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Professional Positions

April 1996–present: Professor, Department of Computer Science, University of California, Irvine

- Chancellor’s Professor: 2018 to present
- Full Professor: July 2003 to 2018
- Associate Professor: July 1998 to June 2003
- Assistant Professor: April 1996 to June 1998

October 1988–March 1996: Member of Technical Staff and Technical Group Leader (from 1992), Jet Propulsion Laboratory, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena.

Education

PhD, 1988: California Institute of Technology, Department of Electrical Engineering.

MSEE, 1985: California Institute of Technology, Department of Electrical Engineering.

BE, 1984: National University of Ireland, University College Galway. Bachelor of Engineering (Electronic) with First-Class Honors.

Additional Professional Roles and Affiliations

Joint Faculty Appointments:

- Department of Statistics, UC Irvine, July 2008–present.
- Department of Education, UC Irvine, July 2017–present.

Founding Director, UCI Data Science Initiative, University of California, Irvine, July 2014–June 2018.

Founding Director, Center for Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems, University of California, Irvine, January 2007–June 2014.

Faculty Member, Institute for Genomics and Bioinformatics (IGB), UC Irvine, Member 2001–present.

Faculty Member, Institute for Mathematical Behavioral Sciences (IMBS), UC Irvine, 1999–present.

Faculty Member, Center for Digital Transformation, UC Irvine, 2012–present.

Faculty Member, Program for Mathematical, Computational, and Systems Biology (MCB), UC Irvine, 2007–present.

Faculty Member, Center for Research on Information Technology and Organizations (CRITO), UC Irvine, 2008–2012.

Founding Director and Executive Committee Member of the ACM Special Interest Group on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (SIGKDD), 1998.

Visiting Principal Researcher, Jet Propulsion Laboratory, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, 1996–2001.

Member of IEEE (1988–present), American Statistical Association (1997–present), and the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) (1999–present).

Honors and Awards

Fellow, Association for Computing Machinery (ACM), 2013

Fellow, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2010

ACM SIGKDD Innovation Award, 2009

Best paper awards: ACM SIGKDD Conference (best paper(1997, 2002), runner-up best paper (1998, 2000)), ACM/IEEE Joint Conference on Digital Libraries (JCDL) (shortlist for best paper, 2007), Educational Data Mining Conference (best paper, 2018)

Qualcomm Faculty Award, 2019

Google Faculty Research Awards, 2008 and 2014

IBM Faculty Partnership Award, 2001.

National Science Foundation CAREER award, 1997

ACM Teaching Award, UC Irvine, 1997

NASA Group Achievement award, Jet Propulsion Laboratory, 1997

Lew Allen Award for Excellence in Research, Jet Propulsion Laboratory, 1993

17 NASA Certificates for Technical Innovation (1991–1996)

Consulting and Business Activities

Consultant/Advisor to Toshiba (2018-present), First American (2018-present); ProLung, Inc (2017-present); Unified Patents (2016-present); University of Washington (2016-present); emnos Inc (2015-2016); Frost Data Capital (2014-2015); AS&T Inc (2013-2015); Samsung (2012-2015); SOCCCD (2012-present); DigitalRisk (2010-2012); CoreLogic (2011-2014); IdentityMetrics (2010-2012); Microsoft (2010-2011); ImageCat (2010); eBay (2009-2011); DataAnalytics LLC (2009-2011); Oracle (2008-2011); Netflix (2006-2009); Topicseek LLC (2005-2008); Yahoo! (2005-2008); Strativa (2005); IET (2004-2005); JWDirect (2001-2004); Credit Sciences (2000-2004); Nokia Research (2000); First Quadrant Financial Services (1998-1999); Smith-Kline Beecham (1998); AT&T (1996-1998).

Professional Activities

Journals: Associate/Action Editor

ACM Transactions on Knowledge Discovery and Data, guest editor of special issue on best papers from *ACM SIGKDD 2011 Conference*, TKDD 6(4), 2012.

Journal of the American Statistical Association, 2002 to 2005.

IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering, 2002 to 2004.

Machine Learning Journal, July 1998 to December 2001.

Machine Learning Journal, guest editor of special issue on probabilistic learning, 1997.

Journals, Book Series, Centers: Editorial Board/Advisory Board Member

Journal of Machine Learning Research, 2000-present.

Journal of Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery, 1997-present.

Chapman and Hall: Series in Computer Science and Data Analysis, 2002-2008.

Bayesian Analysis, 2004-2007.

Insight Center for Data Analytics, University College Dublin, Scientific Advisory Member, 2015-present.

