Hector Corrada Bravo

I. Personal Information

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I.A. Academic Appointments

- Associate Professor with Tenure, Department of Computer Science University of Maryland, College Park, MD July 2016-Present
- Associate Professor with Tenure, Institute for Advanced Computer Studies University of Maryland, College Park, MD July 2016-Present
- Affiliate Associate Professor, Applied Math, Statistics and Scientific Computation University of Maryland, College Park, MD July 2016-Present
- Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science University of Maryland, College Park, MD July 2010-June 2016
- Assistant Professor, Institute for Advanced Computer Studies University of Maryland, College Park, MD July 2010-June 2016
- Affiliate Assistant Professor, Applied Math, Statistics and Scientific Computation University of Maryland, College Park, MD July 2011-June 2016

I.B. Other Employment

- Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Biostatistics Johns Hopkins University School of Public Health, Baltimore, MD September 2008-June 2010
- Research and Teaching Assistant, Departments of Computer Science and Statistics University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI September 2003-August 2008

 Resarch Intern, IBM Research, Almaden, CA May 2005-August 2005

I.C. Educational Background

- Ph.D., Computer Science, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI September 2003 - August 2008
 Dissertation: Graph-based data analysis Advisor: Grace Wahba and Raghu Ramakrishnan
- D.M.A., Indiana University School of Music, Bloomington, IN (ABD) September 2000 - August 2003
- M.M., Peabody Institute of Music, Baltimore, MD September 1997 - May 1999
- B.M., Peabody Institute of Music, Baltimore, MD September 1993 - May 1997

II. Research, Scholarly and Creative Activites

Annotation: corresponding authors*, lead authors^, advisee#

II.A. Selected Articles in Refereed Journals

- 1. S. Braid^, K. Okrah[#], A. Shetty, **H. Corrada Bravo*** (2017). Differences in DNA methylation patterns in the cord blood of neonates across gestational age are associated with differences in cell-type composition. *Nursing Research* 66(2): 115-122, doi:10.1097/NNR.000000000000210.
- 2. M. Sharmin[#], **H. Corrada bravo**, S. Hannenhalli* (2016). Heterogeneity of TF binding specificity models within and across cell lines. *Genome Research* 26(8):1110-23, doi:10.1101/gr.199166.115.
- 3. M. Pop^, J.N. Paulson[#], S. Chakraborty, I. Astrovskaya, B.R. Lindsay, S. Li, **H. Corrada Bravo**, C. Harro, J. Parkhill, A.W. Walker, R.I. Walker, D.A. Sack, O.C. Stine* (2016). Individual-specific changes in the human gut microbiota after challenge with enterotoxigenic *Escherichia coli* and subsequent ciprofloxacin treatment. *BMC Genomics* 17(1):440, doi:10.1186/s12864-016-27777-0.
- 4. S. Manimaran^, H.M. Selby, K. Okrah[#], C. Ruberman, J.T. Leek, J. Quackenbush, B. Haibe-Kains, **H. Corrada Bravo**, W.E. Johnson* (2016). BatchQC: interactive software for evaluating sample and batch effects in genomic data. *Bioinformatics* 32(24):3836-3838, doi:10.1093/bioinformatics/btw538.
- 5. Y. Li^, K.L. Caradonna^, K. Okrah^#, J. Choi, P. Padmanabhan, D.M. Ndegwa, S. Shah-Simpson, M.R. Temanni, **H. Corrada Bravo**, N. El-Sayed*, B.A. Burleigh* (2016). Transcriptome Remodeling in Trypanosoma cruzi and Human Cells during Intracellular Infection. *PLOS Pathogens* 12(4):e1005511, doi:10.1371/journal.ppat.1005511.
- 6. J. Wagner^#, J. Paulson#, X.S. Wang, B. Bhattacharjee, **H. Corrada Bravo*** (2016). Privacy preserving human microbiome analysis using secure computation. *Bioinformatics*, doi:10.1093/bioinformatics/btw073.
- 7. M. Sharmin^, **H. Corrada Bravo***, S. Hannenhalli* (2016). Characterizing the regulatory landscape of large hypomethylated blocks in colon cancer. *BMC Cancer* 16:88, doi:10.1186/s12885-016-2128-1.
- 8. L. Dillon^, K. Okrah^#, V. Hughitt, R. Suresh, Y. Li, M. Fernandes, A. Belew, **H. Corrada Bravo**, D. Mosser, N. El-Sayed* (2015). Transcriptomic profiling of gene expression and RNA processing during *Leishmania major* differentiation. *Nucleic Acids Research* 43 (14): 6799-6813, doi:10.1093/nar/gkv656.
- 9. K. Okrah^#, **H. Corrada Bravo*** (2015). Shape analysis for high-throughput transcriptomics experiment data. *Biostatistics* 16(4):627-40, doi:10.1093/biostatistics/kxv018.
- 10. W. Huber^, V. Carey, R. Gentleman, M. Carlson, B.S. Carvalho, **H. Corrada Bravo**, S. Davis, L. Gatto, T. Girke, R. Gottardo, F. Hahne, K. Hansen, R.A. Irizarry, M. Lawrence, M.I. Love, J. MacDonald, V. Obenchain, A.K. Olés, H. Pagés, P. Shannon, G. Smyth, D. Tenenbaum, L. Waldron, M. Morgan* (2015). Orchestrating high-throughput genomic analysis with Bioconductor. *Nature Methods* 12 115-121, doi:10.1038/nmeth.3252.

