Contact University of Glasgow E-mail: Agnieszka.Borowska@glasgow.ac.uk Information School of Mathematics and Statistics Website: aborowska.github.io University Place Glasgow G12 8QQ Bayesian statistics, computational statistics, Monte Carlo methods, approximate Bayesian computa-Research Interests tions, time series, state space models, rare events EMPLOYMENT University of Glasgow, UK from June 2020 Research Associate in Statistics Position within the Closed-Loop Data Science project (an EPSRC funded project for Complex, Computationally- and Data-Intensive Analytic) University of Glasgow, UK May 2018 - May 2020 Research Assistant in Statistics Position within the SoftMech Centre (an EPSRC centre for Multiscale Soft Tissue Mechanics) VU Amsterdam, The Netherlands Sep. 2015 – Jul. 2019 Ph.D. candidate in Econometrics Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands Sep. 2014 – Dec. 2014 Teaching Assistant for graduate level courses VU Amsterdam and Tinbergen Institute, The Netherlands Jul. 2019 EDUCATION Ph.D. in Econometrics Title: Methods for Accurate and Efficient Bayesian Analysis of Time Series Supervisors: Prof. Siem Jan Koopman and Dr Lennart Hoogerheide Tinbergen Institute and VU Amsterdam, The Netherlands Aug. 2015 M.Phil. in Econometrics University of Warsaw, Poland Sep. 2013 Faculty of Mathematics, Informatics and Mechanics B.Sc. in Mathematics minor: Probability Theory Warsaw School of Economics, Poland Jan. 2012 M.Sc. in Economics, major: Macroeconomic Analysis Warsaw School of Economics, Poland Jul. 2009 B.Sc. in Economics, major: Macroeconomic Analysis minor: Computational and Optimisation Methods in Decision Making University of Edinburgh, UK Apr. 2017 – Jun. 2017 VISITS AND EXCHANGES

Postgraduate Research Visit at the School of Mathematics

Host Supervisor: Prof. Ruth King

University of Göttingen, Germany

Sep. 2010 – Feb. 2011

Faculty of Economics and Business Administration

M.Sc. programme, exchange within the Erasmus Programme

Publications

Journals

Gaussian Process Enhanced Semi-Automatic ABC: Parameter Inference in a Stochastic Differential Equation System for Chemotaxis,

with Diana Giurghita and Dirk Husmeier

Journal of Computational Physics (forthcoming)

Partially Censored Posterior for Robust and Efficient Risk Evaluation

with Lennart Hoogerheide, Siem Jan Koopman and Herman K. van Dijk

Journal of Econometrics, 2020

Time-varying Combinations of Bayesian Dynamic Models and Equity Momentum Strate-

with Nalan Baştürk, Stefano Grassi, Lennart Hoogerheide and Herman K. van Dijk

Journal of Econometrics, 2018

Bayesian Dynamic Modeling of High-Frequency Integer Price Changes

with István Barra and Siem Jan Koopman Journal of Financial Econometrics, 2018

Conferences

Massive Dimensionality Reduction for the Left Ventricular Mesh

with Lukasz Romaszko, Alan Lazarus, Hao Gao, Xiaoyu Luo and Dirk Husmeier Proceedings of the International Conference on Statistics: Theory and Applications 2019

Direct Learning Left Ventricular Meshes from CMR Images

with Lukasz Romaszko, Alan Lazarus, Hao Gao, Xiaoyu Luo and Dirk Husmeier Proceedings of the International Conference on Statistics: Theory and Applications 2019

SUBMITTED AND UNDER REVISION

$Semi-Complete\ Data\ Augmentation\ for\ Efficient\ State\ Space\ Model\ Fitting$

with Ruth King

(revision for Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics)

Efficient Bayesian Risk Estimation for Long Horizons

with Lennart Hoogerheide and Siem Jan Koopman (submitted)

Bayesian Optimisation for Efficient Parameter Inference in a Cardiac Mechanics Model of the Left Ventricle,

with Hao Gao, Alan Lazarus and Dirk Husmeier (submitted)

SERVICE

Reviewing for: Annals of Applied Statistics, Journal of Financial Econometrics, Statistical Applications in Genetics and Molecular Biology, Computational Economics

SELECTED CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS ([P]—POSTER)

