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Education

University of Kentucky

M.S., 3.70

Major: Computer Science

Advisors: Dr. Nathan Jacobs & Dr. Sally R. Ellingson

Lexington, KY

August 2016 – May 2018

University of Kentucky

B.S., 3.09

Major: Computer Science & Mathematical Economics

Lexington, KY

August 2011 – May 2016

Experience

ChemBio Data Scientist

Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

Livermore, CA

September 2018 - Present

Data Science Summer Institute

Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

Livermore, CA

June 2018 - September 2018

Intern

Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

Berkeley, CA

June 2017 - August 2017

Research Assistant

Markey Cancer Center

Lexington, KY

January 2017 - May 2018

Teaching Assistant

Department of Computer Science, University of Kentucky

Lexington, KY

August 2016 - May 2017

Technical Experience

Proficient:

- Python, C/C++
- PyTorch, Keras, Sci-kit learn, Pandas, Numpy, HDF5, PyCharm

Experienced:

- Matlab, R
- Tensorflow, Multiprocessing, Git

Publications

Conference Papers

Derek Jones, Jeevith Bopaiah, Fatemah Alghamedy, Nathan Jacobs, Heidi L Weiss, W A de Jong, and Sally R Ellingson. Polypharmacology within the full

kinome: a machine learning approach. In *AMIA 2018 Informatics Summit*, 2018.

Fatemah Alghamedy, Jeevith Bopaiah, Derek Jones, Xiaofei Zhang, Heidi L Weiss, and Sally R Ellingson. Incorporating protein dynamics through ensemble docking in machine learning models to predict drug binding. In *AMIA 2018 Informatics Summit*, 2018.

Poster Sessions

Derek Jones, Nathan Jacobs, and Sally Ellingson. Learning deep feature representations for kinase polypharmacology. In *ACM Richard Tapia Celebration of Diversity in Computing*, 2018.

Derek Jones, Sally R Ellingson, and W A de Jong. How low can you go? feature selection for drug discovery. In *Commonwealth Computational Summit*, 2017.

Theses

Derek Jones. Scalable feature selection and extraction with applications in kinase polypharmacology. Master's thesis, University of Kentucky, 2018.

Grants and Awards

- 2018 UK CS Departmental travel grant
- 2017 Supercomputing (SC) 2017 Student Volunteer Travel Award
- 2017 CRA Computing Sciences Research Pathways Fellowship (LBNL)
- 2017 Lyman T. Johnson Diversity Fellowship
- 2017 AAAI 2017 Scholarship
- 2017 AAAI 2017 Diversity Workshop travel award
- 2017 UK CS Departmental travel grant

Volunteering Experience

- 2017 Supercomputing (SC) 2017 Student Volunteer
- 2017 AAAI 2017 Student Volunteer

Organizations

- 2016-present Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)