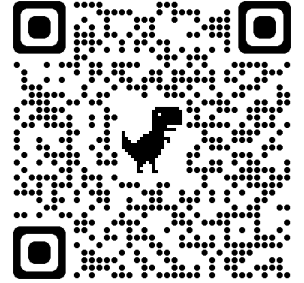


Mentor Introductions

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Qi Li

- My name
 - Name can tell a lot
 - Gender, Ethnicity, Age, Religion, ...
 - Important feature for many NLP tasks
- My background
 - BS. Math
 - MS. Stats
 - PhD. CS

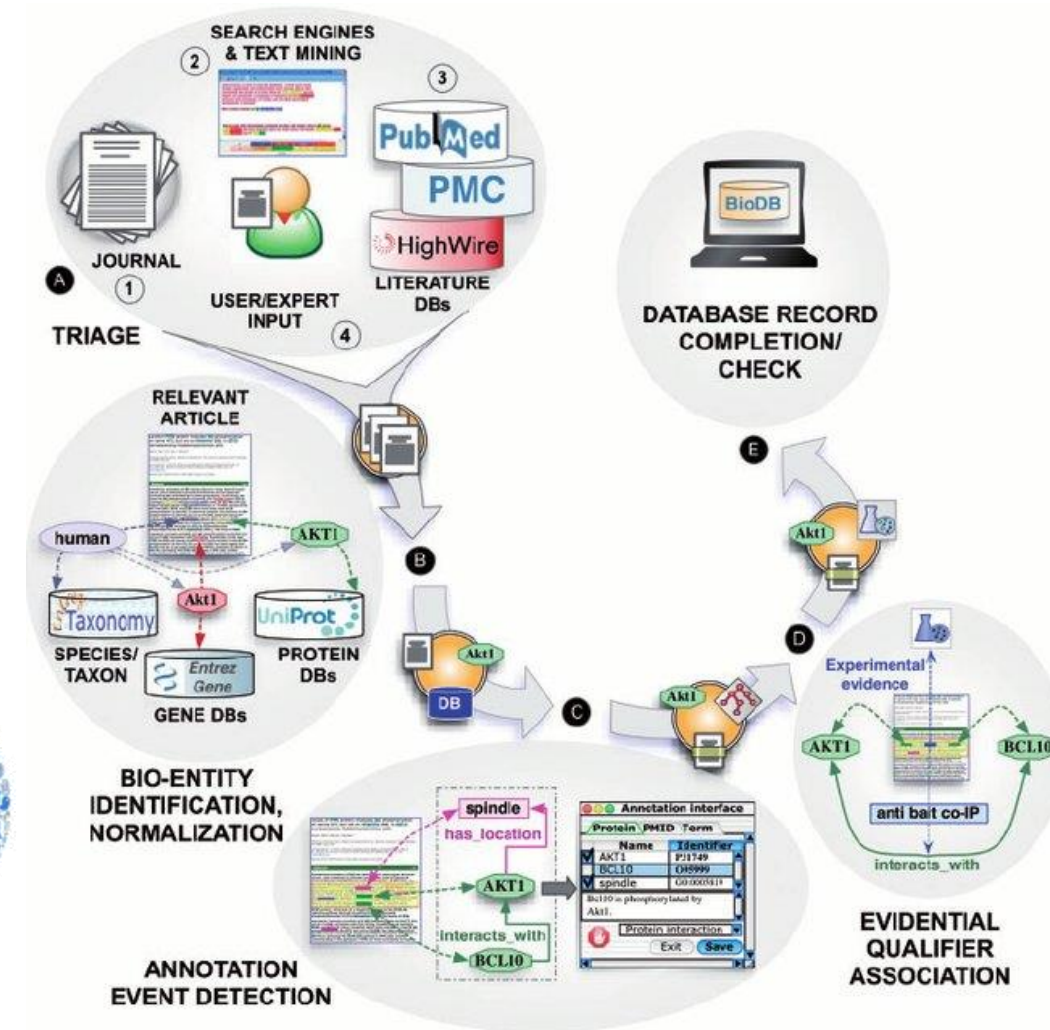


My research

- NLP -- Information extraction
