# Teo Price-Broncucia

## Education and Research Experience

University of Colorado Boulder PhD Computer Science 2024 (Expected)
Advised by Rebecca Morrison

National Center for Atmospheric Research Visiting Student

Researcher May 2023 - Current

Mentored by Allison Baker

University of Colorado Boulder MS Computer Science 2022 Colorado College BA Physics 2014

Advised by Shane Burns Boettcher Foundation Scholar

### Research Interests

I am interested in data informed physics based computer models. This has led me to the topics of reduced models, calibration, and uncertainty quantification with a focus on expensive chaotic models such as those used in climate and weather prediction. I'm curious about the potential to improve the utility of models in educational and industrial domains. I believe we have an obligation to consider the societal and environmental impacts of our work, minimize harm, and contribute to the wellbeing of humanity and the natural world.

## Conference Activity and Publications

- Conference Paper: Price-Broncucia T, Morrison R. Ultra-Short-Time Batching and Unscented Kalman Inversion for Calibration of Expensive Chaotic Models USNCCM17 UQ Student Paper Competition Semi-Finalist, 2023
- Conference Paper: Price-Broncucia T, Morrison R. Multi-Time Unscented Kalman Inversion for Calibration of Expensive Chaotic Models ICASP14, CERRA Student Recognition Award Recipient, 2023
- Poster: Multi-Time Unscented Kalman Inversion for Calibration of Expensive Chaotic Models - USACM Thematic Conference on Uncertainty Quantification for Machine Learning Integrated Physics Modeling, 2022
- Paper: Scholl VM, McGlinchy J, **Price-Broncucia T**, Balch JK, Joseph MB. Fusion neural networks for plant classification: learning to combine RGB, hyperspectral, and lidar data. PeerJ 9:e11790, 2021

#### Teaching and Service

**Graduate Peer Mentor Program** — *Mentor* 2023-Current Mentored first year graduate student.

McNair Scholar Program - Mentor 2022-Current

Mentored undergraduate McNair scholars, who are first generation college students working towards pursuing doctoral studies.

- CU Access and Inclusion Program Mentor 2021-2022
  - Mentored first year engineering student from an underrepresented group on managing social, mental, and academic difficulties.
- **CU Computer Science Department** Teaching Assistant 2021 Introduction to Programming. Weekly instruction and office hours for ~75 students.

## Teaching and Service cont.

**CodeConnects** - Instructor 2019-2020

Remote instruction for high school student without access to CS in school.

**Yampa Valley Science School** — Biosphere Resource Specialist 2015 Led a team of 6 to teach a comprehensive ecological curriculum to 6th graders in Routt County.

#### <u>Industry Experience</u>

Boeing, Denver - Research Intern 2019

Worked on image recognition, data analysis, and data visualization projects.

**E3 Consulting, Denver** – Analyst 2016-2018

Due diligence of energy projects with a focus on energy production modeling for solar projects. Inspected over 75 new and existing solar projects across the United States. Worked with top developers and financial parties in the industry.