

## Research Interests

Reinforced Concrete Structures  
Prestressed Concrete Structures  
Composite Structures (RCS)

Earthquake Engineering  
Bridge Engineering

## Education

Ph. D. *Civil Engineering, University of Buffalo* 2007  
M.S. *Structural Engineering, National Taiwan University* 2001  
B.S. *Civil Engineering, National Taiwan University* 1999

## Experience (Full-time)

Distinguished Profesor *National Taiwan University* 2020  
Professor *National Taiwan University* 2017  
Professor *National Taiwan University of Science and Technology* 2015  
Associate Professor *National Taiwan University of Science and Technology* 2011  
Assistant Professor *National Taiwan University of Science and Technology* 2008

## Research Awards

Outstanding Research Award *National Taiwan University* 2019  
Outstanding Research Award *Ministry of Science and Technology, Taiwan* 2019  
ACI Wason Medal *American Concrete Insitute* 2017

## Professional Service and Activities (Current)

Director *Center for Earthquake Engineering Research, National Taiwan University*  
Advisor *Bridge Division, National Center for Research on Earthquake Engineering*  
President *American Concrete Institute (ACI), Taiwan Chapter*  
Chair *Concrete Engineering Committee, Chinese Institute of Civil and Hydraulic Engineering, Taiwan*  
Assoc. Editor *Journal of Chinese Institute of Civil and Hydraulic Engineering*  
Editorial Board *Advances in Bridge Engineering*  
Assoc. Editor *Journal of Structural Engineering, ASCE*

## Recent Publications

- **Ou, Y. C.**, Lau, J. V. J., Li, J. Y., Havlásek, P., & Bittnar, Z. (2022). Cyclic behavior of reinforced concrete columns with five-spiral reinforcement. *Journal of Building Engineering*, 61, 105245.
- **Ou, Y. C.**, Wu, J. W., & Pratiwi, A. Y. (2022). Effect of the concrete cover thickness ratio on the post-yield stiffness of bridge columns with partially unbonded unstressed steel strands. *Advances in Bridge Engineering*, 3(1), 1-17.
- **Ou, Y. C.**, Bui, C. T., & Chen, Y. M. (2022). Use of Unstressed Seven-Wire Strands as Longitudinal Reinforcement of Concrete Beams. *ACI Structural Journal*, 119(5).
- **Ou, Y. C.**, Joju, J., & Liu, Y. C. (2022). Cyclic Behavior of Reinforced Concrete Columns with Unstressed Steel Strands as Longitudinal Reinforcement. *Journal of Structural Engineering*, 148(9), 04022125.
- **Ou, Y. C.**, Nguyen, N. V. B., & Wang, W. R. (2022). Seismic shear behavior of new high-strength reinforced concrete column and steel beam (New RCS) joints. *Engineering Structures*, 265, 114497.
- **Ou, Y. C.**, Joju, J., & Hsu, W. C. (2022). Cyclic behavior of shear-critical concrete columns with unstressed steel strands as longitudinal reinforcement. *Engineering Structures*, 264, 114465.
- **Ou, Y. C.**, Wu, J. W., & Pratiwi, A. Y. (2022). Cyclic behavior of bridge columns with partially unbonded seven-wire steel strands to increase post-yield stiffness. *Engineering Structures*, 258, 114112.
- Ngo, S. H., **Ou, Y. C.**, & Nguyen, V. D. (2022). Shear Strength Model for Reinforced Concrete Bridge Columns with Multispiral Transverse Reinforcement. *Journal of Structural Engineering*, 148(3), 04021303.
- **Ou, Y. C.**, & Nguyen, N. V. B. (2022). Stress Limit for Shear Reinforcement of High-Strength Columns. *ACI Structural Journal*, 119(1).



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