Journals: Reviewer

Reviewer for *Science*, *Journal of Machine Learning Research*, *Communications of the ACM*, *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, *Bayesian Analysis*, *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, *IEEE Trans. on Neural Networks*, *IEEE Trans. on Signal Processing*, *IEEE Trans. on Circuits and Systems*, *IEEE Trans. on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence*, *IEEE Trans. on Knowledge and Data Engineering*, *Statistics and Computing*, *Journal of Artificial Intelligence Research*, *Pattern Recognition Letters*, *Neural Networks*, *Machine Learning*, *ACM Transactions on Knowledge Discovery from Data*.

Conference Program and General Chair Positions

Program Chair for the Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence (UAI) Conference, 2013.

Program Chair for 17th ACM SIGKDD Conference, San Diego, 2011.

Program Chair for the Symposium on the Interface between Statistics and Computing, Costa Mesa, CA, June 2001.

General Chair for the Sixth International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics, January 1997.

Other Conference and Workshop Organization Roles

Conference Organization Roles: Area Chair, ICML 2018, 2019; Senior Area Chair, NeurIPS 2017, 2018, 2019; Panels Chair for ACM SIGKDD Fifth International Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining, 1999; Tutorials co-Chair for National Conference on Artificial Intelligence, 1998; Tutorials Chair for the ACM SIGKDD Conferences on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining, 1997 and 1998; Publicity Chair for the ACM SIGKDD Conferences on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining, 1995 and 1996.

Workshop Co-Chair/Organizer for: Dagstuhl Seminar, Automating Data Science, 2018; Workshop on Algorithmic and Statistical Approaches for Large Social Network Data Sets, NIPS Conference, Lake Tahoe, 2012; Workshop on User-Centered Modeling, Institute for Mathematics and its Applications (IMA), University of Minnesota, 2012.; Workshop on Scientific Data Mining, Institute for Pure and Applied Mathematics (IPAM), UCLA, 2002; Workshop on Temporal and Spatial Machine Learning, International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), 2001; Massive Datasets workshop at the 1998 Neural Information Processing Conference (NIPS).

Conference Reviewing and Program Committees

Neural Information Processing Conference (NIPS), International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence Conference (UAI), Artificial Intelligence and Statistics Conference (AI-Stats), European Conference on Machine Learning (ECML/PKDD), ACM Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (SIGKDD), WWW Conference, International Conference on Pattern Recognition (ICPR), International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI), American Association for Artificial Intelligence Conference (AAAI), Pattern Recognition in Practice Workshops.

Postdoctoral Advisees

Michal Rosen-Zvi, 2003-2004; IBM Research, Israel.

Michael Duff, 2005-2006; Assistant Professor, Genetics/Developmental Biology, University of Connecticut.

Alex Ihler, 2005-2006; Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science, UC Irvine.

Romain Thibaux, 2008-2009; Google, Mountain View, CA

Ralf Krestel, 2011-2013; Senior Researcher, Hasso-Plattner Institute, Potsdam, Germany.

Tracy Holsclaw, 2011-2014; Consultant, San Jose, CA

Graduate Students

PhD Advisees and Current Positions

Dimitris Kotzias, PhD 2018; Google, Zurich

Eric Nalisnick, PhD 2018; Postdoc, Cambridge University

Moshe Lichman, PhD 2017; Google, Irvine, CA

Nick Navaroli, PhD 2014; Google, Irvine, CA

Jimmy Foulds, PhD 2014: Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, UMBC

Chris DuBois, PhD 2013: Apple, Seattle

America Chambers, PhD 2013: Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, University of Puget Sound

Drew Frank (co-advised with Alex Ihler), PhD 2013: Apple, Seattle

Arthur Asuncion, PhD 2011: Google, Seattle, WA

Jon Hutchins (co-advised with Alex Ihler), PhD 2010: Google, Pittsburgh, PA

Chaitanya Chemudugunta, PhD 2009: Director, Data Science/Research, Pandora, CA

Seyoung Kim, PhD 2007: Assistant Professor, Department of Bioinformatics, CMU, Pittsburgh

Darya Chudova, PhD 2007: VP of Bioinformatics, Guardant Health, Redwood City, CA

Sergey Kirshner, PhD 2005: Facebook, Menlo Park, CA

Scott Gaffney, PhD 2004

Xianping Ge, PhD 2002

Igor V. Cadez, PhD 2002

Dimitry Pavlov, PhD 2001: VP, Walmart Labs, Sunnyvale, CA

Current PhD Students

Advanced to Candidacy: Chris Galbraith (2017), Jihyun Park (2017), Disi Ji (2019), Robby Logan (2019, jointly advised with Sameer Singh)

Pre-Candidacy: Casey Graff, Preston Putzel, Alex Boyd

PhD Thesis Committee Member

UC Irvine, Computer Science:

Bailey Kong (2018), Phuc Nguyen (2018), Sam Hallman (2015), David Keator (2015), Qiang Liu (2014), Anoop Korattikara (2014), Levi Boyles (2014), Yutian Chen (2013), Lars Otten (2013), Chaitanya Desai (2012), Hamed Pirsiavash (2012), Behzad Sajadi (2012), David Orendorff (2012), Pinaki Sinha (2011), Chloe Azencott (2010), Vibhav Gogate (2009), Radu Marinescu (2008), Robert Mateescu (2007), Bozhena Bidyuk (2005), Stephen Bay (2001), Irina Rish (1999), Chris Merz (1998), Pedro Domingos (1997).

