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EDUCATION

Washington University in St. Louis

Doctor of Medicine
One-Year Research without Degree Program (MD5)

Johns Hopkins University
Master of Science in Engineering
Applied Mathematics & Statistics

Johns Hopkins University

Bachelor of Science
Computer Science
Applied Mathematics & Statistics

RESEARCH

New York University [Mar 2024, present]

Visitng Medical Student Researcher

Department of Neurosurgery / OLAB Faculty Supervisor: Eric K. Oermann

Washington University in Saint Louis [Mar 2023, present]

Medical Student Researcher

Department of Neurosurgery / Leuthardt Lab

Faculty Supervisor: Eric Leuthardt

Johns Hopkins University [Jan 2020, Mar 2021]

Assistant Research Engineer

Department of Applied Mathematics & Statistics / Neruodata Lab Faculty Supervisors: Carey E. Priebe & Joshua T. Vogelstein

Johns Hopkins University [Jun 2019, Dec 2019]

Graduate Research Assistant

Department of Applied Mathematics & Statistics

Faculty Supervisor: Carey E. Priebe

Johns Hopkins University [May 2017, May 2019]

Undergraduate Research Assistant

Department of Computer Science Faculty Supervisor: Suchi Saria

DISSERTATIONS

- 1. **A. Alyakin**, Robust Hypothesis Testing of Location Parameters using Lq-Likelihood-Ratio-Type Test in Python, a thesis submitted to The Johns Hopkins University in conformity with the requirements for the degree of Master of Science in Engineering, 2019. [arXiv] [library] [code]
- 2. **A. Alyakin**, *Motif Discovery in the Irregulary Sampled Time Series Data*, a thesis submitted to The Johns Hopkins University in conformity with the requirements for Senior Honors Thesis in Computer Science, 2019. [pdf]

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- 2. A. Alyakin, D. Kurland, D. Alber, K. Sangwon, D. Li, A. Tsirigos, E. Leuthardt, D. Kondziolka, E. Oermann, CNS-CLIP: Transforming a Neurosurgical Journal into a Multimodal Medical Model, Neurosurgery, 2025. [journal]
- 3. R. Guennoun[†], **A.Alyakin**[†], H. Higushi, S. Demehri, Commensal HPVs Have Evolved to Be More Immunogenic Compared with High-Risk α-HPVs, Vaccines, 2024. [journal]
- 4. J. Lee, M. A. Ruiz-Cardozo, R. P. Patel, S. Javeed, R. S. Lavandi, C. Newsom-Stewart, A. Alyakin, C. A. Molina, N. Agarwal, W. Z. Ray, M. Santacatterina, B. H. Pennicooke, Clinical Prediction for Surgical versus Nonsurgical Interventions in Patients with Vertebral Osteomyelitis and Discitis, Journal of Spine Surgery, 2024. [journal]
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- 6. M. Powell, C. Clark, A. Alyakin, J. T. Vogelstein, B. Hart, Exploration of Residual Confounding in Analyses of Associations of Metformin Use and Outcomes in Adults With Type 2 Diabetes, JAMA Network Open, 2022. [journal] [arXiv]
- 7. F. Rahman, N. Finkelstein, A. Alyakin, N. A Gilotra, J. Trost, S. P. Schulman, S. Saria, *Using Machine Learning for Early Prediction of Cardiogenic Shock in Patients with Acute Heart Failure*, Journal of the Society for Cardiovascular Angiography & Interventions, 2022. [journal] [arXiv]
- 8. J. Chung[†], B. Varjavand[†], J. Arroyo, **A. Alyakin**, J. Agterberg, M. Tang, J. T. Vogelstein, C. E. Priebe, Valid Two-Sample Graph Testing via Optimal Transport Procrustes and Multiscale Graph Correlation with Applications in Connectomics, Stat, 2021. [journal] [arXiv] [code]
- 9. K. Marchisio, Y. Park, A. Saad-Eldin, A. Alyakin, K. Duh, C. Priebe, P. Koehn, An Analysis of Euclidean vs. Graph-Based Framing for Bilingual Lexicon Induction from Word Embedding Spaces, Findings of the Association for Computational Linguistics: EMNLP 2021. [journal] [arXiv] [code]

ABSTRACTS

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- 2. K. L. Sangwon, D. Kurland, A. Alyakin, D. Kondziolka, E. K. Oermann, Seven Decades Of Change: Tracing The Evolution Of Neurosurgery Through Lexical Analysis Of Neurosurgery Publications Of The CNS (1955-2024), Digital Abstract at the 2024 Annual CNS Meeting, 2024.
- 3. K. L. Sangwon, A. Alyakin, D. Kurland, E. Leuthardt, D. Kondziolka, E. K. Oermann, A Generalizable Pipeline for Building an Extensive Domain-Specific Dataset from a Medical Journal Neurosurgery Edition, Oral Presentation at the 2024 Annual CNS Meeting, 2024.

