



Subject card

Subject name and code	Molecular modeling, PG_00066121						
Field of study	Chemistry						
Date of commencement of studies	February 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2024/2025		
Education level	second-cycle studies		Subject group		Specialty subject group		
Mode of study	Full-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	1		Language of instruction		Polish		
Semester of study	1		ECTS credits		3.0		
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form		exam		
Conducting unit	Department of Pharmaceutical Technology and Biochemistry -> Faculty of Chemistry -> Wydział Politechniki Gdańskiej						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		prof. dr hab. inż. Maciej Bagiński				
	Teachers		prof. dr hab. inż. Maciej Bagiński				
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	15.0	0.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	45
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
	eNauczanie source addresses: Moodle ID: 44582 Modelowanie molekularne https://enauzanie.pg.edu.pl/moodle/course/view.php?id=44582						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan		Participation in consultation hours		Self-study	SUM
	Number of study hours	45		5.0		25.0	75
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to familiarize students with selected topics in the field of molecular modeling, which can be useful in carrying out the thesis and may also serve as the basis for specific items on the third level studies. The strategic objective will be achieved through assimilation of theoretical knowledge as well as practical execution of tasks within the laboratory project. Presented the content of education in the subject encouraged to broaden the knowledge by the use of electronic resources and indicated Recommended reading.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome		Method of verification		
	[K7_W03] recognizes and describes phenomena in the field of physics, including elements of quantum mechanics, solid state physics and nuclear physics, necessary to predict the course of physical phenomena and to solve technical problems		The student knows and understands the basic equations of physics covering molecular interactions and the equations describing the force fields in molecular modeling that are used to perform calculations.		[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge		
	[K7_U04] develops and transmits technical information in the form of text documents, spreadsheets, graphs, technological diagrams and multimedia presentations, and prepares a speech including a multimedia presentation		The student is able to apply molecular modeling methods in practice to study molecular properties and is able to analyze these properties quantitatively using mathematical methods.		[SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment [SU2] Assessment of ability to analyse information [SU5] Assessment of ability to present the results of task		
	[K7_W01] recognizes problems of modern chemistry, including properties and obtaining chemical compounds, necessary for making calculations, including the dependence of the compound's structure and its reactivity		The student is able to use molecular modeling methods such as molecular dynamics to learn about the molecular properties of biomolecules. The student understands the basics of designing chemical compounds with desired properties.		[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge		

Subject contents	Introduction to the course and discuss its scope Biological and molecular systems as a matter of molecular modeling Molecular properties tested in silico Construction of molecular models Overview of molecular modeling Overview of software and Internet resources for molecular modeling Basic molecular mechanics and dynamics Force fields in molecular mechanics and dynamics Conformational analysis of molecular systems Electrostatic properties of molecular systems Analysis of intermolecular interactions Fundamentals of computer-aided molecular design Molecular Docking De novo design of ligands Test on the knowledge gained in the lecture		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	1. General Chemistry 1.1. Chemical bonding, intermolecular interactions 1.2. Properties of water, aqueous solutions 2. Organic and physical chemistry 2.1. Organic compounds 2.2. Thermodynamics 3. Biophysics 3.1. Molecular systems 3.2. Molecular properties of biopolymers 3.3. Electrostatics 4. Biochemistry 4.1. Construction of biopolymers (DNA, protein)		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	lecture (test)	60.0%	70.0%
	project	60.0%	30.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	1. CH.I. Brookes III, M. Karplus. B.M. Pettitt, Proteins, a theoretical perspective of dynamics, structure, and thermodynamics, Advances in Chemical Physics Volume LXXI , John Wiley & Sons, New York 1988 2. D.W. Heermann, Podstawy symulacji komputerowych w fizyce , WNT, Warszawa 1997 3. Ch. J. Cramer, Essentials of Computational Chemistry, theories and models , John Wiley & Sons, New York, 2002 4. D. Frenkel, B. Smit, Understanding molecular simulation, from algorithms to applications , Academic press, San Diego 2002 5. T. Schlick, Interdisciplinary Applied Mathematics, Vol. 21, Molecular Modeling and Simulation: An Interdisciplinary Guide , Springer, 2010 (e-book). 6. J. Czub, Molekularne aspekty aktywności biologicznej amfoterycyny B i jej pochodnych o podwyższonej selektywności badania z zastosowaniem metod chemii obliczeniowej . Praca doktorska, PG 2008. http://www.pg.gda.pl/~chemmbag/doktorat_Czub.pdf	
	Supplementary literature	A number of scientific publications and teaching materials prepared by the teacher.	
	eResources addresses		

Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	<p>Test contains open questionas for examle issues:</p> <p>molecular dynamics</p> <p>molecular mechanics</p> <p>intermolecular interactions</p> <p>molecular docking</p>
Work placement	Not applicable

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