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Research Publications

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- [20] Keerthi Kurma, Olivier Manches, **Florent Chuffart**, Nathalie Sturm, Khaldoun Gharzeddine, Jianhui Zhang, Marion Mercey-Ressejac, Sophie Rousseaux, Arnaud Millet, Herve Lerat, Patrice N Marche, Zuzana Macek Jilkova and Thomas Decaens. **Cancers (Basel)**, 2021.
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- [17] CCM2 deficient endothelial cells undergo a mechano-dependent reprogramming into senescence associated secretory phenotype used to recruit endothelial and immune cells. Daphné Raphaelle Vannier, Apeksha Shapeti, Florent Chuffart, Emmanuelle Plan
- [15] Chidamide inhibits the NOTCH1-MYC signaling axis in T-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia. Mengping Xi, Shanshan Guo, Caicike Bayin, Lijun peng, Florent Chuffart, Ekaterina Bourova-Flin, Sophie Rousseaux, Saadi Khochbin, Jianqing Mi, Jin Wang. Frontiers in Medicine, under Revision,
- [14] The combined detection of Amphiregulin, Cyclin A1 and DDX20/Gemin3 expression predicts aggressive forms of Oral Squamous Cell Carcinoma. Ekaterina Bourova-Flin, Samira Derakhshan, Afsaneh Goudarzi, Tao Wang, Anne-Laure Vitte, Florent Chuffart, Saadi Khochbin, Sophie Rousseaux, Pouyan Aminishakib. British Journal of Cancer, accepted 28th May 2021,
- [13] Immediate and durable effects of maternal tobacco consumption alter placental DNA methylation in enhancer and imprinted gene-containing regions. Sophie Rousseaux, Emie Seyve, **Florent Chuffart**, Ekaterina Bourova-Flin, Meriem Benmerad, Marie-Aline Charles, Anne Forhan, Barbara Heude, Valérie Siroux, Remy Slama, Jorg Tost, Daniel Vaiman, Saadi Khochbin, Johanna Lepeule, EDEN Mother-Child Cohort Study Group. **BMC Med**, 2020.
- [12] PenDA, a Rank-Based Method for Personalized Differential Analysis: Application to Lung Cancer. Magali Richard, Clémentine Decamps, **Florent Chuffart**, Elisabeth Brambilla, Sophie Rousseaux, Saadi Khochbin, Daniel Jost. **PLoS Comput Biol**, 2020.

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- [7] Pregnancy exposure to atmospheric pollution and meteorological conditions and placental DNA methylation. Emilie Abraham, Sophie Rousseaux, Lydiane Agier, Lise Giorgis-Allemand, Jörg Tost, Julien Galineau, Agnès Hulin, Valérie Siroux, Daniel Vaiman, Marie-Aline Charles, Barbara Heude, Anne Forhan, Joel Schwartz, Florent Chuffart, Ekaterina Bourova-Flin, Saadi Khochbin, Rémy Slama, Johanna Lepeule. Environment International, 2018.
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- [5] Exploiting single-cell quantitative data to map genetic variants having probabilistic effects. Chuffart F, Richard M, Jost D, Burny C, Duplus-Bottin H, Ohya Y, Yvert G. PLOS Genetics, 2016.
- [4] The complex pattern of epigenomic variation between natural yeast strains at single-nucleosome resolution. Fabien Filleton, Florent Chuffart, Muniyandi Nagarajan, Helene Bottin-Duplus, Gael Yvert. Epigenetics and Chromatin, 2015.
- [3] MyLabStocks: a web-application to manage molecular biology materials. Florent Chuffart and Gael Yvert. Yeast, 2014.
- [2] When Self-Stabilization Meets Real Platforms: an Experimental Study of a Peer-to-Peer Service Discovery System. Eddy Caron, Florent Chuffart, Cédric Tedeschi. Future Generation Computer Systems, 2013.
- [1] SimExplorer: Programming Experimental Designs on Models and Managing Quality of Modelling Process. Florent Chuffart, Nicolas Dumoulin, Thierry Faure, Guillaume Deffuant. International Journal of Agricultural and Environmental Information Systems, 2010.

