# Antonios P. Sarikas

# Computational Chemist





If the implementation is easy to explain, it may be a good idea.

## Education

2024-TBA PhD, Physical & Computational Chemistry, Department of Chemistry, University of Crete

2022–2024 MSc, Physical & Computational Chemistry, Department of Chemistry, University of Crete

9.86 (Excellent)
2018–2022 BSc, Chemistry, Department of Chemistry, University of Crete

8.64 (Excellent)

First of the class - obtained in 3.5/4.0 years

#### Master thesis

Title From Potential Energy Surface to Gas Adsorption via Deep Learning

Supervisor George E. Froudakis

Description Developing a deep learning based method for predicting gas adsorption in porous materials using 3D energy images.

Repository https://github.com/adosar/master\_thesis

#### Bachelor thesis

Title Screening of MOFs for  $H_2$  Storage via Machine Learning

Supervisor George E. Froudakis

Description Developing a machine learning based method for fast screening of large databases, in order to identify top performing MOFs for hydrogen storage.

# Scholarships - Awards - Highlights

- 2025 Best MSc Thesis Award (3rd place), Federation of European Materials Societies
- 2025 Postgraduate Fellowship, Vasileios Apollon Anagnostakis Bequest Fellowship
- 2025 Best MSc Thesis Award (1st place), Hellenic Society for the Science and Technology of Condensed Matter
- 2025 Ranked 9th in Scientific Reports' 2024 Materials Science Top 100. "Gas adsorption meets deep learning: voxelizing the potential energy surface of metal-organic frameworks".
- 2024 Postgraduate Fellowship, Independent Power Transmission Operator S.A. Fellowship
- 2024 Postgraduate Fellowship, Maria Michail Manasaki Bequest Fellowship
- 2023 Chatzimarinaki Award, Department of Chemistry, University of Crete
- 2022 Undergraduate Scholarship, Stamatiou Foundation
- 2021 Undergraduate Scholarship, Stamatiou Foundation

#### ¶ Publications

- [1] Aydin Ozcan, François-Xavier Coudert, Sven M. J. Rogge, Greta Heydenrych, Dong Fan, Antonios P. Sarikas, Seda Keskin, Guillaume Maurin, George E. Froudakis, Stefan Wuttke, and Ilknur Erucar. "Artificial Intelligence Paradigms for Next-Generation Metal—Organic Framework Research". In: Journal of the American Chemical Society (June 2025). DOI: 10.1021/jacs.5c08214.
- [2] Antonios P. Sarikas, Konstantinos Gkagkas, and George E. Froudakis. "Gas adsorption meets deep learning: voxelizing the potential energy surface of metal-organic frameworks". In: *Scientific Reports* 14.1 (Jan. 2024). poi: 10.1038/s41598-023-50309-8.
- [3] Antonios P. Sarikas, Konstantinos Gkagkas, and George E. Froudakis. "Gas adsorption meets geometric deep learning: points, set and match". In: *Scientific Reports* 14.1 (Nov. 2024), p. 27360. poi: 10.1038/s41598-024-76319-8.
- [4] Antonios P. Sarikas, George S. Fanourgakis, and George E. Froudakis. "Metal-organic frameworks in the age of machine learning". In: *Reticulαr Chemistry αnd Applications*. De Gruyter, Jan. 2023. DOI: 10.1515/9781501524721.
- [5] Antonios P. Sarikas, George S. Fanourgakis, Konstantinos Gkagkas, and George E. Froudakis. "Comparison of machine learning approaches for the identification of top-performing materials for hydrogen storage". In: Sustαinαble Chemistry for the Environment 5 (Mar. 2023), p. 100056. poi: 10.1016/j.scenv.2023. 100056.
- [6] Antonios P. Sarikas, George S. Fanourgakis, Emmanuel Tylianakis, Konstantinos Gkagkas, and George E. Froudakis. "Comparison of Energy-Based Machine Learning Descriptors for Gas Adsorption". In: *The Journal of Physical Chemistry C* (Oct. 2023). DOI: 10.1021/acs.jpcc.3c04223.



2025 Reviewer for Scientific Reports

2025 Reviewer for Communications Chemistry

2024 Reviewer for Journal of Cheminformatics



dsorb python package for deep learning on molecular point clouds

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Documentation

Aldsorb-online A web app for predicting properties of porous materials via deep learning

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 $\bigcap$   $\in$   $\lambda$  -python package for parallel calculation of energy voxels

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RetNet A 3D ConvNet for Reticular Chemistry

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### Presentations

- **Q** 2025 3C Summer School V2, Heraklion
- ₱ 2024 COST Action EU4MOFs, Istanbul
- **⊉** 2023 Chatzimarinaki Seminar, Heraklion
- 2023 1st Mediterranean Conference on Porous Materials, Rethymnon
- 2022 Chatzimarinaki Seminar, Heraklion
- 2022 XXXVI Pan-Hellenic conference on Solid-State Physics and Materials Science, Heraklion

## **Workshops**

- 2024 Computational Materials Science, University of Thessaly, Online
- 2023 Computational Materials Science, National Kapodistrinan University of Athens, Online
- 2022 Computational Materials Science, University of Ioannina, Online
- 2021 Computational Materials Science, University of Patras, Online
- 2021 DCMS Materials 4.0 Summer School, TU Dresden, Online

#### Computer skills

- Operating Fedora Linux, Ubuntu, Windows
  - Systems
- Programming Python, Fortran
  - Languages
    - Markup LETEX, Markdown
  - Languages
- Other Tools Git, Github, Sphinx, Vim, MSOffice

## **d** Working experience

- 2025 Coordinator for 3C Summer School V2, Department of Chemistry, University of Crete
- 2023, 2025 Teaching assistant on the Laboratory of Physical-Chemistry II, Department of Chemistry, University of Crete
- 2023, 2024 Teaching assistant on the Laboratory of Physical-Chemistry I, Department of Chemistry, University of Crete

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- English Proficiency, University of Michigan
  - Greek Native language