Dear Colleagues,

The Art of Molecular Programming textbook initiative is over 60% complete. We are recruiting new editors to help complete the project. Are you ready to join us, expand your network, and help define the field of molecular programming?
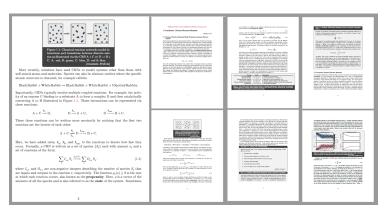
As we approach the end of the year, we wanted to reach out to our professional community with an update on the *Art of Molecular Programming (AoMP)*, a grassroots textbook initiative involving roughly 100 students, postdocs, and faculty from around the world.

> *The principles of molecular programming are currently scattered across thousands of papers. The Art of Molecular Programming is collecting these principles in one location, providing tutorial lessons, and presenting a collective vision on the field.*

As you may know, this project began in late 2020 and is slated for publication in the next 12 to 18 months. We are proud of the progress we have made in the last two years. We are thrilled to report that the foundational chapters are currently being finalized with roughly 80% of the other chapters moving toward completion. Thanks to our authors and editors for their monumental effort; we applaud your hard work.

Given the timeline of this project, we are experiencing turnover in all roles as authors and editors advance in their careers. For that reason, we are reaching out for help to get us over the finish line with this project in the coming year.

We are looking for motivated, knowledgeable students, postdocs, research associates and early-career faculty who are willing to dedicate a few hours per week to the project for the next year. The benefits to being a part of this first-of-its-kind-effort are many. You'll meet peers from dozens of countries and institutions around the world; build your professional network; learn about the scientific publishing world; polish your leadership and communication skills; and enhance your scientific knowledge base.

Please reach out to hello@molecularprogrammers.org to express interest in joining our team.

Best regards and happy holidays,

The AoMP Executive Board
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