Software Production

dmethr: Hunting DNA methylation repression of transcriptional activity and its reactivation in a demethylating context https://github.com/fchuffar/dmethr

medepir: DNA MEthylation DEconvolution PIpeline in R https://github.com/bcm-uga/medepir

methepic_map: An R script that build a dictionary of probes according to array annotations https://github.com/fchuffar/methepic_map

pipeline_mnase: A set of scripts that orchestrate the analysis of MNase-Seq and ChIP-Seq data https://github.com/fchuffar/pipeline_mnase

pipeline_rrbs: A set of scripts that orchestrate the analysis of RRBS data https://github.com/fchuffar/pipeline_rrbs

ectopy: A Python package that detects ectopic gene expression in cancer https://github.com/epimed/ectopy

ector: An R package that detects ectopic gene expression in cancer https://github.com/mpetrier/ector

deeptoolsr: DeepTools binding for R. https://github.com/fchuffar/deeptoolsr

penda: An R package that performs personalized differential analysis of omics data. https://github.com/bcm-uga/penda

dmprocr: a set of usefull functions organized around a workflow and performing differential methylation profiles clustering. https://github.com/bcm\T1\textendashuga/dmprocr

epimedtools: A package providing a set of useful statistical functions. This package relies on 'GEOquery' and 'affy' packages, R Reference Classes, caching features and memoisation to simplify, homogenize and speed up multi-omic analysis. https://github.com/fchuffar/epimedtools

methmybeachup: A package providing a set of functions allowing to easily convolves and visualize the methylome signal across genes and CpG islands. https://github.com/fchuffar/methmybeachup

BoT: (stands for Bag of Tasks) is an R package allowing to distribute independent tasks over many cores and many computing nodes. https://github.com/fchuffar/bot

ptlmapper: a package which contains functions that are used to map single-cell Probabilistic Trait Loci (scPTL). The principle of scPTL mapping is to consider a distribution of single-cell traits as the phenotype of a (multicellular) individual, to acquire this phenotype in many individuals, and to scan the genome for DNA variants that change this phenotype. https://github.com/fchuffar/ptlmapper

Training

2021: Atelier Statistique : Traitement statistique de données censurées en analyse de survie, 5, 6, 7 juillet 2021, distanciel.

2020: Single Cell: Génomique de la cellule unique. 8-9 octobre 2020, Lyon (69), France.

2019: Health data challenge (2nd edition), Matrix factorization and deconvolution methods to quantify tumor heterogeneity in cancer. November 29, 2019, Aussois (France), https://cancer-heterogeneity.github.io/data_challenges.html

2018: Health Data Challenge: Matrix factorization and deconvolution methods to quantify tumor heterogeneity in cancer research, 10-14 decembre 2018, Aussois (73), France.

2018 : Biologie intégrative ou biologie des systèmes par Joëlle Henry-Berger, 5-9 novembre 2018, Lyon (69), France.

2018: Journée Campagnes de calculs reproductibles, 23 october, Lyon (69), France.

2017: Epigenetic & High-Dimension Mediation Data Challenge. 7-9 June, Aussois (73), France.

2017: Rencontres scientifiques des Grands Causses : Modélisation physique de l'organisation nucléaire et de ses pathologies. 9-12 Mai, Millau (12), France.

2016: Capture de conformation de chromosomes : vers l'analyse tridimensionnelle de la régulation des génomes. 2-4 Mai, Bordeaux (33), France.

- 2015: DU in statistics at University of Strasbourg. 19-23 January, 15-19 June, 16-20 November, Strasbourg (67), France.
- 2015: "R pour le calcul", R avancé et performances. 5-9 October, Aussois (73), France.
- 2015: Advanced Lecture Course on Computational Systems Biology. 6-11 April, Aussois (73), France.
- 2012: Advances Lecture Course Hybrid Multicore Parallel Programming, 8-12 October, Autrans (38), France.
- 2012: Wellcome Trust Advanced Course: In Silico Systems Biology. 23-27 April, Cambridge, UK.
- 2009: Mexico Advanced Course in Sensitivity Analysis. 11-14 May, Hyères (83), France.

