# SERGIO COBO LÓPEZ

#### PERSONAL INFORMATION

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#### **CURRENT POSITION**

# San Diego State University, California, USA

Postdoc

Description: My project aims at understanding the dynamics of ecosystems from a complex systems approach. The goal is to study the emergent processes of an ecosystem, such as predation, symbiosis, expansion or selection using mathematical models.

Advisors: Forest Rohwer, PhD & Toni Luque, PhD

#### **EDUCATION**

2016-2020 Universitat Rovira i Virgili, Tarragona, Spain

PhD

Thesis: Statistical Inference in Bipartite Multilink Networks

Description: During my dissertation I developed models for interpretable predictions in complex systems. I successfully applied these models to problems in social and biological systems. The results of my work show that it is possible to predict the behavior of different types of complex systems and capture their underlying dynamics.

Advisors: Roger Guimerà Manrique & Marta Sales-Pardo

2018 Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota

Visiting Graduate Student Description: I developed computational models for predicting and characterizing the composition of the human gut microbiome. Advisors: Jaeyun Sung

APCTP, Pohang, South Korea

Visiting Student

Description: I made important contributions to the study of superconductivity in the compound  $Sr_2RuO_4$ . In particular, I explored its relation to magnetism considering the spin-orbit coupling effect.

Advisors: Alireza Akbari & Ilya Eremin

2013-2014 University of Bochum, Germany

Masters Thesis

Spin-orbit coupling, minimal model and potential Cooper-pairing from repulsion in BiS<sub>2</sub>-superconductors

Description: I explored the existence of unconventional superconductivity related to magnetism in the family of BiS<sub>2</sub> layered compounds.

Advisors: Ilya Eremin

#### PUBLICATIONS

2021

PNAS Nexus

S ergio Cobo-Lpez, Vinod K Gupta, Jaeyun Sung,

Roger Guimer, and Marta Sales-Pardo. Stochastic block models

reveal a robust nested pattern in healthy human gut

microbiomes. PNAS Nexus, 1(3), 05 2022. pgac055 Stochastic block models reveal a robust nested pattern in healthy human gut microbiomes. Sergio Cobo-Lpez, Vinod K Gupta, Jaeyun Sung, Roger Guimer, and Marta

Sales-Pardo. Stochastic block models reveal a robust nested pattern in healthy human

gut microbiomes. PNAS Nexus, 1(3), 05 2022. pgac055

2021

EPJ Data Science Complex decision-making strategies in a stock market experiment

explained as the combination of few simple strategies

Gaël Poux-Medard, S. Cobo-López, Jordi Duch, R. Guimerà and M. Sales-Pardo, EPJ

Data Science 2021 10:26

2018

EPJ Data Science Optimal prediction of decisions and model selection in social dilemmas

using block models

S. Cobo-López, A. Godoy-Lorite, J. Duch, R. Guimerà and M. Sales-Pardo, EPJ Data

Science 2018 7:48

2018

New Journal of Spin-orbit coupling, minimal model and potential Cooper-pairing from Physics

repulsion in BiS<sub>2</sub>-superconductors

S. Cobo-López, M. S. Bahramy, R. Arita, A. Akbari, I. Eremin New Journal of

Physics, 20, 043029 (2018)

2016

Physical Review B Anisotropic spin fluctuations in Sr<sub>2</sub>RuO<sub>4</sub>: Role of spin-orbit coupling and

induced strain

S. Cobo-López, A. Akbari, I. Eremin and F. Ahn Phys. Rev. B 94, 224507 (2016)

CONFERENCES

Virus of Microbes Dec. 2021

Poster presentation Guimaraes, Portugal.

> Dec. 2019 Complex Networks Conference

Oral presentation Lisbon, Portugal.

> CompleNet Conference Feb. 2019

Oral presentation Tarragona, Spain.

> May 2018 VII Jornada de Complexitat

*Oral presentation* Barcelona, Spain.

> **BIFI International Conference** Feb. 2018

*Oral presentation* Zaragoza, Spain.

> Oct. 2015 Impurity induced states and quasiparticle interference in unconventional superconductors and strong

spin-orbit coupled systems

Poster presentation Pohang, South Korea. Jan. 2015 Quantum Materials Symposium, South Korea

Poster presentation

Muju, South Korea.

#### SEMINARS

Dec. 2019

Statistical inference in bipartite networks applied to social dilemmas and human microbial systems

Couzin Lab, Max Planck Institute for Animal Behavior. Konstanz, Germany

Jan. 2020

Statistical inference in bipartite networks applied to human microbial systems Integrative Genomics Lab, CICbioGUNE. Bizkaia Science and Technology Park bld 801 A 48160 Derio, Bizkaia

Apr. 2020

Statistical inference in bipartite networks applied to social dilemmas Gibbons Laboratory, Institute for Systems Biology. 401 Terry Ave N Seattle, WA 98109, U.S.A.

#### SCHOOLS

Jul. 2017

VII GEFENOL Summer School on Statistical Physics of Complex Systems IFISC. Palma de Mallorca, Spain

#### TEACHING

2021 Classics in Biology

Teaching Assistant SDSU, USA

2014 Quantum Mechanics

Teaching Assistant University of Bochum, Germany

2013 Classical Electrodynamics

Teaching Assistant University of Bochum, Germany

## COMPUTER SKILLS

Basic Inkscape

Intermediate Linux, R

Advanced Matlab, Python, LATEX, C++

## OTHER INFORMATION

Languages Spanish · Mother tongue

English · Advanced

Catalan · Advanced

German · Advanced