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### Summary\_

· 8+ years of international research experience and interdisciplinary training in Biophysics, Computer Science, and Data Analysis

Experienced in large-scale data analysis and machine learning

- Strong team player with excellent communication skills
- Currently seeking a job as data scientist with special interest in the healthcare sector
- · Current interests: building highly scalable systems using machine learning and artificial neural nets
- US permanent resident

## **Programming Skills\_**

Python SciPy, NumPy, Matplotlib, H5Py, Matlab/Octave, R Scientific Programming

Scikit-learn, Theano, TensorFlow Machine Learning

> MPI4Py, PySpark Parallel Computing

HDF5, MySQL, PostgreSQL Databases

LaTeX, iPython Notebooks, Github Communication and Sharing

Java, C/C++ Other Programming Languages

**Experience** 

**Postdoctoral Researcher** Feb 2015 - Present

UC BERKELEY Berkeley, US

• Developed novel unsupervised machine learning methods

- · Applied machine learning and signal processing techniques to the analysis of brain data (ECoG)
- · Optimized a machine learning framework to be executed in high-performance computing environments
- Reviewed articles for scientific/engineering journals

**Doctoral Researcher** Apr 2010 - Jan 2015

University of Freiburg Freiburg, Germany

- Performed large-scale simulations of biological/spiking neural networks
- · Applied data mining and signal processing techniques to the analysis of neural data
- Performed mathematical modeling of neural networks
- · Published articles in high impact scientific journals
- Taught and supervised undergraduate and graduate level students

#### **Education**

#### Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.), Computational Neuroscience, Magna Cum Laude

University of Freiburg Freiburg, Germany

Master of Science (M.Sc.), Computer Science, with Merit

University of Birmingham Birmingham, UK

Licenciatura (B.Sc.), Biology 2007

UNIVERSITY OF MADRID Madrid, Spain

#### Relevant Publications

#### On degeneracy control in overcomplete ICA

arXiv ALEJANDRO F. BUJAN, LIVEZEY, JESSE A., AND FRIEDRICH T. SOMMER

Sparse components of sensorimotor ECoG signals are relevant for speech control

CoSyNe ALEJANDRO F. BUJAN, KRISTOFER E. BOUCHARD, AND FRIEDRICH T. SOMMER 2016

Role of input correlations in shaping the variability and noise correlations of evoked

J Neurosci activity in the neocortex

ALEJANDRO F. BUJAN, AD AERTSEN, AND ARVIND KUMAR

Communication through resonance in spiking neuronal networks PLoS Comput Biol 2014

ALEJANDRO F. BUJAN, GERALD HAHN, YVES FREGNAC, AD AERTSEN, AND ARVIND KUMAR

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