

## CS 672: Data Science for Smart Cities

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### Information

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Textbooks: No books are required, and links for references and papers are provided.

Grading: 10% for Class Participation;  
20% for Reading Summaries;  
20% for Topic Participation;  
50% for Team Project (10% for Proposal Report; 20% for Final Report; 20% for Presentation)

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### New Announcements

Week	Date	Topics and Reading Assignments
1	Jan 27	General Class Introduction
2	Feb 3	Summary Writing and Presentation Introduction Suggested Reading: <a href="#">Urban Computing: Concepts, Methodologies, and Applications</a>

3	Feb 10	<p>Topic 1. Urban Sensing</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. A Systematic Review for Smart City Data Analytics</li> <li>1. MAC: Measuring the Impacts of Anomalies on Travel Time of Multiple Transportation Systems</li> <li>2. coSense: Collaborative Urban-Scale Vehicle Sensing based on Heterogeneous Fleets</li> <li>3. EXIMIUS: A Measurement Framework for Explicit and Implicit Urban Traffic Sensing</li> <li>4. MutliCell: Urban Population Modeling based on Multiple Cellphone Networks</li> <li>5. CellTrans: Private Car or Public Transportation? Infer Users' Main Transportation Modes</li> <li>6. SharedEdge: GPS-Free Fine-Grained Travel Time Estimation in State-Level Highway Systems</li> </ul>
4	Feb 17	<p>Topic 2. Data-Driven Modeling: Human Mobility</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. Urban Human Mobility: Data-Driven Modeling and Prediction</li> <li>1. Human Mobility Modeling at Metropolitan Scales</li> <li>2. Mobility Modeling and Prediction in Bike-Sharing Systems</li> <li>3. Inferring human mobility patterns from taxicab location traces</li> <li>4. BuSCOPE: Fusing Individual &amp; Aggregated Mobility Behavior for "Live" Smart City Services</li> <li>5. Route Prediction for Instant Delivery</li> <li>6. Returners and explorers dichotomy in human mobility</li> </ul>
5	Feb 24	<p>Topic 3. Data-Driven Modeling: Urban Phenomena</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. Data-driven Human Mobility Modeling: A Survey and Engineering Guidance for Mobile Networking</li> <li>1. Understanding Long-Term Evolving Patterns of Shared Electric Vehicle Fleets</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2. Discovering Regions of Different Functions in a City Using Human Mobility and POIs</li> <li>• 3. Inferring Gas Consumption and Pollution Emissions of Vehicles throughout a City</li> <li>• 4. U-Air: When Urban Air Quality Inference Meets Big Data</li> <li>• 5. CityGuard: Citywide Fire Risk Forecasting Using A Machine Learning Approach.</li> <li>• 6. Hard to Park? Estimating Parking Difficulty at Scale</li> </ul>
6	Mar 2	<p>Topic 4. Data-Driven Modeling: Data Fusion</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0. Methodologies for Cross-Domain Data Fusion: An Overview</li> <li>• 1. coMobile: Real-time Human Mobility Modeling at Urban Scale by Multi-View Learning</li> <li>• 2. Detecting Urban Anomalies Using Multiple Spatio-Temporal Data Sources</li> <li>• 3. Diagnosing New York City Noises with Ubiquitous Data</li> <li>• 4. Hydra: A Personalized and Context-Aware Multi-Modal Transportation Recommendation System</li> <li>• 5. PrivateHunt: Multi-Source Data-Driven Dispatching in For-Hire Vehicle Systems</li> <li>• 6. The Role of Urban Mobility in Retail Business Survival</li> </ul>
7	Mar 9	<p>Topic 5. Data Visual Analytics</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0. Visual Analytics in Urban Computing: An Overview</li> <li>• 1. SmartAdP: Visual Analytics of Large-scale Taxi Trajectories for Selecting Billboard Locations</li> <li>• 2. Narrative Visualization: Telling Stories with Data</li> <li>• 3. Data Changes Everything: Challenges and Opportunities in Data Visualization Design Handoff</li> <li>• 4. What is Interaction for Data Visualization?</li> <li>• 5. TelCoVis: Visual Exploration of Co-occurrence in Urban Human Mobility Based on Telco Data</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6. AirVis: Visual Analytics of Air Pollution Propagation</li> </ul>
Spring Break		
8	Mar 23	<p>Project Proposal Presentation</p> <p>No Reading Assignment</p>
9	Mar 30	<p>Topic 6.Data-Driven Decision Making</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. Data Sets, Modeling and Decision Making in Smart Cities: A Survey</li> <li>1. A Deep Reinforcement Learning-Enabled Dynamic Redeployment System for Mobile Ambulances</li> <li>2. Towards Efficient Sharing: A Usage Balancing Mechanism for Bike Sharing Systems</li> <li>3. Planning bike lanes based on Sharing-bike's trajectories.</li> <li>4. sharedCharging: Data-Driven Shared Charging for Large-Scale Heterogeneous Electric Vehicles</li> <li>5. Addressing the minimum fleet problem in on-demand urban mobility</li> <li>6. Exploiting Heterogeneous Human Mobility Patterns for Intelligent Bus Routing</li> </ul>
10	Apr 6	<p>Topic 7.Novel Services</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0. Urban Computing Leveraging Location-Based Social Network Data: A Survey</li> <li>1. Catch Me If You Can: Detecting Pickpocket Suspects from Large-Scale Transit Records</li> <li>2. A Taxi Driving Fraud Detection System</li> <li>3. Learning to Generate Maps from Trajectories</li> <li>4. Growing the Charging Station Network for Electric Vehicles with Trajectory Data Analytics</li> <li>5. Alleviating Users' Pain of Waiting: Effective Task Grouping for Online-to-Offline Food Delivery</li> <li>6. Detecting Vehicle Illegal Parking Events using Sharing Bikes' Trajectories</li> </ul>