- 11. W. Dinalankara^#, **H. Corrada Bravo*** (2015). Gene expression signatures based on variability can robustly predict tumor progression and prognosis. *Cancer Informatics* 14:71-81.
- 12. E. Alemu^, J.W. Carl, **H. Corrada Bravo***, S. Hannenhalli* (2014). Determinants of expression variability. *Nucleic Acids Research* 42 (6), 3503-14.
- 13. C. Ye^{^#}, C. Hsiao[#], **H. Corrada Bravo*** (2014). BlindCall: ultra-fast base-calling of second-generation sequencing by blind deconvolution. *Bioinformatics* 30 (9):1214-9.
- 14. M. Aryee^, A. Jaffe, **H. Corrada Bravo**, C. Ladd-Acosta, A. Feinberg, K. Hansen*, R.A. Irizarry* (2014). Minfi: a flexible and comprehensive Bioconductor package for the analysis of Infinium DNA Methylation microarrays. *Bioinformatics* 30 (10):1363-9.
- 15. W. Timp^, **H. Corrada Bravo**^, O.G. McDonald, M. Goggins, C. Umbricht, M. Zeiger, A.P. Feinberg*, R.A. Irizarry* (2014). Large hypomethylated blocks related to large heterochromatin regions as a universal defining epigenetic alteration in human solid tumors. *Genome Medicine* 6:61, doi:10.1186/s13073-014-0061-y.
- 16. F. Chelaru^#, L. Smith#, N. Goldstein#, **H. Corrada Bravo*** (2014). Epiviz: interactive visual analytics for epigenomics data. *Nature Methods* 11 938-940, doi:10.1038/nmeth.3038.
- 17. M. Pop^, A.W. Walker^, J.N. Paulson^#, B. Lindsey^, M. Antonio^, M.A. Hossain^, J. Oundo^, B. Tamboura, V. Mai, I. Astrovskaya, **H. Corrada Bravo**, R. Rance, M. Stares, M.M. Levine, S. Panchalingam, K. Kotloff, U.N. Ikumapayi, C. Ebruke, D. Adeyemi, F. Ahmed, M.T. Alam, R. Amin, S. Siddiqui, J.B. Ochieng, E. Ouma, J. Juma, E. Mailu, R. Omore, J.G. Morris, R.F. Breiman, D. Saha, J. Parkhill, O.C. Stine*, J.P. Nataro* (2014). Diarrhea in young children from low-income countries leads to large-scale alterations in intestinal microbiota composition. *Genome Biology* 15, R76.
- 18. J.N. Paulson[#], O.C. Stein, **H. Corrada Bravo***, M. Pop* (2013). Differential abundance analysis for microbial marker-gene surveys. *Nature Methods* 10 (12):1200-1202, doi:10.1038/nmeth.2658.
- 19. **H. Corrada Bravo**^, V. Pihur, M. McCall, R.A. Irizarry, J.T. Leek* (2012). Gene expression anti-profiles as a basis for cancer diagnostics. *BMC Bioinformatics* 13:272, doi:10.1186/1471-2105-13-272.
- 20. T.S. Niranjan^, A. Adamczyk^, **H. Corrada Bravo**^, M. Taub, S.J. Wheelan, R.A. Irizarry, T. Wang* (2011). Effective detection of rare variants in pooled DNA samples using Srfim and cross-pool tail-curve analysis. *Genome Biology* 12 (9):R93.
- 21. A. Rivas^, K. Bohane, **H. Corrada Bravo**^, M. Tan, R. Tamargo, H.W. Francis (2011). A model for early prediction of facial nerve recovery after vestibular schwannoma surgery. *Otology & Neurotology* 32 (5):826-33.
- 22. K. Hansen^, W. Timp^, **H. Corrada Bravo**^, S. Sabunciyan^, B. Langmead^, O.G. McDonald, B. Wen, H. Wu, D. Diep, E. Briem, K. Zhang, R.A. Irizarry*, A.P. Feinberg* (2011). Increased methylation variation in epigenetic domains across cancer types. *Nature Genetics* 43 (8):768-75.
- 23. M. Taub^, **H. Corrada Bravo**, R.A. Irizarry* (2010). Overcoming bias and systematic errors in next generation sequencing data. *Genome Medicine* 2 (12):87.
- 24. H. Wu, R.A. Irizarry*, **H. Corrada Bravo**^(2010). Intensity normalization improves color calling in SOLiD sequencing. *Nature Methods* 7:336-337.
- 25. J.T. Leek^, R. Scharpf, **H. Corrada Bravo**, D. Simcha, B. Langmead, W.E. Johnson, D. Geman, K. Baggerly, R.A. Irizarry* (2010). Tackling the widespread and critical impact of batch effects in high-throughput data. *Nature Reviews Genetics* 11 (10):733-739.
- 26. M. Acevedo^, T.M. Aide*, L. J. Villanueva-Rivera, **H. Corrada Bravo**^, C. J. Corrada-Bravo* (2009). Automated classification of bird and amphibian calls using machine learning: a comparison of methods. *Ecological Informatics* 4 (4):206-214.
- 27. K. H. Eng^, **H. Corrada Bravo**^, S. Keles* (2009). A phylogenetic mixture model for the evolution of gene expression. *Molecular Biology and Evolution* 26 (10):2363-2372.
- 28. **H. Corrada Bravo**^, K.E. Lee, B.E.K. Klein, R. Klein, S.K. Iyengar, G. Wahba* (2009). Examining the relative influence of familial, genetic and environmental covariate information in flexible risk models. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Science* 106 (20): 8128-8133.
- 29. **H. Corrada Bravo**^, R.A. Irizarry* (2009). Model-based quality assessment and base-calling for second-generation sequencing data. *Biometrics* 66(3):665-74, doi:10.1111/j.1541-0420.2009.01353.x.