UC Irvine, Other Departments:

Garren Gaut (Cognitive Science, 2018), Majid Janzamin (EECS, 2016), Sepide Sarachi (Civil and Environmental Engineering, 2015), Justin Chung (Informatics, 2015), Colene Haffke (Earth Systems Science, 2015), Kevin Heins (Statistics, 2014), Michael Salmans (Biological Chemistry, 2014), (Emma

Spiro (Sociology, 2013), Zack Almquist (Sociology, 2013), Kim Aeling (Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, 2007), Bethany Knapp (Cognitive Science, 2002).

Other Universities (External Committee Member or Examiner):

Ramnath Balasubramanyan (CMU, 2013), Mindaugus Norkus (National University of Ireland, Galway, 2013), Xuerei Wang (U Mass Amherst, 2009), Sangmin Oh (Georgia Tech, 2009), Carla Domencioni (UC Riverside, 2002), John Lindal (Caltech, 2000), Srinivas Aji (Caltech, 2000), David Babcock (Caltech, 2000), Gavin Horn (Caltech, 1999), Lonnie Chrisman (CMU, 1996), Michael Burl (Caltech, 1996), Barry Ambrose (Caltech, 1995), Zheng Zeng (Caltech, 1995).

PhD Candidacy/Thesis Proposal Committees

UC Irvine: Noble Kennamer, 2019 (CS), Gabriel Hope, 2019 (CS), Pouya Pezeshkpour, 2018 (EECS), Zhengli Zhao, 2018 (CS), Cory Scott, 2018 (CS), Ted Grover, 2018 (Informatics), Daniel Ruiz, 2018 (Earth System Science), Garren Gaut, 2017 (Cognitive Sciences), Alex Parret, 2017 (Economics), Phuc Nguyen, 2016 (CS), Nolan Phillips, 2016 (Sociology), Brian Vegatible, 2016 (Statistics), Igor Burago, 2016 (CS), Emmanouil Alimpertis, 2016 (EECS), Daniel Quang, 2015 (CS), Bailey Kong, 2015 (CS), Sholeh Fourazan, 2015 (CS), Coral Wheeler, 2014 (Physics), Raul Diaz, 2014 (CS), Golnaz Ghiasi, 2014 (CS), Wei Ping, 2014 (CS), Sam Hallman, 2013 (CS), Peter Sadowski, 2013 (CS), William Lam, 2013 (CS), Justin Chung, 2013 (Informatics), Kevin Heins, 2012 (Statistics), Zack Almquist, 2012 (Sociology), Ashley Payne, 2012 (Earth System Science), Ragupathyraj Valluvan, 2012 (EECS), Emma Spiro, 2012 (Sociology), Michael Salmans (Biological Chemistry), Colene Haffke, 2011 (Earth System Sciences), Tim Rubin, 2011 (Cognitive Sciences), Brendan Rogers, 2011 (Earth System Sciences), Hamed Pirsivash, 2011 (CS), Behzad Sajadi, 2011 (CS), Qiang Liu, 2011 (CS), Anoop Korattikara, 2011 (CS), David Keator, 2010 (CS), Kenny Daily, 2010 (CS), Yutian Chen, 2009 (CS), Lars Otten, 2009 (CS), David Orendorff, 2009 (CS), Chloe Azencott, 2009 (CS), Chaitanya Desai, 2008 (CS), Pinaki Sinha, 2007 (CS), Guy Yosiphon, 2006 (ICS), Bo Gong, 2006 (ICS), Lin Wu, 2005 (ICS), Yiming Ma, 2004 (ICS), Dawit Seid, 2004 (ICS), John Abatzoglu, 2004 (Earth System Sciences), Suman Sundares, 2003 (ICS), Mingliang Li, 2002 (Economics), Ye Sun, 2001 (ICS), Bethany Knapp, 2000 (Cognitive Science), Stephen Bay, 1999 (ICS), Daniel Billsus, 1998 (ICS), Pei Suen, 1998 (ECE), Chris Merz, 1997 (ICS).

Other Universities: Ramnath Balasubramanyan, 2012 (CMU), Srinivas Aji, 1999 (Caltech), Gavin Horn, 1998 (Caltech), John Lindal, 1998 (Caltech).

Masters Students Supervised

UC Irvine, Information and Computer Science: Homer Strong (2016), Zach Butler (2016), Scott Crawford (2012), Corey Schaninger (2012), Scott Triglia (2011), Ajay Mishra (2008), Scott White (2006), Joshua O Madadhain (2006), Vasanth Kumar (2006), Sridevi Parise (2003), Naval Verma (2002), Wagner Truppel (2001), Scott Lundgren (1997).