British Applied Mathematics Colloquium (postponed due to Covid-19),

Glasgow, UK 6–9 Apr. 2020

ABC in Grenoble Workshop (cancelled due to Covid-19),

Grenoble, France 19–20 Mar. 2020

Seminar Series of the Division of Aerodynamics, Warsaw University of Technology,

Warsaw, Poland 12 Dec. 2019

3rd Annual Workshop on Financial Econometrics,

Örebro, Sweden 11–12 Nov. 2019

10th European Seminar on Bayesian Econometrics [P],

St Andrews, UK 2–3 Sep. 2019

International Conference on Statistics: Theory and Applications,

Lisbon, Portugal 13–14 Aug. 2019

39th International Symposium on Forecasting,

Thessaloniki, Greece 16–19 Jun. 2019

Workshop on Uncertainty Quantification for Cardiac Models [P],

Cambridge, UK 5–7 Jun. 2019 Cside 2018 Conference, Glasgow, UK 26 Nov. 2018

2nd Joint Liverpool-Glasgow Maths Healthcare Centre Meeting,

Liverpool, UK 30 Aug. 2018

4th Bayesian Young Statisticians Meeting, Warwick, UK 02 – 03 Jul. 2018

12th Netherlands Econometric Study Group Meeting [P],

Amsterdam, The Netherlands 25 May 2018

1st Bayes Comp [P], Barcelona, Spain 26–28 Mar. 2018

10th International Conference of the ERCIM WG on Computational

and Methodological Statistics [P], London, UK 16–18 Dec. 2017

8th European Seminar on Bayesian Econometrics,

Maastricht, The Netherlands 26–27 Oct. 2017

Sequential Monte Carlo Workshop 2017 [P], Uppsala, Sweden 30 Aug. – 1 Sep. 2017

	1st International Conference on Econometrics and Statistics,	15–17 Jun. 2017
	Hong Kong Statistics Seminar Series of the School of Mathematics,	
	Edinburgh, UK 10th International Conference on Computational	19 May 2017
	and Financial Econometrics, Seville, Spain	9–11 Dec. 2016
	3rd Bayesian Young Statisticians Meeting, Florence, Italy	20-21 Jun. 2016
	11th Netherlands Econometric Study Group Meeting [P],	17 10 I 0010
	Leuven, Belgium	17–18 Jun. 2016
SELECTED	University of Warsaw, Poland	
Professional Research Experience	Researcher Feb. 2012 – Sep. 2014 Pension system reform modelling within the OLG framework under time inconsistency; welfare analysis of various fiscal closures; numerical model solving in Fortran; paper writing and editing.	
	National Bank of Poland, Warsaw, Poland Internship in the Economics Institute, Monetary Policy Strategy Bureau Comparison and evaluation of the communication tools and institutional selected central banks.	Aug. 2009 solutions implemented in
PROJECT FUNDING	SofTMech Feasibility Fund (10,000 GBP) Jan. – Mar. 2020 co-investigator and co-supervisor (with Dirk Husmeier, Alan Lazarus and Hao Gao) A follow-up 3-month study on the 2019 project to employ a postdoc to develop a large-scale convolutional neural network for direct learning of 3D geometries from images as well as to perform deep-learning based classification of medical images.	
	SofTMech Feasibility Fund (10,000 GBP) co-investigator and co-supervisor (with Dirk Husmeier and Hao Gao) A 3-month project employing a postdoc to investigate the usefulness of deep learning techniques for dimensionality reduction of 3D geometries and for direct learning these geometries from image data.	
TRAVEL GRANTS, AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS	Örebro University School of Business travel funding (650 EUR) to attend Workshop on Financial Econometrics, Örebro, Sweden	Sep. 2019
	International Institute of Forecasters travel award (1660 USD) to attend ISF 2019 and the forecasting summer school	Mar. 2019
	Cside 2018 1st place prize (250 GBP) for 2 subcompetitions for SDE models	Nov. 2018
	ISBA travel award to attend BAYSM 2018 $(400~\mathrm{USD})$	Apr. 2018
	SMC 2017 scholarship (15,000 SEK \approx 1600 EUR) to attend the SMC 2017 workshop and the intensive course	Aug. 2017
	Tinbergen Institute merit-based scholarship (30,000 EUR)	G 0010 A 0017
	Tinbergen Institute, full scholarship, 2 years of MPhil	Sep. 2013 – Aug. 2015
	Student Exchange Scholarship Warsaw School of Economics, the LLP Erasmus	Sep. 2010 – Feb. 2011
	Scholarship for excellent academic achievements	•
	Warsaw School of Economics	Oct. 2007 – Sep. 2010
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	University of Glasgow, UK Honours and MSc Projects supervision (Statistics)	2018/2019
	VU Amsterdam, the Netherlands	
	TA for Regimen Mathematics (R.Sc. course)	Feb. – Mar. 2017
	TA for Business Mathematics (B.Sc. course, evaluation: 3.8/5) TA for Business Statistics (B.Sc. course, evaluation: 4.1/5)	Sep. – Oct. 2016 Feb. – Mar. 2016
	Tinbergen Institute , Amsterdam, the Netherlands TA for Advanced Econometrics II (M.Phil. course, evaluation: 4.1/5) TA for Measure Theory and Stochastic Processes (M.Phil. course, evaluation	Jan. – Feb. 2015

Additional Courses and Trainings Forecasting Summer School

Thessaloniki, Greece

Probabilistic forecasting (scoring rules, combining predictive distributions)

Scalable Bayesian Inference

Edinburgh, UK Jun. 2018

Scalable algorithms for large datasets (embarrassingly parallel MCMC, approximate MCMC), scalable Bayesian methods for very high-dimensional data analysis

Workshop on Machine Learning Models and Methods for Econometricians

Maastricht, The Netherlands

Oct. 2017

Jun. 2019

Gaussian processes, distributed and subsampling MCMC, variational Bayes, deep learning

Intensive PhD level course on Sequential Monte Carlo Methods

Uppsala University, Sweden

Aug. 2017

Particle MCMC, high-dimensional filtering, SMC for probabilistic graphical models and probabilistic programming

Reading Group on Bayesian Nonparametrics

University of Edinburgh, UK

May – Jun. 2017

Introduction to Dirichlet process and their mixtures, Bayesian nonparamteric regression

Course on High Performance Computing

VU Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Oct. 2016

Basics of Unix and cluster computing, Hadoop and data analytics, GPU programming, HPC cloud

Summer School in Applied Macroeconomics

University of Salento, Lecce, Italy

Jul. 2012

Programming in Matlab, VAR for monetary policy, state space models and the Kalman Filter

Computer Skills Strong experience in MATLAB, R, Fortran

Some experience with Python, C/C++, BUGS/JAGS

Familiarity with EViews, Stata, SPSS

Other: LATEX, Linux, GitHub

Language Skills Polish (native), English (fluent), German (good command),

Russian (intermediate), French (basic), Dutch (basic)

References

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