- Generation models
- Applied ML



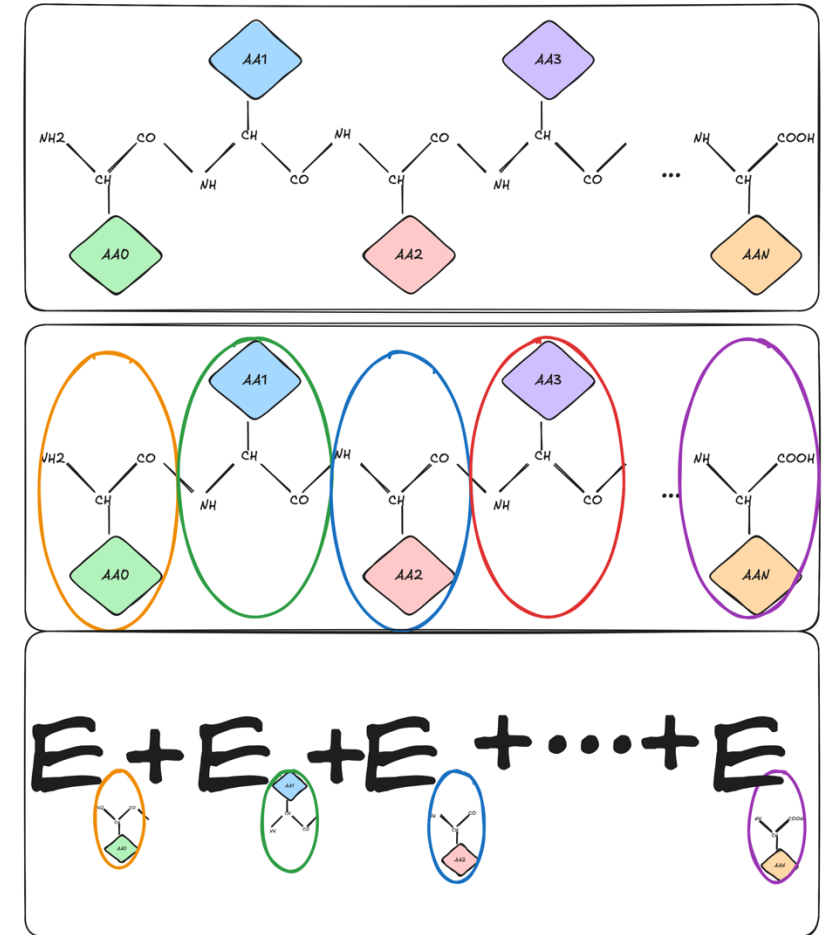
Knowledge
& Insights



SIMCODES Project:

Developing components for automating fragmentation

- Mentee: Gabriela and Devarsh
- Goals:
 - Function for identifying amino acids in a protein.
 - Function for splitting a protein by amino acid.
 - Idea: protein as an unnatural language





