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Curious and enthusiastic, I am always eager to learn new concepts and consider any source of knowledge as valuable.



This energy comes with a deep joy in sharing knowledge, naturally resulting in a passion for popularization. Even though I followed the path of mathematics, the range of my centers of interest is not confined to it and I easily develop avidity towards other forms of art, such as music or literature.



Education

Ruprecht-Karls-Universität, Institute of applied mathematics, Heidelberg, Germany
Philosophiæ doctor (PhD) student in Mathematic 2015–Present

frequentist analysis of Bayesian methods for statistical ill-posed inverse problems;

University of Rennes 1, department of mathematics Rennes, France
MSc in Mathematical Statistics; 2015

13.9/20 (2nd class division II (2.2) Honours)

University of Rennes 1, department of mathematics Rennes, France
BSc in Mathematics; 2012

10.114/20

ENSAI - National School for Statistics and Information Analysis Rennes, France
MSc in Advanced Statistical Engineering; 2002–2015

16.15/20

Lycée Clemenceau Nantes, France
Post secondary classes préparatoires Specialisation in Mathematic and Physics 2010–2012

undergraduate-level courses required in preparation for competitive entrance exams into top graduate and engineering schools (France's grandes écoles).

Subjects in study program.....

MATHEMATIC: complex analysis, differential equations, topology, functional analysis, measure theory, numerical analysis, group theory, arithmetic, linear algebra; non linear regression, time series, Hidden Markov Models, Kalman and particule filters, stochastic processes;

STOCHASTIC: statistical ill-posed inverse problems, Bayesian methods for non parametric models, frequentist methods for non parametric models, minimax theory, survival analysis, Le Cam theory, test theory, generalised additive models, DATA SCIENCE: neural networks, SVM, random forests, classification/regression trees, CART, BAGGING, image processing (filtering, Markov fields, MAP classification, MAP reconstruction), kNN, surrogate models, design of experiments, quality control of industrial processes.

Academic projects.....



Master thesis, 15/20

Rennes1 university/ENSAI

comparing prior choices in terms of their posterior concentration, 2015
compared theoretical and practical properties of two prior choices for the white noise model;

Statistics project, 15.80/20

ENSAI/THALES

create a boat tracking algorithm given AIS system data, 2015
implemented in R, involves Kalman and particular filter (group project);



Statistics project

ENSAI/Aix-Marseille University

cluster evolution analysing, application to cytometric analysis 2014
analysed the evolution of an ecosystem in state of remediation. Involves managing a large amount of data, different clustering algorithm and research of comparison criterions for partitions on different data bases (group project);

Statistics project

ENSAI

setting patient profiles based on IGS II and Glasgow scores after a liver transplant, 2013
analysing the power of prediction of these scores about death, fitting a logistic regression model to our population (group project);

Mathematic/IT project,

Lycée Georges Clemenceau

coding an automatic music composer using Rubik's Cube modelling, 2012
developed in PASCAL, involves group theory to create a Rubik's Cube solving algorithm.

Online lectures (certificates available on Linkedin).....

Responsive Website Development and Design (Coursera 6-courses specialisation, University of London, Goldsmiths), Initiation à la théorie des distributions (Coursera, École Polytechnique), Approximation Algorithms Part I (Coursera, École Normale Supérieure), Introduction to Complex Analysis (Coursera, Wesleyan University)

Professional experiences

ONERA (National Agency of Study and Research in Aerospace)

Palaiseau, France

Internship, 18.50/20 2015

Building a multi-fidelity surrogate model for Infra-Red emission by space-rocket engines: based on design of experiment, Bayesian Co-Kriging, sensitivity analysis and propagation of uncertainty. Implementations with R.

CREST (Research Centre for Economics and Statistics)

Rennes, France

Internship 2014

Studied, implemented and compared two methods for illumination bias removal on electronic microscope images: implemented an R package using C++ for these methods, based on parametric and non parametric Kernel regression.

Personal projects

Website development

Developing my personal website, 2018

recently deployed, it allows communication with students, sharing content about my research and my resume. It is dedicated to become a larger communication platform including a blog about my research group activity. Deployed with meteor and mongoDB.

IT

Operating systems.....

Mac OS, Windows, Ubuntu

Programing languages.....

C++ (used to developpe a smart house assistant application), Java, Pascal, HTML, CSS, JavaScript (Meteor)

Data science.....

R (many projects during studies, intensive use during internships for simulations and real data applications, data simulations during my PhD), Matlab (used during studies and for image treatment projects as well as for personal projects using Gibb's sampling for Hidden Markov Models), SAS (used during studies), soon learning : Python

Languages

French: ~~Mother~~tongue 

English: 2013 : TOEIC test, Advances level, 880/990


German: basic, currently learning

Spanish: Basic



Interests

Music: Guitar (formerly in band), singing, composition

Sport: judo (13 years, brown belt), **jujitsu**, handball, volleyball, running 

Reading: fictions, popular science, philosophy, sociology, technological surveillance, news

Traveling

Personal Details

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