

# Curriculum Vitae

## Personal Information

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Nationality: Italian

Current position: *AXA Chair of Computational Statistics & Associate Professor* at EURECOM, Sophia Antipolis, France

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## Education

- From 01-01-2005 to 05-05-2008  
Ph.D. in Computer Science  
Department of Computer and Information Sciences - University of Genova  
Thesis title: Central Clustering in Kernel-Induced Spaces  
Thesis topics: kernel methods for clustering, spectral clustering, relational clustering, fuzzy clustering.
- From 01-09-1998 to 14-07-2004  
Master's Degree in Physics  
Department of Physics - University of Genova  
Grades: 110/110  
Thesis title: Ensemble methods for time series analysis and forecasting  
Thesis topics: Non linear systems, regression, ensemble of learning machines, signal processing.
- From 01-09-1993 to 01-07-1998  
Diploma in electronics and telecommunications  
High School I.T.I.S. Italo Calvino - Genova  
Grades: 60/60

## Research Experience

- From Fall 2015 to Spring 2018 - *Associate Professor*  
EURECOM, Sophia Antipolis, France  
Keywords: Bayesian inference, Nonparametric modeling, Scalable inference
- From Fall 2015 to Spring 2018 - *Maître de Conférence*  
EURECOM, Sophia Antipolis, France  
Keywords: Bayesian inference, Nonparametric modeling, Scalable inference
- From Fall 2011 to Fall 2015 - *Lecturer*  
School of Computing Science - University of Glasgow  
Keywords: Bayesian inference, Gaussian Processes, Markov chain Monte Carlo
- From 01-01-2010 to 31-08-2011  
Department of Statistical Science - University College London (2010 with the Department of Computing Science - University of Glasgow)  
1-19 Torrington Place, London, WC1E 7HB - United Kingdom.  
Grant: The Synthesis of Probabilistic Prediction & Mechanistic Modelling within a Computational & Systems Biology Context  
PI: Prof. Mark Girolami

- From 15-03-2008 to 30-11-2009  
Department of Computer Science - University of Sheffield  
Regent Court, 211 Portobello, Sheffield, S1 4DP - United Kingdom  
Grant: ALMS: Advanced Lifestyle Monitoring Systems  
Topics of the fellowship: novelty detection, statistical testing, Bayesian inference in data modeling.  
PI: Dr Guido Sanguinetti
- From 01-03-2007 to 30-10-2007  
Department of Information and Software Engineering - George Mason University  
4400 University Drive, Fairfax, VA 22030 - USA  
Grant: Detecting Suspicious Behavior in Reconnaissance Images  
Topics of the fellowship: outlier detection, density estimation, relational clustering.  
PI, co-PI: Prof. Daniel Barbarà and Prof. Carlotta Domeniconi
- From 20-07-2006 to 30-10-2006  
Consorzio Venezia Ricerche  
Via della Libertà 12, 30175 Marghera, Venezia - Italy  
Grant: Tide level forecasting in the lagoon of Venezia  
Topics of the fellowship: time series analysis and forecasting, regression, ensembles of learning machines.  
Supervisor: Prof. Elio Canestrelli
- From 01-09-2005 to 30-04-2007  
Department of Computer Science - University of Genova  
Via Dodecaneso 35, 16146 Genova - Italy  
Topic of the fellowship:  
Novel clustering techniques with applications in image segmentation and analysis  
Supervisor: Dr Stefano Rovetta
- From 01-06-2005 to 31-08-2005  
Department of Computer Science and Department of Endocrinologic and Metabolic Sciences - University of Genova  
Via Dodecaneso 35, 16146 Genova - Italy  
Topic of the fellowship:  
Application of advanced clustering techniques in diagnostic problems in rheumatology  
Supervisor: Prof. Guido Rovetta
- From 01-09-2004 to 31-09-2004  
Department of Computer Science - University of Genova  
Via Dodecaneso 35, 16146 Genova - Italy  
Topic of the fellowship:  
Development of a package in R and C languages for time series analysis and forecasting  
Supervisor: Prof. Francesco Masulli
- From 01-12-2003 to 31-12-2003  
Department of Oncology, Biology and Genetic (148) - University of Genova  
Largo Rosanna Benzi 10, 16132 Genova - Italy  
Topic of the fellowship:  
Development of a front-end in Perl Tk and Java languages for an immunitary system simulator in C language  
Supervisor: Prof. Franco Celada

