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Academic Experience

Current Positions

- 08/14 – now **Assistant Professor**, *Department of Biomedical Engineering*, Johns Hopkins University.
08/14 – now **Core Faculty**, *Institute for Computational Medicine & Center for Imaging Science*, Johns Hopkins University.

Current Affiliations

- 05/16 – now **Visiting Scientist**, *Howard Hughes Medical Institute*, Janelia Research Campus.
10/15 – now **Steering Committee Member & Associate Member**, *Kavli Neuroscience Discovery Institute*.
08/15 – now **Joint Appointment**, *Department of Applied Mathematics and Statistics*.
08/14 – now **Joint Appointment**, *Department of Neuroscience*.
08/14 – now **Joint Appointment**, *Department of Computer Science*.
08/14 – now **Assistant Research Faculty**, *Human Language Technology Center of Excellence*.
10/12 – now **Affiliated Faculty**, *Institute for Data Intensive Engineering and Sciences*, Johns Hopkins University.

Current Activities

- 01/11 – now **Co-Founder & Co-Director**, [NeuroData](#) (formerly Open Connectome Project).
08/14 – now **Director of Undergraduate Studies**, *Institute for Computational Medicine*.
05/15 – now **Co-Founder and Faculty Advisor**, [MedHacks](#).

Previous Positions

- 10/12 – 08/14 **Endeavor Scientist**, *Child Mind Institute*.
08/12 – 08/14 **Senior Research Scientist**, *Dept's of Statistical Sciences & Mathematics & Neurobiology*.
08/12 – 08/14 **Affiliated Faculty**, *Kenan Institute for Ethics*,
Duke University
08/12 – 08/14 **Adjunct Faculty**, *Department of Computer Science*.
01/11 – 08/12 **Assistant Research Professor**, *Department of Applied Mathematics and Statistics*.
12/09 – 01/11 **Post-Doctoral Fellow**, *Department of Applied Mathematics and Statistics*, Supervised by
Carey E. Priebe.
Johns Hopkins University

Education

- 2003 – 2009 **Ph.D in Neuroscience**,
Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, Supervised by Eric Young,
Dissertation: OOPSI: a family of optical spike inference algorithms for inferring neural
connectivity from population calcium imaging .
2009 – 2009 **M.S. in Applied Mathematics & Statistics**, *Johns Hopkins University*.
1998 – 2002 **B.A. in Biomedical Engineering**, *Washington University, St. Louis*.
06/08 – 07/08 **Molecular Biology Summer Workshop**, *Smith College, Mass, USA*.
07/08 – 07/08 **Advanced Techniques in Molecular Neuroscience**, *Cold Spring Harbor, New York, USA*.
06/05 – 07/05 **Imaging Structure and Function of the Nervous System (audited)**, *Cold Spring Harbor,
New York, USA*.
06/04 – 07/04 **Advanced Course in Computational Neuroscience**, *Obidos, Portugal*.

Awards & Honors

- 2014 **F1000 Prime Recommended**, *Vogelstein et al. (2014)*.
- 2013 **Spotlight**, *Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS)*.
- 2011 **Trainee Abstract Award**, *Organization for Human Brain Mapping*.
- 2008 **Spotlight**, *Computational and Systems Neuroscience (CoSyNe)*.
- 2002 **Dean's List**, *Washington University*.

Work Experience

- 01/17 – now **Co-Founder & Partner**, *FlashX*.
- 01/16 – now **Co-Founder & Partner**, *d8alab*.
- 07/04 – 07/12 **Chief Data Scientist**, *Global Domain Partners, LLC*.
- 06/01 – 09/01 **Research Assistant**, *Prof. Randy O'Reilly, Dept. of Psychology*,
University of Colorado
- 06/00 – 09/00 **Clinical Engineer**, *Johns Hopkins Hospital*.
- 06/99 – 08/99 **Research Assistant under Dr. Jeffrey Williams**, *Dept. of Neurosurgery, Johns Hopkins Hospital*.
- 06/98 – 08/98 **Research Assistant under Professor Kathy Cho**, *Dept. of Pathology, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine*.