II.B. Published Conference Proceedings

II.B.1. Refereed Conference Proceedings

1. M.K. Gunady^{*}, S. Cornwell^{*}, S.M. Mount, **H. Corrada Bravo*** (2017). Yanagi: transcript segment library construction for RNA-seq quantification. *17th Workshop for Algorithms in Bioinformatics (WABI) 2017*.

- 2. F. Dorri^{*}, L. Mendelowitz, **H. Corrada Bravo*** (2015). methylFlow: cell-specific methylation pattern reconstruction from high-throughput bisulfite-converted DNA sequencing. *HitSEQ 2015; Bioinformatics* 32(11):1618-24.
- 3. F. Chelaru^**, **H. Corrada Bravo*** (2015). Epiviz: a view inside the design of an integrated visual analysis software for genomics. *BioVis 2015; BMC Bioinformatics 16(Supl 11):S4*.
- 4. **H. Corrada Bravo**^, K. Eng, S. Keles, G. Wahba, S. Wright (2009). Estimating tree-structured covariance matrices via mixed integer programming. *Twelfth International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS '09); Journal of Machine Learning Research Workshop and Conference Proceedings, 533:40.*
- 5. **H. Corrada Bravo**^, R. Ramakrishnan (2007). Optimizing MPF queries: decision support and probabilistic inference. *26th ACM SIGMOD Intl. Conf. on Management of Data*701:712.
- 6. **H. Corrada Bravo**^, D. Page, R. Ramakrishnan, J. Shavlik, V. Santos Costa (2005). A framework for set-oriented computation in inductive logic programming and its application in generalizing inverse entailment. *15th ILP Conf*,69:86.

II.C. Conferences, Workshops and Talks

II.C.1. Invited Talks

- 1. Is this Data Science? Adventures in metagenomic data analysis. *Computation and Informatics in Biology and Medicine Program Annual Retreat, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI. October 2017.*
- 2. Interactive visual and computational analysis of epigenetic data. VIZBI 2017, Sindey, Australia. June 2017.
- 3. Interactive statistical and computational analysis of functional and metagenomic data. *University of Puerto Rico*, Rio Piedras, PR. April 2017.
- 4. Challenges and opportunities in metagenomic data analysis. *NE1602 Kickoff Meeting*, Washington, DC. March 2017.
- 5. Bias in Biomedical Data Science. *University of Maryland Diversity in Computing Summit,* College Park, MD. November 2016.
- 6. Statistics and visualization for metagenomics data. *Georgetown University ICBI Seminar Series*, Washington, DC. October 2016.
- 7. Statistics and visualization for metagenomics data. *Johns Hopkins Young Investigator Symposium*, Baltimore, MD. October 2016.
- 8. Visualization, Statistical Modeling and Discovery in Computational Epigenomics. *Howard University Precision Medicine Workshop*, Washington, DC. March 2016.
- 9. Visualization, statistical modeling and discovery in computational epigenomics. *Harvard University Department of Biostatistics and Computational Biology,* Boston, MA. February 2016.
- 10. What is Biomedical Data Science?. *Symposium of Health Informatics in Latin America and the Caribbean*, San Juan, PR. November 2015.
- 11. Visualization, Statistical Modeling and Discovery in Computational Epigenomics. *Computer Science Colloquium Series*, College Park, MD. September 2015.
- 12. Interactive and exploratory visualization of epigenome-wide data. *BioIT World Conference*, Boston, MA. April 2015.
- 13. Interactive and exploratory visualization of epigenome-wide data. *UMD Campus Visualization Partnership Lecture Series*, College Park, MD. February 2015.