## Research Activity

### Research Grants

- *ECO-ML: Rethinking Modern Machine Learning Tools for a New Generation of Low-Power Large-Scale Modeling Systems* (300K€), 2018-2021, ANR-JCJC

- AXA Chair of Computational Statistics: *New Computational Approaches to Risk Modeling* (600K€), 2016–2023, AXA Research Fund
- *Computational inference of biopathway dynamics and structures* (£350K) with D. Husmeier and S. Rogers - EPSRC research grant (2014 – 2017)
- *Method and software integration for systems biology* (£30K) with D. Husmeier and S. Rogers - Bridging the Gap-EPSRC research grant (2012)

## Awards

- Best paper published in 2008 in the journal *Pattern Recognition*:  
M. Filippone, F. Camastra, F. Masulli, and S. Rovetta. **A survey of kernel and spectral methods for clustering.** *Pattern Recognition*, 41(1):176-190, January 2008.  
Manuscripts published in volume 41 (year 2008) have been judged by the Editors-in-Chief and the members of the Editorial and Advisory Boards of the journal based on the following criteria: originality of the contribution, presentation and exposition of the manuscript, and citations by other researchers.

## Publications

### Journals

- G. Franzese, S. Rossi, L. Yang, A. Finamore, D. Rossi, M. Filippone, and P. Michiardi. How much is enough? a study on diffusion times in score-based generative models. *Entropy*, 25(4), 2023.
- B.-H. Tran, S. Rossi, D. Milios, and M. Filippone. All you need is a good functional prior for Bayesian deep learning. *Journal of Machine Learning Research*, 23(74):1–56, 2022.
- S. Marmin and M. Filippone. Deep gaussian processes for calibration of computer models. *Bayesian Analysis*, to appear, 2021.
- C. Carota, M. Filippone, and S. Polettini. Assessing bayesian semi-parametric log-linear models: An application to disclosure risk estimation. *International Statistical Review*, to appear, 2021.
- A. Zammit-Mangion, T.-L. J. Ng, Q. Vu, and M. Filippone. Deep compositional spatial models. *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, to appear, 2021.
- R. Domingues, P. Michiardi, J. Barlet, and M. Filippone. A comparative evaluation of novelty detection algorithms for discrete sequences. *Artificial Intelligence Review*, 53:3787–3812, 2020.
- M. Lorenzi, M. Filippone, G. B. Frisoni, D. C. Alexander, and S. Ourselin. Probabilistic disease progression modeling to characterize diagnostic uncertainty: Application to staging and prediction in alzheimer’s disease. *NeuroImage*, 190:56–68, 2019.
- R. Domingues, P. Michiardi, J. Zouaoui, and M. Filippone. Deep Gaussian Process autoencoders for novelty detection. *Machine Learning*, 107(8-10):1363–1383, 2018.
- R. Domingues, M. Filippone, P. Michiardi, and J. Zouaoui. A comparative evaluation of outlier detection algorithms: Experiments and analyses. *Pattern Recognition*, 74:406–421, 2018.
- M. Niu, B. Macdonald, S. Rogers, M. Filippone, and D. Husmeier. Statistical inference in mechanistic models: time warping for improved gradient matching. *Computational Statistics*, pages 1–33, 8 2017.
- X. Xiong, V. Šmídl, and M. Filippone. Adaptive multiple importance sampling for Gaussian processes. *Journal of Statistical Computation and Simulation*, 87(8):1644–1665, 2017.
- B. Macdonald, M. Niu, S. Rogers, M. Filippone, and D. Husmeier. Approximate parameter inference in systems biology using gradient matching: a comparative evaluation. *BioMedical Engineering OnLine*, 15(Suppl 1):80, 7 2016.

