

Evan M. Yu

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EDUCATION

Cornell University - PhD

Biomedical Engineering

Advisor: Mert R. Sabuncu

Committee: Kilian Q. Weinberger and Amy Kuceyeski

Sep 2015 – Present

Ithaca, NY

Cornell University - MS

Biomedical Engineering

Ithaca, NY

2019

Stony Brook University - BE

Biomedical Engineering

Stony Brook, NY

Aug. 2011 – May 2015

Summa Cum Laude - Highest Honor

PUBLICATIONS

Evan M. Yu, Juan Eugenio Iglesias, Adrian V. Dalca, Mert R. Sabuncu. An Auto-Encoder Strategy for Adaptive Image Segmentation. Medical Imaging with Deep Learning (2020).

Evan M. Yu, Adrian V. Dalca, Mert R. Sabuncu. Learning Conditional Deformable Shape Templates for Brain Anatomy. MICCAI: Machine Learning in Medical Imaging (2020).

Adrian V. Dalca, Evan M. Yu, Polina Golland, Bruce Fischl, Mert R. Sabuncu, Juan Eugenio Iglesias. Unsupervised Deep Learning for Bayesian Brain MRI Segmentation. Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (2019).

Evan M. Yu, Mert R. Sabuncu. A Convolutional Autoencoder Approach to Learn Volumetric Shape Representations for Brain Structures. International Symposium on Biomedical Imaging (2018). **Oral**

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Graduate Research Assistant

Cornell University

Sep 2015 – Present

Ithaca, NY

- Developed new deep learning methods to tackle challenging problem in medical imaging.

Machine Learning R&D Intern

HP

May 2021 – Aug 2021

Houston, TX

- Lead development of algorithms to extract user metric from computer webcam.
- Educated interns and coworkers about modern deep learning methods.

Clinical Research Scientist Intern

New York-Presbyterian & Weill Cornell Medicine

May 2016 – Aug 2016

New York, NY

- Successfully employed deep learning models to predict prognosis of traumatic brain injury
- Gained familiarity in radiology procedures through interactions with physicians

Research Assistant

Stony Brook University

Sep 2013 – May 2015

Stony Brook, NY

- Successfully deployed kernel methods to identify patients with major depressive disorder
- Devised algorithms to correct MRI brain delineation

Teaching Assistant

Cornell University

- ECE 5970: Machine Learning with Biomed Data (Fall 2018 & 2020)
- BME 5930: BME Master of Engineering projects (Spring 2014)

Stony Brook University

- BME 212: Biomedical Engineering Research Fundamentals (Spring 2014)

Summer Undergraduate Research

Buffalo University (2014)

- Developed LabVIEW pipeline to conduct and evaluate self-administration experiments for rodents
- Designed cost-effective rat chambers, saving thousands of dollars, for self-administration experiments

Stony Brook University (2013)

- Operated and managed a micro-CT machine to study the effect of cancer on rat bones
- Investigated the role of low intensity vibration on bone preservation

HONORS AND AWARDS

Neufeld S. Arthur & Dorothy R Schol Fellowship USD 8,593.00

Presidential Scholarship USD 10,000.00

SUNY Brain Summer Scholar USD 3,500.00

Dean's List, Stony Brook University (2011-2015)

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Reviewer

- The British Machine Vision Conference (BMVC)
- Neuroimage
- The Journal of Machine Learning for Biomedical Imaging (MELBA)

MICCAI UNSURE Workshop

- Committee (Fall 2020 & 2021)

Graduate Students Mentoring Undergraduates (GSMU)

Sep 2016 - April 2018

- Supported the scholarship and professional development of undergraduate scholars

SBU Campus Community Emergency Response Team (C-CERT)

Jan 2011 - May 2013

- Assisted in first-aid stations, crowd and traffic control during events on campus

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, Matlab, LabVIEW, C.

Machine Learning Tools: PyTorch, Tensorflow, Keras, Scikit-learn.

Developer Tools: Git, Vim, LaTeX.

Language: fluent in English and Spanish, conversational Cantonese.

COURSEWORK

Bayesian Machine Learning · Computer Vision · Statistical Distances for Machine Learning · Probability and Statistics
Machine Learning with Biomedical Applications · Signals and Systems · Linear Algebra · Ordinary Differential
Equations · Quantitative Human Physiology