

# Curriculum Vitae Gianmarco Accordi

## 1 Contacts

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## 2 Short Bio

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I've completed my Master's and Bachelor's degree at Politecnico di Milano, with a thesis titled "A *High-throughput pose selection method for extreme scale virtual screening in drug discovery*". Currently, I am a PhD student at Politecnico di Milano, and my research thesis is about the acceleration and performance portability of virtual screening applications on emerging HPC architectures. Specifically, I am part of the development team of LiGen, a high-throughput, extreme-scale virtual screening pipeline. LiGen has been used in the largest virtual screening campaign against SARS-CoV-2, the context of the European project EXSCALATE4CoV. In particular, I focus on the porting and optimization of computation kernels on GPUs. My research interests also include the integration of AI and quantum modules into virtual screening applications and the analysis of their accuracy and performance.

## 3 Working Experience

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### Research Fellow

at Politecnico di Milano 2022 - Present

I'm responsible for designing, implementing, and evaluating techniques to optimize virtual screening applications on modern EuroHPC supercomputers.

### Teaching Assistant

at Politecnico di Milano 2022 - Present

I've been a lecturer in various computer science courses on C, Python, and GPU programming.

### Full Stack Engineer Specialist

at Mia-Platform 2022

I've worked as a DevOps, focusing on maintaining and developing the ticket-selling system for a railway company. My main contribution has been designing and implementing a comprehensive digital selling system for passes.

### Internship

at MobiMESH 2017

The intern's objective was to analyze and design tools and software for a Wireless captive portal for many clients.

## 4 Education

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**PhD student** in Computer Science and Engineering  
Politecnico di Milano 2022 - Present

**Master's degree** in Computer Science and Engineering  
Politecnico di Milano 2019 - 2022

**Bachelor's degree** in Computer Science and Engineering  
Politecnico di Milano 2016 - 2019

## 5 Skills

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**OS** Linux, Windows, MacOS

**Languages** C/C++, Python, Kotlin, Java, Fortran, Bash

**Parallel Programming** CUDA, OpenMP, HIP, SYCL, MPI, OpenCL, OpenACC

**Compiler** NVCC, Clang, HIPCC, DPC++, GCC, LLVM

**Profiling** Nsight System, VTune, Score-P

**Cheminformatics** LiGen, AutoDock

**Project Management** Git, Jira, AGILE

**Accelerators** GPU, CPU

**Job Scheduler** SLURM, PBS

## 6 Selected Papers

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- GPU-optimized Approaches to Molecular Docking-based Virtual Screening in Drug Discovery: A Comparative Analysis*  
Journal of Parallel and Distributed Computing, 2023
- Out of Kernel Tuning and Optimizations for Portable Large Scale Docking Experiments on GPUs*  
The Journal of Supercomputing, 2023
- Unlocking performance portability on LUMI-G supercomputer: A virtual screening case study*  
IWOC, 2024
- Enabling Performance Portability on the LiGen Drug Discovery Pipeline*  
Future Generation Computer Systems, 2024
- Domain-Specific Energy Modeling for Drug Discovery and Magnetohydrodynamics Applications*  
Supercomputing, 2023
- Tunable and Portable Extreme-Scale Drug Discovery Platform at Exascale: the LIGATE Approach*  
Computing Frontiers, 2023