Under Review

- 1 D. Mhembere, C. E. Da Zheng, J. T. Vogelstein, and R. Burns. [knor: A NUMA-optimized In-memory, Distributed and Semi-external-memory k-means Library](#). 2017.
- 2 K. S. Kuten, N. Charon, M. I. Miller, T. Ratnanather, K. Deisseroth, L. Ye, and J. T. Vogelstein. [A Diffeomorphic Approach to Multimodal Registration with Mutual Information: Applications to CLARITY Mouse Brain Images](#). *arXiv:1612.00356*, 2016.
- 3 A. K. Simhal, C. Aguerrebere, F. Collman, J. T. Vogelstein, K. D. Micheva, R. J. Weinberg, S. J. Smith, and G. Sapiro. [Probabilistic Fluorescence-Based Synapse Detection](#). *arXiv:1611.05479*, 2016.
- 4 G. Kiar, K. J. Gorgolewski, D. Kleissas, W. Gray Roncal, B. Litt, B. Wandell, R. A. Poldrack, M. Wiener, R. Vogelstein, R. Burns, and J. T. Vogelstein. [Science In the Cloud \(SIC\): A use case in MRI Connectomics](#). 2016.
- 5 R. Tang, M. Ketcha, J. T. Vogelstein, C. E. Priebe, and D. L. Sussman. [Law of Large Graphs](#). 2016.
- 6 C. Shen, J. T. Vogelstein, and C. E. Priebe. [Manifold Matching using Shortest-Path Distance and Joint Neighborhood Selection](#). *arXiv:1412.4098*, 2016.
- 7 E. L. Dyer, W. G. Roncal, H. L. Fernandes, D. Gürsoy, X. Xiao, J. T. Vogelstein, C. Jacobsen, K. P. Körding, and N. Kasthuri. [Quantifying mesoscale neuroanatomy using X-ray microtomography](#). *arXiv:1604.03629*, 2016.
- 8 T. Tomia, M. Maggioni, and J. T. Vogelstein. [Randomer Forests](#). *arXiv:1506.03410*, 2016.
- 9 D. Zheng, R. Burns, J. T. Vogelstein, C. E. Priebe, and A. S. Szalay. [An SSD-based eigensolver for spectral analysis on billion-node graphs](#). *arXiv:1602.01421*, 2016.
- 10 D. Zheng, D. Mhembere, V. Lyzinski, J. T. Vogelstein, C. E. Priebe, and R. Burns. [Semi-External Memory Sparse Matrix Multiplication on Billion-node Graphs in a Multicore Architecture](#). *arXiv*, 2016.

- 11 D. Zheng, D. Mhembere, J. T. Vogelstein, C. E. Priebe, and R. Burns. [FlashMatrix: Parallel, Scalable Data Analysis with Generalized Matrix Operations using Commodity SSDs](#). *arXiv*, 1604.06414, 2016.
- 12 A. Banerjee, J. Vogelstein, and D. Dunson. [Parallel inversion of huge covariance matrices](#). *arXiv*, 1312.1869:17, 2013.
- 13 M. Kazhdan, R. Burns, B. Kasthuri, J. Lichtman, J. Vogelstein, and J. Vogelstein. [Gradient-Domain Processing for Large EM Image Stacks](#). *arXiv*, 1310.0041, 2013.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Publications

