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AREAS OF INTEREST

Topics adjacent to the performance evaluation of artificial intelligence (AI) / machine learning (ML) enabled devices and software in medicine.

SKILLS

Core: Statistics, machine learning, deep learning, artificial intelligence, data science, study design, (applied) mathematics, medical imaging, genomics, regulatory science and policy. Software, programming, tools: Python (PyTorch, Numpy, Pandas, etc.), R (ggplot2,, Tidyverse packages, etc.), C, C++, Ruby, Shell, Matlab, LATEX, Linux/Unix, Git and Github, HTML, CSS, AWS, Microsoft Office.

Language knowledge: German, Russian, English.

EDUCATION

PhD, Bioinnovation

Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana, August 2018

GPA: 3.967

Doctoral research, Mathematics (PhD candidacy, all but dissertation, withdrawn)

Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana, through January 2017

GPA: 3.978

MS, Statistics

Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana, May 2014

GPA: 3.975

BS. Mathematics

Technische Universität Darmstadt, Darmstadt, Germany, May 2012

GPA: 3.7 (1.54 German grade)

Workshops and summer schools

IPAM New Deep Learning Techniques, Los Angeles, CA, February 2018. | SAMSI Distributed and Parallel Data Analysis Workshop, September 2016. | SAMSI Optimization Opening Workshop, August 2016. | SAMSI Optimization Summer School, August 2016. | 2nd Summer Institute in Statistics for Big Data, University of Washington, Seattle, June 2016. | 21st Summer Institute in Statistical Genetics, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, June 2016. | 20th Summer Institute in Statistical Genetics, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, June 2015. | SAMSI Industrial Mathematical and Statistical Modeling Workshop for Graduate Students, June 2014.

FDA related training courses

CDRH Reviewer Certification Program (RCP) | RCP Advanced Courses | UCSF-Stanford CERSI: Introduction to Pharmacogenomics | Advanced Topics - Statistics for Clinical Trials with Application to Medical Devices, parts 1, 2, 3, and 4 (FDA/CDRH) | FDLI/CDRH Introduction to Medical Device Law and Regulation | Food and Drug Law (FDA/CDRH).

EXPERIENCE

Staff Fellow (Mathematical Statistician Series 1529)

FDA, Silver Spring, MD

Division of Imaging, Diagnostics, and Software Reliability (CDRH/OSEL/DIDSR) at the U.S. Food & Drug Administration Sep 2018 – Present

- Scientific research and regulatory review activities related to the evaluation of AI/ML-based medical devices/software, including experience with clinical studies for medical devices and research on theoretical and applied statistics and AI/ML.
- Coordinated the "Fundamental AI" research program at FDA/CDRH/OSEL, developing strategic AI/ML research initiatives by identifying regulatory science gaps and providing guidance to research teams.
- Mentored research fellows and interns, fostering a collaborative environment.
- Developed innovative statistical and AI/ML methodologies, with over 20 publications in high-impact venues (e.g., MICCAI, Biometrics, JAMIA, AISTATS).
- Developed and publicly released software packages for statistical analysis and ML in medical applications, promoting reproducibility and innovation.
- Delivered invited presentations at international conferences (e.g., PIcc23, REdI 2023, MICCAI 2022, DIA Europe 2022, KDD 2021), demonstrating thought leadership in regulatory science and AI/ML in healthcare.
- Participation in regulatory review of over 100 submissions (510(k), De Novo, Q-submissions) of AI/ML-based medical devices/software.
- Participation in the development of regulatory guidance documents related to medical AI/ML, shaping regulatory policy, industry standards and best practices.

Research assistantship (doctoral research)

The Multiscale Bioimaging and Bioinformatics Laboratory

Tulane University, New Orleans, LA

Jan 2015 - Jul 2018

Research in statistics and machine learning with application in genomics and neuroimaging under the supervision of Dr. Yu-Ping Wang, resulting in six peer-reviewed publications (Gossmann et al. [2015], Cao et al. [2015, 2016], Gossmann et al. [2018a,c], Brzyski et al. [2018]), presentations at multiple conferences and workshops, and several open source software packages (developed in R and C++).

Student intern (ORISE)

Division of Imaging, Diagnostics, and Software Reliability (CDRH/OSEL/DIDSR) at the U.S. Food & Drug Administration

FDA, Silver Spring, MD

May - Aug 2017, and Jan - Feb 2018

Machine learning research (with software implementation in R) resulting in a conference presentation and associated publication Gossmann et al. [2018b] related to the evaluation of machine learning systems in medicine.