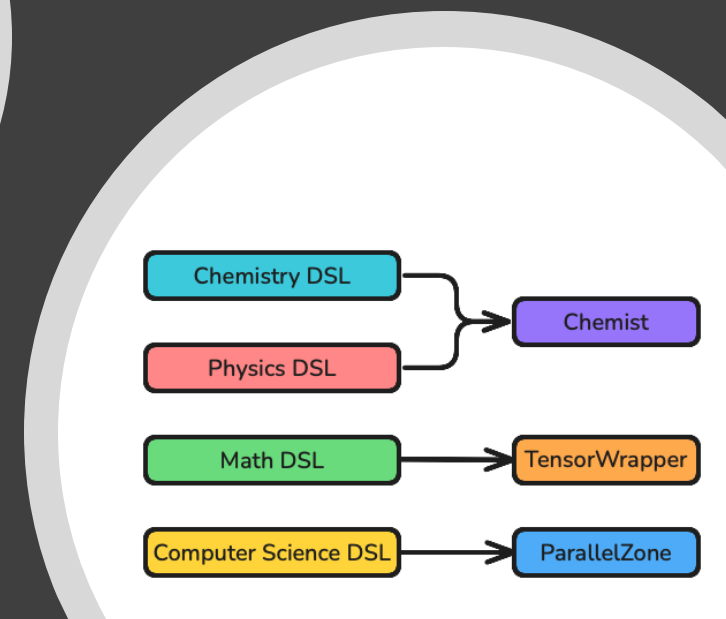
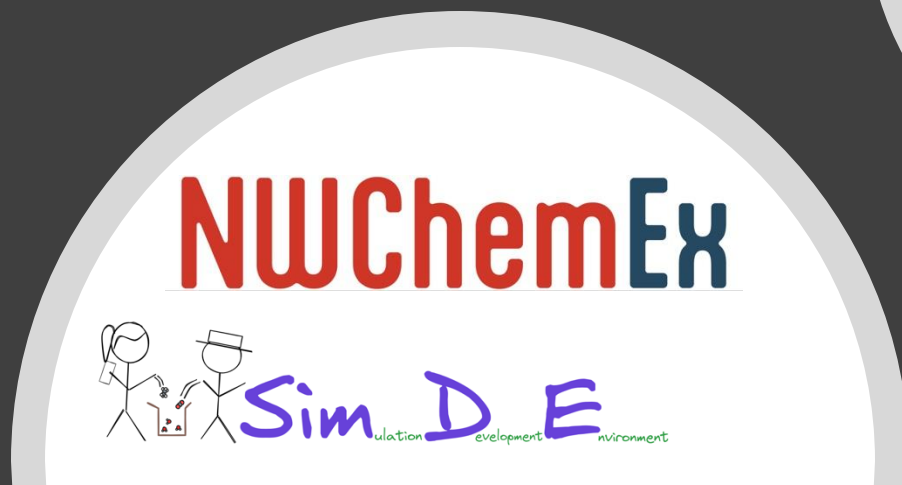
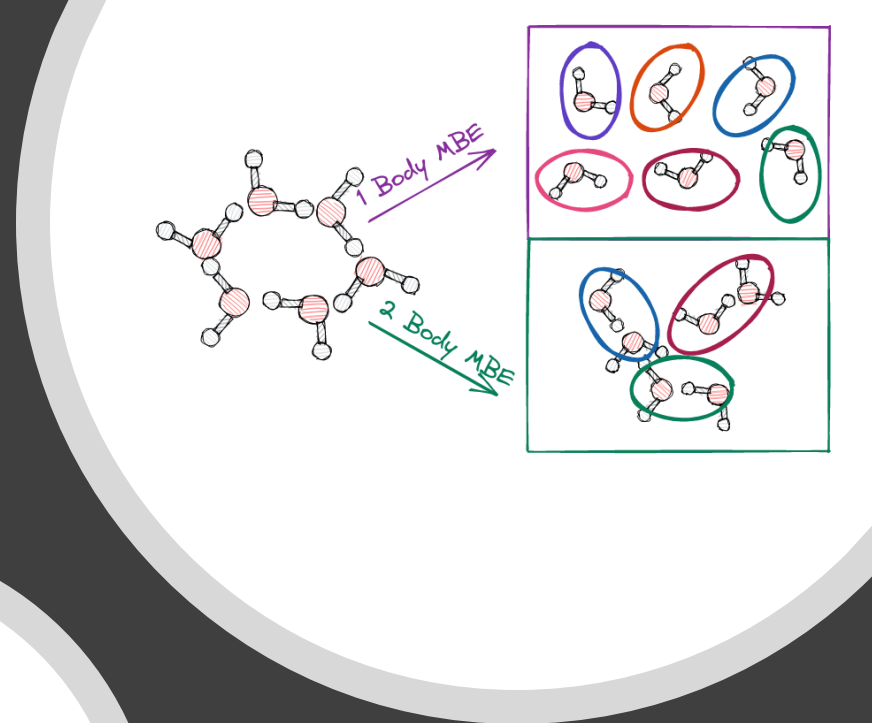
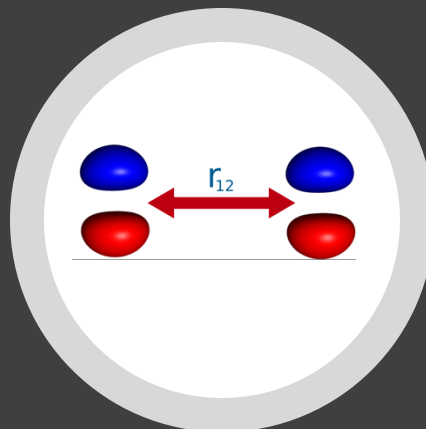
Ryan Richard

- Scientist at Ames National Laboratory and Adjunct Professor of Chemistry at Iowa State University.
- Background: Grew up in Ohio, PhD in chemistry from “The” Ohio State University.
- Interests: travel, technology, video games, exercise, being told what to do by my dogs.



