Foldamer Tertiary and Quaternary Structure”
- 2005  
**Argonne National Laboratory** – Argonne, Illinois  
NIH Chemistry-Biology Interface Training Grant Internship (Professor Brian K. Kay)  
Phage display of peptide libraries for probing coiled-coil pairing specificity
- 1997-2003  
**Brigham Young University** – Provo, Utah  
B.S., Biochemistry, *summa cum laude*, with University Honors  
Undergraduate research
- 2001-2003  
Honors Thesis: “Thermodynamics of L-valine and L-2-amino-n-butanoic acid”  
(Professor Earl M. Woolley)
- 2003  
Synthesis of amino retinoid compounds (Professor Heidi R. Vollmer-Snarr)

## AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2008-2011  
NIH Ruth L. Kirschstein NRSA Postdoctoral Fellowship
- 2008  
Hirschmann/Rich Graduate Award in Bioorganic Chemistry, University of Wisconsin
- 2004-2007  
NIH Chemistry-Biology Interface Training Grant Fellowship
- 2003  
Samuel L. McElvain Fellowship, University of Wisconsin
- 2003  
Keith P. Anderson Outstanding Senior Student in Chemistry, Brigham Young University
- 2003  
Cancer Research Fellowship, Brigham Young University
- 2002-2003  
Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship
- 2002  
Office of Research and Creative Activities Fellowship, Brigham Young University
- 1997-2003  
Kimberly Clark Bright Futures Scholarship
- 1997-2003  
National Merit Scholarship, Brigham Young University

## PUBLICATIONS (Corresponding author denoted by asterisk)

27. Lawrence, P. B.; Gavrilov, Y.; Matthews, S. S.; Langlois, M. I.; Shental-Bechor, D.; Greenblatt, H. M.; Pandey, B. K.; Smith, M. S.; Paxman, R.; Torgerson, C. B.; Merrell, J. P.; Ritz, C.; Prigozhin, M. B.; Levy, Y.\*; **Price, J. L.\*** *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* in press.
26. Pandey, B. K.; Smith, M. S.; Price, J. L.\* “Cys<sub>i</sub>-Lys<sub>i+3</sub>-Lys<sub>i+4</sub> Triad: A General Approach for PEG-Based Stabilization of  $\alpha$ -Helical Proteins.” *Biomacromolecules* **2014**, ASAP article.
25. Chao, S. -H.; Matthews, S. S.; Paxman, R.; Aksimentiev, A.; Gruebele, M.\*; **Price, J. L.\*** “Two Structural Scenarios for Protein Stabilization by PEG.” *J. Phys. Chem. B.* **2014**, 118, 8388–8395.
24. Pandey, B. K.; Enck, S.; **Price, J. L.\*** “Stabilizing Impact of N-Glycosylation on the WW Domain Depends Strongly on the Asn-GlcNAc Linkage.” *ACS Chem. Biol.* **2013**, 8, 2140–2144.
23. Pandey, B. K.; Smith, M. S.; Torgerson, C.; Lawrence, P.B.; Matthews, S. S.; Watkins, E.; Groves, M. L.; Prigozhin, M. B.; **Price, J. L.\*** “Impact of site-specific PEGylation on the conformational stability and folding rate of the Pin WW domain depends strongly on PEG oligomer length.” *Bioconjugate Chem.* **2013**, 24, 796–802.

## Publications from postdoctoral research at The Scripps Research Institute

22. Chen, W.; Enck, S.; **Price, J. L.**; Powers, D. L.; Powers, E. T.; Wong, C. -H.\*; Dyson, H. J.\*; Kelly, J. W.\* “Structural and energetic basis of carbohydrate-aromatic packing interactions in proteins.” *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2013**, 135, 9877–9884.
21. **Price, J. L.**; Culyba, E. K.; Chen, W.; Murray, A. N.; Hanson, S. R.; Wong, C. -H.; Powers, E. T.\*; Kelly, J. W.\* “N-glycosylation of enhanced aromatic sequons to increase glycoprotein stability.” *Peptide Sci.* **2012**, 98, 195–211.
20. **Price, J. L.**; Powers, E. T.\*; Kelly, J. W.\* “N-PEGylation of a Reverse Turn is Stabilizing in Multiple Sequence Contexts unlike N-GlcNAcylation.” *ACS Chem. Biol.* **2011**, 6, 1188–1192.
19. **Price, J. L.**; Powers, D. L.; Powers, E. T.\*; Kelly, J. W.\* “Glycosylation of the enhanced aromatic sequon is similarly stabilizing in three distinct reverse turn contexts.” *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* **2011**, 108, 14127–14132.
18. Bourgault, S.; Choi, S.; Buxbaum, J. N.; Kelly, J. W.; **Price, J. L.**; Reixach, N.\* “Mechanisms of transthyretin cardiomyocyte toxicity inhibition by resveratrol analogs.” *Biochem. Biophys. Res. Commun.* **2011**, 410, 707–713
17. Culyba, E. K.; **Price, J. L.**; Hanson, S. R.; Dhar, A.; Wong, C. -H.; Gruebele, M.; Powers, E. T.\*; Kelly, J. W.\* “Protein Native State Stabilization by Placing Aromatic Side Chains in N-Glycosylated Reverse Turns.” *Science* **2011**, 331, 571–575. (EKC and **JLP** share equal authorship)  
  
