Garrett Greiner

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Education

University of Utah

Ph.D. Student, Computer Science

August, 2024 – Present Salt Lake City, Utah

Trinity University

B.S. in Computer Science with Additional Math Major GPA: 3.89/4.0

August, 2020 – May, 2024 San Antonio, Texas

Honors Thesis: "Multi-Modal EEG NEO-FFI with Trained Attention Layer (MENTAL) for Mental Disorder Prediction"

Publications

Greiner, G., Zhang, Y. Multi-modal EEG NEO-FFI with Trained Attention Layer (MENTAL) for mental disorder prediction. Brain Inf. 11, 26 (2024).

Greiner, G., Tuba, E. (2023). Detecting Image Forgery Using Support Vector Machine and Texture Features. In: Quaresma, P., Camacho, D., Yin, H., Gonçalves, T., Julian, V., Tallón-Ballesteros, A.J. (eds) Intelligent Data Engineering and Automated Learning – IDEAL 2023. IDEAL 2023. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 14404. Springer, Cham.

Research Presentations

- G. Greiner, "Multi-Modal EEG NEO-FFI with Trained Attention Layer (MENTAL) for Mental Disorder Prediction," presented at the Annual Summer Undergraduate Research Conference, Trinity University, San Antonio, TX, July 2023.
- G. Greiner, L. Martinez, "Multi-Dimensional Interpretable Interaction Network (MDiiN) for Modeling Aging Health and Mortality," presented at the 6th Annual Symposium for Undergraduate Research Exploration (SURE) at the University of Texas at Austin, UT Austin, Austin, TX, November 2022.
- G. Greiner, L. Martinez, "Multi-Dimensional Interpretable Interaction Network (MDiiN) for Modeling Aging Health and Mortality," presented at the Annual Summer Undergraduate Research Conference, Trinity University, San Antonio, TX, July 2022.
- B. Gustafson, G. Greiner, "Interpreting Neural Network Models on Age-Associated DNA Methylation," presented at the Annual Summer Undergraduate Research Conference, Trinity University, San Antonio, TX, July 2021.

Research Experience

Undergraduate Research Assistant

May, 2021 – May, 2024

Lab of Dr. Yu Zhang, Trinity University Department of Computer Science

San Antonio, Texas

Project: Interpreting Neural Network Models on Age-Associated DNA Methylation Dataset

Aimed to explain how neural networks trained on DNA methylation data make predictions

Used various interpretation models to explain predictions

Project: Multi-Dimensional Interpretable Interaction Network (MDiiN) Model

- Proposed MDiiN to accurately predict trajectories of health variables and survival
- Presented the work at the UT SURE symposium in 2022

Project: Multi-Modal EEG NEO-FFI with Trained Attention Layer (MENTAL) for Mental Disorder Prediction

- One of the first multi-modal models to use EEG and NEO-FFI data
- Published in Brain Informatics (vol. 11)

Undergraduate Research Assistant

August, 2023 - May, 2024

Lab of Dr. Cabral Balreira, Trinity University Department of Mathematics

San Antonio, Texas

Project: Understanding the Space of Graph Partitions to Detect Gerrymandering

- Proposed new methods for ensemble generation for gerrymandering detection
- Discovered a bug in the Python library GerryChain

Undergraduate Research Assistant

March, 2023 - November, 2023

Lab of Dr. Eva Tuba, Trinity University Department of Computer Science

San Antonio, Texas

Project: Detecting Image Forgery Using Support Vector Machine and Texture Features

- Achieved 97.7% accuracy for image forgery detection
- Published the work in IDEAL 2023 conference

Other Experience

Teaching Assistant - CSCI 3322 Principles of Algorithms

August, 2023 – December, 2023

Trinity University

San Antonio, Texas

- Held office hours to help students with understanding of material and review
- Graded coursework and provided feedback to students

Teaching Assistant – CSCI 3344 Artificial Intelligence

January, 2024 – May, 2024

Trinity University

San Antonio, Texas

- Held office hours to help students with understanding of material and review
- Helped generate instructions for new projects
- Graded coursework and provided feedback to students

Grant Writing October, 2023

Trinity University

San Antonio, Texas

• Helped write a NSF grant to get a new HPC for Trinity University

Awards & Honors

Outstanding Junior Research Award

2023

Trinity University

Upsilon Pi Epsilon

2023-Present

Honor Society for the Computing and Information Disciplines

Kappa Mu Epsilon

2022-Present

Mathematics Honor Society

Dean's List

Fall 2020, Fall 2021-Spring 2024

Trinity University

Murchison Scholarship

2020

Trinity University