Jobs

Since December 2015: Research Engineer (IR) at IAB, INSERM, Grenoble, France. Data analysis and modelling of biological systems.

September 2012 - November 2015: Post Doctoral position at LBMC, CNRS, Lyon, France. Dynamic simulation of a gene regulatory network in various wild genetic backgrounds of yeast. project SiGHT (ERC-StG2011-281359) (Systems Genetics of Heritable variaTions)

September 2009 - August 2012: Senior Engineer position at LIP, Inria, Lyon, France. Design and implementation of a peer-to-peer grid middleware supporting petascale architecture. SPADES project (08-ANR-SEGI-025) (Servicing Petascale Architectures and DistributEd System)

Janury 2008 - August 2009: Post Doctoral position at Irstea (ex-Cemagref), Clermont-Ferrand, France. Compared study, design and implementation of Individual Based Model (IBM) and Differential Equation Model (DEM). Application to predator-prey model that incorporates individual behavior of the predators. Sensitivity analysis of from model parameters, impact on model behavior. LifeGrid / PatRes project (FP6-043268) (Pattern Resilience)

October 2004 - December 2007: Ph.D. position at France Telecom / University of Caen Basse-Normandie, Caen, France. Conception design and implementation of an ubiquitous services platform integrating distributed multimodal interfaces. AURORA Project (ITEA-03005)

Education

- 2016: DU degree in statistics at University of Strasbourg, Strasbourg, France.
- 2007: Ph.D. degree in computer science at University of Caen Basse-Normandie, Caen, France.
- 2004: DEA (master science) in computer science, artificial intelligence and algorithm at University of Caen Basse-Normandie, Caen, France.
- 2003: Maitrise (master's degree) in applied Mathematics at University of Rouen, Rouen, France.
- 2002: Licence (under graduate) in Mathematics at University of Rouen, Rouen, France.
- 1999: DUT (two-year university degree in technology) in Chemistry at IUT (University Institute of Technology) of Rouen, Rouen, France.
- 1997: Baccalauréat (French secondary school diploma), science major, Rouen, France.

Other Communications

Lysine Methyltransferases Signaling: Histones are Just the Tip of the Iceberg. Lukinović V, Casanova AG, Roth GS, Chuffart F, Reynoird N. Curr Protein Pept Sci. 2020 Jan 1

Analysis of RNA-seq data. Florent Chuffart. **Journée thematique 'statistique & genomique'**, 19 september 2019, Paris.

Snakemake as workflow engine. Florent Chuffart. Python working session. 20 june 2019, Grenoble.

Histone variants: critical determinants in tumour heterogeneity. Wang T, Chuffart F, Bourova-Flin E, Wang J, Mi J, Rousseaux S, Khochbin S. Front Med 13 (3), 289-297. Jun 2019.

ROCKs dependent contractility upon CCM depletion leads to a lossof endothelial cell identity and a gain in invasiv phenotype. Daphné Vannier et al. Poster. **Developmental and cell biology of the future conference**, 27-29 march 2019, Paris.

Utilisation des ressources CIMENT dans le cadre du projet epimed: les besoins spécifiques de la bioinformatique pour l'analyse des données d'exome. Quentin Testard, Julien Thevenon, Jean-François Taly, Laure Raymond, Florent Chuffart. JCAD 2018, 24-26 october, Lyon (69), France.

Intégration de données multi-omiques: RGCCA, Mix Omics. Florent Chuffart. Journée thematique 'statistique & genomique', 12 octobre 2018, Paris.

Retour d'expérience concernant le data challenge épigénétique et médiation à large échelle d'Aussois. Sophie Achard, Dylan Aïssi, Michael Blum, Kevin Caye, **Florent Chuffart**, Olivier François, Keurcien Luu, Florian Privé, Magali Richard. **CFIES2017**, septembre 2017, Grenoble, France. https://toltex.imag.fr/users/RCqls/Workshop/cfies2017/Submissions/subm44.pdf

The role of bromodomain testis-specific factor, BRDT, in cancer: a biomarker and a possible therapeutic target. Ekaterina Flin, **Florent Chuffart**, Sophie Rousseaux, Saadi Khochbin. **Cell J** (Yakhteh) Volume 19, Supplement 1, Spring 2017

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execo (APP creation deposit). Matthieu Imbert, Laurent Pouilloux, Florent Chuffart. APP. 2015.