- 14. Interactive and exploratory visualization of epigenome-wide data. *Epigenomics in Disease, Molecular Medicine Tri-Con,* San Francisco, CA. February 2015.
- 15. Exploring tumor epigenetic heterogeneity by cell-specific methylation pattern reconstruction. *Department of Biostatistics and Computational Biology, Johns Hopkins Cancer Center, Baltimore, MD. November 2014.*
- 16. Exploring tumor epigenetic heterogeneity by cell-specific methylation pattern reconstruction. *CMU-Pitt Ph.D. Program in Computational Biology Seminar Series*, Pittsburgh, PA. April 2014.
- 17. Cell-specific methylation pattern reconstruction using minimum cost network flow algorithms. *Department of Mathematics, George Mason University,* Fairfax, VA. February 2014.
- 18. Gene expression anti-profiles as a basis for accurate universal cancer signatures. *Greenbaum Cancer Center, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD. September 2013.*
- 19. Gene expression anti-profiles as a basis for accurate universal cancer signatures. *Institute for Genome Sciences, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD. March 2013.*
- 20. Gene expression anti-profiles as a basis for accurate universal cancer signatures. *Department of Bioinformatics and Computational Biology, Genentech, Inc.*, South San Franciso, CA. February 2013.
- 21. Gene expression anti-profiles as a basis for accurate universal cancer signatures. *Innovation Center for Biomedical Informatics, Georgetown University*, Washington, DB. December 2012.
- 22. Statistical and computational methods for the analysis of pooled, targeted, second-generation re-sequencing data. *Biostatistics Department, University of Alabama*, Birmingham, AL. April, 2012.
- 23. Modeling gene expression variability for prediction in disease populations. *Department of Biostatistics, Columbia University School of Public Health,* New York, NY. December 2010.
- 24. Modeling gene expression variability for prediction in disease populations. *Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine*, Baltimore, MD. December 2010.
- 25. Gene expression variability in disease populations. *National Cancer Institute*, Bethesda, MD. October 2010.
- 26. Modeling uncertainty in second-generation sequencing data. *Dept. of Biostatistics, Harvard School of Public Health,* Boston, MA. November 2009.
- 27. Modeling and managing uncertainty in second-generation sequencing data. *Dept. of Computer Science, University of Maryland,* College Park, MD. October 2009.
- 28. Model-based quality assessment and base-calling for second-generation sequencing data. *University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee*, Milwaukee, WI. October 2009.
- 29. Model-based quality assessment and base-calling for second-generation sequencing data. *University of Manchester*, Manchester, England. October 2009.
- 30. Kernel methods for examining the relative influence of familial, genetic and environmental covariate information in risk models: results and (more importantly) extensions. *University of Wisconsin*, Madison, WI. May 2009.
- 31. Model-based quality assessment and base-calling for second-generation sequencing data. *University of Wisconsin*, Madison, WI. May 2009.
- 32. Model-based quality assessment and base-calling for second-generation sequencing data. *Case Western Reserve University*, Cleveland, OH. April 2009.

- 33. Data analysis at the computational/statistical sciences borderland: two examples from genomics. *Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health*, Baltimore, MD. February 2009.
- 34. Estimating tree-structured covariance matrices via mixed-integer programming. *Johns Hopkins School of Public Health*, Baltimore, MD. January 2008.

II.C.2. Presentations, Symposia and Workshops

- 1. Visualization and computation over hierarchically organized features for metagenomics and epigenomics. *Joint Statistical Meetings*, Chicago, IL. August 2016.
- 2. Differential abundance analysis of metagenomic whole-genome sequencing. *Joint Statistical Meetings*, Seattle, WA. August 2015.
- 3. Addressing reproducibility in genomic signatures by characterizing variance and estimation stability. *Joint Statistical Meetings*, Seattle, WA. August 2015.
- 4. methylFlow: cell-specific methylation pattern reconstruction from high-throughput bisulfite-converted DNA sequencing. *HiTSeq*, Dublin, Ireland. July 2015.
- 5. Interactive and exploratory visual analytics of epigenome-wide data. ISMB, Dublin, Ireland. July 2015.
- 6. Epiviz: a view inside the design of an integrated visual analysis software for genomics. *BioVis*, Dublin, Ireland. July 2015.
- 7. Interactive and exploratory visualization of epigenome-wide data. *Joint Statistical Meetings*, Boston, MA. July 2014.
- 8. Interactive, Exploratory Visualization and Statistical Analysis of Genome-Scale Data. *International Biomteric Society ENAR Meeting*, Baltimore, MD. March 2014.
- 9. Gene expression anti-profiles as a basis for accurate universal cancer signatures. *ISMB '13*, Berlin, Germany. July 2013.
- 10. Srfim2: using basecalling model parameter estimates to understand sequencing bias. 2012 Joint Statistical Meetings, San Diego, CA. August 2012.
- 11. Increased methylation variation in epigenetic domains across cancer types. *16th Annual International Conference on Research in Computational Molecular Biology (RECOMB)*, Barcelona, Spain. April 2012.
- 12. Statistical and computational methods for the analysis of pooled, targeted, second-generation re-sequencing data. *2011 Joint Statistical Meetings*, Miami Beach, FL.. August 2011.
- 13. Model-based quality assessment and base-calling for second-generation sequencing data. *WNAR/IMS annual meeting*, Portland, OR. June 2009.
- 14. Tuning regularized kernel estimation parameters for prediction. *SIAM Conference on Optimization*, Boston, MA. May 2008.

