

Donald Bertucci

I am a junior at [Oregon State University](#) studying Computer Science.

Lately, I've been **creating visualizations** for humans **to better understand** and **debug machine learning models**.

I am fascinated in information and its complexity: how order arises, and it's dance with chaos.

 [PDF](#)  [Personal Website](#)  [Github](#)

Education

2020 – PRESENT

B.S. Computer Science

Oregon State University

Applied Option: [Artificial Intelligence](#)

Experience

SUMMER 2022

Carnegie Mellon University

Research Intern, [HCII Summer Undergraduate Research Program](#)

Researched interactive discovery of blindspots in machine learning models [P1]. Primarily advised by [Ángel Alexander Cabrera](#) and [Adam Perer](#). Also advised by [Nari Johnson](#) and [Gregory Plumb](#) on the machine learning side. Hosted by [CMU Data Interaction Group \(DIG\)](#). The overall summer program was led by [Laura Dabbish](#).

AUG. 2021 – AUG. 2022

Oregon State University

Research Assistant, [Data Interaction and Visualization \(DIV\) Lab](#)

Designed and implemented interactive systems to understand machine learning models and data [C1, C2]. Worked under and advised by [Minsuk Kahng](#).

SUMMER 2021

Oregon State University

EECS REU Summer Cohort

Practiced communicating research to computer science faculty and students. Presented [W2] weekly and improved communication skills with feedback. Program led by [Alan Fern](#).

FEB. 2021 – MAY 2021

Oregon State University

Research Intern, [URSA Engage Research Program](#)

Implemented interactive visualization to explain difficult concepts in machine learning [W2]. Hosted by the [DIV Lab](#) and advised by [Minsuk Kahng](#).

Publications

Conference

C2

DendroMap: Visual Exploration of Large-Scale Image Datasets for Machine Learning with Treemaps

[Donald Bertucci](#), Md Montaser Hamid, Yashwanthi Anand, Anita Ruangrotsakun, Delyar Tabatabai, Melissa Perez, Minsuk Kahng

IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics (IEEE VIS 2022). Oklahoma City, OK

[↻ Demo](#) [📄 PDF](#)

C1 **Beyond Value: CHECKLIST for Testing Inferences in Planning-Based RL**

[Kin-Ho Lam](#), [Delyar Tabatabai](#), [Jed Irvine](#), [Donald Bertucci](#), [Anita Ruangrotsakun](#), [Minsuk Kahng](#), [Alan Fern](#)

32nd International Conference on Automated Planning and Scheduling (ICAPS 2022).

[▶ Video](#) [📄 PDF](#)

Workshop

W2 **Backprop Explainer: Interactive Explanation of Backpropagation in Neural Network Training**

[Donald Bertucci](#), [Minsuk Kahng](#)

Workshop on Visualization for AI Explainability (VISxAI, IEEE VIS 2021).

[↻ Demo](#) [▶ Video](#)

W1 **An Interactive Introduction to Autoencoders**

[Donald Bertucci](#)

Workshop on Visualization for AI Explainability (VISxAI, IEEE VIS 2021).

[↻ Demo](#) [▶ Video](#)

Poster

P1 **Interactive Discovery of Blindspots in Machine Learning Models**

[Donald Bertucci](#), [Ángel Alexander Cabrera](#), [Nari Johnson](#), [Gregory Plumb](#), [Erica Fu](#), [Adam Perer](#)

Human-Computer Interaction Institute (HCII) Summer Research Showcase 2022.

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