

Curriculum Vitae

Personal Information

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Education

- 2019- Ph.D. student, **Department of Computer Science, Institute for Machine Learning, ETH Zürich**, supervised by Prof. Dr. [Julia E. Vogt](#), co-advised by Prof. Dr. [Fanny Yang](#)
- 2017-2019 M.Sc. ETH in Statistics, with distinction, **Department of Mathematics, ETH Zürich**. Master thesis: “*Causal Inference in Time Series for Identifying Molecular Fingerprints during Sleep*”, supervised by Prof. Dr. [Joachim M. Buhmann](#), advised by [Đorđe Miladinović](#)
- 2014-2017 B.Sc. in Data Science and Knowledge Engineering, summa cum laude, **Department of Data Science and Knowledge Engineering, Maastricht University**. Bachelor thesis: “*Minimum Modification of Time Series to Alter Classification Outcomes under the Nearest Neighbour Algorithm*”, supervised by Prof. Dr. [Steven Kelk](#), Prof. Dr. [Carlo Galuzzi](#), and Dr. [Berthold Stegemann](#)
- 2009-2014 **Rīga Secondary School 34**, General Certificate of Secondary Education
- 2002-2009 **Rīga Secondary School 95**

Publications & Preprints

- Manduchi, L.,[†] [Marcinkevičs, R.](#),[†] [Massi, M.C.](#), [Weikert, T.](#), [Sauter, A.](#), [Gotta, V.](#), [Müller, T.](#), [Vasella, F.](#), [Neidert, M.C.](#), [Pfister, M.](#), [Stieltjes, B.](#), [Vogt, J.E.](#) (2022) [A Deep Variational Approach to Clustering Survival Data](#). *10th International Conference on Learning Representations, ICLR 2022*.
- [Roig Aparicio, P.](#), [Marcinkevičs, R.](#), [Reis Wolfertstetter, P.](#), [Wellmann, S.](#), [Knorr, C.](#), [Vogt, J.E.](#) (2021) [Learning Medical Risk Scores for Pediatric Appendicitis](#). *Short paper at 20th IEEE International Conference on Machine Learning and Applications, ICMLA 2021*
- [Nowak, N.](#), [Gaisl, T.](#), [Miladinovic, D.](#), [Marcinkevičs, R.](#), [Osswald, M.](#), [Bauer, S.](#), [Buhmann, J.M.](#), [Zenobi, R.](#), [Sinues, P.](#), [Brown, S.A.](#), [Kohler, M.](#) (2021) [Rapid and reversible control of human metabolism by individual sleep states](#). *Cell Reports*.
- [Hatteland, A.H.](#),[†] [Marcinkevičs, R.](#),[†] [Marquis, R.](#), [Frick, T.](#), [Hubbard, I.](#), [Vogt, J.E.](#), [Brunschwiler, T.](#), [Ryvlin, P.](#) (2021) [Exploring Relationships between Cerebral and Peripheral Biosignals with Neural Networks](#). *Best paper award at IEEE International Conference on Digital Health, ICDH 2021*.
- [Marcinkevičs, R.](#),[†] [Reis Wolfertstetter, P.](#),[†] [Wellmann, S.](#), [Knorr, C.](#), [Vogt, J.E.](#) (2021) [Using machine learning to predict the diagnosis, management and severity of pediatric appendicitis](#). *Frontiers in Pediatrics*.
- [Marcinkevičs, R.](#) and [Vogt, J.E.](#) (2021) [Interpretable Models for Granger Causality Using Self-explaining Neural Networks](#). *9th International Conference on Learning Representations, ICLR 2021*.
- [Marcinkevičs, R.](#) and [Vogt, J.E.](#) (2020) [Interpretability and Explainability: A Machine Learning Zoo Mini-tour](#). *arXiv: 2012.01805*.
- [Daunhawer, I.](#), [Sutter, T.M.](#), [Marcinkevičs, R.](#), [Vogt, J.E.](#) (2020) [Self-supervised Disentanglement of Modality-specific and Shared Factors Improves Multimodal Generative Models](#). *42nd DAGM German Conference on Pattern Recognition, DAGM GCPR 2020*.
- [Marcinkevičs, R.](#), [Kelk, S.](#), [Galuzzi, C.](#), [Stegemann, B.](#) (2019) [Discovery of Important Subsequences in Electrocardiogram Beats Using the Nearest Neighbour Algorithm](#). *arXiv: 1901.09187*.
- [Marcinkevičs, R.](#), [O'Neill, J.](#), [Law, H.](#), [Pervolaraki, E.](#), [Hogarth, A.](#), [Russell, C.R.](#), [Stegemann, B.](#), [Holden, A.V.](#), [Tayebjee, M.H.](#) (2017) [Multichannel ECG diagnostics for the diagnosis of arrhythmic right ventricular dysplasia](#). *EP-Europace*.

Workshop Contributions

Marcinkevičs, R., Ozkan, E., Vogt, J.E. (2022) [Debiasing Neural Networks using Differentiable Classification Parity Proxies](#). *ICLR Workshop on Socially Responsible Machine Learning*.

