Marcello Barylli



- MSc graduate in computational science, with expertise in complex systems.
- Completed thesis with excellence, securing funding for 2 subsequent publications.
- Drawing inspiration from biology and self-organisation to advance machine learning methods.

Education

PhD at GROW-AI 2025 - Present

ITU Copenhagen

Self-Organising Artificial Intelligence

Advisor: Prof. Sebastian Risi

Key Subjects: Reinforcement Learning, Generative AI (Diffusion), Neuroscience, Self-Organisation, Collective Intelligence.

MSc, Computational Science, GPA: 8.3/10 2021 - 2024

University of Amsterdam

Thesis: Multi-Layer Network Models in Colorectal Cancer Subtype Analysis.

Grade: 9/10

Advisor: Dr. Vivek Sheraton Munirai

Key Subjects: Complex systems theory and simulation, machine learning, biosystems data analysis, agent-based models and cellular automata, scientific computing, calculus, linear algebra, probability theory.

BSc, Molecular Biology, GPA: 1.7 (A) 2017 - 2021

University of Vienna

Thesis: VirACuDa - Virus Automated Curation of Datasets. Grade: 1 (A).

Advisor: Prof. Thomas Rattei

Details: Development of software for genomic database filtering and automated grouping. Key Subjects: Evolutionary theory, developmental biology, systems biology and bioinformatics, quantitative biology, neurobiology, cell culture, neuronal culture.

Research Experience

Computational Biologist 2024

Amsterdam University Medical Center

Authored scientific journal articles and applied agent based models in cancer settings.

2023 MSc Thesis: Multi-Layer Network Models in Colorectal Cancer University of Amsterdam

Subtype Analysis.

Investigated diffusion-based algorithms for graph neural networks, probabilistic graphical models for network inference, reviewed nonlinear dimensionality reduction techniques for joint embedding.

Work Experience

Bioinformatician 2020 - 2021

CUBE: Computational Systems Biology

Installation and troubleshooting of software on the Life Science Compute Cluster (LiSC), metagenomic analysis, SQL database implementation and API testing.

Upcoming Publications

In Progress	Barylli, M.; Saha, J.; Sheraton, V. M; and Hoekstra, A. G. Biological Multi-Layer and Single Cell
	Network-based Multiomics Models – a review

Barylli, M.; Saha, J.; Sheraton, V. M; and Hoekstra, A. G. Multi-Omic Network Inference and In Progress

Knockout Analysis (MONIKA).