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2005 - present: ATLAS at CERN (with Prof. B. Zhou etc.)
2003 - present: MiniBooNE at Fermilab (with Prof. B.P. Roe etc.)
2000 - present: International Linear Collider (with Prof. K. Riles etc.)
1997 - 2003 : L3 at CERN (with Prof. K. Riles, M. Pohl, X.W. Tang etc.)

Selected Publications

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- **Hai-Jun Yang** and Keith Riles, *Impact of Tracker Design on Higgs and Slepton Measurements*, Proceeding paper for 2005 International Linear Collider Workshop (LCWS05), 06/27/2005. (Physics/0506198)
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Recent Presentations

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- *Search for $H \rightarrow WW^{(*)}$ with ATLAS Detector Based on Boosted Decision Trees* at LHC New Physics Signature Workshop at U. of Michigan on Jan. 5-11, 2008.
- *Search for Neutrino Oscillation with MiniBooNE Detector*, Colloquium at University of Nebraska, Lincoln on Nov. 29, 2007.
- *Impact of ILC Tracker Design on $e^+e^- \rightarrow HZ \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-X$ Analysis* at ALCPG07 Workshop at Fermilab on Oct. 22-26, 2007.
- *ILC Tracker Alignment Based on Frequency Scanned Interferometry* at ALCPG07 Workshop at Fermilab on Oct. 22-26, 2007
- *MiniBooNE First Results (1998-2007)* at Institute of High Energy Physics in Beijing on July 20, 2007.
- *WW and ZW Analysis Based on Boosted Decision Trees* at ATLAS Trigger and Physics Week at CERN on June 4-8, 2007.
- *Status of ILC Tracker Alignment Based on Frequency Scanned Interferometer* at SiD workshop at Fermilab on April 9-11, 2007.
- *MiniBooNE Event Reconstruction and Particle Identification* at APS April Meeting in Jacksonville, Florida on April 14-17, 2007.
- *Measurement of Out of Tank(Dirt) Events with MiniBooNE* at APS April Meeting in Jacksonville, Florida on April 14-17, 2007.
- *Search for $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$ Oscillation with MiniBooNE* at The 6th KEK Topical Conference: Frontier in Particle Physics and Cosmology in Japan on Feb. 6-8, 2007.
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