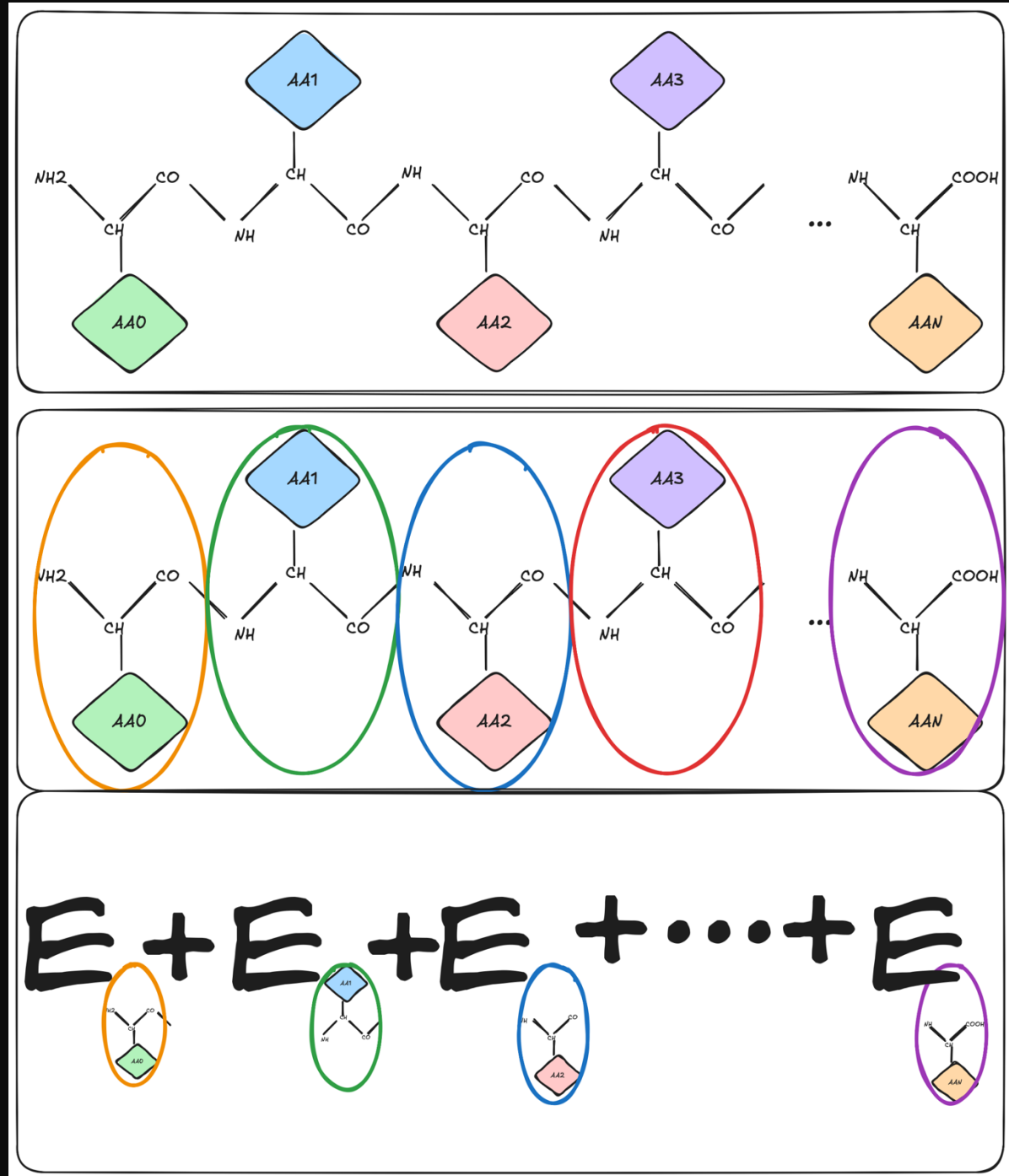
Research in the Richard Group

- Research interests: Sustainable scientific software development, high-performance computing, reduced scaling electronic structure theory.
- Develop for NWChemEx ecosystem.
- Strong emphasis on software engineering applied to theoretical chemistry.



SIMCODES Project: Developing components for automating fragmentation

- Mentee: Daniel Woodard
- Summary: Winner-take-all battle between Daniel's chemical intuition and the best AI/ML model Gabriela and Devarsh can make.
- Goals:
 - Develop tools for reading PDF files.
 - Function for identifying amino acids in a protein.
 - Function for splitting a protein by amino acid.