- J. M. Rondina, M. Filippone, M. Girolami, and N. S. Ward. Decoding post-stroke motor function from structural brain imaging. *NeuroImage: Clinical*, 12:372–380, 2016.
- C. Carota, M. Filippone, R. Leombruni, and S. Poletti. Bayesian nonparametric disclosure risk estimation via mixed effects log-linear models. *Annals of Applied Statistics*, 9(1):525–546, 2015.
- M. Dell’Amico, M. Filippone, P. Michiardi, and Y. Roudier. On user availability prediction and network applications. *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking*, 23(4):1300–1313, Aug 2015.
- M. Filippone and M. Girolami. Pseudo-marginal Bayesian inference for Gaussian processes. *IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence*, 36(11):2214–2226, 2014.
- S. Kim, F. Valente, M. Filippone, and A. Vinciarelli. Predicting continuous conflict perception with Bayesian Gaussian processes. *IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing*, 5(2):187–200, 2014.
- A. F. Marquand, M. Filippone, J. Ashburner, M. Girolami, J. Mourão-Miranda, G. J. Barker, S. C. R. Williams, P. N. Leigh, and C. R. V. Blain. Automated, High Accuracy Classification of Parkinsonian Disorders: A Pattern Recognition Approach. *PLoS ONE*, 8(7):e69237+, 2013.
- M. Filippone, M. Zhong, and M. Girolami. A comparative evaluation of stochastic-based inference methods for Gaussian process models. *Machine Learning*, 93(1):93–114, 2013.
- Y. Zhao, J. Kim, and M. Filippone. Aggregation algorithm towards large-scale boolean network analysis. *IEEE Transactions on Automatic Control*, 58(8):1976–1985, 2013.
- M. Filippone, A. F. Marquand, C. R. V. Blain, S. C. R. Williams, J. Mourão-Miranda, and M. Girolami. Probabilistic prediction of neurological disorders with a statistical assessment of neuroimaging data modalities. *Annals of Applied Statistics*, 6(4):1883–1905, 2012.
- L. Mohamed, B. Calderhead, M. Filippone, M. Christie, and M. Girolami. Population MCMC methods for history matching and uncertainty quantification. *Computational Geosciences*, 16(2):423–436, 2012.
- M. Filippone and G. Sanguinetti. Approximate inference of the bandwidth in multivariate kernel density estimation. *Computational Statistics & Data Analysis*, 55(12):3104–3122, 2011.
- M. Filippone and G. Sanguinetti. A perturbative approach to novelty detection in autoregressive models. *IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing*, 59(3):1027–1036, 2011.
- M. Filippone, F. Masulli, and S. Rovetta. Simulated annealing for supervised gene selection. *Soft Computing - A Fusion of Foundations, Methodologies and Applications*, 15:1471–1482, 2011.
- M. Filippone, F. Masulli, and S. Rovetta. Applying the possibilistic c-means algorithm in kernel-induced spaces. *IEEE Transactions on Fuzzy Systems*, 18(3):572–584, June 2010.
- M. Filippone and G. Sanguinetti. Information theoretic novelty detection. *Pattern Recognition*, 43(3):805–814, March 2010.
- M. Filippone. Dealing with non-metric dissimilarities in fuzzy central clustering algorithms. *International Journal of Approximate Reasoning*, 50(2):363–384, February 2009.
- F. Camastra and M. Filippone. A comparative evaluation of nonlinear dynamics methods for time series prediction. *Neural Computing and Applications*, 18(8):1021–1029, November 2009.
- M. Filippone, F. Masulli, and S. Rovetta. Clustering in the membership embedding space. *International Journal of Knowledge Engineering and Soft Data Paradigms*, 4(1):363–375, 2009.
- S. Rovetta, F. Masulli, and M. Filippone. Soft ranking in clustering. *Neurocomputing*, 72(7-9):2028–2031, March 2009.
- M. Filippone, F. Camastra, F. Masulli, and S. Rovetta. A survey of kernel and spectral methods for clustering. *Pattern Recognition*, 41(1):176–190, January 2008.