- 15. Optimizing MPF queries: decision support and probabilistic inference. *26th ACM SIGMOD Intl. Conf. on Management of Data*, Beijing, China. June 2007.
- 16. A framework for set-oriented computation in inductive logic programming and its application in generalizing inverse entailment.. *15th ILP Conf.*, Bonn, Germany. August 2005.
- 17. Metaviz: interactive statistical and visual analysis of Human Microbiome Project data. *Mid-Atlantic Metagenomics Meetup*, College Park, MD. January 2018.
- 18. Visualization and statistical modeling for metagenomics data. *Human Microbiome Project 2 Symposium*, Bethesda, MD. June, 2016.
- 19. Gene expression network anti-profiles. *UMD/NIST Network Science Mini-Symposium*, College Park, MD. January, 2014.
- 20. Increased methylation variation in epigenetic domains across cancer types. *Omics Day, University of Maryland,* Shady Grove, MD. May 2012.
- 21. Model-based quality assessment and base-calling for second-generation sequencing data. *Third Annual Young Investigators Symposium on Genomics and Bioinformatics*, Baltimore, MD. September 2009.

II.D. Professional Publications

II.D.2. Pre-print/Working Paper (Not Work in Progress)

II.F. Completed Creative Works

II.F.1. Software and Applications

- 1. Metavizr: Interactive visualziation of metagenomics data in R/Bioconductor. Released December 2016. http://github.com/epiviz/metavizr.
- 2. Metaviz: Interactive visualization for metagenomics data. Released December 2016. http://metaviz.org.
- 3. qsmooth: smooth quantile normalization. Released October 2016. https://github.com/stephaniehicks/qsmooth.
- 4. methylFlow: cell-specific methylation pattern reconstruction. Released June 2015. http://github.com/hcorrada/methylFlow.
- 5. Epivizr: interactive visualization of genomics data in R/Bioconductor. Released June 2013. http://bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/html/epivizr.html.
- 6. Epiviz: Interactive visualization for genomics data. Released June 2013. http://github.com/epiviz.
- 7. antiProfiles: Gene expression anti-profiles as a basis for accurate universal cancer signatures. Released April 2013. http://bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/html/antiProfiles.html.
- 8. Healthvis: Interactive visualization in health. Released April 2013. http://healthvis.org.

- 9. metagenomeSeq: Statistical analysis for sparse high-throughput sequencing. Released February 2013. http://bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/html/metagenomeSeq.html.
- 10. Minfi: Analyze Illumina's 450k methylation arrays. Released Febraury 2013. http://bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/html/minfi.html.
- 11. bumphunter: Tools for finding bumps in genomic data. Released February 2013. http://bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/html/bumphunter.html.
- 12. Servic4e: Effective detection of rare variants in pooled DNA samples. Released November 2011. http://www.cbcb.umd.edu/~hcorrada/secgen.
- 13. Srfim: Model-based base-calling and quality assessment for second-generation sequencing. Released April 2010. http://www.cbcb.umd.edu/~hcorrada/secgen.
- 14. Rsolid: Intensity normalization for SOLiD sequencing. Released April 2010. http://www.cbcb.umd.edu/~hcorrada/secgen.
- 15. Rcsdp: An interface to the CSDP semidefinite programming library for R. Released Dec. 2008. http://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/Rcsdp/index.html.
- 16. Rcplex: An interface to the CPLEX optimization engine for R. Released Jan. 2008. http://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/Rcplex/index.html.

II.E.2. Websites

- 1. Metaviz: Interactive visualization for metagenomic data. Released September 2017. http://metaviz.org.
- 2. Epiviz: Interactive visualization for genomics data. Released May 2014. http://epiviz.org.

II.H. Sponsored Research

II.H.1. Grants

1. Title: R01: Overcoming bias and unwanted variability in next generation sequencing

Funding Agency: NIH HG005220

Recipient Institution: Dana Farber Cancer Institute, Rafael A. Irizarry (PI)

Amount Awarded: \$397,903 subcontracted to UMCP

Dates: March 2015-February 2019

Role: PI

2. Title: R01: Integrative visual and computational exploratory analysis of genomics data

Funding Agency: NIH GM114267

Recipient Institution: University of Maryland, College Park

Amount Awarded: \$1,800,421 Dates: September 2015-August 2019

Role: PI

3. Title: NRT-DESE; Network biology: from data to information to insights

Funding Agency: NSF 1632976

Recipient Institution: University of Maryland, College Park, Michelle Girvan (PI)

Amount Awarded: \$2,999,847 Dates: September 2016-August 2021 Role: co-PI

4. Title: CGDNet: Cancer Gene Drug Network: Using patient-specific drug-gene networks for recommending

targeted cancer therapies Funding Agency: NIH

Recipient Institution: Georgetown University, Simina Boca (PI)

Amount Awarded: \$149,051 subcontracted to UMCP

Dates: September 2017-August 2019

Role: PI

II.I. Fellowships, Gifts and Other Funded Research

II.I.1. Fellowships

1. Ford Fellowship, National Academies of Science.

2. Advanced Opportunity Fellowship, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

II.I.2. Manuscripts under Review

- 1. M.S. Kumar^{^#}, E.V. Slud, K. Okrah[#], S.C. Hicks, S. Hannenhalli, **H. Corrada Bravo***. Analysis and correction of compositional bias in sparse sequencing count data. *BMC Genomics, submitted*.
- 2. A.A. Ismail^{*}, T. Wood[#], **H. Corrada Bravo***. Improving long-horizon forecasts with expectation-biased LSTM networks. *KDD 2018, under review.*

