Dylan Murphy

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Profile

• Quantitative scientist with a strong foundation in theoretical and computational mathematics, specializing in model-centered inference and prediction, uncertainty quantification, and principled Bayesian estimation.

Experience

Tampa Bay Rays

St. Petersburg, FL

Analyst, Baseball Research and Development

2022 - *present*

- Developed forecasting models for player performance evaluation and prediction to improve personnel decision-making for a Major League Baseball team.
- Authored reports and delivered presentations on analytics products for audiences at a mixed technical
- Maintained, optimized, and upgraded internal information systems.

• University of Arizona School of Information Lecturer

Tucson, AZ

2017 - 2021

- Taught courses in Bayesian modeling, information theory, and machine learning at the advanced undergraduate and graduate level.
- Developed new courses for in-person and remote instruction, and administered online services such as JupyterHub to assist in online instruction for courses taught in R and Python.
- Contributed to research in multi-lingual OCR software supported by the National Endowment for the Humanities. Developed software for outline-based feature extraction and implemented novel recurrent neural network architectures in Keras.
- Managed teams of undergraduate TAs in running lab sections and developing new instructional material for introductory and advanced undergraduate courses in Python programming and machine learning.
- Advised undergraduate capstone projects in statistics and machine learning.

• University of Arizona Department of Mathematics

Tucson, AZ

Ph.D. Student and Graduate Instructor

2010 - 2019

- Taught courses in algebra, calculus, and introductory statistics.
- Taught summer sessions for graduate students to prepare for qualifying exams in geometry and topology.
- Organized weekly colloquium sessions for graduate students to present research and expository talks in a low-pressure environment.
- Performed research in mathematical physics, including implementation of numerical simulation software in Python and Julia.

Education

• University of Arizona Ph.D., Mathematics

Tucson, AZ 2019

• University of Chicago S.B., Mathematics, Physics Chicago, IL 2010

Core Technical Skills

Programming Languages: Python (with PyMC3, Keras, NumPy, and scikit-learn), R, Stan, Julia, Languages. Computing environments: Linux (Ubuntu, Arch), VPS and cloud computing (DigitalOcean, AWS)

Other software: Git