Student developer

Google Summer of Code 2015

Remote position

May – August 2015

Project: Adding Linear Mixed Effects Models Support to SciRuby (supervised by Pjotr Prins from the Ruby Science Foundation). The created statistical software package (implemented in Ruby) received about 6000 downloads (https://rubygems.org/gems/mixed_models).

Research assistantship

Department of Mathematics

Tulane University, New Orleans, LA

Jun – Aug 2014

Worked under the supervision of Dr. Oleksandr Gromenko on statistical methods for the

analysis of spatio-temporal processes with software implementation in R and C++, and with application in weather prediction (results unpublished).

Statistics MS research project Tulane University, New Orleans, LA Department of Mathematics Sept 2013 – May 2014

Analysis of bone growth data using mixed-effects smoothing spline ANOVA methods (supervised by Dr. Michelle Lacey) with data analyses performed in R, resulting in a journal publication Sammarco et al. [2015].

Academic Mentor

Tulane University, New Orleans, LA

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Oct 2017 - May 2018

Design, mentoring, and guidance of an undergraduate research project applying machine learning methods to a large neuroimaging-genomics dataset, resulting in two presentations by the mentored undergraduate student, entitled "Exploratory Analysis and Predictive Modeling of Neurodevelopmental Phenotypes from fMRI Data" at the 2018 Health Sciences Research Days at Tulane University, and at the 2018 Tulane School of Science and Engineering Poster Days (top 3 finalist in the poster competition).

Co-Mentor

Google Summer of Code 2016 (with the

Ruby Science Foundation)

Remote position

May - August 2016

Involved with project proposals, selection/interviewing of students, mentoring. Mentored project: Categorical data support for Daru, Statsample and Statsample-glm. The mentored student (Lokesh Sharma) made major improvements to several open source software packages for data analysis in Ruby.

Co-Mentor

Google Summer of Code 2017 (with the

Ruby Science Foundation)

Remote position

May – August 2017

Involved with project proposals, selection/interviewing of students, mentoring. Mentored project: Creating the fastest math libraries for Ruby by using the GPU through OpenCL and ArrayFire. Outcome: a Ruby library for scientific computing on the GPU (https://github.com/arrayfire/arrayfire-rb) and multiple conference presentations by the mentored student (Prasun Anand).

Instructor, co-teacher, teaching assistant

Technische Universität Darmstadt, and

Tulane University
Darmstadt, Germany, and New Orleans, LA Fall semester 2010 – Fall semester 2014
Instructor for Calculus 1, co-teacher for Statistics for Scientists, and teaching assistant for Real Analysis 1 and 2 as well as for various undergraduate courses in mathematics and statistics.

PUBLICATIONS (sorted alphabetically)

[Brzyski et al., 2018] Damian Brzyski, Alexej Gossmann, Weijie Su, and Małgorzata Bogdan. Group SLOPE – Adaptive Selection of Groups of Predictors. *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, pages 1–15, January 2018. ISSN 0162-1459. doi:10.1080/01621459.2017.1411269.

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[Coroller et al., 2023a] Thibaud Coroller, Berkman Sahiner, Anup Amatya, Alexej Gossmann, Konstantinos Karagiannis, Conor Moloney, Ravi K. Samala, Luis Santana-Quintero, Nadia Solovieff, Craig Wang, Laleh Amiri-Kordestani, Qian Cao, Kenny H. Cha, Rosane Charlab, Frank H. Cross Jr, Tingting Hu, Ruihao Huang, Jeffrey Kraft, Peter Krusche, Yutong Li, Zheng Li, Ilya Mazo, Rahul Paul, Susan Schnakenberg, Paolo Serra, Sean Smith, Chi Song, Fei Su, Mohit Tiwari, Colin Vechery, Xin Xiong, Juan Pablo Zarate, Hao Zhu, Arunava Chakravartty, Qi Liu, David Ohlssen, Nicholas Petrick, Julie A. Schneider, Mark Walderhaug, and Emmanuel Zuber. Methodology for good machine learning with multi-omics data. page cpt.3105, November 2023a. ISSN 0009-9236, 1532-6535. doi:10.1002/cpt.3105.

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[Feng et al., 2022a] Jean Feng, Alexej Gossmann, Berkman Sahiner, and Romain Pirracchio. Bayesian logistic regression for online recalibration and revision of risk prediction models with performance guarantees. *Journal of the American Medical Informatics Association*, 2022a. ISSN 1527-974X. doi:10.1093/jamia/ocab280. URL https://doi.org/10.1093/jamia/ocab280.

[Feng et al., 2022b] Jean Feng, Gene Pennello, Nicholas Petrick, Berkman Sahiner, Romain Pirracchio, and Alexej Gossmann. Sequential algorithmic modification with test data reuse. In *Proceedings of the Thirty-Eighth Conference on Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence*, pages 674–684. PMLR, August 2022b.