III. Teaching, Mentoring and Advising

III.A. Courses Taught

Term	Course	Enrollment	Description
Fall 2017	CSMC798E	23	Graduate Seminar in Computer Science: Research Collogium
Fall 2017	CSMC828O	31	Analysis of Biological Networks across Scales
Spring 2017	CMSC 423	52	Bioinformatic Databases, Tools and Algorithms
Fall 2017	CMSC643	11	Machine Learning & Data Mining (Data Mining Professional Master's Certificate

Term	Course	Enrollment	Description
Fall 2017	CMSC899	2	Doctoral Dissertation Research
Fall 2017	CMSC798	1	(Individual instruction) Graduate Seminar in
2017			Computer Science (Individual instruction)
Fall 2017	CMSC499A	1	Independent Undergraduate Research (Individual
Fall 2017	CMSC898	1	instruction) Pre-candidacy Research (Individual
Spring 2016	CMSC 320	50	instruction) Introduction to Data Science
Spring 2016	CMSC 898	1	Pre-candidacy Research (Individual
Spring 2016	CMSC 899	1	instruction) Doctoral Dissertation Research (Individual
Fall 2016	CMSC 320	83	instruction) Introduction to Data Science
Fall 2016	CMSC 899	2	Doctoral Dissertation Research (Individual instruction)
Spring 2015	CMSC 498T	32	Introduction to Data Science II
Spring 2015	AMSC 899	2	Doctoral dissertation research (Individual instruction)
Spring 2015	CMSC 898	1	Pre-candidacy research (Individual instruction)
Spring 2015	CMSC 899	2	Doctoral dissertation research (Individual instruction)

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Fall	CMSC 423	49	Bioinformatics
2015			Databases,
			Tools and
			Algorithms
Fall	CMSC 898	3	Pre-candidacy
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Spring	CMSC 702	30	Computational
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Spring	CMSC 702	35	Computational
2013			Systems
			Biology and
			Functional
			Genomics
Fall	AMSC 689	1	Research
2013			Interactions:
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Fall	CMSC 423	48	Bioinformatics
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			instruction)
Spring	CMSC 898	2	Pre-candidacy
2013	CIVISC 030	2	research
2013			(Individual
			instruction)
Spring	CMSC 798	1	Graduate
2013	CIVISC 750	1	seminar
2013			(Individual
			instruction)
Spring	AMSC 899	1	Pre-candidacy
2013	111100 000	1	research
2010			(Individual
			instruction)
Fall	CMSC 726	48	Machine
2012	CIVIOC 120	40	Learning
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Term	Course	Enrollment	Description
Fall	CMSC 898	1	Pre-candidacy
2012			research
			(Individual
			instruction)
Fall	AMSC 899	1	Doctoral
2012			dissertation
			research
			(Individual
			instruction)
Fall	AMSC 898	3	Pre-candidacy
2012			research
			(Individual
	0.400		instruction)
Spring	CMSC	26	Computational
2012	858B		Systems
			Biology and
			Functional
C	CMCC 251	00	Genomics
Spring	CMSC 351	90	Introduction to
2012	CMCC 000	1	Algorithms
Spring	CMSC 898	1	Pre-candidacy
2012			research (Individual
			,
Spring	AMSC 898	4	instruction) Pre-candidacy
Spring 2012	AMSC 030	4	research
2012			(Individual
			instruction)
Spring	CMSC	17	Computational
2011	858P	17	Methods for
2011	0301		High-
			Throughput
			Analysis
			of Biological
			Systems
			strut
Spring	AMSC 898	1	Pre-candidacy
2011			research
			(Individual
			instruction)
Fall	CBMG	12	Team-taught
2011	688P		graduate
			'Programming
			for Biologists'
D 11	A N # O C 222		course
Fall	AMSC 898	3	Pre-candidacy
2011			research
			(Individual
			instruction)

Term	Course	Enrollment	Description
3rd Term 2010	140.644	16	Practical Machine Learning (Johns Hopkins University School of Public Health, Department of Biostatistics)
Fall 2010	CBMG 688P	12	strut Team-taught graduate 'Programming for Biologists' course

III.B. Teaching Innovations

III.B.1. Course or Curriculum Development

CSMC828O - Analysis of Biological networks across scales

Developed new course in support of our NSF NRT training grant. This course introduces tools and methods for analysis of network data focusing on the study of molecular, neurological and ecological networks. Students are introduced to methods and tools from network science, statistics, Machine Learning and visualization.

CMSC643 - Machine Learning and Data Mining

Developed a new course as part of the Data Science Professional Master's Certificate program in the Computer Science Department. This course introduced students to tools and methods for data mining and Machine Learning. It covered mathematical and conceptual aspects of these tools, while introducing practical use of these tools through newly-design projects.

CMSC 320 - Introduction to Data Science

Developed a new undergraduate course covering the practice of data science, and a required course on a new Data Science specialization within the undergraduate program of the Department of Computer Science. This course focuses on data management, exploratory and statistical data analysis, data and information visualization. It is heavily assignment-based and draws extensively from applications.

CMSC 498 - Introduction to Data Science II, Exploring, Modeling and Communicating with Data

This is the second of two new courses covering the practice of data science. This course focuses on exploratory and statistical data analysis, data and information visualization, and the presentation and communication of analysis results. It is heavily assignment-based and draws extensively from applications.

