

## Curriculum Vitae



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**Personal description** Sergey Alyaev grew up in Saratov (Russia) where he finished diploma in mechanics at the Saratov State University. He moved to Bergen in 2008 to pursue education in applied mathematics and completed MSc and PhD degrees at University of Bergen. Currently Alyaev works as a researcher at IRIS where he applies mathematical models to solve problems of drilling and well modelling.

### Occupational field **Research in applied mathematics**

- Responsibilities** – Conducting research, writing reports and presenting results of projects  
 – Networking, securing funding and writing applications for grants  
 – Software development in C#  
**Research interests** – Fluid-flow modeling  
 – Multi-scale methods and homogenization  
 – Inverse modelling and optimization

### Work Experience

- 2013 → International Research Institute of Stavanger, Bergen, Norway.  
 – PressureAhead: Reduced uncertainty in overpressures and drilling window prediction ahead of the bit (DrillWell). [3]  
     Analysis of indirect measurement to predict overpressures and related uncertainties  
     RT-Hub: drilling data acquisition and aggregation system.  
 – Pre-project for CFD-based calculation and risk analysis for medical applications. [6]  
 – DrillScene. Improvement of usability of drilling monitoring system. (Sekal)  
 – Drilling solutions for improved recovery (DrillWell). [8]  
     Development of a complete ensemble-based geosteering workflow  
     Software integration  
 – Advanced drilling fluid processing. [9]  
     Development of simulator of top side processing equipment  
     Modelling for drilling fluids processing advisory.  
     Drilling fluid composition optimization  
 2010 – 2013 PhD Research Fellow, University of Bergen, Norway.  
 2009 – 2010 Summer student, Statoil Research Center, Bergen, Norway.  
 – Heuristics-based modeling of fracture generation and growth in oil reservoirs (C++).  
 – 3D visualization of the modeling results.  
 2008 – 2008 Intern, Mirantis/Grid Dynamics, Saratov, Russia. Investigation of databases for cloud computing. (Java)

<b>Education and training</b>	
2010 – 2017	Ph.D., Applied Mathematics, University of Bergen, Norway. <b>Disputation date: 03.02.2017</b> [7] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Mathematical analysis of fractal structure formation in freezing brine. (Matlab) [4]</li> <li>– Semi-analytical solution for micro-mechanics of agglomeration forced by capillary bridging. (Maple) [2]</li> <li>– Development and analysis of control volume HMM for non-linear flows in porous media. (Python) [5],[1],[10]</li> </ul>
2008 – 2010	M.Sc., Applied Mathematics, University of Bergen, Norway. Credits: 150. Grade: A. [11]
2004 – 2010	Specialist Diploma, Mechanics, Saratov State University, Russia. With honors. Major in Mechanics of gas liquid and plasma. [12]
<b>Fellowships and awards</b>	
2011	Best Poster Award at the international workshop "Numerical Analysis of Multiscale Problems & Stochastic Modelling" (RICAM, Linz, Austria)
2009	Support grant for participation in the International Conference on Non-linearities and Upscaling in Porous Media (NUPUS, Stuttgart, Germany)
2005-2007	Diplomas of 3rd and 2nd degree in ACM Russian Southern Regional team programming contest (ACM, Saratov, Russia)
2006	1st place in All-Russian Team Mathematical Battle (Ural State Pedagogical University, Ekaterinburg, Russia)
<b>Mobility</b>	
2011	Johann Radon Institute for Computational and Applied Mathematics (RICAM), Austria. Awarded by Austrian Academy of Sciences.
<b>Teaching activities</b>	
2010	Lecturer - Special topics in homogenization, Department of Mathematics, University of Bergen, Norway
<b>Organization of scientific meetings</b>	
2016	IRIS Energy Science Day, 85 participants, Stavnger, Norway. Role: arrangement of technical program and brainstorming sessions.
<b>Commissions of trust</b>	
2011-2012	Reviewer for Vadose Zone Journal
2013	Reviewer for the Journal of Applied Mathematics and Computation
2017	Reviewer for International Conference of Computational Methods In Sciences and Engineering
<b>Professional membership</b>	
2015-2017	Member of Petrophysicists and Well Log Analysts (SPWLA)
2009-2015	Member of international and interdisciplinary cooperation NUPUS: Non-linearities and upscaling in porous media
2016	Member of the Norway Pumps & Pipes initiative
<b>Major collaborations</b>	
Nordbotten J.M. and Keilegavlen E.	Efficient numerical methods for flow in porous media. University of Bergen, Norway
Pop I.S.	Upscaling of flows in porous media and mushy layers, University of Hasselt, Belgium
Balakin B.	Analysis of multiphase flow models; CFD analysis for medical applications. Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Norway

