Alexandre Lecestre

Curriculum vitæ

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2019–2023 PhD in Mathematics and Applications, University of Luxembourg

Supervisor: Yannick Baraud

Subject: Robust estimation in finite mixture models and hidden Markov models.

2019 École Normale Supérieure de Lyon Diploma

2018 Master of Science in Mathematics

Master 2 Mathematics of randomness (probability and statistics). Université Paris-Saclay, France.

2016 Bachelor of Science in Mathematics

Université Claude Bernard Lyon 1, France.

2015-2019 Student at École Normale Supérieure de Lyon

2013–2015 Prep school (Classes Préparatoires aux Grandes Écoles)

Lycée Chateaubriand, Rennes, France.

2013 Scientific Baccalauréat

Lycée Montesquieu, Le Mans, France.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

From 02/2021 PhD Representative

to 01/2023 I was one of the PhD representatives that are in charge, among other things, of the organization of the PhD Away Days (see below).

From 03/2019 Projet Long de Recherche 2, Laboratoire de Mathématiques d'Avignon

to 07/2019 Supervisor: Edith Gabriel.

Object of Study: Estimation of the conditional intensity of a point process.

From 10/2018 Projet Long de Recherche 1, Laboratoire J.A. Dieudonné de Nice

to 02/2019 Supervisor: Yannick Baraud.

Object of Study: ρ -estimation in a dependent framework.

From 04/2018 Master thesis, UMR MISTEA - INRA Montpellier

to 07/2018 Supervisor: Nicolas Verzelen.

Object of study: Statistical analysis of inventory data.

From 05/2017 12 Week Internship, Lancaster University

to 07/2017 Supervisor: Paul Fearnhead.

Object of Study: Quasi-stationary distributions.

From 05/2016 6 Week Internship, Institut de Mathématiques de Toulouse

to 06/2016 Supervisor: Jean-Michel Loubes.

Object of Study: A convergence theorem with the Wasserstein metric.

PUBLICATIONS AND PREPRINTS

 Robust estimation in finite mixture models, A. Lecestre ESAIM Probability & Statistics, 27 (2023) 402-460.

https://doi.org/10.1051/ps/2023004

 Robust estimation for ergodic Markovian processes, A. Lecestre Preprint arXiv:2307.03666.

https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2307.03666

PRESENTATIONS

12/2023 2023 IMS International Conference on Statistics and Data Science (ICSDS),

Lisbon, Portugal

Talk: "Robust estimation for mixing Markovian processes".

09/2023 23rd European Young Statisticians Meeting, online

Talk: "Robust estimation in finite state space hidden Markov models".

05/2023 International Conference on Robust Statistics - 2023, Toulouse, France

Talk: "Robust estimation for Markovian mixing processes".

10/2022 **PhD Away Days – BiLux 2022**, *Milan, Italy*

Talk: "Introduction to statistical hypothesis testing".

08–09/2022 StatMathAppli, Fréjus, France

Talk: "Robust estimation in finite state space hidden Markov models".

06/2022 IMS Annual Meeting, London, UK

Talk: "Robust estimation in finite state space hidden Markov models".

06/2022 ISNPS2022, Paphos, Cyprus

Talk: "Robust estimation in finite state space hidden Markov models".

03/2022 Statistics team seminar, LMO, Orsay, France

Talk: "Robust estimation in hidden Markov models".

06/2021 MHC2021 (Mixtures, Hidden Markov Models and Clustering), Orsay, France

(online)

Poster: "Robust estimation in finite Mixture models".

10/2020 SanDAL Winter School on Mathematical Statistics, Belval, Luxembourg (online)

Talk: "Robust Estimation in Finite Mixture Models".

10/2021 PhD Away Days, Strasbourg, France

Talk: "Central Limit Theorems".

03/2021 PhD Seminar, Belval, Luxembourg (online)

Talk: Introduction to Robust Statistics

10/2020 **PhD "Away" Days**, Belval, Luxembourg (online)

Talk: "Test Theory".

10/2019 PhD Away Days, Bordeaux, France

Talk: "Maximum Likelihood Estimation".

EVENTS ATTENDED

07/2022 3-Day Meeting of Statisticians in Paris, Institut Henri Poincaré, Paris

07/2021 International Conference on Statistics and Related Fields, Belval, Luxembourg

(online)

10/2020 Workshop on Data Science, Belval, Luxembourg

09/2019 StatMathAppli, Fréjus, France

REFEREE WORK

Referee for Annales de l'Institut Henri Poincaré, Probabilités et Statistiques (x1).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2023–2024 Teaching Assistant

Algebra (1st semester of the BSc in mathematics).

2022–2023 Teaching Assistant

Algebra (1st semester of the BSc in mathematics).

2021–2022 **Teaching Assistant**

Analysis 1 (1st semester of the BSc in mathematics).

2020–2021 **Teaching Assistant**

Analysis 1 (1st semester of the BSc in mathematics).

2019–2020 **Teaching Asistant**

Analysis 2 (2nd semester of the BSc in mathematics).

2019–2020 **Tutoring**

I took part in the "Math Forge" program of the University of Luxembourg during the winter semester.

2015–2016 Volunteer Tutoring

I assisted a freshman in mathematics.

LANGUAGES

French Mother Tongue.

English Fluent (Grade C at the Cambridge Advanced Exam, equivalent to level C1).

Spanish Level B2.