[Feng et al., 2023] Jean Feng, Adarsh Subbaswamy, Alexej Gossmann, Harvineet Singh, Berkman Sahiner, Mi-Ok Kim, Gene Pennello, Nicholas Petrick, Romain Pirracchio, and Fan Xia. Towards a post-market monitoring framework for machine learning-based medical devices: A case study. In NeurIPS 2023 Workshop on Regulatable ML, December 2023. URL https://openreview.net/forum?id=L97dqPfQdT.

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- [Gossmann et al., 2018b] Alexej Gossmann, Aria Pezeshk, and Berkman Sahiner. Test data reuse for evaluation of adaptive machine learning algorithms: Over-fitting to a fixed "test" dataset and a potential solution. In *Proceedings of SPIE: Medical Imaging 2018*. International Society for Optics and Photonics, March 2018b. doi:10.1117/12.2293818.
- [Gossmann et al., 2018c] Alexej Gossmann, Pascal Zille, Vince Calhoun, and Yu-Ping Wang. FDR-Corrected Sparse Canonical Correlation Analysis with Applications to Imaging Genomics. *IEEE Transactions on Medical Imaging*, 37(8):1761–1774, August 2018c. ISSN 0278-0062, 1558-254X. doi:10.1109/TMI.2018.2815583.
- [Gossmann et al., 2019] Alexej Gossmann, Kenny H. Cha, and Xudong Sun. Variational inference based assessment of mammographic lesion classification algorithms under distribution shift. In *Medical Imaging Meets NeurIPS Workshop (MED-NeurIPS) 2019*, December 2019. URL https://profs.etsmtl.ca/hlombaert/public/medneurips2019/72_CameraReadySubmission_neurips_2019.pdf.
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CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Feng, J., Gossmann, A., et al. Is this model reliable for everyone? Testing for strong calibration; Oral presentation by Gossmann A. at the 27th International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS 2024), May 2024.
- Gossmann, A., Addressing regulatory science gaps in artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning (ML); Invited presentation at ReDI 2023, 2023. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s8alxfjRHRw&t=1113s (FDA Regulatory Education for Industry (REdI) Annual Conference 2023 Devices Day 2/Biologics Day 1)
- Gossmann, A., OSEL AI/ML Research Program, and Regulatory Science Gaps; Invited presentation at PIcc23, 2023.

- Sidulova, M., Sun, X., Gossmann, A., Deep Unsupervised Clustering for Conditional Identification of Subgroups Within a Digital Pathology Image Set; Poster presentation at MICCAI 2023, October 2023.
- Gossmann A., Test Data Reuse for the Evaluation of Continuously Evolving Machine Learning Algorithms in Medicine; Invited talk at the Tutorial on AI for medical image analysis in practice at MICCAI 2022, September 2022.
- Feng, J., Pennello, G., Petrick, N., Sahiner, B., Pirracchio, R., Gossmann, A., Sequential algorithmic modification with test data reuse; Oral presentation by Gossmann A. at the 12th International Conference on Multiple Comparison Procedures (MCP 2022), September 2022.
- Gossmann, A., A Regulatory Perspective on AI/ML-enabled Medical Devices, with Consideration of Real-World Data and Real-World Evidence; Invited presentation at Europe DIA 2022 Panel on Enabling AI in Healthcare the Gaps between State of Science and Regulatory Standards, April 2022.
- Gossmann, A., Issues in reference standard determination for performance evaluation studies of AI/ML-based medical devices; Invited presentation for the Xavier AI Experts forum, December 2021.
- Gossmann, A., Performance evaluation and regulatory considerations for AI/ML in medical imaging; Invited talk presented at KDD 2021 Health Day and 2021 KDD Workshop on Applied Data Science for Healthcare, August 2021.
- Malik B., Cha K. H., Sahiner B., Gossmann, A., Software Pipelines for AI-Based Radiologic Image Analysis; Poster presented by Malik B. (summer intern student) at the 2021 FDA Science Forum.
- Adkins-Chatfield T. A., Gossmann A., Image-to-Image Translation Using CycleGAN of Breast Cancer Tissue Slides Stained with an Antibody against HER2/NEU; Poster presented by Adkins-Chatfield T. A. (summer intern student) at the Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students (ABRCMS) 2020.
- Gossmann A., Cha K. H., Sun X., Performance deterioration of deep neural networks for lesion classification in mammography due to distribution shift: an analysis based on artificially created distribution shift; Contributed talk presented by Cha K. H. (substitute due to travel complications of lead author) at the SPIE Medical Imaging Medical Imaging 2020: Computer-Aided Diagnosis, February 2020, Houston, TX.
- Gossmann A., Cha K. H., Sun X., Variational inference based assessment of mammographic lesion classification algorithms under distribution shift; Poster presented at Medical Imaging Meets NeurIPS Workshop (MED-NeurIPS) 2019, December 2019, Vancouver, Canada.
- Gossmann A. Evaluation of continuously learning AI/ML-enabled medical devices. Invited talk presented at Next Generation Dx, August 2019, Washington, DC.
- Gossmann A., Chen W., Sahiner, B., Assessment of Classifier Performance Using a Reference Classifier with Known Performance and an Unlabeled Dataset; (Abstract/Program #307008). Contributed talk presented at the *Joint Statistical Meetings*, July 28, 2019, Denver, CO.
- Gossmann A., Pezeshk, A., Sahiner, B., Test data reuse for evaluation of adaptive machine learning algorithms: over-fitting to a fixed "test" dataset and a potential solution; (Paper 10577-19). Contributed talk presented at the SPIE Medical Imaging symposium, Image Perception, Observer Performance, and Technology Assessment conference, February 11, 2018, Houston, TX.
- Gossmann A., Wang Y.-P., SlopeCCA and gslopeCCA: sorted L1 penalized canonical correlation analysis; (Abstract/Program #2803W). Poster presented at the 66th Annual