Royal Institute of Technology: Stefan Edlund (1997), Department of Numerical Analysis and Computing Science, Stockholm: Thesis entitled *Methods for Cluster Analysis with Applications to Large NASA Data Sets*.

University of Freiburg: Daniel Henke (2007), Department of Computer Science, MS Diplom Thesis.

Research Grants, Contracts and Gifts

71. *Machine Learning Democratization via a Linked, Annotated, Repository of Datasets*, National Science Foundation (CCRI: ENS), award number NSF-1925741, \$1,792,952, Oct 1 2019 to Sept 30 2022. Co-principal investigator (PI: Sameer Singh, Computer Science, UCI).
70. *Hybrid Human Algorithm Predictions: Balancing Effort, Accuracy, and Perceived Autonomy*, National Science Foundation (EAGER: AI-DCL), award number NSF-1927245, \$293,923, Aug 15 2019 to Aug 14 2021. Co-principal investigator (PI: Mark Steyvers, Cognitive Sciences, UCI).

69. *Assessment of Machine Learning Algorithms in the Wild*, National Science Foundation, award number NSF-1900644, \$1,199,898, Oct 1 2019 to Sept 30 2023, Principal Investigator.
68. *Qualcomm Faculty Award*, \$75,000 (gift), May 2019.
67. *Innovation Center for Advancing Ecosystem Climate Solutions*, California Strategic Growth Council, award number CCR20021, \$4,604,140, 4/01/2019 to 3/31/2022, co-investigator (PI: Mike Goulden, Earth Systems Sciences, UCI).
66. *Hands-free Documentation in Clinical Practice*, SAP, \$172,000 (gift/sponsored project), October 2018, co-Principal Investigator (with Kai Zheng, Department of Informatics, UCI).
65. *TRIPODS-X: Data Science Frontiers in Climate Science*, National Science Foundation, award number NSF-1839336, \$300,000, Oct 1 2018 to Sept 30 2021, co-PI (PI: Efi Foufoula-Georgiou, Civil and Environmental Engineering, UCI).
64. *Large-Scale Classification Algorithms*, eBay Labs, \$30,000 (gift), Dec 1 2017, Principal Investigator.
63. *Center for Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems*, Cylance, \$50,000 (gift), Dec 1 2017, Principal Investigator.
62. *Development of Computational Methods for Evaluating Patient-Doctor Communication*, PCORI, \$270,000 (UCI portion), award number ME-1602-34167, July 1 2017 to June 30th 2019, co-Investigator (PI: Zac Imel, U Utah).
61. *NRT-DESE: Team Science for Integrative Graduate Training in Data Science and Physical Science*, NSF, award number NSF-1633631, Sep 15 2016 to Aug 31 2021, \$2,967,150, Principal Investigator.
60. *Learning Individual Predictive Choice Models*, Adobe Research Award, \$50,000, October 2016, Principal Investigator.
59. *Transformative Computational Infrastructures for Cell-Based Biomarker Diagnostics*, NIH, award number U01TR001801-01, 09/01/16 08/31/21, \$766,000 (UCI portion), co-Investigator (PI: Richard Scheuermann, Venter Institute/UCSD).
58. *The Big DIPA: Data Image Processing and Analysis*, NIH BD2K Program, award number 1R25EB022366-01, \$486,000, Sept 30 2015 to June 30th 2018, co-Investigator (UCI PI: Charless Fowlkes).
57. *Investigating Virtual Learning Environments*, National Science Foundation, award number NSF-1535300, \$2,500,000, Oct 1 2015 to Sept 30th 2020, co-Investigator (UCI PI: Mark Warschauer).
56. *Forensic Science Center of Excellence*, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), award number 70NANB15H176, \$20,000,000 (\$4,000,000 for UC Irvine), Oct 1 2015 to Sept 30th 2020, co-Investigator (UCI PI: Hal Stern).
55. *Data-Intensive Research and Education Center in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (DIRECT-STEM)*, NASA MIRO program, award number NNX15AQ06A, \$5,000,000 (\$1,250,000 for UC Irvine), Sept 1 2015 to Aug 31st 2020, Principal Investigator.
54. *Analyzing Individual Event Data over Time*, Google Faculty Research Award, \$60,000, March 2014, Principal Investigator.
53. *Peer Assessment and Academic Achievement in a Gateway MOOC*, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, Oct 1 2013, \$25,000, Co-Investigator (PI: Mark Warschauer, UC Irvine).
52. *Statistical Learning Algorithms for Micro-Event Time Series Data*, National Science Foundation, award number IIS-1320527, Oct 1 2013 to Sept 30th 2018, \$499,880, Principal Investigator.