- 1 D. Grant Colburn Hildebrand, R. M. Torres, W. Choi, T. M. Quan, A. W. Wetzel, G. S. Plummer, R. Portugues, I. H. Bianco, S. Saalfeld, A. Baden, L. Kunal, R. Burns, J. T. Vogelstein, W.-K. Jeong, J. W. Lichtman, and F. Engert. Whole-brain serial-section electron microscopy in larval zebrafish. 2016.
- 2 D. Mhembere, D. Zheng, J. T. Vogelstein, C. E. Priebe, and R. Burns. [NUMA-optimized In-memory and Semi-external-memory Parameterized Clustering](#). 2016.
- 3 S. Chen, K. Liu, Y. Yang, Y. Xu, S. Lee, M. Lindquist, B. S. Caffo, and J. T. Vogelstein. [An M-Estimator for Reduced-Rank High-Dimensional Linear Dynamical System Identification](#). *Pattern Recognition Letters*, 2016.
- 4 N. Binkiewicz, J. T. Vogelstein, and K. Rohe. [Covariate assisted spectral clustering](#). *arXiv:1411.2158*, 2014.
- 5 D. Durante, D. B. Dunson, and J. T. Vogelstein. [Nonparametric Bayes Modeling of Populations of Networks](#). *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, 0(ja):0–0, 2016.
- 6 L. Chen, C. Shen, J. T. Vogelstein, and C. E. Priebe. [Robust Vertex Classification](#). *IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence*, 38(3):578–590, 2016.
- 7 R. D. Airan, J. T. Vogelstein, J. J. Pillai, B. Caffo, J. J. Pekar, and H. I. Sair. [Factors affecting characterization and localization of interindividual differences in functional connectivity using MRI](#). *Human Brain Mapping*, 2016.
- 8 L. Chen, J. T. Vogelstein, V. Lyzinski, and C. E. Priebe. [A Joint Graph Inference Case Study: the C. Elegans Chemical and Electrical Connectomes](#). *Worm*, 2016.
- 9 K. M. Harris, J. Spacek, M. E. Bell, P. H. Parker, L. F. Lindsey, A. D. Baden, J. T. Vogelstein, and R. Burns. [A resource from 3D electron microscopy of hippocampal neuropil for user training and tool development](#). *Scientific Data*, 2:150046, 2015.
- 10 R. Airan, J. T. Vogelstein, J. J. Pillai, B. Caffo, J. Pekar, and H. Sair. [Stability and localization of inter-individual differences in functional connectivity](#). *Human Brain Mapping*, 2015.
- 11 D. Koutra, N. Shah, J. T. Vogelstein, B. Gallagher, and C. Faloutsos. [DeltaCon: Principled Massive-Graph Similarity Function with Attribution](#). *ACM Transactions on Knowledge Discovery from Data*, 10(3):28:1–28:43, February 2016.
- 12 L. Chen, J. Vogelstein, and C. Priebe. [Robust Vertex Classification](#). *IEEE Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (in press)*, PP:27, 2015.
- 13 W. G. Roncal, D. M. Kleissas, J. T. Vogelstein, P. Manavalan, R. Burns, R. J. Vogelstein, C. E. Priebe, M. A. Chevillet, and G. D. Hager. [An Automated Images-to-Graphs Pipeline for High Resolution Connectomics](#). *Frontiers in Neuroinformatics*, 9, 2015.
- 14 N. Kasthuri, K. J. Hayworth, D. R. Berger, R. L. Schalek, J. A. Conchello, S. Knowles-Barley, D. Lee, Vazquez-Reina, V. Kaynig, T. R. Jones, M. Roberts, J. L. Morgan, J. C. Tapia, H. S. Seung, W. G. Roncal, J. T. Vogelstein, R. Burns, D. L. Sussman, C. E. Priebe, H. Pfister, and

