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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Variable selection, multivariate analysis, reduced-rank regression, regularization, singular value decomposition, microbiome data analysis, variational inference.

EDUCATION Flatiron Institute, Simons Foundation, New York, NY

Flatiron Research Fellow, Sept 2017 - Present

• Objective: Developing statistical model for analyzing the microbiome data

• Mentor: Dr. Christian L. Muller

University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT

M.S. and Ph.D., Statistics, Aug 2013 - Aug 2017

• Thesis Topic: Sequential estimation of multivariate association

• Advisors: Professor Dipak Dey and Professor Kun Chen

Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur, Kharagpur, India

B.S and M.S., Statistics and Informatics, Jun 2005 - Aug 2010

• Topic: A study of identification of intron-exon boundary in eukaryotic genes.

• Advisor: Professor Umesh C Gupta

• Best thesis award

**PUBLICATIONS** 

Mishra, A., Dey, D., Chen, K. (2017) Sequential co-sparse factor regression. Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics, 26(4), 814-825.

Mishra, A., Dey, D., Chen, Y., Chen, K. (2020) Generalized co-sparse factor regression. Computational Statistics & Data Analysis, 157, p.107127.

Mishra, A., Müller, C. (2019) Robust regression with compositional covariates. arXiv preprint arXiv:1909.04990. Under review.

Manuscript in Preparation Mishra, A., Buja, A., Müller, C. (2021) Negative binomials factor regression model for microbiome data analysis.

Mishra, A., Müller, C., McNichol, J., Blei, D. (2021) Embedding model for learning microbial associations.

Badri, M., Morton, J., **Mishra, A.**, Eckles, D., Bonneau, R. (2021) Instrumental variable regression for the microbiome data analysis. (methodology contribution)

Mutshinda, C., **Mishra, A.**, Finkel, Z., Widdicombe, C., Irwin, A. (2021) Using a two-component bayesian model to decouple the abiotic controls of phytoplankton occurrence and abundance from in situ data.

## Paper in Preparation

Mishra, A., Müller, C. (2021) Robust microbial associations network model.

Mishra, A., Hyun, S., Bien, J., Müller, C. (2021) Statistical workflows for marine data analysis

#### R Package

Mishra, A., Chen, K. (2017) secure: Sequential co-sparse factor regression. R package https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=secure.

Mishra, A., Chen, K. (2020) gofar: Generalized co-sparse factor regression. R package https://github.com/amishra-stats/gofar.

Mishra, A., Müller, C. (2019) robregcc: Robust regression with compositional covariates. R package https://cran.r-project.org/package=robregcc.

Mishra, A., Hyun, S., Bien, J., Müller, C. (2019) cmap4r: CMAP for R Users. R package https://github.com/simonscmap/cmap4r. Popular among marine biologist.

#### Presentations

## Invited/Seminar Talk

- "Robust regression with compositional covariates". ISI World Statistics Congress, Kuala Lampur, Malaysia
   Aug 2019
- 2. "Application of generalized co-sparse factor regression in microbiome data analysis". WNAR/IMS Annual Meeting, Portland, Oregon June 2019
- 3. "Learning association: with application to marine microbiome data". ITMAT, Perelman School of Medicine, Univ. of Pennsylvania, PH June 2019
- 4. "Statistical methods for the analysis of ocean microbiome data". CBIOMES Annual Meeting, NYC, NY May 2019
- 5. "Robust regression with compositional covariates". New England Statistics Symposium, Hartford, CT May 2019
- 6. "Sparse reduced rank model for multivariate count data". SAMSI Operator Splitting Workshop, NYC, NY March 2019
- 7. "Robust regression with compositional covariates". Dept. of Economic Sciences Colloquium at IIT Kanpur, Kanpur, India Jan 2019
- 8. "A divide and conquer strategy for low-rank and sparse factor regression". Dept. of Mathematics & Statistics Colloquium at IIT Kanpur, Kanpur, India Jan 2019
- 9. "Robust regression with compositional covariates". National Centre for Biological Sciences Colloquium, Bangalore, India Jan 2019
- 10. "Robust regression with compositional covariates". Fall Colloquium Seminars at Columbia Biostatistics, NYC, NY Sept 2018
- 11. ASA Conference on Statistical Learning and Data Science, NYC, NY June 2018
- 12. "Estimation of Inverse Covariance Matrix in Compositional Data". SAMSI Operator Splitting Workshop, Raleigh, NC March 2018
- 13. "Sequential co-sparse factor regression". Computational Bayesian Statistics Journal Club Aug 2020
- 14. "Negative binomial factor regression with application to microbiome data analysis". Biomedical Statistics and Data Science, LMU/HMGU, Munich, Germany Jan 2021