A General Method to map Single-cell Probabilistic Trait Loci of the Genome. (Short Talk). Florent Chuffart. Quatrièmes Rencontres R, 24-26 June 2015, Grenoble, France.

Functional Genetic Diversity of the Yeast Galactose Network. (Short Talk). Florent Chuffart. CompSysBio, 6-11 April 2015, Aussois, France.

NucleoMiner 2.0: Detecting intra-species quantitative epigenomic variation at single-nucleosome resolution. Florent Chuffart, Gael Yvert. (Poster). LyonSysBio, 19-21 November 2014, Villeurbanne, France.

Parallel Computing in R using the Bot Package. Florent Chuffart (Poster). Deuxièmes rencontres R. 27-28 Juin 2013, Lyon, France.

Optimization in a Self-stabilizing Service Discovery Framework for Large Scale Systems. (in Proceedings). Eddy Caron, Florent Chuffart, Anissa Lamani, Franck Petit. SSS. 2012. 239-252.

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Mise en oeuvre de la découverte de services pour des plateformes dynamiques à large échelle. (in Proceedings). Florent Chuffart, Haiwu He. RenPar'20, 10-13 May 2011, Saint-Malo, France. RSTI, serie TSI, 31:8-9-10, 1101-1119.

Implementation and Evaluation of a P2P Service Discovery System: Application in a Dynamic Large Scale Computing Infrastructure. (in Proceedings). Caron, E.; Chuffart, F.; Haiwu He; Tedeschi, C. IEEE 11th International Conference on Computer and Information Technology (CIT). 2011. 41-46.

Declarative task delegation in OpenMOLE. (in Proceedings). R Reuillon, F Chuffart, M Leclaire, T Faure, N Dumoulin, D Hill. International Conference on High performance computing and simulation (HPCS). 2010. 55-62.

Applying a Moment Approximation to a bacterial biofilm individual-based model. (in Proceedings). J-D. Mathias, **F. Chuffart**, N. Mabrouk, and G. Deffuant. **ICCGI 2009**: Proceedings of the 2009 Fourth International Multi-Conference on Computing in the Global Information Technology, pages 138-143, Washington, DC, USA, 2009. IEEE Computer Society.

Record & replay: expérimentation d'un service multimodal. (in Proceedings). Antoine Bouyer, Florent Chuffart. UbiMob '09 Proceedings of the 5th French-Speaking Conference on Mobility and Ubiquity Computing. 2009. 19-23.

The Design of a Multimodal Platform: Experimentation of Record & Replay. (in Proceedings). Bouyer, A.; Chuffart, F.; Courval, L. Second International Conferences on Advances in Computer-Human Interactions. 2009. 1-6.

Design and Analysis of Computer Experiments with SimExplorer. (in Proceedings). Florent Chuffart, Thierry Faure, Nicolas Dumoulin, Romain Reuillon, and Guillaume Deffuant. European Simulation and Modelling Conference (ESM2008). 27-29 October 2008, Le Havre, France. 575-577.

Conception d'une plate-forme de services ubiquitaires intégrant des interfaces multimodales distribuées. (PhD thesis). Florent Chuffart. Université de Caen Basse-Normandie. 2007.

Construction d'une application vocale pour la sélection d'objets à l'aide d'un modèle basé sur les hypergraphes. (in Proceedings). Cyril Bazin, Florent Chuffart, and Jacques Madelaine. **9ème Conférence Internationale sur le Document Numérique**. 18-20 Septembre 2006, Fribourg, Suisse. 43-58.

Aurora, multimodal messaging framework for ubiquitous web context. (Communication). F. Chuffart, F. Van Gool, and L. Courval. W3C Ubiquitous Web Workshop, 2006.

Aurora, a framework enabling multimodal interactions. (in Proceedings). Florent Chuffart, Filip Van Gool, and Lionel Courval. In Workshop on International on Multimodal Multiparty Meeting Processing, ACM ICMI Workshop. 7 October 2005, Trento, Italy. 53-585.