

# Thiago Mosqueiro, PhD

## Curriculum Vitæ

### Contact information

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### Work experience

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2016 Sept – current	Lecturer at Rady School of Management, UCSD, USA Course: Collecting and Analyzing Financial Data
2015 Oct – current	Postdoctoral researcher at BioCircuits Institute, UCSD, USA Supervisor: Dr. Ramon Huerta
2015 Jan - March	Junior specialist at Rady School of Management, UCSD, USA Supervisor: Dr. Ramon Huerta
2010 – 2013	Teaching assistant at Institute of Physics of São Carlos, USP, Brazil Worked with Prof. Francisco Alcaraz, Prof. Leonardo Maia, Prof. Rodrigo Pereira, Prof. José Abel Hoyos & Prof. Luis Nunes Disciplines: Statistical Physics, Physics 102 and Computational Physics.

### Education

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August, 2015	<b>PhD in Physics</b> , <i>University of São Paulo</i> , São Carlos, Brazil Thesis: “Information processing in sensory neural networks” Advisor: Prof. Leonardo P Maia
March 2015	<b>Research internship</b> , <i>University of California San Diego</i> , La Jolla, USA Advisor: Prof. Ramon Huerta
February 2011	<b>Masters in Physics</b> , <i>University of São Paulo</i> , São Carlos, Brazil Thesis: “Optical transitions in Zincblende semiconductors heterostructures” Advisor: Prof. Esmerindo Bernardes
December 2008	<b>Undergraduate Degree in Physics</b> , <i>University of São Paulo</i> , São Carlos, Brazil

### Grants and awards

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2015 – 2016	Microsoft Azure Research grant (MS-AZR-0036P)
2015 – present	CNPq PDE fellowship
2014 – 2015	CAPES PSDE fellowship
2014	Selected IOP paper for novelty & impact
2013	Yvone Mascarenhas award for best Teaching assistant
2012 – 2013	USP PAE fellowship (teaching assistant)
2009	Best article award (The LaTeX Community)

## Peer-reviewed publications

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### Papers in refereed journals

1. Thiago Mosqueiro, Martin Strube-Bloss, Brian H. Smith, and Ramon Huerta, "Solving divergent-convergent synaptic architectures to accelerate stable recognition in multilayered sensory systems," *In submission*, 2016.
2. Thiago Mosqueiro, Chelsea Cook, Ramon Huerta, Jurgen Gadau, Brian Smith, and Noa Pinter-Wollman, "Behavioral persistence and task participation synergistically influence collective foraging by honey bee colonies," *In submission*, 2016.
3. Ramon Huerta, Thiago Mosqueiro, Jordi Fonollosab, Nikolai F Rulkova, and Irene Rodriguez-Lujan, "Online decorrelation of humidity and temperature in chemical sensors for continuous monitoring," *Chemometrics and Intelligent Laboratory Systems*, vol. 157, pp. 169–176, 2016. doi: [10.1016/j.chemolab.2016.07.004](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chemolab.2016.07.004).
4. Rafael F. Guariento, Thiago Mosqueiro, Paulo Matias, Vinicius B. Cesarino, Lirio O. B. Almeida, Jan F. W. Slaets, Leonardo P. Maia, and Reynaldo D. Pinto, "Automated pulse discrimination of two freely-swimming weakly electric fish and analysis of their electrical behavior during a dominance contest," *Submitted.*, 2016.
5. Jose Maria Amigo, Thiago S. Mosqueiro, and Ramon Huerta, "Predicting Synchronization of Three Mutually Inhibiting Groups of Oscillators with Strong Resetting," *Journal of Applied Mathematics and Information Science*, vol. 9, no. 5, pp. 2245–2256, 2015. doi: [10.12785/amis/090505](https://doi.org/10.12785/amis/090505).
6. Jacob ZBeal, Traci Haddock-Angelli, Markus Gershater, Kim de Mora, Meagan Lizarazo, Jim Hollenhorst, Randy Rettberg, and iGEM Collaboration, "Reproducibility of Fluorescent Expression from Engineered Biological Constructs in E. coli," *PLOS ONE*, vol. 11, no. 3, e0150182, 2016. doi: [10.1371/journal.pone.0150182](https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0150182).
7. Thiago Mosqueiro, Luis de Lecea, and Ramon Huerta, "Control of sleep-to-wake transitions via fast amino acid and slow neuropeptide transmission," *New Journal of Physics*, vol. 16, no. 11, p. 115 010, 2014. doi: [10.1088/1367-2630/16/11/115010](https://doi.org/10.1088/1367-2630/16/11/115010).
8. Thiago S Mosqueiro and Ramón Huerta, "Computational models to understand decision making and pattern recognition in the insect brain," *Current Opinion in Insect Science*, vol. 6, no. i, pp. 80–85, 2014. doi: [10.1016/j.cois.2014.10.005](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cois.2014.10.005).
9. Thiago S. Mosqueiro and Leonardo P. Maia, "Optimal channel efficiency in a sensory network," *Physical Review E*, vol. 88, no. 1, p. 12 712, 2013. doi: [10.1103/PhysRevE.88.012712](https://doi.org/10.1103/PhysRevE.88.012712).