- J. W. Lichtman. [Saturated Reconstruction of a Small Volume of Neocortex](#). *Cell*, 162:648–661, 2015.
- 15 J. T. Vogelstein, J. M. Conroy, V. Lyzinski, L. J. Podrazik, S. G. Kratzer, E. T. Harley, D. E. Fishkind, R. J. Vogelstein, and C. E. Priebe. [Fast Approximate Quadratic Programming for Graph Matching](#). *PLoS One*, 10:e0121002, 2015.
- 16 J. T. Vogelstein and C. E. Priebe. [Shuffled Graph Classification: Theory and Connectome Applications](#). *Journal of Classification*, 32:3–20, 2015.
- 17 V. Lyzinski, D. L. Sussman, D. E. Fishkind, H. Pao, L. Chen, J. T. Vogelstein, Y. Park, and C. E. Priebe. [Spectral clustering for divide-and-conquer graph matching](#). *Parallel Computing*, 47:70–87, 2015.
- 18 V. Lyzinski, D. E. Fishkind, M. Fiori, J. T. Vogelstein, C. E. Priebe, and G. Sapiro. [Graph Matching: Relax at Your Own Risk](#). *IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence*, 38(1):60–73, Jan 2016.
- 19 N. C. Weiler, F. Collman, J. T. Vogelstein, R. Burns, and S. J. Smith. [Synaptic molecular imaging in spared and deprived columns of mouse barrel cortex with array tomography](#). *Scientific Data*, 1:140046, 2014.
- 20 E. M. Sweeney, J. T. Vogelstein, J. L. Cuzzocreo, P. A. Calabresi, D. S. Reich, C. M. Crainiceanu, and R. T. Shinohara. [A Comparison of Supervised Machine Learning Algorithms and Feature Vectors for MS Lesion Segmentation Using Multimodal Structural MRI](#). *PLoS ONE*, 9:e95753, 2014.
- 21 J. T. Vogelstein, Y. Park, T. Ohyama, R. A. Kerr, J. W. Truman, C. E. Priebe, and M. Zlatić. [Discovery of brainwide neural-behavioral maps via multiscale unsupervised structure learning](#). *Science*, 344(6182):386–92, 2014.
- 22 D. E. Carlson, J. T. Vogelstein, Q. Wu, W. Lian, M. Zhou, C. R. Stoetznier, D. Kipke, D. Weber, D. B. Dunson, and L. Carin. [Multichannel Electrophysiological Spike Sorting via Joint Dictionary Learning & Mixture Modeling](#). *IEEE Transactions on Biomedical Engineering*, 61(1):41–54, 2014.
- 23 J. T. Vogelstein, W. R. Gray, R. J. Vogelstein, and C. E. Priebe. [Graph classification using signal-subgraphs: applications in statistical connectomics](#). *IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence*, 35(7):1539–51, 2013.
- 24 R. C. Craddock, S. Jbabdi, C.-G. Yan, J. T. Vogelstein, F. X. Castellanos, A. Di Martino, C. Kelly, K. Heberlein, S. Colcombe, and M. P. Milham. [Imaging human connectomes at the macroscale](#). *Nature Methods*, 10(6):524–39, 2013.
- 25 C. E. Priebe, J. Vogelstein, and D. Bock. [Optimizing the Quantity/Quality Trade-Off in Connectome Inference](#). *Communications in Statistics - Theory and Methods*, 42(19):3455–3462, 2013.
- 26 D. Dai, H. He, J. T. Vogelstein, and Z. Hou. [Accurate prediction of AD patients using cortical thickness networks](#). *Machine Vision and Applications*, 24(7):1445–1457, 2012.
- 27 D. E. Fishkind, D. L. Sussman, M. Tang, J. T. Vogelstein, and C. E. Priebe. [Consistent Adjacency-Spectral Partitioning for the Stochastic Block Model When the Model Parameters Are Unknown](#). *SIAM Journal on Matrix Analysis and Applications*, 34(1):23–39, 2013.
- 28 N. J. Roberts, J. T. Vogelstein, G. Parmigiani, K. W. Kinzler, B. Vogelstein, and V. E. Velculescu. [The predictive capacity of personal genome sequencing](#). *Science Translational Medicine*, 4(133):133ra58, 2012.
- 29 W. R. Gray, J. A. Bogovic, J. T. Vogelstein, B. A. Landman, J. L. Prince, and R. J. Vogelstein. [Magnetic resonance connectome automated pipeline: an overview](#). *IEEE Pulse*, 3(2):42–8, 2012.