## Conferences

- J. Wacker, R. Ohana, and M. Filippone. Complex-to-real sketches for tensor products with applications to the polynomial kernel. In F. Ruiz, J. Dy, and J.-W. van de Meent, editors, *Proceedings of The 26th International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics*, volume 206 of *Proceedings of Machine Learning Research*, pages 5181–5212. PMLR, 25–27 Apr 2023.
- G. Franzese, D. Milios, M. Filippone, and P. Michiardi. Revisiting the effects of stochasticity for Hamiltonian samplers. In K. Chaudhuri, S. Jegelka, L. Song, C. Szepesvari, G. Niu, and S. Sabato, editors, *Proceedings of the 39th International Conference on Machine Learning*, volume 162 of *Proceedings of Machine Learning Research*, pages 6744–6778. PMLR, 17–23 Jul 2022.
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- G. Mita, M. Filippone, and P. Michiardi. An Identifiable Double VAE For Disentangled Representations. In M. Meila and T. Zhang, editors, *Proceedings of the 38th International Conference on Machine Learning*, volume 139 of *Proceedings of Machine Learning Research*, pages 7769–7779. PMLR, 18–24 Jul 2021.
- S. Rossi, M. Heinonen, E. Bonilla, Z. Shen, and M. Filippone. Sparse Gaussian Processes Revisited: Bayesian Approaches to Inducing-Variable Approximations. In A. Banerjee and K. Fukumizu, editors, *Proceedings of The 24th International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics*, volume 130 of *Proceedings of Machine Learning Research*, pages 1837–1845. PMLR, 13–15 Apr 2021.
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- S. Rossi, P. Michiardi, and M. Filippone. Good Initializations of Variational Bayes for Deep Models. In *Proceedings of the 36th International Conference on Machine Learning, ICML 2019, Long Beach, USA, 2019*, 2019.
- G.-L. Tran, E. V. Bonilla, J. P. Cunningham, P. Michiardi, and M. Filippone. Calibrating Deep Convolutional Gaussian Processes. In *AISTATS 2019, Naha, Japan, 2019*, 2019.
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- J. Fitzsimons, D. Granziol, K. Cutajar, M. Osborne, M. Filippone, and S. Roberts. Entropic Trace Estimates for Log Determinants. In *Machine Learning and Knowledge Discovery in Databases - European Conference, ECML PKDD 2017, Skopje, Macedonia, September 18-22, 2017*, 2017.
- J. Fitzsimons, K. Cutajar, M. Osborne, S. Roberts, and M. Filippone. Bayesian Inference of Log Determinants. In *Thirty-Third Conference on Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence, UAI 2017, August 11-15, 2017, Sydney, Australia, 2017*.
- K. Krauth, E. V. Bonilla, K. Cutajar, and M. Filippone. AutoGP: Exploring the capabilities and limitations of Gaussian process models. In *Thirty-Third Conference on Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence, UAI 2017, August 11-15, 2017, Sydney, Australia, 2017*.
- K. Cutajar, E. V. Bonilla, P. Michiardi, and M. Filippone. Random feature expansions for deep Gaussian processes. In *Proceedings of the 34th International Conference on Machine Learning, ICML 2017, Sydney, Australia, August 6-11, 2017*, 2017.
- Y. Han and M. Filippone. Mini-batch spectral clustering. In *2016 International Joint Conference on Neural Networks, IJCNN 2017, Anchorage, AK, USA, May 14-19, 2017*. IEEE, 2017.
- K. Cutajar, E. V. Bonilla, P. Michiardi, and M. Filippone. Accelerating deep Gaussian processes inference with arc-cosine kernels. In *Bayesian Deep Learning Workshop, NIPS*, 2016.
- X. Xiong, M. Filippone, and A. Vinciarelli. Looking good with flickr faves: Gaussian processes for finding difference makers in personality impressions. In *ACM Multimedia*, 2016.
- K. Cutajar, M. A. Osborne, J. P. Cunningham, and M. Filippone. Preconditioning kernel matrices. In *Proceedings of the 33rd International Conference on Machine Learning, ICML 2016, New York City, USA, June 19-24, 2016*, 2016.
- M. Niu, S. Rogers, M. Filippone, and D. Husmeier. Fast inference in nonlinear dynamical systems using gradient matching. In *Proceedings of the 33rd International Conference on Machine Learning, ICML 2016, New York City, USA, June 19-24, 2016*, 2016.
- J. Hensman, A. G. de G. Matthews, M. Filippone, and Z. Ghahramani. MCMC for variationally sparse Gaussian processes. In *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems 28: Annual Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems 2015, December 7-12 2015, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, 2015*.
- M. Dell’Amico and M. Filippone. Monte Carlo strength evaluation: Fast and reliable password checking. In *Proceedings of the 22nd ACM Conference on Computer and Communications Security*, 2015.
- M. Filippone and R. Engler. Enabling scalable stochastic gradient-based inference for Gaussian processes by employing the Unbiased Linear System SolvEr (ULISSE). In *Proceedings of the 32nd International Conference on Machine Learning, ICML 2015, Lille, France, July 6-11, 2015*, 2015.
- M. Filippone. Bayesian inference for Gaussian process classifiers with annealing and pseudo-marginal MCMC. In *22nd International Conference on Pattern Recognition, ICPR 2014, Stockholm, Sweden, August 24-28, 2014*, pages 614–619, 2014.
- A. D. O’Harney, A. Marquand, K. Rubia, K. Chantiluke, A. B. Smith, A. Cubillo, C. Blain, and M. Filippone. Pseudo-marginal Bayesian multiple-class multiple-kernel learning for neuroimaging data. In *22nd International Conference on Pattern Recognition, ICPR 2014, Stockholm, Sweden, August 24-28, 2014*, pages 3185–3190, 2014.
- F. Dondelinger, M. Filippone, S. Rogers, and D. Husmeier. ODE parameter inference using adaptive gradient matching with Gaussian processes. In *AISTATS*, 2013.

