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Education

PhD in Applied Mathematics

Dijon, France

UNIVERSITÉ DE BOURGOGNE

2018-2021

- Advisors: Samuel Vaïter and Hervé Cardot
- Title: Non-smooth optimization for the estimation of cellular immune components in a tumoral environment
- Funding: Contrat doctoral (Concours 2018)

MSc in Applied Mathematics

Dijon, France

UNIVERSITÉ DE BOURGOGNE

2015-2017

- Graduated with high honors
- Ranked 1/11
- Courses: Convex optimization, data analysis, Statistical inference, probability theory, stochastic algorithm

BSc in Mathematics

Dijon, France

UNIVERSITÉ DE BOURGOGNE

2012-2015

Experience

Post-doctoral researcher

*Esch-sur-Alzette,
Luxembourg*

UNIVERSITÉ DU LUXEMBOURG

October 2021- current

- Developing Machine Learning tools for Parkinson Disease research
- Continue research activity on Coordinate descent for machine learning optimization problems

Teaching assistant

Dijon, France

UNIVERSITÉ DE BOURGOGNE

Jan. 2018-June 2021

- Teaching statistical classes. Subjects include: introduction to probability distribution, confidence interval and statistical tests
- Given approximately 120 hours of classes

Biostatistician

Dijon, France

CENTRE GEORGES FRANÇOIS LECLERC, TEAM OF PROF. GHIRINGHELLI

Oct. 2017 - Sept. 2018

- Worked in the research team of a cancer Institute
- Performed survival analysis, data analysis and software development

Biostatistics Intern

Dijon, France

CENTRE GEORGES FRANÇOIS LECLERC, TEAM OF PROF. GHIRINGHELLI

April 2017-Sept. 2017

- Compared different algorithms to estimate immune cells proportions inside a tumor

Publications

MATHEMATICS AND MACHINE LEARNING

Publications

- Q. Bertrand, Q. Klopfenstein, M. Blondel, S. Vaïter, A. Gramfort, J. Salmon. *Implicit differentiation of Lasso-type models for hyperparameter optimization*. ICML. 2020
- Q. Klopfenstein and S. Vaïter. *Linear Support Vector Regression with Linear Constraints*. Machine Learning. 36 pages. 2021

Preprints

- Q. Bertrand, Q. Klopfenstein, M. Massias, M. Blondel, S. Vaiter, A. Gramfort, J. Salmon. *Implicit differentiation for fast hyperparameter selection in non-smooth convex learning*. Submitted. arXiv:2105.01637. 45 pages. 2021
- Q. Klopfenstein, Q. Bertrand, A. Gramfort, J. Salmon, S. Vaiter. *Model identification and local linear convergence of coordinate descent*. Preprint. arXiv:2010.11825. 26 pages. 2020

BIostatistics

- C. Reichling, J. Taieb, V. Derangère, Q. Klopfenstein et al. *Artificial intelligence-guided tissue analysis combined with immune infiltrate assessment predicts stage III colon cancer outcomes in PETACC08 study*. Gut. 2019
- Q. Klopfenstein, C. Truntzer, J. Vincent, F. Ghiringhelli. *Cell lines and immune classification of glioblastoma define patient's prognosis*. British Journal of Cancer. 2019
- F. Ledys, Q. Klopfenstein, C. Truntzer, L. Arnould et al. *RAS status and neoadjuvant chemotherapy impact CD8+ cells and tumor HLA class I expression in liver metastatic colorectal cancer*, Journal for Immunotherapy of Cancer, 2018
- J.D Fumet, C. Richard, F. Ledys, Q. Klopfenstein et al. *Prognostic and predictive role of CD8 and PD-L1 determination in lung tumor tissue of patients under anti PD-1 therapy*. British Journal of Cancer. 2018
- T. Collot, J.D. Fumet, Q. Klopfenstein, J. Vincent et al. *Bevacizumab-based Chemotherapy for Poorly-differentiated Neuroendocrine Tumors*. Anticancer Research. 2018

Talks

- 2020-10-21: Séminaire SPOC, Two algorithms to solve the LASSO, Université de Bourgogne
- 2020-07-14: ICML2020, Implicit differentiation of Lasso-type models for hyperparameter optimization, online conference
- 2019-08-27: GRETSI 2019, Linear Simplex Support Vector Regression, Lille
- 2019-07-02: SPARS 2019, Linear Simplex Support Vector Regression, Toulouse
- 2019-06-04: JDS 2019, Linear Simplex Support Vector Regression, Faculté des Sciences et Technologies, Nancy
- 2019-05-13: SMAI 2019, Linear Simplex Support Vector Regression, Guidel Plages
- 2019-04-12: Journée des Jeunes Chercheurs en Mathématiques, Deconvolution models: a tool to better understand cancers, Université de Bourgogne Franche Comté, Besançon

Grants

- Best PhD prize, EUR given by Institut de Mathématiques de Bourgogne (2021)
- Grant obtained for the visit of PhD Student from other teams. Research proposal written with Quentin Bertrand, see GDR IA, 2019

Review services

I was/am a reviewer for AISTAT2021, 2020 IEEE Information Theory Workshop, Journal of Machine Learning Research and Journal of Machine Learning Software.

Open source software

Summary on my github page: <https://github.com/klopfe>

- sparse-ho: Python package for fast automatic hyperparameter selection of sparse linear models
- LSSVR: Python package for linearly constrained support vector regression