CMSC 702 - Computational Systems Biology and Functional Genomics

Developed this new advanced graduate-level course concentrating on the use of Statistical Learning methods and algorithms in the analysis of large high-throughput biomedical assays. Core course in the Computational Biology concentration area.

CMSC 858P - Computational Methods for High-Throughput Analysis of Biological Systems

Developed this new advanced graduate-level course concentrating on the use of Statistical Learning methods and algorithms in the analysis of large high-throughput biomedical assays. First offering attracted 21 students, including students from ECE, AMSC and BISI. This course was merged with other content to become CMSC 702 (Computational Systems Biology) to be offered as a regular course in the CS department starting in Spring 2012.

140.644 - Practical Machine Learning

Developed this new advanced graduate-level course as postdoc at the Johns Hopkins University School of Public Health. The course provided students from a variety of backgrounds with practical knowledge of Machine Learning models and applications.

III.C. Advising

III.C.1. Undergraduate

Name	Department	Stage	Role
Tim Wood	CS	Current	advisor
Daniel Konecki	CS	Completed	advisor
		Baylor College of Medicine	
Mihai Sirbu	CS	Completed	advisor
		Capital One	
Lan Tran	CS	Current	advisor
Morgan Walter	Bioengineering	Current	advisor

III.C.2. Master's

III.C.3. Doctoral

Name	Department	Stage	Role
Aya	CS	Pre-	advisor
Ismail		candidacy	
Mohamme	e d S	Pre-	advisor
Gunady		candidacy	
Domenick	CBMG	Pre-	advisor
Braccia		candidacy	
Zhe Cui	EE	Candidacy	co- advisor
Faezeh Dorri	CS	Candidacy	advisor
Justin Wagner	CS	Candidacy	advisor
Senthil Muthiah	CBMG	Candidacy	co- advisor
Nathanael Olson	CBMG	Candidacy	advisor
Mahfuza Sharmin	CS	Completed Postdoc, Stanford University	co- advisor
Florin Chelaru	CS	Completed Postdoc, MIT Broad Institute	advisor
Chiao- Wen Hsiao	AMSC	Completed Postdoc, Univer- sity of Chicago	advisor

Name	Department	Stage	Role
Kwame Okrah	AMSC	Completed Biostatistici	
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Wikum Dinalanka	CS	Completed	advisor
Dinaianka	ıra	Postdoc, Johns	
		Hopkins	
		Univer-	
		sity	
		Medicine	
Hisham	AMSC	Completed	advisor
Talukder		Data	
		Scientist,	
		Dow	
	13.600	Jones	
Joseph	AMSC	Completed	
Paulson		Postdoc, Harvard/Da	advisor
		Farber	ma-
		Cancer	
		Institute	
Chengxi	CS	Pre-	committe
Ye		candidacy	
Viet-An	CS	Completed	
Nguyen		Data	member
		Scientist,	
		Facebook	
Justin	CBMG	Completed	
Malin		Postdoc,	member
		National	
		Institutes of Health	
Ted	CBMG	Completed	committe
Gibbons	CDMC	Completed	member
Steven	CBMG	Completed	committe
Smith	021/10	Completed	member
Cody	CS	Completed	committe
Buntain		•	member
David	CS	Completed	committe
Kelley		Postdoc,	member
		Broad	
		Institute	
Guillaum	eCS	Completed	committe
Marcais		Research	member
		Scientist,	
		Univer- sity of	
		Maryland	
Bhargav	CS	Completed	committe
Kanagal	55	Completed	member
	CBMG	Completed	committe
Yuan Li	CDMO	Completed	COMMITTEE

Name	Department	Stage	Role
Mohamm	adseza	Completed	
Ghodsi		Software	
		Engineer,	
		Facebook	
Ginger	CBMG	Completed	committee
Houston-	021.10	Gompieteu	member
Ludlam			
Louis	CS	Completed	committee
Licamele			member
Benjamin	CS	Completed	committee
Langmead		Assistant	member
2411-6111-641	-	Professor,	1110111201
		Johns	
		Hopkins	
		University	
Rob	CS	•	committee
Partro	Go	Postdoc,	member
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		Mellon	
		University	
Bo Liu	CS	Completed	committee
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		Engineer,	member
		Google	
Daehwan	CS	Completed	committee
Kim	Co	Postdoc,	member
KIIII		Johns	member
		Hopkins	
		University	
Laura	CBMG	Completed	committee
Dillon	CDMC	Completed	member
Shane	Physics	Completed	
Squires	Titysics	Completed	member
Srutii	CBMG	Completed	committee
Sarda	CDMG	Completed	member
Kun	CBMG	Candidacy	committee
Wang	ODMO	Carraraacy	member
Vahid	CS	Completed	committee
Liaghat	Co	Completed	member
Adam	CS	Completed	committee
Bazinet	Co	Research	member
Dazinct		Scientist,	member
		Univer-	
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Sameh	CS	Maryland Completed	committee
Khamis	CO	Completed	member
Snighda	CS	Completed	committee
Chaturve		Completed	member
Alex	CS	Completed	committee
Malozemo		Completed	member
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Name	Department	Stage	Role
Chris	CS	Completed	committee
Hill		Postdoc,	member
		Univer-	
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		Washington	
Jose	ANSC	Completed	committee
Carrillo			member
Stephen	CS	Completed	committee
Xi Chen			member
Yang	Chemical	Candidacy	committee
Shen	Physics		member
Jay	CS	Completed	committee
Pujara			member
Jayanta	CS	Completed	committee
Mondal			member
Mossaab	CS	Completed	committee
Bagdouri		_	member
Avinash	CS	Completed	committee
Sahu		•	member
Mohamed	CS	Completed	committee
Rastegari		1	member
Sana	CS	Completed	committee
Malek		- · · ·	member
Fan	CS	Completed	committee
Yang		- · · ·	member
Bahadir	CS	Completed	committee
Ozdemir			member
Prachi	School of	Completed	committee
Kulkarni	Public Health	Completed	member
Deok	CS	Candidacy	committee
Gun	GO	Carraraacy	member
Park			member
Fan Du	CS	Completed	committee
Tan Du	C 5	Completed	member
Zhenpeng	CS	Candidacy	committee
Zhao	CS	Candidacy	member
Sriram	CS	Candidacy	committee
Karthik	CS	Candidacy	member
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Hua He	CS	Candidacy	committee
			member