### Conference papers & Talks (peer reviewed)

1. Thiago Mosqueiro, Martin Strube-Bloss, Rafael Tuma, Reynaldo Pinto, Brian H. Smith, and Ramon Huerta, "Non-parametric change point detection for spike trains," in *2016 Annual Conference on Information Science and Systems (CISS)*, IEEE, 2016, pp. 545–550, isbn: 978-1-4673-9457-4. doi: [10.1109/CISS.2016.7460561](https://doi.org/10.1109/CISS.2016.7460561).
2. Jaqueline J Brito, Thiago Mosqueiro, Ricardo R Ciferri, and Cristina DA Ciferri, "Faster cloud Star Joins with reduced disk spill and network communication," in *2016 International Conference on Computational Science (ICCS)*, Procedia of Computational Science, 2016. doi: [10.1016/j.procs.2016.05.299](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.procs.2016.05.299).
3. Rafael T Guariento, Thiago S Mosqueiro, Angel A Caputi, and Reynaldo D Pinto, "A simple model for eletrocommunication: "refractoriness avoidance response"?," Suppl 1, vol. 15, 2014, P68. doi: [10.1186/1471-2202-15-S1-P68](https://doi.org/10.1186/1471-2202-15-S1-P68).
4. Leonardo P Maia and Thiago S Mosqueiro, "Structural features beneath neuronal avalanches," Suppl 1, vol. 14, 2013, O18. doi: [10.1186/1471-2202-14-S1-O18](https://doi.org/10.1186/1471-2202-14-S1-O18).
5. T S Mosqueiro, C Akimushkin, and L P Maia, "Dynamical aspects of Kinouchi-Copelli model: emergence of avalanches at criticality," in *DINCON*, vol. 1, Águas de Lindoia, 2011, pp. 251–254. doi: [10.5540/DINCON.2011.001.1.0064](https://doi.org/10.5540/DINCON.2011.001.1.0064).

## Invited talks

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2016	UAM, Madrid (Spain)	Stable discrimination in accentuated divergent-convergent neural networks using data from electronic noses
2016	HALO, Austin (USA)	Fast and stable discrimination in divergent-convergent neural networks: from Deep Learning back to Neuroscience
2016	SfN, San Diego (USA)	Fast and stable discrimination in accentuated divergent-convergent synaptic connectivities
2016	CISS, Princeton (USA)	Non-parametric change point detection for spike trains
2015	UFABC (Brazil)	Learning in insects: fan-in/fan-out structures
2015	ICMC - USP (Brazil)	On critical phenomena and power laws
2012	IFSC - USP (Brazil)	L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X for thesis and dissertations

## Other professional activities

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2016	Ad hoc reviewer for <b>National Science Foundation</b>
2016 – present	Reviewer for <b>Neural Computation</b>
2016	Reviewer for <b>NIPS</b> conference papers
2016 – present	Reviewer for <b>Journal of the Royal Society Interface</b>
2015 – present	Reviewer for <b>PLOS Computational Biology</b>
2015	Participant of Brasil-USP iGEM team (gold badge)
2013, 2015	Judge during the <b>IYPT</b> (finals in Brazil)
2009 – 2015	Developed open L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X thesis class for IFSC
2012	Developed JAQue (Joomla Academic Queries, closed source)

## Teaching experience

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2016 (Fall)	Lecturer for MGTF 415 Collecting & Analyzing Financial Data, Rady School, UCSD
2015 (Fall)	Invited lecture in Collecting & Analyzing Financial Data – Dr. Ramon Huerta, Rady School, UCSD
2014	Volunteer in Mozilla Software Carpentry bootcamp – Dr. Andrea Zonca, UCSD
2015 (Winter)	Helped teaching Collecting & Analyzing Financial Data – Dr. Ramon Huerta, Rady School, UCSD
2010 – 2013	TA for Statistical Mechanics – with Dr. Francisco Alcaraz, IFSC, USP
2012	TA for Physics 102 – with Drs. PL Maia, JA Hoyos & L Nunes, IFSC, USP
2013	TA for Computational Physics – Dr. Francisco Alcaraz, IFSC, USP

## Abstracts in conferences

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1. Thiago Mosqueiro, Martin Strube-Bloss, Brian Smith, and Ramon Huerta, *Fast and stable discrimination in accentuated divergent-convergent synaptic connectivities*, in *Society for Neuroscience Annual Meeting (San Diego, CA, USA)*, 2016.
2. Thiago Mosqueiro, Martin Strube-Bloss, Brian Smith, and Ramon Huerta, *Divergent-convergent synaptic connectivities accelerate coding in multilayered sensory systems*, in *25th Annual Computational Neuroscience Meeting – CNS 2016 (Jeju, South Korea)*, 2016.

3. Thiago Mosqueiro, Martin Strube-Bloss, Rafael Tuma, Reynaldo Pinto, Brian H. Smith, and Ramon Huerta, *Non-parametric change point detection for spike trains*, in *2016 Workshop on Information Theory and Applications, San Diego (ITA)*, 2016.
4. Thiago Mosqueiro, Luis de Lecea, and Ramon Huerta, *Employing different time scales in the control of sleep-to-wake transitions*, in *2016 MURI Winter School, San Diego (UCSD)*, 2016.
5. Thiago Mosqueiro and Leonardo Paulo Maia, *Information dynamics in the kinouchi-copeli model*, in *School on Biological Complex Networks (Natal, Brazil)*, 2013.
6. Thiago Mosqueiro and Leonardo Paulo Maia, *Optimal channel efficiency in a sensory network*, in *Criticality in Neural Systems Symposium, Bethesda (NIH, US)*, 2012.
7. Thiago Mosqueiro and Leonardo Paulo Maia, *Information flow in a network of excitable units*, in *Granada Seminar (Granada, Spain)*, 2012.
8. Thiago Mosqueiro and Leonardo Paulo Maia, *Information dynamics in the kinouchi-copeli model*, in *Experimental Chaos and Complexity Conference (Michigan, US)*, 2012.