featured in *Chemical & Engineering News*, February 7, 2011, Vol. 89, pg. 26; and in *Science-Business eXchange*, February 17, 2011, Vol. 4, doi:10.1038/scibx.2011.184
16. **Price, J. L.**; Shental-Bechor, D.; Dhar, A.; Turner, M. J.; Powers, E. T.; Gruebele, M.; Levy, Y.\*; Kelly, J. W.\* “Context-Dependent Effects of Asparagine Glycosylation on Pin WW Folding Kinetics and Thermodynamics.” *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2010**, 132, 15239–15367.

15. Wiseman, R. L.; Zhang, Y.; Lee, K. P. K.; Harding, H. P.; Haynes, C. M.; **Price, J.**; Sicheri, F.\*; Ron, D.\* “Flavonol Activation Defines an Unanticipated Ligand-Binding Site in the Kinase-RNase domain of IRE1.” *Mol. Cell.* **2010**, *38*, 291–304.
14. Solomon, J. P.; Yonemoto, I. T.; Murray, A. N.; **Price, J. L.**; Powers, E. T.; Balch, W. E.; Kelly, J. W.\* “The 8 and 5 kDa Fragments of Plasma Gelsolin Form Amyloid Fibrils by a Nucleated Polymerization Mechanism, while the 68 kDa Fragment is Not Amyloidogenic.” *Biochemistry* **2009**, *48*, 11370–11380.

#### **Publications from graduate research at the University of Wisconsin**

13. **Price, J. L.**; Horne, W. S.; Gellman, S. H.\* “Structural Consequences of  $\beta$ -Amino Acid Preorganization in a Self-Assembling  $\alpha/\beta$ -Peptide: Fundamental Studies of Foldameric Helix Bundles.” *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2010**, *132*, 12378–12387.
12. **Price, J. L.**; Hadley, E. B.; Steinkruger, J. D.; Gellman, S. H.\* “Detection and Analysis of Chimeric Tertiary Structure via Backbone Thioester Exchange: Packing of an  $\alpha$  Helix against an  $\alpha/\beta$ -Peptide Helix.” *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2010**, *49*, 368–371.
11. Horne, W. S.; **Price, J. L.**; Gellman, S. H.\* “Interplay among side chain sequence, backbone composition, and residue rigidification in polypeptide folding and assembly.” *Proc. Nat. Acad. Sci., USA* **2008**, *105*, 9151–9156.
10. **Price, J. L.**; Horne, W. S.; Gellman, S. H.\* “Discrete Heterogeneous Quaternary Structure Formed by  $\alpha/\beta$ -Peptide Foldamers and  $\alpha$ -Peptides.” *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2007**, *129*, 6376–6377.
9. Horne, W. S.; **Price, J. L.**; Keck, J. L.; Gellman, S. H.\* “Helix Bundle Quaternary Structure from  $\alpha/\beta$ -Peptide Foldamers.” *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2007**, *129*, 4178–4180.

#### **Publications from undergraduate research at Brigham Young University**

8. Vollmer-Snarr, H. R.\*; Pew, M. R.; Alvarez, M. L.; Cameron, D. J.; Chen, Z.; Walker, G. L.; **Price, J. L.**; Swallow, J. L. “Amino-Retinoid Compounds in the Human Retinal Pigment Epithelium.” *Adv. Exp. Med. Biol.* **2006**, *572*, 69–74.
7. Ziemer, S. P.; Niederhauser, T. L.; **Price, J. L.**; Woolley, E. M.\* “Thermodynamics of proton dissociations from aqueous alanine at temperatures from (278.15 to 393.15) K, molalities from (0.0075 to 1.0) mol · kg<sup>-1</sup>, and at the pressure 0.35 MPa: Apparent molar heat capacities and apparent molar volumes of alanine, alaninium chloride, and sodium alaninate.” *J. Chem. Thermodyn.* **2006**, *38*, 939–951.
6. Ziemer, S. P.; Niederhauser, T. L.; Merkley, E. D.; **Price, J. L.**; Sorenson, E. C.; McRae, B. R.; Patterson, B. A.; Woolley, E. M.\* “Thermodynamics of proton dissociations from aqueous serine at temperatures from (278.15 to 393.15) K, molalities from (0.01 up to 1.0) mol · kg<sup>-1</sup>, and at the pressure 0.35 MPa: Apparent molar heat capacities and apparent molar volumes of serine, serinium chloride, and sodium serinate.” *J. Chem. Thermodyn.* **2006**, *38*, 634–648.
5. Ziemer, S. P.; Niederhauser, T. L.; Merkley, E. D.; **Price, J. L.**; Sorenson, E. C.; McRae, B. R.; Patterson, B. A.; Origlia-Luster, M. L.; Woolley, E. M.\* “Thermodynamics of proton dissociations from aqueous glycine at temperatures from 278.15 to 393.15 K, molalities from 0 to 1.0 mol · kg<sup>-1</sup>, and at the pressure 0.35 MPa: Apparent molar heat capacities and apparent molar volumes of glycine, glycinium chloride, and sodium glycinate.” *J. Chem. Thermodyn.* **2006**, *38*, 467–483.

