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Graduated from the M.V. Lomonosov Moscow State University (biological department) in 2003, Ph. D. in biophysics in 2007. Since that times, researcher and afterwards senior researcher in the Shemyakin & Ovchinnikov Institute of Bioorganic Chemistry (IBCh, Moscow). Since 2018 — head of the Group of in silico analysis of membrane proteins' structure. I'm a student, successor and a colleague of Dr. Roman Efremov, head of the Laboratory of biomolecular modeling at IBCh. The area of my research is computational modeling of protein structure & dynamics, first of all membrane receptors and ion channels. The special attention is paid to the intermolecular interactions with ligands (peptides & toxins from animal venoms) and to the membranoactive antibiotics.

In the other incarnation, I'm co-founder (2007) and the editor-in-chief of Biomolecula, a scientific & popular web-site about modern biology, biomedicine and biotechnology.