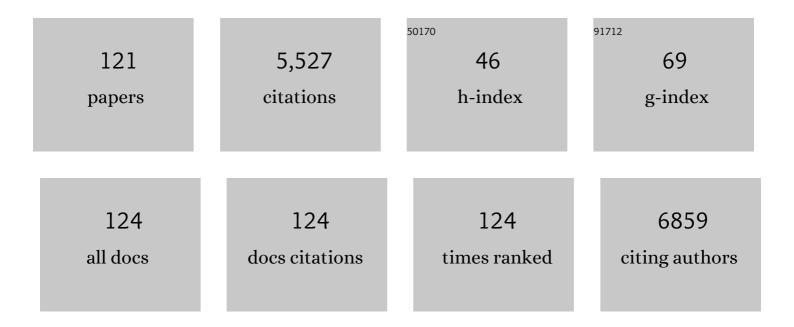
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List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	Leptin Enhances, via AP-1, Expression of Aromatase in the MCF-7 Cell Line. Journal of Biological Chemistry, 2003, 278, 28668-28676.	1.6	249
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