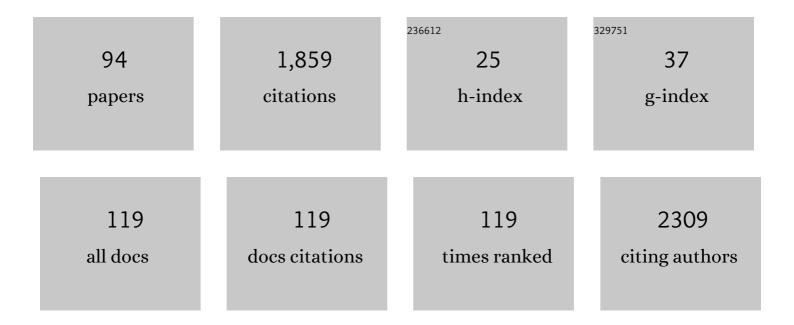
List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	Simple, Intuitive Calculations of Free Energy of Binding for Proteinâ^'Ligand Complexes. 1. Models without Explicit Constrained Water. Journal of Medicinal Chemistry, 2002, 45, 2469-2483.	2.9	131
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