# Mihály Koltai

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### CURRENT POSITION

Institut Curie, U900 (Computational Systems Biology of Cancer group)

Paris, France

Bioinformatician postdoctoral research associate

Sept 2016 -

## **EDUCATION**

Ruprecht-Karls-Universität Heidelberg

Heidelberg, Germany

PhD in Computational Biology

May 2016

Grade: 1.0 (highest distinction)

Eotvos Lorand University

**Budapest**, **Hungary** 

Diploma (5-year course) at Department of Biological Physics

February 2012

## **PROJECTS**

**COLOSYS** project: systems biology of drug resistance in colon cancer

Sept 2016 - Present

- Using stochastic logical and ODE models to predict/reproduce drug responses in colorectal cell lines
- o Model optimization/machine learning by using drug screen and CRISPRi data as constraints
- Exact calculation method for stochastic logical models implemented as MATLAB toolbox (manuscript under review)
- o EU project coordination: coordinating collaboration and meetings with experimental partners

#### PhD project on mathematical modeling of microbial signaling

March 2012 - May 2016

- o Parameter fitting of systems of ordinary differential and algebraic equations for biological signaling networks
- o Stochastic simulations of bacterial motility, derivation of analytical solution
- o Collaboration with experimental biologists: model fitting by microscopy and flow cytometry data
- o Publications: Nature Communications, PNAS

#### M.Sc. project: rule-based modeling of signal transduction

September 2010 - January 2012

- o Manual curation and database entry for the SignaLink database
- o Stochastic rule-based modeling of signal transduction

## **SKILLS**

- Quantitative and modeling skills: kinetic and biochemical models, ordinary differential equations, stochastic simulations, Boolean modeling, parameter fitting, local and global optimization methods
- o Programming languages: R, MATLAB, Python, Mathematica, Bash, Perl, LaTeX
- o Languages (scale: A1-A2-B1-B2-C1-C2-Native): Hungarian (N), English (C2), French (C1), German (C1)
- Recent trainings:
  - Applied Plotting, Charting & Data Representation in Python
  - Machine Learning: Machine Learning | Machine Learning with Python | Neural Networks and Deep Learning | Improving Deep Neural Networks

## **PUBLICATIONS**

See Google Scholar profile. 3 (shared) first author articles, 1 preprint. Total citations (01/2020): 182.

- [1] D. Fazekas\*, <u>M. Koltai\*</u>, D. Türei\* et al, SignaLink 2 a signaling pathway resource with multi-layered regulatory networks, BMC Syst Biol. 2013 Jan 18;7:7
- [2] S. Bubendorfer\*, M. Koltai\*, F. Rossmann, V. Sourjik, K. M. Thormann, Secondary bacterial flagellar system improves bacterial spreading by increasing the directional persistence of swimming, Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A. 2014 Aug 5;111(31):11485-90
- [3] A. Banderas\*, M. Koltai\*, A. Anders, V. Sourjik, Sensory input attenuation allows predictive sexual response in yeast, Nat Commun. 2016 Aug 25;7:12590
- [4] M Koltai, V Noel, A Zinovyev, L Calzone, E Barillot, Exact calculation of stationary solution and parameter sensitivity analysis of stochastic continuous time Boolean models, BioRxiv (2019): 794230