- 30 J. T. Vogelstein, R. J. Vogelstein, and C. E. Priebe. [Are mental properties supervenient on brain properties?](#) *Scientific Reports*, 1:100, 2011.
- 31 S. B. Hofer, H. Ko, B. Pichler, J. Vogelstein, H. Ros, H. Zeng, E. Lein, N. A. Lesica, and T. D. Mrsic-Flogel. [Differential connectivity and response dynamics of excitatory and inhibitory neurons in visual cortex.](#) *Nature Neuroscience*, 14(8):1045–52, 2011.
- 32 Y. Mishchenko, J. T. Vogelstein, and L. Paninski. [A Bayesian approach for inferring neuronal connectivity from calcium fluorescent imaging data.](#) *The Annals of Applied Statistics*, 5(2B):1229–1261, 2011.
- 33 J. T. Vogelstein, A. M. Packer, T. A. Machado, T. Sippy, B. Babadi, R. Yuste, and L. Paninski. [Fast nonnegative deconvolution for spike train inference from population calcium imaging.](#) *Journal of Neurophysiology*, 104(6):3691–704, 2010.
- 34 L. Paninski, Y. Ahmadian, D. G. Ferreira, S. Koyama, K. R. Rad, M. Vidne, J. Vogelstein, and W. Wu. [A new look at State-Space Models for Neural Data.](#) *Journal of Computational Neuroscience*, 29(1-2):107–26, 2010.
- 35 J. T. Vogelstein, B. O. Watson, A. M. Packer, R. Yuste, B. Jedynek, and L. Paninski. [Spike inference from calcium imaging using sequential Monte Carlo methods.](#) *Biophysical Journal*, 97(2):636–55, 2009.
- 36 R. J. Vogelstein, U. Mallik, J. T. Vogelstein, and G. Cauwenberghs. [Dynamically reconfigurable silicon array of spiking neurons with conductance-based synapses.](#) *IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks*, 18(1):253–65, 2007.
- 37 J. T. Vogelstein, D. Angelaki, and L. Snyder. [Accuracy of saccades to remembered targets as a function of body orientation in space.](#) *Journal of Neurophysiology*, 90(1):521–4, 2003.
- 38 D. L. Greenspan, D. C. Connolly, R. Wu, R. Y. Lei, J. T. Vogelstein, Y. T. Kim, J. E. Mok, N. Muñoz, F. X. Bosch, K. Shah, and K. R. Cho. [Loss of FHIT expression in cervical carcinoma cell lines and primary tumors.](#) *Cancer research*, 57(21):4692–8, 1997.

Peer-Reviewed Conference Proceedings

- 1 T. M. Tomita, M. Maggioni, and J. T. Vogelstein. [Roflmao: Robust oblique forests with linear matrix operations.](#) In *Proceedings of the 2017 SIAM International Conference on Data Mining*, to appear. SIAM, 2017.
- 2 K. S. Kutten, J. T. Vogelstein, N. Charon, L. Ye, K. Deisseroth, and M. I. Miller. [Deformably Registering and Annotating Whole CLARITY Brains to an Atlas via Masked LDDMM.](#) *SPIE Europe*, 2016.
- 3 W. Gray Roncal, M. Pekala, V. Kaynig-fittkau, D. M. Kleissas, J. T. Vogelstein, H. Pfister, R. Burns, R. J. Vogelstein, M. A. Chevillet, and G. D. Hager. [VESICLE : Volumetric Evaluation of Synaptic Interfaces using Computer vision at Large Scale.](#) In *26th British Machine Vision Conference (BMVC)*, pages 1–9, 2015.
- 4 D. Zheng, D. Mhembe, R. Burns, J. T. Vogelstein, C. E. Priebe, and A. S. Szalay. [FlashGraph: Processing Billion-Node Graphs on an Array of Commodity SSDs.](#) In *USENIX Conference on File and Storage Technologies*, 2015.
- 5 F. Petralia, J. T. Vogelstein, and D. Dunson. [Multiscale Dictionary Learning for Estimating Conditional Distributions.](#) *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS)*, pages 1797–1805, 2013.
- 6 D. Carlson, V. Rao, J. T. Vogelstein, and L. Carin. [Real-Time Inference for a Gamma Process Model of Neural Spiking.](#) *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS)*, pages 2805–2813, 2013.

