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Research
Interests

Machine Learning: Explainable AI, selective inference, optimal transport, and transfer learning.

Science: Drug discovery for Acute Myeloid Leukemia.

Education

Ph.D. in Statistical Science, March 2010, The Graduate University for Advanced Studies, Japan.

 \diamond M.S. in Electrical Engineering, May 2005, Colorado State University, U.S.A.

♦ B.S. in Computer Science, Mar 2003, University of Aizu, Japan.

ACADEMIC \diamond Kyoto University, Kyoto, Japan EXPERIENCE Associate Professor \diamond RIKEN AIP center, Tokyo Japan

Team Leader (PI, equivalent to professor)

March, 2020 - present

♦ RIKEN AIP center, Tokyo Japan Unit Leader (PI, equivalent to associate professor)

March, 2017 - 2020

 \diamond Institute of Statistical Mathematics (ISM), Tokyo Japan Visiting Associate Professor 2018 - present

♦ Kyoto University, Kyoto, Japan
Assistant Professor

October, 2015 - February, 2017

Tokyo Institute of Technology, O-okayama, Tokyo Japan
 Postdoctoral Fellow
 April, 2010 - June, 2012

Publication Journal articles: Please note that TPAMI and IJCV are highly competitive top-tier computer vision journals. MLJ and NECO are competitive top-tier machine learning journals.

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- 34. Le, T., Nguyen, T., **Yamada, M.**, Blanchet, J., Nguyen, V.A. Adversarial Regression with Doubly Non-negative Weighting Matrices. *NeurIPS 2021*
- 35. Liu, Y., Yamada, M., Tsai, Y-H-H, Le, T., Salakuhtdinov, R., Yang, Y. LSMI-Sinkhorn: Semi-supervised Squared-Loss Mutual Information Estimation with Optimal Transport. *ECML* 2021.
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- 38. Nguyen, V., Le, T., **Yamada, M.**, Osborne, M.A.. Optimal Transport Kernels for Sequential and Parallel Neural Architecture Search. *ICML* 2021.
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- 40. Le, T., Ho, N., **Yamada, M.** Fast Tree Variants of Gromov-Wasserstein. *AISTATS*, 2021.
- 41. Sato, R., **Yamada**, M., Kashima, H., Fast Unbalanced Optimal Transport on a Tree. *NeurIPS*, 2020
- 42. Tsai, Y-H-H., Zhao, H., **Yamada, M.**, Morency, L-P., Salakhutdinov, R., Neural Methods for Point-wise Dependency Estimation. *NeurIPS*, 2020
- 43. Liu, Y., Zhu, L., **Yamada, M.**, Yang, Y. Semantic Correspondence as an Optimal Transport Problem. *CVPR*, 2020.
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- 48. Sato, R., **Yamada, M.**, Kashima, H. Approximation Ratios of Graph Neural Networks for Combinatorial Problems. *NeurIPS*, 2019.
- 49. Le, T., **Yamada, M.**, Fukumizu, K., Cuturi, M. Tree-Sliced Variants of Wasserstein Distances. *NeurIPS*, 2019.
- 50. Lim, J., Yamada, M., Schoelkopf, B., Jitkrittum, W. Kernel Stein Tests for Multiple Model Comparison. *NeurIPS*, 2019.
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- 63. Iwata, T., **Yamada, M.** Multi-view Anomaly Detection via Robust Probabilistic Latent Variable Models. *NIPS*, 2016.
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- 73. Liu, S., **Yamada, M.**, Colliear, N., and Sugiyama, M., Change-Point Detection in Time-Series Data by Relative Density-Ratio Estimation, *SPR*, 2012.
- 74. **Yamada, M.**, Sigal, L., and Raptis, M., No Bias Left Behind: Covariate Shift Adaptation for Discriminative 3D Pose Estimation, *ECCV*, 2012.
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- 79. **Yamada**, M. and Sugiyama, M., Direct Density-Ratio Estimation with Dimensionality Reduction via Hetero-Distributional Subspace Analysis, *AAAI*, 2011.
- 80. Sugiyama, M., **Yamada, M.**, Kimura, M., and Hachiya, H., On Information-Maximization Clustering: Tuning Parameter Selection and Analytic Solution, *ICML*, 2011.
- 81. **Yamada, M.** and Sugiyama, M., Cross-Domain Object Matching with Model Selection, *AISTATS*, 2011.
- 82. Takagi, J., Ohishi, Y., Kimura, A., Sugiyama, M., **Yamada, M.**, and Kameoka, H., Automatic Audio Tag Classification via Semi-Supervised Canonical Density Estimation, *ICASSP*, 2011.
- 83. Yamada, M. and Sugiyama, M., Dependence Minimizing Regression with Model Selection for Non-Linear Causal Inference under Non-Gaussian Noise, AAAI, 2010.
- 84. Wichern, G., **Yamada, M.**, Thornburg, H., Sugiyama, M. and Spanias, A., Automatic Audio Tagging using Covariate Shift Adaptation, *ICASSP*, 2010.
- 85. **Yamada, M.**, Sugiyama, M., and Wichern, G., Direct Importance Estimation with Probabilistic Principal Component Analyzers, *ICASSP*, 2010.
- 86. **Yamada, M.**, Sugiyama, M., Wichern, G., and Matsui, T., Acceleration of Sequence Kernel Computation for Real-time Speaker Identification, *ICASSP*, 2010.
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- 88. **Yamada, M.**, Sugiyama, M., and Matsui, T., Covariate shift adaptation for semi-supervised speaker identification, *ICASSP*, 2009.
- 89. **Yamada, M.** and Azimi-Sadjadi, M. R., Kernel Wiener Filter with Distance Constraint, *ICASSP*, 2006.
- 90. **Yamada, M.** and Azimi-Sadjadi, M. R., Nonlinear signal estimation using kernel Wiener filter in Canonical Correlation Analysis Framework, *CIMCA*, 2005.
- 91. **Yamada, M.**, Azimi-Sadjadi, M. R., and Cartmill, J., Buried Underwater Target Classification Using the New BOSS and Canonical Coordinate Decomposition Feature Extraction, *MTS/IEEE Oceans Conference*, 2005.
- 92. **Yamada, M.**, Pezeshki, A., and Azimi-Sadjadi, M. R., Relation between KCCA and KFDA, *IJCNN*, 2005.
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- 94. Sato, R., **Yamada**, M, Kashima, H. Poincare: Recommending Publication Venues via Treatment Effect Estimation.
- 95. Sato, R., Yamada, M, Kashima, H. Re-evaluating Word Movers Distance.
- 96. Takezawa, Y., Sato, R., Kozareva, Z., Ravi, S., **Yamada, M.** Fixed Support Tree-Sliced Wasserstein Barycenter