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- G. Mohammadi, A. Origlia, M. Filippone, and A. Vinciarelli. From speech to personality: mapping voice quality and intonation into personality differences. In *Proceedings of the 20th ACM Multimedia Conference, MM '12, Nara, Japan, October 29 - November 02, 2012*, pages 789–792. ACM, 2012.
- D. Barbará, C. Domeniconi, Z. Duric, M. Filippone, R. Mansfield, and E. Lawson. Detecting suspicious behavior in surveillance images. In *Workshops Proceedings of the 8th IEEE International Conference on Data Mining (ICDM 2008), December 15-19, 2008, Pisa, Italy*, pages 891–900. IEEE, 2008.
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- M. Filippone, F. Masulli, and S. Rovetta. An experimental comparison of kernel clustering methods. In *New Directions in Neural Networks - 18th Italian Workshop on Neural Networks: WIRN 2008, Vietri sul Mare, Italy, May 22-24, 2008, Revised Selected Papers*, volume 193 of *Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence and Applications*, pages 118–126. IOS Press, 2008.
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- S. Rovetta, F. Masulli, and M. Filippone. Membership embedding space approach and spectral clustering. In *Knowledge-Based Intelligent Information and Engineering Systems, 11th International Conference, KES 2007, XVII Italian Workshop on Neural Networks, Vietri sul Mare, Italy, September 12-14, 2007, Proceedings, Part III*, volume 4694 of *Lecture Notes in Computer Science*, pages 901–908. Springer, 2007.
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- F. Masulli, S. Rovetta, and M. Filippone. Clustering genomic data in the membership embedding space. In *CI-BIO - Workshop on Computational Intelligence Approaches for the Analysis of Bioinformatics Data*, Montreal - Canada, 5 August 2005.
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## Discussions

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- M. Filippone, A. Mira, and M. Girolami. Discussion of the paper: “Sampling schemes for generalized linear Dirichlet process random effects models” by M. Kyung, J. Gill, and G. Casella. *Statistical Methods & Applications*, 20:295–297, 2011.
- M. Filippone. Discussion of the paper “Riemann manifold Langevin and Hamiltonian Monte Carlo methods” by Mark Girolami and Ben Calderhead. *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society, Series B (Statistical Methodology)*, 73(2):164–165, 2011.
- V. Stathopoulos and M. Filippone. Discussion of the paper “Riemann manifold Langevin and Hamiltonian Monte Carlo methods” by Mark Girolami and Ben Calderhead. *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society, Series B (Statistical Methodology)*, 73(2):167–168, March 2011.

## Theses

- M. Filippone. *Central Clustering in Kernel-Induced Spaces*. Phd thesis in computer science, University of Genova, February 2008.
- M. Filippone. Metodi di ensemble per la previsione di serie storiche. Master’s degree thesis in physics, University of Genova, July 2004.

## Professional Activities

- *Associate Editor* for Pattern Recognition (end 2012 - end 2016)
- *Associate Editor* for the IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems (2013 - end 2016)
- *Technical Program Chair* for IJCNN 2014

## Referee Activity

- Journals: Pattern Recognition (34), Pattern Recognition Letters (16), IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks (12), IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing (5), IEEE Signal Processing Letters (2), Computational Statistics & Data Analysis (2), IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (1), Journal of Machine Learning Research (1), Bioinformatics (1), Signal Processing (1), Computational Intelligence (1), Neural Processing Letters (1), Soft Computing (1), IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems (1), Statistical Applications in Genetics and Molecular Biology (1), PLOS ONE (1), EURASIP Journal on Advances in Signal Processing (1), Information Sciences (1).