51. *Balancing the Portfolio: Efficiency and Productivity of Federal Biomedical R&D Funding*, National Science Foundation, award number 1158699, Aug 15 2012 to July 31 2015, \$297,331, Principal Investigator (original PI, David Newman).
50. *Location-based Social Media for Context-based Analysis of Transportation Data*, Xerox UAC Research Award, Jan 1st 2013 to Dec 31st 2015, \$90,000 gift, Principal Investigator.
49. *Collaborative Research, Type 1: Decadal Prediction and Stochastic Simulation of Hydroclimate over Monsoonal Asia*, US Department of Energy, award number DOE SC0006619, Sept 1st 2011 to August 31st 2014, \$180,000, Co-Investigator (PI: Andrew Robertson, Columbia University).
48. *Copernicus: System for Foresight and Understanding from Scientific Exposition*, IARPA, contract number D11PC20155, September 2011 to August 2016, \$1,097,420, Principal Investigator.
47. *Probabilistic Alignment and Distributed Analytics*, IARPA/AFRL FA8650-10-C-7060, Oct 1 2010 to Dec 31 2011, \$334,537, Principal Investigator.
46. *Biomedical Informatics Training Program (supplement)*, award number NIH LM07443-10S1, 7/1/10-6/30/11, \$153,485, Senior Personnel (PI: Pierre Baldi, UC Irvine).
45. *Automating Behavioral Coding via Text-Mining and Speech Signal Processing*, National Institutes of Health, award number R01AA018673, \$3.1 million, (UC Irvine portion is \$953,952), Sept 1 2010 to August 31 2015, Co-Investigator (PI: David Atkins, University of Washington).
44. *UC Irvine Clinical Translational Science Center*, National Institutes of Health, award number UL1RR031985, \$7,075,320 awarded to date, July 1 2010 to March 31st 2015, Senior Personnel (PI: Dan Cooper, UC Irvine).
43. *Scaling Statistical Topic Modeling Algorithms to Massive Data Sets*, Yahoo! Faculty Research (FREP) award, \$10,000 gift, May 2010, Principal Investigator.
42. *Scalable Methods for the Analysis of Network-based Data*, Office of Naval Research: Multidisciplinary University Research Initiative (MURI) Award), award number N00014-08-1-1015, \$5,381,300, May 1 2008 to April 30 2013, Principal Investigator.
41. *Scaling Statistical Topic Modeling Algorithms to Massive Data Sets*, Google Research Award, \$60,000, April 2008, Principal Investigator.
40. *Research in Cyber-Fraud Detection and Prevention*, gift from Experian, Inc., \$200,000, February 2008, Co-Principal Investigator with Michael Goodrich.
39. *Collaborative Research: Regional Climate-Change Projections Through Next-Generation Empirical and Dynamical Models*, Department of Energy, Scientific Discovery through Advanced Computing: Climate Change Prediction, award number DE-FG02-07ER64429, \$360,000, Oct 1 2007 to Sept 30 2010, Principal Investigator.
38. *CRI: Collaborative Research: Improving Experimental Computer Science with a Searchable Web Portal for Datasets*, National Science Foundation, award number CNS-0551510, \$400,000, March 15, 2006 to February 28, 2009, Co-Principal Investigator with Andrew McCallum (University of Massachusetts).
37. *Functional Biomedical Informatics Research Network (FBIRN)*, National Institutes of Health, U24RR021992, \$23,992,092, from February 8th 2006 to November 30th 2010, Senior Personnel (PI: Steven Potkin, UC Irvine).
36. *Characterizing ITCZ Dynamics and Breakdown using Statistical Learning Methods and Satellite Data*, National Science Foundation, award number ATM-0530926, \$618,000, 10/1/2005 to 9/30/2008, Co-Investigator (PI: Gudrun Magnusdottir, UC Irvine).
35. *UC Irvine Knowledge Discovery Evaluation Challenge Project*, Entity Analytics Division, International Business Machines (IBM), \$73,430, 7/15/05 to 12/31/05, Principal Investigator.