Reis Wolfertstetter, P., **Marcinkevičs, R.**, Wellmann, S., Knorr, C., Vogt, J.E. (2021) Using Machine Learning to Predict the Diagnosis, Management and Severity of Pediatric Appendicitis. *Kongress für Kinder- und Jugendmedizin (KKJ)*.

Reis Wolfertstetter, P., **Marcinkevičs, R.**, Wellmann, S., Knorr, C., Vogt, J.E. (2021) [Using Machine Learning to Predict the Diagnosis, Management and Severity of Pediatric Appendicitis](#). *Machine Learning for Healthcare 2021 – Clinical Abstract Track*.

Manduchi, L.,[†] **Marcinkevičs, R.**,[†] Vogt, J.E. (2021) [A Deep Variational Approach to Clustering Survival Data](#). *AI for Public Health Workshop at ICLR*.

Marcinkevičs, R. and Vogt, J.E. (2020) [Interpretable Models for Granger Causality Using Self-explaining Neural Networks](#). *NeurIPS Workshop on Interpretable Inductive Biases and Physically Structured Learning*.

Marcinkevičs, R., Miladinović, Đ., Vogt, J.E., Buhmann, J.M. (2020) Nonlinear Granger Causality for Identifying Molecular Fingerprints during Sleep. *Swiss Institute of Bioinformatics (SIB) Days*.

Marcinkevičs, R., Stegemann, B., Holden, A.V., Tayebjee, M.H. (2017) [Differences in Right and Left Atrial Structure and Electrophysiology in ARVD](#). *Heart Rythm Congress 2017*.

Aasmul, S., **Marcinkevičs, R.**, Stegemann, B. (2016) Remote Photoplethysmography – Comparing Perfusion Signals at Different Sites of the Body. *Medtronic 17th European Science and Technology Conference*.

Aasmul, S., **Marcinkevičs, R.**, Stegemann, B. (2016) Comparison of Colour and Monochrome Cameras in Remote Photoplethysmographic Imaging. *Medtronic 17th European Science and Technology Conference*.

Talks

[Debiasing Neural Networks using Differentiable Classification Parity Proxies](#) (April 2022) *Contributed talk at the ICLR Workshop on Socially Responsible Machine Learning*.

Deep Variational Approaches for Weakly Supervised Clustering with Applications to Survival Data (November 2021) *Invited talk at the Research Seminar of the TU Wien Machine Learning Research Unit*.

[Machine Learning Basics for Physicians](#) (November 2021) *Invited talk at the Barmherzige Brüder Regensburg Hospital Journal Club*.

[A Deep Variational Approach to Clustering Survival Data](#) (March & May 2021) *Contributed talk at the AI for Public Health Workshop at ICLR and invited talk at the IBM Research Zürich Machine Learning Seminar*.

Interpretable Models for Granger Causality Using Self-explaining Neural Networks (November 2020) *Talk at the ETH Zürich Doctoral Machine Learning Seminar*.

Reviewing

Conferences	NeurIPS 2022; ICML 2022
Journals	iScience (<i>Cell Press</i>); International Journal of Computer Vision (<i>Springer</i>)
Workshops	Interpretable Machine Learning in Healthcare (<i>emergency reviewer</i> ; ICML 2022); Workshop on Computational Biology (ICML 2022); Bridging the Gap: From Machine Learning Research to Clinical Practice (<i>PC member</i> ; NeurIPS 2021)

Work Experience

2019-	Research assistant at the Department of Computer Science, ETH ZÜRICH
2015-2017	Intern at MEDTRONIC Bakken Research Center, Maastricht Developed methods for extracting and processing remote photoplethysmographic signals from videos; analysed multichannel electrocardiograms to perform the selection of channels for the diagnosis of arrhythmogenic right ventricular dysplasia.

Teaching Experience

- 2021, 2022 | TA for [Data Science for Medicine](#) (252-0868-00L)
- 2020, 2021 | TA for [Advanced Machine Learning](#) (252-0535-00L)
- 2020 | TA for [Digital Medicine II](#) (252-0868-00L)

Certificates & Awards

- 2021 [Best paper award](#) at IEEE ICDH 2021
- 2021 [Gero Wesener prize](#) from Deutsche Gesellschaft für Kinderchirurgie (DGKCH)
- 2017 IELTS: 8.5
- 2017 [Maastricht University Research Based Learning Program \(MaRBLe\)](#)
- 2017 [KE@Work](#)

Languages

Latvian (*native*), Russian (*native*), English (*professional*), German (*limited working proficiency*)

Programming & Software Skills

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| Basic | C++, MySQL, GLPK, OpenMP, Open MPI, Adobe Photoshop |
| Intermediate | C#, \LaTeX , OpenCV, TensorFlow |
| Advanced | python, PyTorch, Java, R, MATLAB, MS Office |

Interests & Activities

Recreational Mathematics, History, Literature, Philosophy, Angling, Swimming