- Conferences: AISTATS 2013 (1) ICPRAM 2013 (2), PRIB 2013 (1) ICPRAM 2012 (1), PRIB 2010 (2), IJCNN 2010 (2), PRIB 2009 (4), CIBB 2009 (4), IFSA 2009 (4), IJCNN 2009 (8), CIBB 2008 (4), WCCI 2008 (3), ICDM 2007 (2), IJCNN 2007 (4), CIBB 2007 (1), IJCNN 2006 (5), CIBB 2006 (1).

## Conferences Attended

- 30 May - 1 June 2012, Trondheim, Norway  
Second Workshop on Bayesian Inference for Latent Gaussian Models with Applications.  
Oral presentation: *On the Fully Bayesian Treatment of Latent Gaussian Models using Stochastic Simulations.*
- 09 June 2011, Bologna, Italy  
Italian Statistical Society Conference (SIS).  
Oral presentation: *Bayesian inference in latent variable models and applications.*
- 10-11 December 2010, Whistler, BC, Canada  
NIPS 2010 Workshops: Neural Information Processing Systems Conference.  
Poster presentation: *Posterior Inference in Latent Gaussian Models Using Manifold MCMC Methods.*
- 23-26 August 2010, Istanbul, Turkey  
ICPR 2010 - 20th International Conference on Pattern Recognition  
*I received the award for the best paper published in 2008 in Pattern Recognition journal*
- 12-14 July 2010, Sheffield, United Kingdom  
UCM 2010 - Uncertainty in Computer Models 2010 conference
- 5-9 July 2010, Glasgow, United Kingdom  
IWSM 2010 - 25th International Workshop on Statistical Modelling
- 3-8 June 2010, Benidorm, Spain  
Ninth Valencia International Meeting on Bayesian Statistics - 2010 World Meeting of the International Society for Bayesian Analysis.  
Poster presentation: *Inference for Gaussian Process Emulation of Oil Reservoir Simulation Codes.*
- 6-7 April 2010, Warwick, United Kingdom  
WOGAS2 - Workshop on Geometric and Algebraic Statistics 2.
- 3-5 March 2010, Edinburgh, United Kingdom  
Mixture estimation and applications.  
Poster presentation: *Information Theoretic Novelty Detection for Mixtures of Gaussians.*
- 7-9 September 2009, Sheffield, United Kingdom  
PRIB 2009: Pattern Recognition in Bioinformatics 2009.
- 20-21 May 2009, Swansea, United Kingdom  
NCAF Meeting: Neural Computing and Applications. Special Theme - Grand Challenges in Information-Driven Healthcare.
- 15-19 December 2008, Pisa, Italy  
ICDM 2008: IEEE International Conference on Data Mining.  
Oral presentation: *Detecting Suspicious Behavior in Surveillance Images.*
- 8-13 December 2008, Vancouver, BC, Canada  
NIPS 2008: Neural Information Processing Systems Conference.
- 9-10 September 2008, Sheffield, United Kingdom  
NCAF Meeting: Neural Computing and Applications. Special Theme - Dynamics and Dynamic Systems.  
Oral presentation: *Information Theoretic Novelty Detection.*