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- 97. Petrovich, M., Liang, C., Liu, Y., Tsai, Y-H-H, Zhu, L., Yang, Y., Salakhutdinov, R., Yamada, M. Feature Robust Optimal Transport for High-dimensional Data.
- 98. Ziyin, L., Wang, Z., **Yamada, M.**, Ueda, M. Volumization as a Natural Generalization of Weight Decay.
- 99. Petrovich, M., Yamada, M. Fast local linear regression with anchor regularization.
- 100. Sato, R., Cuturi, M., **Yamada, M.**, Kashima, H. Fast and Robust Comparison of Probability Measures in Heterogeneous Spaces.
- 101. Sato, R., Yamada, M., Kashima, H. Constant time graph neural networks.
- 102. Singh, D., **Yamada, M.** FsNet: Feature Selection Network on High-dimensional Biological Data.
- 103. Huang, Q., Yamada, M., Tian, Y., Singh, D., Yin, D., Chang, Y. GraphLIME: Local Interpretable Model Explanations for Graph Neural Networks.
- 104. Le, T., Huynh, V., Ho, N., Phung, D., **Yamada, M.** Tree-Wasserstein Barycenter for Large-Scale Multilevel Clustering and Scalable Bayes.

Professional Activities

- 1. Workflow chair AISTATS 2019
- 2. Publicity chair WSDM 2018
- 3. Senior Meta-reviewer IJCAI 2020, 2021, AAAI 2021
- Meta-reviewer (Senior PC) NeurIPS 2020,2021, ICML 2019-2021, ICLR 2021, AAAI 2020, WWW 2020, WSDM 2018-2020,2022, IJCAI 2018, ACML 2019,2020, AIRS 2016
- Program Committee, WWW 2015-2018, WSDM 2017, AISTATS 2014-2017, ICML 2017, ICANN 2011, IJCAI 2011-15, 2017, AAAI 2017, ACML 2010-2015, 2017, ECML 2016-2017, SIGIR 2016-2017, SDM 2017