34. *Bringing Probabilistic Text Mining Techniques to Historical Document Collections: An Early American Case Study*, UCI CORCLR Award MI-05-06-14, \$18,080, 7/1/2005 - 6/30/2006, Co-Investigator (PI: Sharon Block, UC Irvine).
33. *Transdisciplinary Imaging Genetics Center*, NIH Grant No. 1-P20-RR020837-01, total award is \$1,724,026, 9/28/04 to 7/31/07, Co-Investigator (PI: Steven Potkin, UC Irvine).
32. *National Alliance for Medical Image Computing (NAMIC)*, National Institutes of Health, award number NIH U54 EB005149, total UCI award is \$609,253 from 9/17/04 to 8/31/06, Co-Investigator (PI: Ron Kikinis, Brigham and Women's Hospital).
31. *Morphometry Biomedical Informatics Research Network (MBIRN)*, National Institutes of Health, U24-RR021382, total UCI award is \$579,880 from 9/30/04 to 5/31/06, Co-Investigator (PI: Bruce Rosen, Massachusetts General Hospital).
30. *Studies of regional-scale climate variability and change: Hidden Markov models and coupled ocean-atmosphere modes*, funded by the Climate Change Prediction Program, US Department of Energy, October 1st 2004 to September 30th 2007, Principal Investigator.
29. *Statistical Data Mining of Time-Dependent Data with Applications in Geoscience and Biology*, NSF-IIS-0431085, National Science Foundation, \$566,644, October 1st 2004 to September 30th 2007, Principal Investigator.
28. *NSF-ITR: Responding to the Unexpected*, Information Technology Research (ITR) program, National Science Foundation, \$9,480,928, award number NSF-ITR-0331707, October 1st 2003 to September 30th 2008, Co-Investigator (PI: Sharad Mehrotra, UC Irvine).
27. *NSF-ITR: The OptIPuter*, Information Technology Research (ITR) program, National Science Foundation, award number , \$13,500,000, October 1st 2002 to September 30th 2007, Co-Investigator (PI: Larry Smarr, UCSD).
26. *Biomedical Informatics Training Program*, National Institutes of Health and National Library of Medicine, award number T15-LM-07443, \$8,840,297, July 1st 2002 to June 30th 2012, Senior Personnel (PI: Pierre Baldi, UC Irvine).
25. *Predicting Coupled Ocean-Atmosphere Modes With A Climate Modeling Hierarchy*, US Department of Energy: Climate Change Prediction Program, \$396,000, February 1st 2002 to January 31st 2005, Co-Investigator (with Andrew Robertson and Michael Ghil, UCLA).
24. *Intelligent Time-Series Pattern Matching*, Jet Propulsion Laboratory, June 15th to September 30th 2002, \$80,920, Principal Investigator.
23. *Preclinical Detection and Disease Measurement of Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Using EEG, Psychophysical and Data Mining Methods*, Alzheimer's Association of America, September 1st 2001 to August 30th 2003, \$250,000, Co-Investigator (PI: Rod Shankle, UC Irvine).
22. *Spatial Data Mining for Massive Scientific Data Sets*, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, May 1st 2001 to August 31st 2002, \$100,000, Principal Investigator.
21. *IBM Faculty Partnership Award*, gift from IBM Watson Research Center, May 18th 2001, \$40,000, Principal Investigator.
20. *Data Mining of Digital Behavior*, NSF-IIS-0083489, Principal Investigator:
 - Original award: September 15th 2001 to August 30th 2004, \$425,000.
 - Supplemental award: September 1st 2003 to December 31st 2010, \$1,816,750.
19. *Predictive Models for Cancer Detection and Therapy*, November 1st 2000 to October 31st 2001, University of California, Irvine, Cancer Research Grants, \$14,301, Co-Investigator (PI: Christine McLaren, UC Irvine).

