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NIH Center for Macromolecular Modeling and Bioinformatics

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Resource Information

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Description: Biomedical technology research center focusing on the structure and function of supramolecular systems in the living cell as well as on the development of new algorithms and efficient computing tools for physical biology. They bring the most advanced molecular modeling, bioinformatics, and computational technologies to bear on questions of biomedical relevance. They extend, refine and deliver these technologies in response to experimental progress and emerging needs of the wide biomedical research community. They magnify the impact of their work through direct collaboration with experimental researchers, the distribution of cutting-edge and user-friendly software, and via extensive training, service, and dissemination efforts. The multidisciplinary team is engaged in the modeling of large macromolecular systems in realistic environments, and has produced ground-breaking insights into biomolecular processes coupled with mechanical force, bioelectronic processes in metabolism and vision, and with the function and mechanism of membrane proteins. They are committed and work towards further advancement of * Molecular modeling tools which can integrate structural information with bioinformatics databases and molecular dynamics simulations, and which can be used by a wide audience; * High performance molecular visualization and simulation software, capable of modeling biomolecules in realistic environments of 100,000,000 atoms or more; * Conceptual and methodological foundations of molecular modeling in the fields of quantum biology, mechanobiology, and interactive modeling; * Biomedical science through collaborations between theoretical and experimental researchers; * Support of the entire research process and training through a web-enabled collaborative environment; and * Service, training, and dissemination by leveraging web-based molecular graphics and integrated modeling technologies.

Abbreviations: Center for Macromolecular Modeling and Bioinformatics, TCBG

Synonyms: Resource for Macromolecular Modeling and Bioinformatics, Theoretical and Computational Biophysics Group, NIH Center for Macromolecular Modeling & Bioinformatics

Resource Type: biomedical technology research center, training resource

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No alerts have been found for NIH Center for Macromolecular Modeling and Bioinformatics.

Data and Source Information

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Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 33 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [kravitz2](#) .

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