

Evgeny Katz

POTSDAM - Earlier this month, Evgeny Katz, the Milton Kerker Chaired Professor of Colloid Science at Clarkson University, was named one of the world's top-100 chemists over the past 10 years, as ranked by the impact of his published papers by Thomson

Katz is listed at number 62, with 97 papers in that time frame with 6,147 citations and an impact of 63.37.

Citation impact (citations per paper) is a weighted measure of influence that seeks to reveal consistently superior performance. To ensure that a high score could not be achieved by a few highly cited papers, a threshold of 50 papers was

used in the analysis. The average citation impact in chemistry for the period was 11.07, so all the researchers listed in the top-100 achieved more than five times that

mark. Since approximately a million chemists were recorded in journal publications indexed by Thomson Reuters during the last decade, these 100 represent the top hun-

dredth of one percent.

The full list of Top 100 Chemists is at http://sciencewatch.com/dr/sci/misc/Top100C

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Thomson Reuters says that the top-100 is intended to celebrate the achievements of chemists who achieved the highest citation impact scores for chemistry papers (articles and reviews) published since January 2000. Thomson Reuters published the table in support of the International Year of Chemistry