18. *Probabilistic Clustering of Dynamic Trajectories for Scientific Data Mining*, Institute for Scientific Computer Research, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, October 1 2000 to September 30 2001, \$39,178, Renewal: October 1 2001 to September 30 2002, \$28,448, Principal Investigator.
17. *Sequential Data Analysis for Biomedical Applications*, UCI CORCLR Program, July 1 2000 to June 30th 2001, \$12,000, Co-Investigator (PI: Christine McLaren, UC Irvine).
16. *Spatio-Temporal Data Mining of Scientific Trajectory Data*, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, March 1st to September 30th 2000, \$42,937, Principal Investigator.
15. *Research in Data Mining*, gift from Microsoft Research, October 1999, \$60,000, Principal Investigator.
14. *Data Mining of Multivariate Time-Series Sensor Data for Semiconductor Manufacturing*, NIST/National Semiconductor corporation, April 1 1999 through Dec 31 2001, \$162,000, Principal Investigator.
13. *Clustering of Sequences and Time Series*, HNC Software, Inc, \$40,913, January 1 1999 through Dec 31 1999, Principal Investigator.
12. *SGER: An Online Repository of Large Data Sets for Data Mining Research and Experimentation*, National Science Foundation, NSF IIS-9813584, Aug 15, 1998 to January 31, 2000, \$99,737, Principal Investigator.
11. *Data Mining of High-Dimensional Structure-Activity Data Sets*, from SmithKline Beecham Research, September 1st 1998 to April 1st 1999, \$22,730, Principal Investigator.
10. *Graduate Fellowships in Biomedical Computing*, US Department of Education, \$750,000. Sept 1, 1997 to August 31, 2001, Co-Investigator (PI: Lubomir Bic, UC Irvine).
9. *A Distributed Biomedical Computing Laboratory*, National Science Foundation (CISE Research Instrumentation), NSF-9617349, co-investigator with L. Bic et al. (University of California, Irvine), March 1 1997 to February 1 1998, \$69,986. Co-Investigator.
8. *Turbo-Decoding of High Performance Error-Correcting Codes via Belief Propagation*, AFOSR, grant F49620-97-1-0313, May 1 1997 to December 31 1998, \$300,000. Co-Investigator (PI: Robert McEliece, Caltech).
7. *Automated Cloud Screening for Remote Exploration and Experimentation (REE) Applications to the Earth Orbiting-1 (EO-1) Satellite and Similar Platforms*, the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, June 16th 1997 to November 15th 1997, \$34,601, Principal Investigator.
6. *Exploring QSAR Data using Probabilistic Data Mining*, SmithKline Beecham Research, July 1st to December 31st 1997, \$35,048, Principal Investigator.
5. *Probabilistic Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining: An Integrated Approach at the Interface of Computer Science and Statistics*, National Science Foundation (CAREER award), NSF-9703120, September 1st 1997 to August 31st 2001, \$304,379, Principal Investigator.
4. *Clustering and Mode Classification of Engineering Time Series Data*, Jet Propulsion Laboratory, June 15th 1996 to October 17th 1996, \$34,401, Principal Investigator.
3. *Automated Detection of Natural Features in SAR Images*, Jet Propulsion Laboratory Director's Discretionary Fund, January 1st 1994 to December 31st 1994, \$140,000, Co-Investigator with Usama Fayyad (JPL) and Pietro Perona (Caltech).
2. *Using Information Theory to Discover Patterns in Databases*, Lew Allen Award research grant, Jet Propulsion Laboratory. January 1st 1994 to December 31st 1995, \$25,000, Principal Investigator.
1. *An Information-Theoretic Approach to Distributed Inference and Learning*, AFOSR, and ONR. Original award AFOSR-90-0199, February 1st 1990 to May 30th 1992, \$338,161. Continuation award NO0014-92-J-1860: July 1st 1992 to March 30th 1995, \$394,118. Co-Investigator (PI: Rodney Goodman, Caltech).

Publications List

Books and Conference Proceedings

- B5 A. Nicholson and P. Smyth (eds.), *Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence: Proceedings of the 29th Conference*, ISBN 978-0-9749039-9-6, AUA Press, Corvallis, OR, 2013.
- B4 C. Apte, J. Ghosh, P. Smyth (eds.), *Proceedings of the 17th ACM SIGKDD International Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining*, ISBN 978-1-4503-0813-7, ACM Press, New York, NY, 2011.
- B3 *Modeling the Internet and the Web: Probabilistic Methods and Algorithms*, P. Baldi, P. Frasconi, and P. Smyth, John Wiley, June 2003.
- B2 *Principles of Data Mining*, D. Hand, H. Mannila, and P. Smyth, Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, 2001.
- B1 *Advances in Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining*, U. Fayyad, G. Piatetsky-Shapiro, P. Smyth, and R. Uthurasamy (eds.), Palo Alto, CA: AAAI/MIT Press, 1996.

Journal Papers

- J75 C. A. Graff, S. R. Coffield, Y. Chen, E. Foufloula-Georgiou, J. T. Randerson, P. Smyth, ‘Forecasting daily wildfire activity using Poisson regression,’ *IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing*, to appear, 2020.
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- NIPS Workshop on Hidden Markov Models, Neural Information Processing Conference, Vail, Colorado, November 1995
- ORSA/TIMS Conference, Los Angeles, February 1995
- NIPS Workshop on Performance Monitoring and Fault Classification, Neural Information Processing Conference, Vail, Colorado, November 1994
- Workshop on a Decade of Neural Networks: Practical Applications and Prospects, JPL, May 1994
- ORSA/TIMS Conference, Phoenix, November 1993

Research Seminars and Talks

- Qualcomm ML Summit, San Diego, November 2019
- Monash University, Melbourne, Australia, Faculty of Information Technology, Dean's seminar series, July 2019
- University of Ghent, Belgium, UGent Data Science Seminar, May 2019
- Southern California AI and Biomedicine Symposium, UC Irvine, May 2019
- General Motors Research Symposium, Detroit, July 2018
- UC Irvine Department of Statistics Seminar, May 2019
- National University of Ireland (NUIG), Galway, School of Informatics, October 2017
- University of New South Wales, Electrical Engineering, August 2017
- Trinity College Dublin, School of Computer Science and Statistics, June 2017
- University of Amsterdam, Informatics Institute, June 2017
- Adobe Data Science Symposium, San Jose, June 2017
- California State University of Los Angeles, February 2017
- Adobe Research, San Jose, November 2016
- Amazon Machine Learning, Berlin, June 2016
- Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, April 2016
- University of Edinburgh, Department of Informatics, July 2015
- Xerox Webster Research Labs, Rochester, NY, June 2015
- Cisco Research, San Jose, May 2015
- Insight Center for Data Analytics, University College Dublin, March 2015
- Hasso-Plattner Institute, University of Potsdam, March 2015
- Committee on National Statistics, Beckman National Academies Center, Irvine, February 2015