#### Contributed Talk

- "Marine data mining with CMAP". Virtual Joint Statistical Meeting, ASA Aug 2020
- 2. "Marine data mining with CMAP using R". CMS tatistics Annual Meeting, London, UK  $$\operatorname{Dec}\xspace\xspace$
- 3. "CMAP for R users". CBIOMES Virtual Meeting Nov 2019
- 4. ASA Joint Statistical Meetings, Denver, CO July 2019

- 5. Biometric Society (ENAR) Spring Meeting, Philadelphia, PH March 2019
- 6. CMStatistics Annual Meeting, Pisa, Italy

Dec 2018

Dec 2015

- 7. "Sequential Co-Sparse Factor Regression". ASA Joint Statistical Meetings, Baltimore, MD July 2017
- 8. Biometric Society (ENAR) Spring Meeting, Washington, D.C. March 2017
- 9. International Indian Statistical Association Conference, Pune, India

#### Poster

- 1. "Marine data mining with CMAP". CBIOMES annual meeting, New York, NY April 2020
- 2. "Statistical methods for ocean microbiome data". CBIOMES annual meeting, New York, NY April 2019
- 3. "Statistical methods for marine ecosystem modeling". CBIOMES annual meeting, New York, NY April 2018
- 4. "Sequential estimation of sparse factor regression". New England Statistics Symposium, New Haven, CT April 2016

### Workshop

## Professional Experience

## University of Connecticut, Department of Statistics, Storrs, CT

Consultant, Statistical Consulting Service

Sept 2015 to May 2017

- Responsible for providing end-to-end analysis to both internal and external clients.
   Have completed work on 4 projects.
- Service requires designing statistical analysis, providing computational support using statistical tools like R, SAS and SPSS, and presenting result of analysis as per client's objective.

## Fractal Analytics, Mumbai, India

Data Scientist, Fractal Science

Nov 2012 to July 2013

- Developed machine learning algorithm to learn behavioral attribute of product and consumer from transaction data using the concept of finite mixture model. The algorithm was used to develop product named **Customer Genomics**.
- Developed statistical model to predict customer lifetime value in non-contractual setting.
- Developed attribution model in digital marketing to account for incremental impact of different marketing channels leading to sales using the concept of survival analysis.
- Designed dCrypt, a self-learning, natural language processing (NLP) algorithm to predict product attribute from its description in CPG domain. The estimated savings of dCrypt is over 15000 analyst hours per annum.

## Kavaii, Bangalore, India

Data Scientist

May 2012 to Nov 2012

• Responsible for developing statistical model to provide predictive analytic solution to client in manufacturing and healthcare sector.

# KACST, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

# Research Associate

## Dec 2010 to March 2012

May 2016

- Developed mathematical model for vocal tract in cases of unvoiced fricatives sound signal and voiced consonant using statistical signal processing.
- Statistical modelling of biological pathway as Bayesian network from high throughput biological data (genetic expression data) using structural learning algorithm.

Awards	Student Awards — University of Connecticut, Department of Statistic  • Pre-Doctoral Fellowship  • Elizabeth M. McFarlane Fellowship	Summer 2015 Summer 2016
	<ul> <li>Student Awards — University of Connecticut, Graduate School</li> <li>Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship</li> <li>Doctoral Student Travel Award for ENAR Spring Meeting 2017</li> </ul>	Fall 2016 Spring 2017
Professional Associations	Member, New England Statistical Society (NESS) Member, American Statistical Association (ASA) Member, Institute of Mathematical Statistics (IMS) Member, International Statistical Institute (ISI)	2017– 2017– 2019– 2019–
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Department of Statistics, University of Connecticut  Instructor STAT-3375Q-Introduction to Mathematical Statistics I STAT-3445-Introduction to Mathematical Statistics II STAT-1100Q- Elementary Concepts of Statistics	Fall 2016 Spring 2017 Summer 2016
	Teaching Assistant  STAT 1000 - Introduction to Statistics 1  STAT 1100 - Elementary Concepts of Statistics  STAT 3375Q - Introduction to Mathematical Statistics I	2013–Spring 2016
	Workshop Statistical Consulting Service workshop on repeated measure data	

## SERVICE

## Referee

- Biometrika

analysis

- Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics
- Sankhya Series B
- Metrika

# Flatiron Institute

- Member, Lodestar Curriculum Committee

RESEARCH

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References Distinguished Professor

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University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT

Kun Chen

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