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## Publications & Projects

### Publications

- **WaveFusion Squeeze-and-Excitation: Towards an Accurate and Explainable Deep Learning Framework in Neuroscience** Michael Briden, Narges Norouzi. EMBC 2021.

### Workshops/Conferences/Taks

- **Subject-Aware Explainable Contrastive Deep Fusion Learning for Anxiety Level Analysis.** Michael Briden, Narges Norouzi. ICPR-MDMR. *in submission*.
- **Towards Metacognition: Incorporating Subject-Aware Supervised Contrastive Learning With Deep Fusion Networks to Learn Confidence.** Michael Briden, Narges Norouzi. CVPR2022-NeuroVision.
- **Deep Feature Learning to Model Brain Network Activities.** Narges Norouzi, Michael Covarrubias, Michael Briden, Rafael Espericueta. 23rd International Conference on Information Fusion.

### Projects

- **Low-shot Contrastive Clustering for Wound Healing Stage Estimation.**
- **Topological Data Analysis in Information Space for Confidence Analysis with Electroencephalogram Data & Horizontal Visibility.**
- **Classification of Electroencephalogram Data using SpectroImaging and Deep Neural Networks.**

## Education

- 2018 – ... ■ **PhD Student, UC Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz, CA**
- 2012 – 2015 ■ **B.Sc. Mathematics, Pacific Lutheran University, Tacoma, WA**
- 2010 – 2012 ■ **AS, Pierce College, Lakewood, WA**  
Emphasis in Mathematics.

## Teaching Assistant Experience

- **Applied Machine Learning, UC Santa Cruz**
- **Artificial Intelligence, UC Santa Cruz**
- **Beginning Programming in Python, UC Santa Cruz**
- **COSMOS Summer 2019-ML and NLP Cluster, UC Santa Cruz**
- **Data Structures, UC Santa Cruz**