

scRNA-seq clustering and trajectory inference

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Registration link:

Hours of instruction: 2

Prerequisites:

- ✧ a basic knowledge of python programming concepts
- ✧ Install scanpy, scvelo, and sklearn packages

Summary:

Clustering methods allow researchers to identify subpopulations and explore the heterogeneity of single-cell data. This Bootcamp will introduce three clustering strategies, K-means based clustering, hierarchical clustering, and shared-nearest-neighbour-based clustering. Trajectory inference approaches can computationally infer the order of single-cells along developmental trajectories. The gene expression level and spliced/unspliced mRNA trajectory inference methods will be introduced at this Bootcamp.

Contents:

I. Module 1 (70 mins)

- a. Recap: dimensional reduction methods (5 mins)
 - i. Principal Components Analysis
- b. Clustering methods (40 mins)
 - i. K-Means based methods
 - ii. Hierarchical clustering methods
 - iii. Shared-nearest-neighbour methods

Hands on (25 mins)

10 mins break

II. Module 2 (40 mins)

- a. Trajectory inference (25 mins)
 - i. Gene expressional level inference
 - ii. RNA velocity and trajectory inference

Hands on (15 time)