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Project 2 Options – Machine Learning for Science

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Dear students

With project 1 behind us, we're looking forward to the more interesting project 2. The project description with all options is now available on the github

now: https://github.com/epfml/ML_course/raw/master/projects/project2/project2_description.pdf

[2]

As mentioned, we will this year offer a new option you can choose as an alternative to the standard challenges we have:

The new option is MACHINE LEARNING FOR SCIENCE – You pick a real-world challenge offered by any research group of the EPFL campus, subject to availability. You learn about an interesting application domain, and collaborate with the lab to apply machine learning methods to their specific research question, on real data provided by the lab – an exciting option to follow an interdisciplinary approach to find new insights with your team.

PARTICIPATION OF THE HOSTING LAB. The lab hosting you will help us grading the domain-specific merit of your contribution. We encourage you to reach out to any lab of your choice at EPFL, UniL, CERN, CHUV, Idiap etc., and ask them for a project idea, or propose an idea to them.

Here is a list of labs which already have already shown their interest and provided exciting project ideas. Note that other labs are possible as well.

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Mav7vND2dYghHQxLEXqnvLZ1z9GKRcNyn0A1wcQpMPo/> [1]

Important Logistics: You can only sign up for this option if the professor of that lab agrees to host your group of 3 students, and will confirm this by filling the mandatory registration form for labs, by November 15th:

<https://goo.gl/forms/0ElZtbKGz4U0lCag1> [3]

Again, this is just one of several options for project 2. We are also investigating if we can offer a third option to participate in the ICLR reproducibility challenge. More info on this is going to follow in a separate email in a few days.

best regards,

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Links:

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