III.D. Professional and Extension Education

III.D.1. Workshops

- 1. Cloud-based analysis of Human Microbiome Project data using Metaviz. *University of Maryland, Baltimore Institute of Genomic Science,* Baltimore, MD. June 2017.
- 2. Quantitative methods for humanities and social science with R. *Monterrey Technological College,* Mexico City, Mexico. June 2017.
- 3. Big Data in Social Sciences: Introduction to Data Science with R. *Monterrey Technological College,* Mexico City, Mexico. June 2015.

- 4. Computational and statistical challenges in second-generation sequencing data analysis. *Emerging Biotechnologies, Georgetown University Masters in Biotechnology program,* Washington, DC. February and March 2012.
- 5. Topics in modern biology: omics: new tools and new areas. *Guest lecturer, Department of Biology, University of Puerto Rico*, San Juan, PR. March 2011.
- 6. Computational and statistical challenges in second-generation sequencing data analysis. *Emerging Biotechnologies, Georgetown University Masters in Biotechnology program,* Washington, DC. March 2011.
- 7. Model-based base-calling and quality assessment for second-generation sequencing data. *Integrative Statistical Analysis of Genome Scale Data. Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory,* Cold Spring Harbor, NY. June 17, 2010.
- 8. Introduction to R and Bioconductor for Microarray Analysis. PASI, Guanajuato, México. May 4-5, 2010.
- 9. Clustering and Classification of Gene Expression Data. *Workshop. Johns Hopkins University Center for Computational Genomics*, Baltimore, MD. May 14, 2010.
- 10. Interactive Visualization of Genomic Data with epiviz(r). *Bioconductor Conference*, Palo Alto, CA. July 2016.

IV. Service and Outreach

IV.A. Editorships, Editorial Boards, and Reviewing Activities

IV.A.1. Editorships

1. Special Issue Editor, Proceedings IEEE. 2013-2016

IV.A.2. Reviewing Activities for Journals and Presses

- 1. Bioinformatics
- 2. Annals of Applied Statistics
- 3. Journal of Machine Learning Research
- 4. Biostatistics
- 5. Journal of Artificial Intelligence Research
- 6. Genome Biology
- 7. Journal of the Royal Statistical Society (Series C)
- 8. IEEE Transactions on Computational Biology and Bioinformatics
- 9. BMC Genomics
- 10. Biometrics
- 11. BMC Bioinformatics
- 12. Genome Research
- 13. Nucleic Acids Research
- 14. Nature Communications
- 15. Nature Methods

- 16. New England Journal of Medicine
- 17. Nature Scientific Reports
- 18. Manning Publications Press
- 19. Chapman & amp; Hall/CRC

IV.A.3. Reviewing Activities for Agencies and Foundations

- 1. *NSF review panel 2011, 2016 (2x)*
- 2. NIH ad-hoc review panels 2014 (NIAID), 2016 (NCII, BD2K Training, NIAID), 2017 (BDMA)
- 3. Austrian Science Fund, 2015

IV.A.4. Reviewing Activities for Conferences

- 1. ISMB/ECCB 2013-2016
- 2. ACM-BCB 2014-2016

IV.B. Committees, Professional and Campus Service

IV.B.1. Campus Service - Department

- Department Council. 2016-
- Computer Science Recruitment Committee. 2014-
- Computational Biology Field Committee. 2010-
- Center for Women in Computing Advisory Board. 2014-
- UMIACS APT Committee. 2013-2015, 2016-
- CBBG Graduate Admissions Committee. 2012-2014
- Strategic Planning Subcommittee on Diversity and Outreach. 2014-2015

IV.B.2. Campus Service - College

• Computer Science Chair Search Committee. December 2011-March 2012, November 2016-

IV.C. External Service and Consulting

IV.C.1. Community Engagements, Local, State, National, International

- City of Hyattsville Council Educational Advisory Committee. September 2014-December 2016
- Outreach: computer science education after-school club, Hyattsville Elementary School. March-April 2015

IV.C.2. Consultancies

• Visualization in Bioconductor. *Genentech*, September 2013-December 2014.