Honors and Awards

- 1. IEICE TC-IBISML Research Award 2019
- 2. Outstannding SPC award, ACM International Conference on Web Search and Data Mining (WSDM 2020)
- Outstannding SPC award, ACM International Conference on Web Search and Data Mining (WSDM 2019)
- 4. Best paper award, ACM International Conference on Web Search and Data Mining (WSDM 2016)
- 5. Yahoo Labs Excellence Award, 2014
- Interactive Presentation Award, Meeting on Image Recognition and Undestanding (MIRU2013)
- 7. IBISML Award Finalist in 2012, IEICE, Information-Based Induction Sciences and Machine Learning (IBISML) Technical Group
- 8. Honorable mention, Information-Based Induction Sciences (IBIS 2010)
- 9. Student Travel Grant, International Conference on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing (ICASSP 2009)

Honors and Awards (Students)

- 1. Tatsuya Shiraishi (JSAI Annual Conference Student Incentive Award 2019)
- 2. Ayato Toyokuni (JSAI Annual Conference Student Incentive Award 2020)
- 3. Ryoma Sato (IEICE TC-IBISML Research Award 2019)

Research Grant

- 1. 2021 2025, Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (A), Japan Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology. ¥ 4,000,000 for four years. (Co-PI)
- 2. 2021 2023, Marie Curie Individual Fellowship 2021 (Research host of Dr. Marco Fiorucci), €92,380.80
- 3. 2020 2024, Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (B), Japan Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology. ¥ 13,600,000 for four years. (PI)
- 4. 2021, CyberAgent, $\pm 3,500,000$ (Co-PI)
- 5. 2020, CyberAgent, $\pm 3,500,000$ (Co-PI)
- 6. 2019, CyberAgent, $\pm 1,500,000$ (Co-PI)
- 7. 2018 2021, RIKEN Engineering network \pm 6,000,000 for three years. (Co-PI)
- 8. 2018 2021 Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (S), Japan Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology. ¥ 6,000,000 for three years. (Co-PI)
- 9. 2016 2020, PRESTO (Synthesis of Knowledge for Information Oriented Society), Japan Science and Technology Agency. \pm 35,600,000 for 3.5 years. (PI)
- 10. 2016 2018, Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (B), Japan Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology. Υ 1,950,000 for two years. (PI)

ADVISING AND COL-LABORATING STUDENTS

Postdoc, technical staff

- 1. Peter Naylor (2021-)
- 2. Héctor Climente (2020-)
- 3. Jun Lu (2018)
- 4. Dinesh Singh (2018-)
- 5. Tam Le (2017-)

Students at Kyoto University

- 1. Yuki Takezawa (B.S.) ICML 2021
- 2. Yuki Tomimura (B.S.)
- 3. Kohei Morita (B.S.)
- 4. Hiroaki Yamada (B.S.) NeurIPS 2021
- 5. Ayato Toyokuni (B.S.) EACL SRW 2021
- 6. Noeru Suzuki (B.S.)
- 7. Akito Seki (B.S., M.S.)
- 8. Kanata Satake (B.S., M.S.)
- 9. Tatsuya Shiraishi (B.S., M.S.) ECAI 2020
- Ryoma Sato (B.S., M.S.) (Co-supervision with Prof. Kashima) NeurIPS 2019, 2020, ICML 2021

Intern students

- 1. Tobias Freidling (2020, M.S. student Technical University of Munich. now Ph.D. student University of Cambridge) *ICML 2021*
- 2. Chao Liang (2020, Ph.D. student Zhejiang University)
- 3. Mathis Petrovich (2019-2020, M.S. student ENS, now Ph.D. student at Ecole des Ponts Paristech)
- 4. Qiang Huang (2019, M.S. student Jilin University), AAAI 2020
- 5. Shaoshen Wang (2019, Ph.D. student University of Technology Sydney)

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- 6. Jenning Lim (2019, M.S. student UCL, now Ph.D. student at University of Warwick), NeurIPS 2019, AISTATS 2020
- 7. Hirofumi Ohta (Ph.D. student at Rutgers University), ICLR 2019
- Yanbin Liu (2019, Ph.D. student University of Technology Sydney), CVPR 2020, ECML 2021
- 9. Ankesh Gupta (2019, undergraduate student at IIT Delhi)
- 10. Héctor Climente (2018, Ph.D. student Mines ParisTech), ISMB 2019
- 11. Anuj Dhawan (2018, undergraduate student at IIT Delhi)
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