

# BENJAMIN KOLLMITZER

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## Education

Since 2012 PhD study at the Institute of Molecular Biosciences of the University of Graz (formerly the Institute of Biophysics and Nanosystems Research, Austrian Academy of Sciences) in corporation with the TU Graz  
2006 – 2012 MSc in Technical Physics at the TU Graz (with distinction)  
2006 – 2009 BSc in Technical Physics (with distinction)  
2000 – 2005 A-level at the HTL-Mössingerstraße, dept. for Telecommunications and Computer Technics (with distinction)  
1996 – 2000 BRG with emphasis on sports Lerchenfeldstraße

## Work Experience and Summer Schools

2012/09 Poster presentation at the Biomembrane Days in Potsdam – Germany  
2012/06 Presentation at 2<sup>nd</sup> EBSA Biophysics Course On Membrane Biophysics and Lipid-Protein Interaction in Lacanau – Bordeaux – France  
2011 – 2012 Diploma thesis on many body quantum physics  
2010 – 2012 Student assistant for quantum mechanics courses  
August 2011 Poster presentation at 3<sup>rd</sup> Quantum Information School and Workshop in Paraty – Rio de Janeiro – Brazil  
Spring 2011 Development of a beam profiling software for Philips Klagenfurt  
Summer 2010 Different tasks within the Project Lead Skin Care at Philips  
July 2009 Participation at the intramural BEST summer school “Airspace Technologies for the Future” in Kiev, Ukraine  
August 2008 Specification drafting, realizing and simulating transport tests for refrigerator compressors at ACC Austria  
2007 Development of semiconductor “Burn in Test” installations for Infineon Villach  
Summer 2005 Programming a web shop for STT-Scheidl Technologie Trade GmbH  
August 2004 Repairing notebook motherboards at STT  
Summer 2003 Participation at the Talents-Camp at the University of Klagenfurt about machine learning  
August 2002 Internship at the KELAG (energy provider), dept. for Telecommunications

## Other Interesting Projects

### ***Matlab Software Project “Gravity Simulation”, 2007***

A neat Matlab program for simulating planet systems with almost arbitrary many bodies (at least some thousand). The fundamental idea behind “Gravity Simulation” was analysing chaotic systems via the law of gravitation.

### ***Final Year Project “Dipping probe Limno 1”, 2004 / 2005***

The goal of this yearlong A-level project was the development of an automatic dipping probe for measuring water quality. Our team of two succeeded in this task and was awarded at two competitions with 5,350 € in total.

### ***Electrocardiogram “Her(t)z”, 2004***

Together with a colleague we were able to develop a complete microcontroller-driven ECG with visualisation on a computer.

### ***Research Paper “Hacking and Phreaking”, 2004***

An English canvassing regarding the ever-actual topic of computer security and the motives, backgrounds and embodiments of cybercrime.  
(<http://members.aon.at/akollmit/Hacking.pdf>)

## ***Further Qualifications***

Languages      Fluent English  
Computer skills   Matlab, C, print design with Eagle, MS-Office etc.

## **Interests**

Sports            Soccer in a team for 10 years, cycling, beach volleyball ...  
Others            Reading, audio, electronics, computers, handicrafts