Vishwali Mhasawade

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Causal Inference, Algorithmic Fairness, Multi-Environment Learning, Distribution Shift

EDUCATION

New York University, New York, USA

09/2019 - Present

Ph.D. in Computer Science. Advisor: Rumi Chunara

New York University, New York, USA

09/2017 - 05/2019

Master of Science in Computer Science. Advisor: Rumi Chunara

CGPA: 3.785/4

Pune University, Pune, India

06/2013 - 06/2017

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering

CGPA: 3.695/4

PUBLICATIONS

1. Vishwali Mhasawade, Praveen Chandar, Ghazal Fazelnia, Benjamin Carterette.

Understanding User Podcast Consumption Using Sequential Treatment Effect Estimation

Workshop on Causal Inference Challenges in Sequential Decision Making: Bridging Theory and Practice at NeurIPS, 2021.

2. Harvineet Singh, Vishwali Mhasawade, Rumi Chunara.

Challenges in Assessing Generalizability of Mortality Risk ScoringModels: A Retrospective Analysis on a Multicenter Database

Under Review

3. Vishwali Mhasawade, Yuan Zhao, Rumi Chunara

Machine learning and algorithmic fairness in public and population health *Nature Machine Intelligence*, 2021 [Link]

4. Vishwali Mhasawade, Rumi Chunara.

Causal Multi-level Fairness.

AAAI/ACM Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Ethics, and Society (AIES), 2021. [Link]

5. Harvineet Singh, Rina Singh, Vishwali Mhasawade, Rumi Chunara.

Fairness Violations and Mitigation under Distribution Shift.

 $ACM\ FAccT\ conference,\ 2021.$

Fair ML for Health workshop at NeurIPS, 2019. Spotlight presentation. [Link]

6. Vishwali Mhasawade, Rumi Chunara.

Multi-Environment Functional Causal Models using Gaussian Processes.

Workshop on Causal Inference for Decision Making, ICLR, 2020.

7. Vishwali Mhasawade, Nabeel Abdur Rehman, Rumi Chunara.

Population-aware Hierarchical Bayesian Domain Adaptation via Multi-component Invariant Learning.

ACM Conference on Health, Inference and Learning, 2020.

Machine Learning for Health (ML4H) Workshop at NeurIPS, 2018. [Link]

8. Vishwali Mhasawade, Anas Elghafari, Dustin Duncan, Rumi Chunara.

Role of the Online and Built Social Environments in the expression of dining on Instagram.

International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, 2020. [Link]

9. Gregory W. Johnsen, Ling Lin, Lucia Yu, Andrew Dempsey, Vishwali Mhasawade, Daniel Jaroslawicz, Iddo Drori.

Explainable Musical Phrase Completion.

Joint Workshop on Machine Learning for Music at ICML, 2018. [Link]

10. Vishwali Mhasawade, Ildikó Emese Szabó, Melanie Tosik, Sheng-Fu Wang.

Neural Networks and Quantifier Conservativity: Does Data Distribution affect learnability?

arXiv preprint arXiv:1809.05733, 2018. [Link]

AWARDS

Google PhD Fellowship 2021 AIES funding 2021 Grad Cohort for Women workshop organized by Computing Research Association, funded by NSF 2021 WiML funding, NeurIPS 2020, 2021 School of Engineering Fellowship New York University, 2019-2020 Graduate Scholarship New York University, 2017-2019

WORK EXPERIENCE

Spotify New York, USA Research Scientist Intern, (PI: Dr. Praveen Chandar and Dr. Ghazal Fazelnia) 06/2021 - 09/2021 FairFrame Inc. New York, USA Co-Founder and Machine Learning Head 02/2018 - 11/2018 Winner of NYU \$300K Entrepreneurs Challenge, 2018. In2things Automation Pvt. Ltd. Pune, India

Software Development Intern 12/2016 - 02/2017

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

Internship Mentor: ARISE Program, New York University Summer 2019, 2020

Mentored high school students in a STEM research exposure program.

Teaching Assistant: Deep Learning (CS-GY 9223), New York University Fall 2018

Instructor: Iddo Drori

Lab instructor: Pre-capstone Innovation Experience Course (EG-UY 1001) Fall 2021

New York University

TALKS

Panelist: Data Science Interdisciplinary Research Cluster, University of Toronto

Prediction, Machine Learning and Causal Inference: What does it mean for Population Health and Data Science?, 2021

Tutorial at ACM Conference on Health Inference and Learning.

Machine Learning in Population and Public Health.

arXiv preprint arXiv:2008.07278 (2020). [Link]

SERVICE

Organizing Committee

Association for Women in Mathematics, 2021.

Reviewer

ICLR, 2022

NeurIPS 2020,2021

ICML, 2021

ACM Conference on Health, Inference and Learning, 2020, 2021.

Machine Learning for Healthcare, 2021.

Machine Learning in Real Life (ML-IRL) Workshop at ICLR, 2020.

Machine Learning for Health (ML4H) workshop at NeurIPS, 2019, 2020, 2021.

Machine Learning in Public Health (MLPH) workshop at NeurIPS, 2020,2021.

AI for Public Health workshop at ICLR, 2021.

Facilitator

Women in Machine Learning, ICML, 2021.

Student Volunteer

AIES, 2021.

WiML, NeurIPS, 2021.

Mentoring

Career Mentor, Machine Learning for Health, 2021.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: (Proficient) Python; (Familiar) R, C++, Matlab, Javascript.

Applications and Tools: LaTex, git, MS Office, Bash Scripting.