Daireaux B., and Iversen, F.  
Luo X., Suter E., and Vefring E.  
Torres-Verdin, C.

Flow modelling and optimization for drilling applications. IRIS, Norway  
Ensemble-based estimation and optimization of well placement. IRIS, Norway  
Modelling of well logs for geostering. University of Texas at Austin, USA

### Publications

Alyaev S., Keilegavlen E., and  
Nordbotten J.M. (2014)

### Journal Articles

[1] **Analysis of control volume heterogeneous multiscale methods for single phase flow in porous media**, Multiscale Modeling & Simulation. URL <http://hdl.handle.net/1956/15562>

Balakin B.V., Alyaev S.,  
Hoffmann A.C., and Kosinski P.  
(2013)

[2] **Micromechanics of agglomeration forced by the capillary bridge: the restitution of momentum**, AIChE Journal. URL <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/aic.14162>

### Other publications

Suter E., Alyaev S., and  
Daireaux B. (2017)

[3] **RT-Hub: next generation real-time data aggregation while drilling**, in First EAGE Workshop on Pore Pressure Prediction. URL <http://dx.doi.org/10.3997/2214-4609.201700060>

Alyaev S., Keilegavlen E.,  
Nordbotten J.M., and Pop I.S.  
(2016)

[4] **Fractal structures in freezing brine**, submitted to Journal of fluid mechanics.

Alyaev S., Keilegavlen E., and  
Nordbotten J.M. (2016)

[5] **Multiscale simulations of non-linear flows in porous media**, submitted to Water resources research.

Alyaev S., Bogdanova A.,  
Farbu E.H., and Balakin B.V.  
(2016)

[6] **Elucidating empty nose syndrome with CFD**, in VCBM & MedViz.

Alyaev S. (2016)

[7] **Multiscale analysis of selected problems in fluid dynamics**, PhD thesis. University of Bergen. URL <http://hdl.handle.net/1956/15563>

Luo X., Eliasson P., Alyaev S.  
et al. (2015)

[8] **An Ensemble-Based Framework for Proactive Geosteering**, in SPWLA 56th Annual Logging Symposium. URL <http://www.onepetro.org/conference-paper/SPWLA-2015-KKKK>

Iversen F., Daireaux B.,  
Alyaev S. et al. (2015)

[9] **Towards Closing the Loop on Drilling Fluid Management Control**, in SPE Bergen One Day Seminar. URL <http://dx.doi.org/10.2118/173887-MS>

Alyaev S., Keilegavlen E., and  
Nordbotten J.M. (2012)

[10] **Multiscale simulation of non-Darcy flows**, in Computational Methods in Water Resources, CMWR XIX. URL <http://hdl.handle.net/1956/15561>

Alyaev S. (2010)

[11] **Adaptive Multiscale Methods Based on A Posteriori Error Estimates**, Master's thesis. University of Bergen. URL <http://hdl.handle.net/1956/13151>

Alyaev S., and  
Antonenko E.V. (2008)

[12] **Influence of non-uniformity of a thin-walled cylinder on axial critical forces**, Mathematics. Mechanics. (Collection of scientific papers). In Russian.