

Curriculum vitae

Janek Kozicki, PhD. DSc. Arch. Associate Professor
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Gdańsk University of Technology
Faculty of Applied Physics and Mathematics
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Education:

- 2023 **PhD** in Theoretical Physics, Faculty of Applied Physics and Mathematics, Gdańsk Tech. Specialty: **Quantum dynamics**, „Numerical modeling of quantum dynamical processes”, Promoters: Prof. Józef E. Sienkiewicz, Dr eng. Patryk Jasik
- 2015 **M.Sc.** in Theoretical Physics, Fac. of Mathematics, Physics and Inf., University of Gdańsk, Specialty: **Quantum dynamics**, „Time dependent approach to hydrogen-positron reactive collision”, Promoter: Prof. J. Czub.
- 2014 **Habilitation** in Technical Sciences, Civil Engineering, Gdańsk University of Technology, Specialty: **Classical material dynamics**, „Numerical modelling of microstructure in engineering materials using discrete element method”.
- 2013 **B.Sc.**, Faculty of Mathematics, Physics and Informatics, University of Gdańsk, Specialty: **Theoretical Physics**.
- 2007 **PhD** in Technical Sciences, Civil Engineering, Gdańsk University of Technology, Specialty: **Classical dynamics of discrete elements**, „Application of Discrete Models to Describe the Fracture Process in Brittle Materials”, Promoter: Prof. J. Tejchman.
- 2004 **M.Sc. Architect**, Faculty of Architecture, Gdańsk University of Technology, Specialty: Architecture on Mars, Promoter: Dr. W. Leszkiewicz.
- 2002 **M.Sc.**, Civil Engineering, Gdańsk University of Technology, Specialty: Construction theory, Promoter: Prof. J. Tejchman.

Awards and Achievements:

- 2004 - 2025 Creation and support of the numerical simulation tool YADE, which was used worldwide to write **28 PhD theses** (full list here: <https://www.yade-dem.org/doc/publications.html> on the bottom of the page). The software was created in collaboration with universities from France, Great Britain, USA, Ukraine, Austria and Germany.
- 2011 - 2014 Member of the commission for the evaluation of applications for the Ministry of Science and Higher Education prize.
- 2010 - 2013 Ministry of Science and Higher Education prize, granted to **32 best scientists in Poland**, under age 35.
- 2008 - 2009 An award for young scientists „START”, granted in two consecutive years by Foundation for Polish Science to **100 best scientists in Poland** under age 31.
- 2007 2nd place in „Space Settlement Calendar Art Contest” held by National Space Society, USA
- 2005 - 2006 Two PhD research grants from the dean of Civil and Environmental Engineering Faculty.
- 2005 An award for young scientists from Lotos, Polpharma and Jabil Circuit Poland companies.
- 1998 2nd place in Mathematics-Physics Competition held at the Gdańsk Tech.
- 1998 - 1999 Commend of Vice Chancellor for Education for students achieving best results in studies on Architecture Faculty, Gdańsk University of Technology.
- 1997 - 2002 Yearly commend of Vice Chancellor for Education for students achieving best results in studies on Civil and Environmental Engineering Faculty, Gdańsk University of Technology.
- 1995 Participation in Informatics and Programming Polish National Competition, Stage II.
- 1994 - 2005 Multiple awards at Night Orienteering competitions on rough terrain (forests and swamps) held each year by Student Association of Tourist Guiders.

International Scholarships:

- 10-11.2001 Great Britain, 2 month scholarship at University of Birmingham. Numerical modeling of granular materials with Discrete Element Method, under supervision of Prof. C. Thornton.
- 06-12.2005 France, 7 month scholarship at University Joseph-Fourier in Grenoble. Numerical modeling of granular and cohesive materials, under supervision of Prof. F. Donze.
- 2008-2009 France, post-doc at University Joseph-Fourier in Grenoble. Numerical modeling of snow using YADE software, under supervision of Prof. J. Meyssonnier and Prof. F. Donze.
- 03.2009 USA, University Utah, Salt Lake City, invited by Prof. J. D. Miller to conduct a seminar on working with YADE software, focusing on rock fracturing.

Languages:

- English Excellent, over 60 publications, two PhD theses and two books written in English. First Certificate in English (1997), Cambridge English: Advanced (2012)
- French Communicative.
- Russian Communicative.

Computer Knowledge:

- languages C++ (STL, Boost), TeX, Latex, gnuplot — excellent, over 25 years experience,
bash, zsh, C, pascal, OpenGL, QT3, QT4 — medium, over 15 years experience,
lisp, RPL, OCaml, saturn assembler — basics, below 1 year experience.
- linux administration, maintenance, office sw. — over 25 years debian linux experience
- software vim, autocad, YADE — over 20 years experience

Publications:

- 2001-2025 Over 60 publications, full list on google scholar profile:
<http://scholar.google.pl/citations?hl=en&user=YtHLDagAAAAJ>
And university profile:
<https://mostwiedzy.pl/en/jan-kozicki,19725-1/publications>

Books:

- 2009 J. Tejchman, J. Kozicki, “Steel-fibrous concrete, experiments and a numerical model”. Gdansk University of Technology Publishers.
- 2010 J. Tejchman, J. Kozicki, “Experimental and Theoretical Investigations of Steel-Fibrous Concrete”. Springer Series in Geomechanics & Geoen지니어ing.