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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Mechanisms of convergence and extension by cell intercalation. <i>Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences</i> , 2000, 355, 897-922.	4.0	446
2	How we are shaped: The biomechanics of gastrulation. <i>Differentiation</i> , 2003, 71, 171-205.	1.9	407
3	Actomyosin stiffens the vertebrate embryo during crucial stages of elongation and neural tube closure. <i>Development (Cambridge)</i> , 2009, 136, 677-688.	2.5	193
4	Integrin $\alpha 5 \beta 1$ and Fibronectin Regulate Polarized Cell Protrusions Required for <i>Xenopus</i> Convergence and Extension. <i>Current Biology</i> , 2006, 16, 833-844.	3.9	190
5	The interplay between cell signalling and mechanics in developmental processes. <i>Nature Reviews Genetics</i> , 2013, 14, 733-744.	16.3	178
6	Mesendoderm Extension and Mantle Closure in <i>Xenopus laevis</i> Gastrulation: Combined Roles for Integrin $\alpha 5 \beta 1$ , Fibronectin, and Tissue Geometry. <i>Developmental Biology</i> , 2002, 242, 109-129.	2.0	150
7	Punctuated actin contractions during convergent extension and their permissive regulation by the non-canonical Wnt-signaling pathway. <i>Journal of Cell Science</i> , 2011, 124, 635-646.	2.0	130
8	Actomyosin meshwork mechanosensing enables tissue shape to orient cell force. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2017, 8, 15014.	12.8	125
9	Planar Cell Polarity Genes Regulate Polarized Extracellular Matrix Deposition during Frog Gastrulation. <i>Current Biology</i> , 2005, 15, 787-793.	3.9	124
10	Assembly and remodeling of the fibrillar fibronectin extracellular matrix during gastrulation and neurulation in <i>Xenopus laevis</i> . <i>Developmental Dynamics</i> , 2004, 231, 888-895.	1.8	122
11	IQGAP1 regulates cell motility by linking growth factor signaling to actin assembly. <i>Journal of Cell Science</i> , 2007, 120, 658-669.	2.0	118
12	Radial intercalation of ciliated cells during <i>Xenopus</i> skin development. <i>Development (Cambridge)</i> , 2006, 133, 2507-2515.	2.5	116
13	The physical state of fibronectin matrix differentially regulates morphogenetic movements in vivo. <i>Developmental Biology</i> , 2009, 327, 386-398.	2.0	88
14	Live imaging of cell protrusive activity, and extracellular matrix assembly and remodeling during morphogenesis in the frog, <i>Xenopus laevis</i> . <i>Developmental Dynamics</i> , 2008, 237, 2684-2692.	1.8	83
15	Epithelial machines that shape the embryo. <i>Trends in Cell Biology</i> , 2012, 22, 82-87.	7.9	77
16	Shroom3 functions downstream of planar cell polarity to regulate myosin II distribution and cellular organization during neural tube closure. <i>Biology Open</i> , 2015, 4, 186-196.	1.2	76
17	Force production and mechanical accommodation during convergent extension. <i>Development (Cambridge)</i> , 2015, 142, 692-701.	2.5	69
18	Embryonic wound healing by apical contraction and ingression in <i>Xenopus laevis</i> . <i>Cytoskeleton</i> , 2002, 53, 163-176.	4.4	67

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19	Multi-scale mechanics from molecules to morphogenesis. <i>International Journal of Biochemistry and Cell Biology</i> , 2009, 41, 2147-2162.	2.8	66
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22	Surprisingly Simple Mechanical Behavior of a Complex Embryonic Tissue. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2010, 5, e15359.	2.5	58
23	Tissue mechanics and adhesion during embryo development. <i>Developmental Biology</i> , 2015, 401, 152-164.	2.0	56
24	Emergent morphogenesis: Elastic mechanics of a self-deforming tissue. <i>Journal of Biomechanics</i> , 2010, 43, 63-70.	2.1	55
25	Mechanics of neurulation: From classical to current perspectives on the physical mechanics that shape, fold, and form the neural tube. <i>Birth Defects Research</i> , 2017, 109, 153-168.	1.5	55
26	On the role of mechanics in driving mesenchymal-to-epithelial transitions. <i>Seminars in Cell and Developmental Biology</i> , 2017, 67, 113-122.	5.0	54
27	Natural variation in embryo mechanics: gastrulation in <i>Xenopus laevis</i> is highly robust to variation in tissue stiffness. <i>Developmental Dynamics</i> , 2009, 238, 2-18.	1.8	50
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30	Structural Requirements for PACSIN/Syndapin Operation during Zebrafish Embryonic Notochord Development. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2009, 4, e8150.	2.5	39
31	Experimental control of excitable embryonic tissues: three stimuli induce rapid epithelial contraction. <i>Experimental Cell Research</i> , 2010, 316, 103-114.	2.6	36
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38	Self-organization of vertebrate mesoderm based on simple boundary conditions. <i>Developmental Dynamics</i> , 2004, 231, 576-581.	1.8	33
39	Measuring Mechanical Properties of Embryos and Embryonic Tissues. <i>Methods in Cell Biology</i> , 2007, 83, 425-439.	1.1	31
40	Stepwise Maturation of Apicobasal Polarity of the Neuroepithelium Is Essential for Vertebrate Neurulation. <i>Journal of Neuroscience</i> , 2009, 29, 11426-11440.	3.6	30
41	Mechanics of blastopore closure during amphibian gastrulation. <i>Developmental Biology</i> , 2015, 398, 57-67.	2.0	30
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45	Convergent extension and the hexahedral cell. <i>Nature Cell Biology</i> , 2007, 9, 1010-1015.	10.3	27
46	Scalable and Concise Synthesis of Dichlorofluorescein Derivatives Displaying Tissue Permeation in Live Zebrafish Embryos. <i>ChemBioChem</i> , 2008, 9, 214-218.	2.6	25
47	Spatiotemporally Controlled Mechanical Cues Drive Progenitor Mesenchymal-to-Epithelial Transition Enabling Proper Heart Formation and Function. <i>Current Biology</i> , 2017, 27, 1326-1335.	3.9	24
48	BMP antagonism by Spemann's organizer regulates rostral-â€œcaudal fate of mesoderm. <i>Developmental Biology</i> , 2004, 275, 356-374.	2.0	23
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57	Epithelial machines of morphogenesis and their potential application in organ assembly and tissue engineering. <i>Biomechanics and Modeling in Mechanobiology</i> , 2012, 11, 1109-1121.	2.8	14
58	<i>Xenopus</i> as a model for studies in mechanical stress and cell division. <i>Genesis</i> , 2017, 55, e23004.	1.6	14
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65	Investigating Morphogenesis in <i>Xenopus</i> Embryos: Imaging Strategies, Processing, and Analysis. <i>Cold Spring Harbor Protocols</i> , 2013, 2013, pdb.top073890.	0.3	10
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75	Distribution of single wall carbon nanotubes in the <i>Xenopus laevis</i> embryo after microinjection. <i>Journal of Applied Toxicology</i> , 2016, 36, 568-578.	2.8	6
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81	3D bio-etching of a complex composite-like embryonic tissue. <i>Lab on A Chip</i> , 2015, 15, 3293-3299.	6.0	4
82	Cell Crawling, Cell Behaviour and Biomechanics during Convergence and Extension. , 0, , 277-297.		3
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