4. **Price, J. L.;** Sorenson, E. C.; Merkley, E. D.; McRae, B. R.; Woolley, E. M.\* “Thermodynamics of proton dissociations from aqueous L-valine and L-2-amino-n-butanoic acid: apparent molar volumes and apparent molar heat capacities of the protonated cationic, neutral zwitterionic, and deprotonated anionic species at temperatures from  $278.15 \leq T/K \leq 393.15$ , at molalities  $0.015 \leq m/\text{mol} \cdot \text{kg}^{-1} \leq 0.67$ , and pressure  $p = 0.35 \text{ MPa}$ .” *J. Chem. Thermodyn.* **2003**, 35, 1425–1467.
3. Sorenson, E. C.; **Price, J. L.;** McRae, B. R.; Woolley, E. M.\* “Thermodynamics of proton dissociations from aqueous L-proline: apparent molar volumes and apparent molar heat capacities of the protonated cationic, zwitterionic, and deprotonated anionic forms at temperatures from 278.15 K to 393.15 K and at the pressure 0.35 MPa.” *J. Chem. Thermodyn.* **2003**, 35, 529–553.
2. Origlia-Luster, M. L.; Ballerat-Busserolles, K.; Merkley, E. D.; **Price, J. L.;** McRae, B. R.; Woolley, E. M.\* “Apparent molar volumes and apparent molar heat capacities of aqueous phenol and sodium phenolate at temperatures from 278.15 to 393.15 K and at the pressure 0.35 MPa.” *J. Chem. Thermodyn.* **2003**, 35, 331–347.
1. **Price, J. L.;** Jardine, J. J.; Call, T. G.; Patterson, B. A.; Origlia-Luster, M. L.; Woolley, E. M.\* “Thermodynamics for proton dissociations from aqueous L-histidine at temperatures from 278.15 to 393.15 K and at the pressure 0.35 MPa: apparent molar volumes and apparent molar heat capacities of the protonated cationic, neutral zwitterionic, and deprotonated anionic forms.” *J. Chem. Thermodyn.* **2003**, 35, 195–198.

## PRESENTATIONS AND TALKS

12. 10/10/13 Dept. of Chemistry, Southern Utah University – Cedar City, UT (Talk)
11. 9/25/13 Dept. of Chemistry, Utah State University – Logan, UT (Talk)
10. 3/28/13 Dept. of Chemical Engineering, Brigham Young University – Provo, UT (Talk)
9. 1/24/13 Dept. of Chemistry, Brigham Young University Idaho – Rexburg, ID (Talk)
8. 2/28/10 Peptides Gordon Research Conference – Ventura, CA (Poster)
7. 12/08/10 Brigham Young University – Provo, UT (Talk)
6. 9/28/07 University of Wisconsin, Lincoln Seminar – Madison, WI (Talk)
5. 6/26/07 20<sup>th</sup> American Peptide Symposium – Montreal, Canada (Poster)
4. 3/22/07 University of Wisconsin, Chemistry Dept. Poster Session – Madison, WI (Poster)
3. 3/10/05 University of Wisconsin, Literature Seminar – Madison, WI (Talk)
2. 4/24/03 Brigham Young University Commencement address – Provo, UT
1. 6/20/02 ACS Northwest Regional Meeting – Spokane, WA (Talk)

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Ad hoc manuscript reviewer for *J. Am. Chem. Soc.*; *J. Phys. Chem.*; *Bioconjugate Chem.*; *Nature Comm.*; *Carbohydrate Research*; *PLOS One*; *BBA General Subjects*

Ad hoc proposal reviewer for ETH Zürich; Research Corporation for Scientific Advancement

2011-present ORCA proposal reviewer for BYU CPMS College Review Committee

2014-present Member of BYU pre-health advising committee

November 2011 Abstract Reviewer for the 2012 National Conference for Undergraduate Research

2011–present Presenter at National Chemistry Week Magic Show at BYU