

Feedback on the education in the  
**M. Sc. programme Computational Chemistry**  
 Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy, Sofia University “St. Kliment Ohridski”

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<i>Place (University, PhD program) of continued education, if applicable:</i>	PhD student in Theoretical Chemistry at Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität Bonn (Germany), employed at Max-Planck-Institut für Kohlenforschung under the supervision of Prof. Frank Neese.
<i>Present occupation (Place, position, and main responsibilities):</i>	Currently working on my PhD thesis, developing methods for ab initio calculation of NMR shielding constants and implementing them into the software package ORCA.
<i>The education at the Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy contributed to:</i>	to evaluate the area of expertise of various people – teachers, colleagues, administrative staff – and to address the appropriate person when assistance was needed.
<i>The education in the M. Sc. program Computational Chemistry contributed to:</i>	to use every opportunity to improve my professional skills and present my achievements; to prepare posters and presentations for scientific conferences.
<i>Critical notes or recommendations to the education in the M. Sc. program:</i>	After graduating I realized that I am missing in-depth understanding of the relationship between the theoretical model and its software implementation. I would recommend that the programming course includes for example writing a program for solving the Hartree-Fock equations.
<i>Your wishes to the current and future students:</i>	To be motivated and to take the initiative, to achieve a smooth transition from education to personal career.
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