- 7 M. Fiori, P. Sprechmann, J. T. Vogelstein, P. Muse, and G. Sapiro. [Robust Multimodal Graph Matching: Sparse Coding Meets Graph Matching](#). *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS)*, pages 127–135, 2013. (spotlight).
- 8 D. Koutra, J. T. Vogelstein, and C. Faloutsos. [DeltaCon: A Principled Massive-Graph Similarity Function](#). *Proceedings of the 2013 SIAM International Conference on Data Mining*, pages 162–170, 2013.
- 9 W. G. Roncal, Z. H. Koterba, D. Mhembe, D. M. Kleissas, J. T. Vogelstein, R. Burns, A. R. Bowles, D. K. Donavos, S. Ryman, R. E. Jung, L. Wu, V. Calhoun, and R. J. Vogelstein. [MIGRAINE: MRI Graph Reliability Analysis and Inference for Connectomics](#). *IEEE GlobalSIP*, 2013.
- 10 D. Mhembe, W. G. Roncal, D. Sussman, C. E. Priebe, R. Jung, S. Ryman, R. J. Vogelstein, J. T. Vogelstein, and R. Burns. [Computing Scalable Multivariate Global Invariants of Large \(Brain-\) Graphs](#). *IEEE GlobalSIP*, 2013.
- 11 V. Kulkarni, J. Sastry, J. T. Vogelstein, and L. Akoglu. [Sex Differences in the Human Connectome](#). In *International Conference on Brain and Health Informatics*, 2013. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, Volume 8211.
- 12 R. Burns, W. G. Roncal, D. Kleissas, K. Lillaney, P. Manavalan, E. Perlman, D. R. Berger, D. D. Bock, K. Chung, L. Grosenick, N. Kasthuri, N. C. Weiler, K. Deisseroth, M. Kazhdan, J. Lichtman, R. C. Reid, S. J. Smith, A. S. Szalay, J. T. Vogelstein, and R. J. Vogelstein. [The Open Connectome Project Data Cluster: Scalable Analysis and Vision for High-Throughput Neuroscience](#). *Proceedings of the 25th International Conference on Scientific and Statistical Database Management (SSDBM)*. Article No. 27, 2013.
- 13 B. Cornelis, Y. Yang, J. T. Vogelstein, A. Doms, I. Daubechies, and D. Dunson. [Bayesian crack detection in ultra high resolution multimodal images of paintings](#). *DSP 2013 Special Session on Tensor Factorization and its Applications*, 2013.
- 14 Q. J. Huys, J. Vogelstein, and P. Dayan. [Psychiatry: Insights into depression through normative decision-making models](#). *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS)*, pages 729–736, 2008.

Other Publications

- 1 Neuro Cloud Consortium et al. [To the Cloud! A Grassroots Proposal to Accelerate Brain Science Discovery](#). *Neuron*, 92(3):622–627, 2016.
- 2 J. T. Vogelstein et al. [Grand Challenges for Global Brain Sciences](#), 2016.
- 3 P. Golland, J. Galland, G. Hager, H. Pfister, P. Christos, S. Schaal, and J. T. Vogelstein. [A New Age of Computing and the Brain](#). In *CCC Brain Workshop*, 2015.
- 4 R. Burns, J. T. Vogelstein, and A. S. Szalay. [From cosmos to connectomes: the evolution of data-intensive science](#). *Neuron*, 83(6):1249–52, 2014.
- 5 R. Yuste, J. MacLean, J. Vogelstein, and L. Paninski. [Imaging action potentials with calcium indicators](#). *Cold Spring Harbor Protocols*, 2011(8):985–9, 2011.
- 6 J. T. Vogelstein. [Q&A: What is the Open Connectome Project?](#) *Neural Systems & Circuits*, 1:16, 2011.
- 7 J. T. Vogelstein, R. J. Vogelstein, and B. Vogelstein. [Testing the effects of genetic variations using MINIME technology](#). *Science*, 286:2300–2301, 1999.