11	Apr 13	<p>Topic 8. Transferability and Dependency Analyses</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0. A Survey on Transfer Learning</li> <li>• 1. pg-Causality: Identifying Spatiotemporal Causal Pathways for Air Pollutants with Urban Big Data.</li> <li>• 2. Transfer Knowledge between Cities</li> <li>• 3. Learning from Hometown and Current City: Cross-city POI Recommendation via Interest Drift</li> <li>• 4. Cityresolver: a decision support system for conflict resolution in smart cities</li> <li>• 5. CellRep: Usage Representativeness Modeling and Correction Based on Multiple Cellular Networks</li> <li>• 6. Understanding the Evolution of City-Scale Ridesharing Services: A Perspective of EV Penetration</li> </ul>
12	Apr 20	<p>Topic 9. Human-in-the-loop</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0. People-Centric Urban Sensing</li> <li>• 1. Taxi Driving Behavior Analysis in Latent Vehicle-to-Vehicle Networks: A Social Influence Perspective</li> <li>• 2. Understanding User Behavior in Online Car Sharing Services Through the Lens of Mobility</li> <li>• 3. Human Mobility, Social Ties, and Link Prediction</li> <li>• 4. Friendship and Mobility: User Movement in Location-Based Social Networks</li> <li>• 5. Community Interaction and Conflict on the Web</li> <li>• 6. DeepAPP: A Deep Reinforcement Learning Framework for Mobile Application Usage Prediction</li> </ul>
13	Apr 27	<p>Topic 10. Privacy and Security</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0. The Long Road to Computational Location Privacy: A Survey</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. PrivateBus: Privacy Identification and Protection in Large-Scale Bus WiFi Systems</li> <li>2. Anonymization of Location Data Does Not Work: A Large-Scale Measurement Study</li> <li>3. Elastic Pathing: Your Speed is Enough to Track You</li> <li>4. "Why Are They Collecting My Data?": Inferring the Purposes of Network Traffic in Mobile Apps</li> <li>5. CrowdPOI: A Crowdsourcing System for POI Location Fraud Corrections</li> <li>6. TrajGuard: A Comprehensive Trajectory Copyright Protection Scheme</li> </ul>
14	May 4	<p>Final Project Presentation</p> <p>No Reading Assignment</p>
	May 11	<p>Final project papers are due on May 11th 11:59PM EST.</p>

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## "How to" List

1. [How to Read a Paper](#) by S. Keshav.
2. [How to Read a Research Paper](#) by Michael Mitzenmacher.
3. [Writing Reviews for Systems Conferences](#) by Timothy Roscoe.
4. [How to Read an Engineering Research Paper](#) by William Griswold.
5. [How to Read a Research Paper](#) by Spencer Rugaber.
6. [How to write a great research paper](#) by Simon Peyton Jones.
7. [How to give a great research talk](#) by Simon Peyton Jones.