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4. **A. Alyakin**, D. Kurland, D. Alber, K. Sangwon, D. Li, A. Tsirigos, E. Leuthardt, D. Kondziolka, E. Oermann, *CNS-CLIP: Transforming a Neurosurgical Journal into a Multimodal Medical Model*, Oral Presentation at the 2024 Annual CNS Meeting, 2024.

PREPRINTS

- 1. S. Singh, A. Alyakin, D, A. Alber, J. Stryker, A. P. S Tong, M. de la Paz, M. Hernandez-Rovira, F. Pat, P. Cruz, K. Y. Park, D. Kondziolka, E. K. Oermann, *Multiple choice questions are poor assessments of medical knowledge for humans and generative AI*, submitted, 2024.
- 2. A. Alyakin, J. Stryker, D. A. Alber, K. L. Sangwon, B. Duderstadt, A. Save, D. Kurland, S. Frome, S. Singh, J. Zhang, E. Yang, K. Y. Park, C. Orillac, A. Valliani, S. Neifert, A. Liu, A. Patel, C. Livia, D. Lau, I. Laufer, P. A. Rozman, E. T. Hidalgo, H. Riina, R. Feng, T. Hollon, Y. Aphinyanaphongs, J. G. Golfinos, L. Snyder, E. Leuthardt, D. Kondziolka, E. K. Oermann, Repurposing the scientific literature with vision-language models, submitted, 2024.
- 3. X. Han[†], **A. Alyakin**[†], S. Ciprut, C. Lapierre, J. Stryker, A. Lowe, J. Golfinos, D. Kondziolka, E. K. Oermann, *Neuro Data Hubs: Clinical Research Data Services for Neurosurgical Departments*, submitted, 2024.
- A. Save, A. Alyakin, J. Stryker, D. A. Alber, J. Zhang, G. Rosenbaum, S. Singh, E. Leuthardt, D. Kondziolka, E. K. Oermann, A Platform for Serving Large Language Models for Neurosurgical Diagnostic Support, submitted, 2024.
- C. Hang, R. Deng, L. Y. Jiang, Z. Yang, D. A. Alber, A. Alyakin, E. K. Oermann, BPQA Dataset: Evaluating How Well Language Models Leverage Blood Pressures to Answer Biomedical Questions, submitted, 2024.
- 6. K. Vishwanath, J. Stryker, A. Alaykin, D. A. Alber, Eric K. Oermann, Mobile-sized Language Models Demonstrate Expert-level Clinical Capabilities, submitted, 2024. [arXiv]
- 7. **A. Alyakin**, Y. Qin, and C. E. Priebe, *LqRT: Robust Hypothesis Testing of Location Parameters using Lq-Likelihood-Ratio-Type Test in Python*, 2019. [arXiv] [code]

AWARDS

Johns Hopkins University	
Applied Mathematics & Statistics Prize for Outstanding Master's Research	2020
Applied Mathematics & Statistics Achievement Award	2019
Undergraduate General Honors	2019
Undergraduate Departmental Honors with Thesis, Computer Science	2019
Undergraduate Departmental Honors, Applied Mathematics & Statistics	2019
Whitening School of Engineering Dean's List (8/8 Semesters)	2015-2019

TEACHING

Congress of Neurological Surgeon

Teaching Assistant

CNS 2024 Data Science Course Sep 2024

Johns Hopkins University

Teaching Assistant

580.475 Biomedical Data Science	Fall 2019
553.430/630 Introduction to Statistics	Spring 2019
553.436/636 Data Mining	Fall 2018

MENTORING

NYU OLAB

Undergraduate and High School Intern Supervisor

Shrutika Singh [2024, Present]
Gabriel Rosenbaum [2024, Present]
Krithik Vishwanath [2024, Present]

REVIEW

Neurosurgery

Reviewer [2024, present]

SKILLS

Languages (in order of proficiency):

Python, English, Russian, R, Matlab, Java, C++.

Python skills:

PyTorch[LightningFabric, HuggingFaceAccelerate, PyTorchLightning, DeepSpeed], Tensorflow.

Other skills:

LATEX, Git, SLURM, API[OpenAI, Anthropic, AWS Bedrock], Prompt Engineering, Databases[PostgreSQL, BigQuery], Lead climbing (6b/5.10), Bouldering (7a/V6 indoor; V2 outdoor).