Research interests

Theoretical aspects of deep learning, quantized neural networks, and multiclass support vector machines. Applications to genomic data analysis.

Education

Sep'16-present	University of Michigan, Ann Arbor Ph.D. candidate in electrical engineering & computer science (EECS)	3.9 GPA
Sep'14–Jun'16	University of California, Davis M.A. in mathematics	3.9 GPA
Sep'10–Apr'14	University of Michigan, Ann Arbor B.S.E. in EECS with minor in mathematics	3.7 GPA

Publications

Yutong Wang and Clay Scott. "VC dimension of partially quantized neural networks in the overparametrized regime." *Preprint*. [arXiv]

Yutong Wang and Clay Scott. "An exact solver for the Weston-Watkins SVM subproblem." *ICML* 2021. [Link] [arXiv]

Yutong Wang and Clay Scott. "Weston-Watkins Hinge Loss and Ordered Partitions." NeurIPS 2020. [Link][arXiv]

Tasha Thong, Yutong Wang, Michael D. Brooks, Christopher T. Lee, Clayton Scott, Laura Balzano, Max S. Wicha, Justin A. Colacino. "Hybrid Stem Cell States: Insights Into the Relationship Between Mammary Development and Breast Cancer Using Single-Cell Transcriptomics" Frontiers in Cell and Developmental Biology, vol. 8, article 288, 2000. [Link]

Technical reports & workshop presentations

Y. Wang, J. Welch, L. Balzano, and C. Scott. "Domain adaptation for spatial and dissociated gene expression data." *Learning Meaningful Representations of Life (LMRL) Workshop at NeurIPS 2019.* [Workshop abstract]

Y. Wang, T. Thong, V. Saligrama, J. Colacino, L. Balzano, and C. Scott. "A Gene Filter for Comparative Analysis of Single-Cell RNA-Sequencing Trajectory Datasets."

Y. Wang, M. Reyes, and D. Neuhoff. "Correct Convergence of Min-Sum Loopy Belief Propagation in a Block Interpolation Problem." [arXiv]

Teaching experiences

Graduate student instructor at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

• EECS 598: Statistical Learning Theory, Winter 2021. ECE GSI Honorable Mention.

Teaching assistant at the University of California, Davis.

- MAT 21C: Calculus: Partial Derivatives and Series, Winter 2015, Fall 2015, Winter 2016, and Winter 2016.
- MAT 21D: Vector Analysis, Fall 2014, and Spring 2016.

Poster presentations

Jan'19 Unsupervised feature selection for manifold alignment of scRNA-seq data

Michigan Student Symposium for Interdisciplinary Statistical Sciences 2019.

"Best Speed Oral Presentation" award.

Jun'17 Joint analysis of bulk and single-cell RNA-Seq data via matrix factorization

Midwest Machine Learning Symposium

Oct'17 A convex clustering formulation using the similarity matrix

3rd Annual MIDAS Symposium

"Most Interesting Methodological Advancement" award.

Service activities

Reviewer for PNAS, ICML 2020, IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing, JMLR.