- 18-19 June 2008, Oxford, United Kingdom  
NCAF Meeting: Neural Computing and Applications. Special Theme - Signal Processing and Biomedical Applications.
- 31 March - 2 April 2008, Sheffield, United Kingdom  
Data Modelling Workshops & Symposium.
- 13-17 August 2007, Orlando, FL - USA  
IJCNN 2007 - International Joint Conferences on Neural Networks.  
Poster presentation: *Local learning of tide level time series using a fuzzy approach.*
- 17 August 2007, Orlando, FL - USA  
CI-BIO 2007 - Post-Conference Workshop on Computational Intelligence Approaches for the Analysis of Bioinformatics Data.  
Oral presentation of the paper: *Aggregating Memberships in Possibilistic Biclustering.*
- 27-29 September 2006, Ancona - Italy  
CISI 06 Conferenza Italiana Sistemi Intelligenti.  
Poster presentation: *Input Selection with Mixed Data Sets: A Simulated Annealing Wrapper Approach.*
- 15-16 September 2006, Genova - Italy  
BioLeMiD 06 - Third Bioinformatics Meeting on Machine Learning for Microarray Studies of Disease: biomarker selection.
- 29-31 August 2006, Genova - Italy FLINS 2006 - 7th International FLINS Conference on Applied Artificial Intelligence.
- 28 June 2006, Genova - Italy  
Workshop on Trends in Computational Sciences.
- 22 June 2006, Genova - Italy  
The I LIMBS day - A free one-day workshop about intelligence.
- 21 June 2006, Genova - Italy  
Second workshop on Analytic Methods for Learning Theory: Learning, Regularization and Approximation
- 15-17 September 2005, Crema - Italy  
WILF 05 - International Workshop on Fuzzy Logic and Applications.  
Oral presentation of the paper: *Unsupervised gene selection and clustering using simulated annealing.*
- 16-17 June 2005, Genova - Italy  
CLIP 2005 - Workshop on Cross-language information processing.  
Oral presentation of the paper: *Soft rank clustering.*
- 8-11 June 2005, Vietri sul Mare - Italy  
WIRN 05 - XVI Italian Workshop on Neural Networks.  
Oral presentation of the paper: *Soft rank clustering.*
- 14-17 September 2004, Perugia - Italy  
WIRN 04 - XV Italian Workshop on Neural Networks.  
Poster presentation: *ERAF: a R package for regression and forecasting.*

## Talks

- 20 October, 2011, University of Glasgow - *Inference in hierarchical models using stochastic approximations.*
- 08 February, 2011, University College London (CSML seminars series) - *Calibration of Oil Reservoir Simulation Codes.*
- 24 January, 2011, University College London - *Classification of fMRI data using latent Gaussian models.*

- 12 November, 2010, University of Glasgow - *Information Theoretic Novelty Detection*.
- 13 October, 2010, Royal Statistical Society - *Discussion of the paper "Riemann manifold Langevin and Hamiltonian Monte Carlo methods" by M. Girolami and B. Calderhead*.
- 26 March, 2010, Liverpool John Moores University - *Information Theoretic Novelty Detection*.
- 11 November, 2009, University of Edinburgh - *Information Theoretic Novelty Detection*.
- 21 October, 2009, University of Sheffield - Tutorial presentation for the Speech and Hearing group - *The probabilistic approach in data modeling*.
- 14 July, 2009, Columbia University - *Information Theoretic Novelty Detection*.
- 21 January, 2009, University of Glasgow - *Information Theoretic Novelty Detection*.
- 22 December, 2008, University of Genova - *Information Theoretic Novelty Detection*.
- 3 March, 2008, University of Milano - *Central Clustering in Kernel-Induced Spaces*.
- 27 February, 2008, University of Napoli Parthenope - *Central Clustering in Kernel-Induced Spaces*.
- 27 September, 2007, George Mason University - *Kernel and Spectral Methods for Clustering*.
- 15 November 2006, University of Genova - *Kernel and Spectral Methods for Clustering*.
- 21 March 2006, University of Genova - *Spectral Approach to Clustering*.
- 20 December 2005, University of Genova - *Subsequence Matching for Time Series Forecasting*.

## Teaching Activity

- 09-2013 - 12-2013  
Lecturer (30 hours) Artificial Intelligence  
Undergraduate Degree Programme - Year 4
- 01-2013 - 04-2013  
Lecturer (30 hours) Machine Learning  
Undergraduate/Postgraduate Degree Programmes - Years 4/5
- 09-2012 - 12-2012  
Lecturer (30 hours) Artificial Intelligence  
Undergraduate Degree Programme - Year 4
- 10-2008  
Lab assistant (2 hours) Bioinformatics  
Computational Biology module for the MSC in Biological and Bioprocess Engineering  
Lecturer: Guido Sanguinetti
- 09-2005 - 12-2005  
Lab assistant (30 hours) Neural Networks  
IV / V year, Master's Degree in Computer Science - University of Genova  
Lecturer: Stefano Rovetta
- 09-2005 - 12-2005  
Lab assistant (10 hours) Soft Computing  
III year, Master's Degree in Computer Science - University of Genova  
Lecturer: Francesco Masulli

- 09-2004 - 12-2004  
Lab assistant (10 hours)  
Introduction to R language (2 hours) Neural Networks  
IV / V year, Master's Degree in Computer Science - University of Genova  
Lecturer: Francesco Masulli