Work in Progress – Pre-prints Available upon Request

- 1 V. Lyzinski, S. Adali, J. T. Vogelstein, Y. Park, and C. E. Priebe. [Seeded Graph Matching Via Joint Optimization of Fidelity and Commensurability](#). *arXiv*, 1401.3813, 2014.

- 2 Robust Bayesian Inference via Lq-Likelihood. Joint work with D.B. Dunson, Carey E. Priebe, Y. Qin.
- 3 Optimal Subspace Projection for High-Dimensional Classification and Testing. Joint work with M. Maggioni.
- 4 Neuronal Classification from Network Connectivity. Joint work with R. Goldin, D. Marchette, P. Salomonsky, Carey E. Priebe, G. Ascoli.
- 5 Class Morphing. Joint work with D. Marchette, Carey E. Priebe.
- 6 Optimal Spike Inference from in vivo 2-Photon Calcium Imaging. Joint work with D. Greenberg, J. Kerr.
- 7 Extracting Proximity for Brain Graph Voxel Classification. Joint work with N. Sismanis, D.L. Sussman, X. Sun, N. Pitsianis.

Unpublished Work

- 1 A Six Degree-Of-Freedom Two-Photon Microscope for Functional Imaging in Awake Behaving Primates. Joint work with C.E. Connor et al.
- 2 A Spiking Model of Ventral Cochlear Nucleus in Response to Complex Stimuli, 2004. Joint work with E. Young.
- 3 A Hardware Emulator of Awake Behaving Macaque Primary Motor Cortex, 2003. Joint work with D. Moran.

Invited Talks

- 1 *NeuroData: Enabling Terascale Neuroscience for Everyone*, Keystone Symposia: State of the Brain, 2016.
- 2 *From RAGs to Riches: Utilizing Richly Attributed Graphs to Reason from Heterogeneous Data: Part 1*. DARPA SIMPLEX PI Meeting, 2015.
- 3 *Special Symposium: Neuroscience in the 21st Century*, Kavli, 2015.
- 4 *Open Connectome Project: Lowering the Barrier to Entry of Big Data Neuroscience*, Institute for Computational Medicine at Johns Hopkins University, 2015.
- 5 *Law of Large Graphs*, DARPA Graphs, 2015.
- 6 *From RAGs to Riches: Utilizing Richly Attributed Graphs to Reason from Heterogeneous Data*, SIMPLEX Kickoff, 2015.
- 7 *Opportunities and Challenges in Big Data Neuroscience*, DoE, 2015.
- 8 *Open-Science Platform for Heterogeneous Brain Data: Opportunities and Challenges*, Kavli, 2014.
- 9 *Top Challenges of Big Data Neuroscience*, BRAIN Initiative Workshop, Dec 2014.
- 10 *Big Statistics for Brain Sciences*, Baylor College of Medicine, Department of Neuroscience, May 2014.
- 11 *Big (Neuro) Statistics*, Kavli Salon, 2014. Big Data: Practice Across Disciplines.
- 12 *Statistical Models and Inference for big Brain-Graphs*, NIPS Workshop on Acquiring and analyzing the activity of large neural ensembles, 2013.
- 13 *Beyond Little Neuroscience*, Beyond Optogenetics workshop at Cosyne, 2013.