- Facebook, Palo Alto, September 2014
- Yahoo! Labs, Barcelona, Spain, July 2014
- Xerox Webster Research Labs, Rochester, April 2014 and June 2015
- eBay Research Labs, San Jose, April 2014
- IBM Research Center, Dublin, Ireland, September 2013
- Boeing Research & Technology Seminar, Bellevue, WA, July 2013
- L'Institut des Systèmes Complexes (ISC-PIF), Paris, April 2013
- École Normale Supérieure (ENS), Laboratoire de Météorologie Dynamique (LMD), Paris, April 2013
- Stanford Research Institute (SRI), Artificial Intelligence Center Seminar Series, September 2012
- Technische Universität Berlin (TU Berlin), Machine Learning Group Seminar, Berlin, June 2012
- Adobe Research, San Jose, February 2012
- UCLA, Statistics Seminar Series, October 2010
- National University of Ireland, Galway (NUIG), October 2010
- Fraunhofer Institute for Intelligent Analysis and Information Systems (IAIS) Seminar, May 2010
- Georgia Tech, College of Computing Seminar, April 2010
- Google Tech Talk, September 2009
- eBay Research Labs Seminar, September 2009
- Georgia Tech, College of Computing Seminar, April 2009
- National University of Ireland, Galway (NUIG), Information Technology Seminar, April 2009
- ETH Zurich, Computer Science Department Seminar, April 2008
- Caltech, IST Seminar Series, November 2006
- ISI/USC Seminar series, December 2006
- Yahoo! Research Labs Seminar, Sunnyvale, CA, February 2005
- UCSD, Computer Science and Engineering Seminar, November 2004
- Tufts University, Computer Science Department, October 2004
- Columbia University, International Research Institute for Climate Prediction, September 2004
- University of Washington, Computer Science Department Seminar, August 2004
- National University of Ireland, Galway (NUIG), Information Technology Seminar, July 2004
- Georgia Tech, College of Computing Seminar, April 2004
- Carnegie Mellon University, School of Computer Science, April 2004
- UC Davis, Department of Statistics Seminar, October 2003
- Amazon, Seattle, May 2003
- UCSD, Computer Science Department Seminar, November 2001

- Queen’s University, Belfast, Department of Computer Science, August 2001
- IBM Watson Research Seminar, Yorktown Heights, NY, June 2001
- Helsinki Institute of Technology, Computer Science Department, November 2000
- Stanford University, Computer Science Department, November 2000
- RAND Corporation Seminar, October 2000
- Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), May 2000
- NEC/Teradata Research Center, San Diego, CA, April 2000
- Microsoft Research Seminar, August 1999
- IBM Almaden Research Center, July 1999
- Jet Propulsion Laboratory, March 1999
- UCLA, Department of Computer Science Seminar, February 1999
- UCLA, Department of Atmospheric Sciences Seminar, February 1999
- Smith-Kline Beecham Research Laboratories, Philadelphia, September 1996
- Microsoft Research Seminar, Redmond, WA, August, 1996
- Carnegie-Mellon University, Computer Science Department Seminar, July 1996
- Caltech, Electrical Engineering Systems Seminar, May 1996
- European Space Agency, Noordwijk, The Netherlands, June 1994
- Caltech, Electrical Engineering Systems Seminar, October 1992

Public Outreach Talks

- ‘Big Data: Hope or Hype?’
 - ACM Orange County Chapter, November 2015
 - Osher Lifelong Learning Institute and UC Irvine UClub Forum Talk Series, October
 - National Academy of Sciences Distinctive Voices Program, Beckman NAS Center, Irvine, June 2014

Conference Tutorials

Principles and applications of probabilistic learning, ACM SIGKDD Conference, Chicago, August 2005

Probabilistic methods for machine learning, Second World Congress on Expert Systems, Seoul, Korea, February 1996

Learning from data: a probabilistic framework (with Wray Buntine):

- International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI-95), Montreal, Canada, August 1995
- IEEE Conference on Artificial Intelligence Applications, CAIA-95, Los Angeles, 1995
- 12th National Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-94), Seattle, WA, 1994
- 9th Annual Conference on Uncertainty in AI, Washington DC, July 1993

Patents

- U. S. Patent no. 5465321, *Hidden Markov Models for Fault Detection in Dynamic Systems*, assigned to NASA, inventor is P. Smyth, issued November 7 1995.
- U. S. Patent no. 48707280, *Cross-Connect Switch*, assigned to Pacific Bell, inventors are E. C. Posner and P. Smyth, issued February 21 1989.