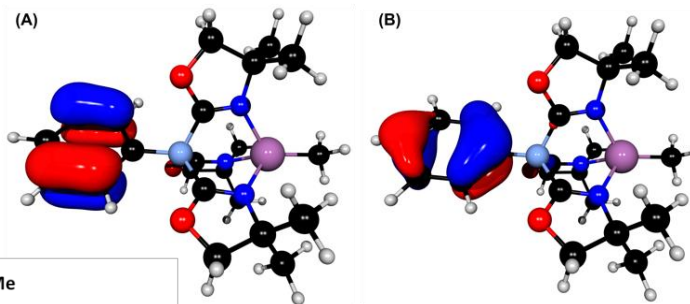
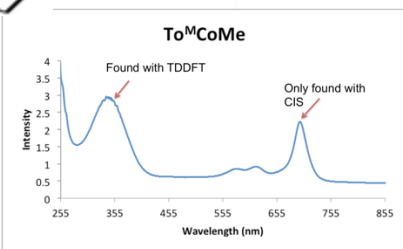
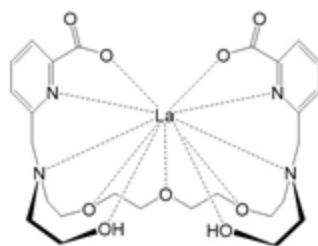
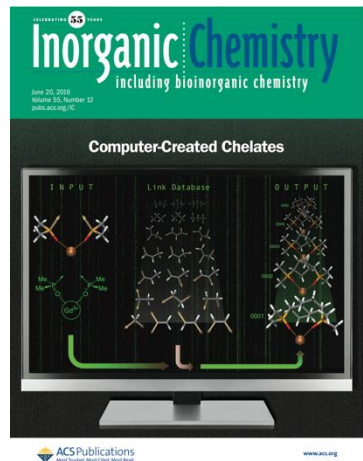




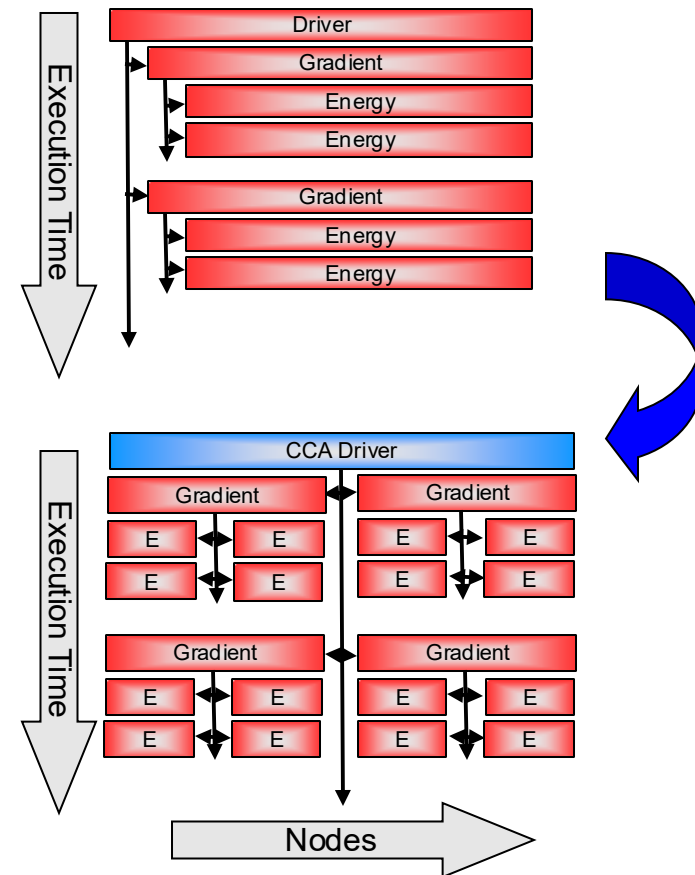
The Richard and Windus Groups

The Windus Group

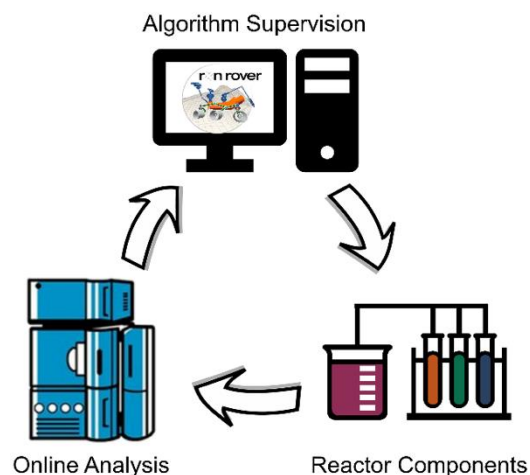
Separations and catalysis challenges



High performance, exascale computing



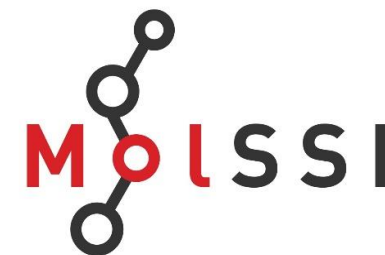
Reaction optimization and lab automation



The Windus Group and Funding



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