Statistical Mechanics of the Climate **System and of Ecosystems**

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Programme

Tuesday July 1st

8.00-9.00 Registration - Lecture Theatre 2

Lecture Theatre 2

9.00-9.45 Susanne Ditlevsen: Estimating tipping points in climate and ecosystems

9.45-10.30 Jeffrey Weiss: Nonequilibrium Statistical Mechanics of Climate Oscillations

Room 0.03 10.30-11.00 Coffee break 11.00-12.20 Parallel Sessions

Lecture Theatre 2 Session a) (20 mins presentations)

- <u>Bert Wuyts</u>: Stability and bifurcation analysis for individual-based ecological models
- <u>Davide Bernardi</u>: A novel metric for species vulnerability and coexistence in spatially-extended ecosystems
- <u>Samuel Johnson</u>: Feedback, stability and trophic coherence in complex systems
- <u>Perrin Davidson</u>: Pathways Toward the Onset of Climate-Carbon Cycle Disruptions

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Session b) (20 mins presentations)

- <u>Chris Chapman</u>: The typicality and spatio-temporal structure of extreme climate regimes revealed through Archetype Analysis
- Ofer Shamir (remote): Earth's Infrared Background
- <u>Larissa Serdukova</u>: Influence of extreme events modeled by Lévy flight on Atlantic meridional overturning circulation stability
- <u>Erik Chavez</u>: The role of vegetation ecosystem quality in a bistable climate system

Lecture Theatre 2

14.00-14.45 <u>Andrea Toreti</u>: Climate Multi-Risks across Different Scales 14.45-15.30 <u>Alan Hastings</u>: Synchrony of spatial population dynamics using ideas from statistical physics

Room 0.03 15.30-16.00 Coffee break

16:00-17.00
Parallel Sessions (20 mins presentations)
Lecture Theatre 2

Session a) (20 mins presentations)

- <u>Ulrike Feudel</u>: Critical transitions in complex systems: The role of multiple time scales and unstable states
- <u>Andrey Morozov</u>: Rate-induced tipping in ecological systems: unifying theory and empirical evidence
- <u>Michael Bonsall</u>: Differential games, optimal control and climate change

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Session b) (20 mins presentations)

- <u>Eric Hall</u>: When simulations forget: An information-theoretic burn-in criterion for physical systems with memory
- <u>Francisco de Melo Virissimo</u>: From Chaos to Clarity: Exploring Uncertainty in the Design and Interpretation of Climate Ensembles
- Ruslan Davidchack: Minimal cover of high-dimensional chaotic attractors by embedded recurrent patterns

Special Session: Academic Publishers

Lecture Theatre 2

17.00-17.25 Kyle Welch: Climate and Earth Science in the Physical Review

17.25-17.45 <u>Zoe Budrikis</u>: Climate and ecosystems at Nature Reviews Physics

19.00 - Social Dinner

Wednesday July 2nd

Lecture Theatre 1

9.00-9.45 <u>Silvia De Monte</u>: Fluctuations in complex ecological comunities 9.45-10.30 <u>Sandro Azaele</u>: Statistical Mechanics of Ecological Systems

Room 0.03 10.30-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-12.40 Parallel Session

Lecture Theatre 1

Session a) (20 mins presentations)

- Srikanth Toppaladoddi: Sea ice motion as a problem in kinetic theory
- <u>Manuel Santos Gutierrez</u>: Dynamical regimes of droplet activation in warm clouds
- <u>John Moroney</u>: Data-driven construction of linear response operators using a Koopman formalism
- Wyatt Petryshen: Application of Haar Fluctuation Analysis to Infer Drivers in Ecological Time Series
- Ankan Banerjee: Early warning and prediction to critical transitions in a non-autonomous turbulent reactive flow system

Room 0.03

Session b) (20 mins presentations)

- <u>Ahash Deshmukh</u>: Downscaled Climate Data to Represent Climate Extremes in Europe
- <u>Abdelwaheb Ben Ahmed Hannachi</u>: Weather & climate extremes: simplex, dynamical systems and hull clustering
- <u>Samuel Ogunjo</u>: Feedback, stability and trophic coherence in complex systems
- <u>Viacheslav Kruglov</u>: Numerical Study of Connectivity and Lagrangian Particle Transport in the Pacific Ocean

• <u>Massimo Cavallaro</u>: Spatio-temporal surveillance and early warning signals in infectious disease epidemiology

Lecture Theatre 1

14.00-14.45 <u>Johannes Lohmann</u>: Multistability of the Ocean Circulation 14.45-15.30 <u>Jonathan Daemayer</u>: Atmospheric regimes: definition, transitions and predictability

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Lecture Theatre 1

16:00-16.45 <u>Matthew Colbrook</u>: When Can We Trust Data-Driven Learning of Dynamics?

16.45-17.30 <u>Nisha Chandramoorthy</u> (<u>remote</u>): Physical Generative Modeling of Chaotic Systems

18:00 Wine and Cheese reception

Thursday July 3rd

Lecture Theatre 2

9.00-9.45 <u>Juergen Kurths</u>: Climate Meets Complex Systems Science and Statistical Physics: Exploring Teleconnections and Extreme Events in the Climate System

9.45-10.30 <u>Ludovico Giorgini</u>: Response Theory via Score Modeling

Room 0.03 10.30-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-12.40
Parallel Sessions
Lecture Theatre 2
Session a) (20 mins presentations)

- <u>Amaury Lancelin</u>: Coupling Al Emulators and Rare Event Algorithms to Sample Extreme Weather Events
- Catherine Drysdale: DMD for Predicting First Episode Psychosis
- Reyk Börner: Boundary crisis and long transients of the Atlantic overturning circulation mediated by an edge state
- <u>Francesco Ragone</u>: Simulation of extreme events in numerical models with rare event algorithms
- <u>Mickael Chekroun (remote)</u>: Equations Discovery of Organized Cloud Fields: Stochastic Generator and Dynamical Insights

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Session b) (20 mins presentations)

- <u>Sergei Petrovskii</u>: Interplay between climate forcing and evolutionary rescue may explain mass extinctions in the Earth history
- <u>Daniel Bearup</u>: Outcomes of long-range cyclic competition are determined by interaction mechanism
- <u>Yu Meng:</u> Dynamical impact of dispersal on biodiversity patterns for three species food web model
- <u>Bukem Belen</u>: Analysis of Present and Future Variability in the Physical Processes of the Black Sea (1950–2100)

• <u>Euijoon Kwon</u>: Universal Bounds on Fluctuation and Response in Stochastic Systems

Lecture Theatre 2

14.00-14.30 <u>Liubov Tupikina (remote)</u>: On some challenges of embedding theory: from topology to the meaning and back 14.30-15.00 Concluding remarks

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