- 14 *Statistical Inference on Graphs*, University of Michigan, 2013.
- 15 *Statistical Inference on Graphs*, Scientific Computing Institute, University of Utah, 2013.
- 16 *Open Problems in Neuropsychiatry*, Data Seminar, Duke University, 2013.
- 17 *BIG NEURO*, Theory and Neurobiology, Duke University, 2012.
- 18 *Open Connectome Project*, Academic Medical Center, Amsterdam, 2012.
- 19 *Connectome Classification: Statistical Graph Theoretic Methods for Analysis of MR-Connectome Data*, Organization for Human Brain Mapping, 2011.
- 20 *Decision Theoretic Approach to Statistical Inference*, guest Lecture in Current Topics in Machine Learning, Johns Hopkins University, 2012.
- 21 NIPS workshop on Philosophy and Machine Learning. *Are mental properties supervenient on brain properties*, 2011.
- 22 *Once we get connectomes, what the %#* are we going to do with them?*, Krasnow Institute for Advanced Study at George Mason University, 2011.
- 23 *What can Translational neuroimaging Research do for Clinical Practice*, Child Mind Institute, 2011.
- 24 *Consistent Graph Classification*, Guest Lecture in Deisseroth Lab, Stanford University, 2011.
- 25 *Once we get connectomes, what the %#* are we going to do with them?*, Institute of Neuroinformatics, 2011.
- 26 *Consistent Connectome Classification*, Math/Bio Seminar, Duke University, 2011.
- 27 *Statistical Connectomics*, Harvard University Connectomics Labs, 2011.
- 28 *Towards Inference and Analysis of Neural Circuits Inferred from Population Calcium Imaging*, Guest Lecture in Schnitzer Lab, 2009.
- 29 *Towards Inferring Neural Circuits from Calcium Imaging*, Guest Lecture in Yuste Lab, 2009.
- 30 *Neurocognitive Graph Theory*, national Security Agency, 2009.
- 31 *Sequential Monte Carlo in Neuroscience*, SAMSI Program on Sequential Monte Carlo, Tracking Working Group, 2009.
- 32 *OOPSI: A Family of Optimal Optical Spike Inference Algorithms for Inferring Neural Connectivity from Population Calcium Imaging*, Dissertation Defense, 2009.
- 33 *Inferring Spike Trains Given Calcium-Sensitive Fluorescence Observations*, Statistical Analysis of Neural Data, 2008.
- 34 *Inferring spike times given typical time-series fluorescence observations*, Department of Applied Mathematics and Statistics, Johns Hopkins University, 2008.
- 35 *Inferring spike trains from Calcium Imaging*, Redwood Center for Theoretical Neuroscience, University of California, Berkeley, 2008.
- 36 *Inferring spike trains from Calcium Imaging*, Cambridge University, Gatsby Unit, and University College London, 2008.
- 37 *Model based optimal inference of spike times and calcium dynamics given noisy and intermittent calcium-fluorescence observations*, Neurotheory Center of Columbia University, 2007.

Poster Presentations

- 1 J. T. Vogelstein. [NeuroData: Enabling Terascale Neuroscience for Everyone](#). In *Janelia: High-Resolution Circuit Reconstruction*, 2016.
- 2 S. Chen, J. T. Vogelstein, S. Lee, M. Lindquist, and B. Caffo. [High Dimensional State Space Model with L-1 and L-2 Penalties](#). In *ENAR 2015*.
- 3 J. T. Vogelstein and C. E. Priebe. Nonparametric Two-Sample Testing on Graph-Valued Data. In *Duke Workshop on Sensing and Analysis of HighDimensional Data*, 2013.
- 4 Y. Qin et al. [Robust Clustering of Adjacency Spectral Embeddings of Brain Graph Data via Lq-Likelihood](#). In *OHBM*, 2013.
- 5 D. Koutra et al. [Are All Brains Wired Equally?](#) In *OHBM*, 2013.
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- Spring 2015 **Statistical Connectomics**, Johns Hopkins University.
- Fall 2015 **Introduction to Computational Medicine**, Co-Teaching, Johns Hopkins University.

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Conference and Journal Activities

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