- Meeting of The American Society of Human Genetics, October 19, 2016, Vancouver, Canada.
- Gossmann A., Cao S., Wang Y.-P., Identification of Significant Genetic Variants via SLOPE, and its Extension to Group SLOPE; (Abstract/Program #1343F). Poster presented at the 65th Annual Meeting of The American Society of Human Genetics, October 9, 2015, Baltimore, MD.
- Gossmann A., Cao S., Wang Y.-P., Identification of Significant Genetic Variants via SLOPE, and its Extension to Group SLOPE; Contributed talk presented at the 6th ACM Conference on Bioinformatics, Computational Biology, and Health Informatics, September 2015, Atlanta, GA.

SOFTWARE

- DomId Python package for deep unsupervised clustering. Project repository: https://github.com/DIDSR/DomId.
- ThresholdoutAUC R and Python code associated with the publication Gossmann et al. [2021]. Project repository: https://github.com/DIDSR/ThresholdoutAUC.
- grpSLOPE Group SLOPE (Group Sorted L1 Penalized Estimation) is a penalized linear regression method that is used for adaptive selection of groups of significant predictors in a high-dimensional linear model. This R package has been used to perform simulations and/or analyses of real genomic data as reported in Gossmann et al. [2018a], Brzyski et al. [2018]. Project repository: https://github.com/agisga/grpSLOPE. CRAN: https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/grpSLOPE/index.html.
- grpSLOPEMC An extension package to the R package grpSLOPE, which contains additional Monte Carlo based methods implemented in R and C++ (interfaced to R via Rcpp). This R package has been used to perform simulation studies and analyses of real genomic data presented in Gossmann et al. [2018a]. Project repository: https://github.com/agisga/grpSLOPEMC.
- FDRcorrectedSCCA Codes associated with the publication Gossmann et al. [2018c] with all methods and algorithms conveniently organized as functions in an R package. Project repository: https://github.com/agisga/FDRcorrectedSCCA.
- mixed_models Fit statistical linear models with fixed and random effects in Ruby. It was created during Google Summer of Code 2015, and has been considered for deployment at http://www.genenetwork.org. Project repository: https://github.com/agisga/mixed_models. RubyGems: https://rubygems.org/gems/mixed_models.
- For my contributions to several other open source software projects see https://github.com/agisga.

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

- Combined Federal Campaign (CFC) key worker for FDA/CDRH/OSEL/DIDSR, 2019.
- Elected President of the SIAM student chapter at Tulane University (Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics), September 2014 September 2016.
- Organized the Graduate Student Colloquium at the Department of Mathematics, Tulane University, September 2014 – September 2016.
- Participation in *Google Summer of Code* as a mentor in 2016 and 2017, working on scientific open source software.
- Participation in the middle school outreach program Girls in STEM at Tulane (GIST), November 2017.

HONORS & AWARDS

- 3× FDA/CDRH incentive award 2021, 2022, 2024.
- FDA/CDRH Excellence in Scientific Research Award for developing innovative approaches for reducing bias in artificial intelligence and machine learning testing protocols. June 2021.
- Finalist poster at the Tulane School of Science and Engineering Poster Days 2018.
- Reviewers' Choice Abstract, 66th Annual Meeting of The American Society of Human Genetics, October 19, 2016, Vancouver, Canada.
- SIAM Student Chapter Certificate of Recognition, SIAM (Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics), April 2015.

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