# Professor Iddo Drori - Curriculum Vitae

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RECENT ACTIVITY NeurIPS 2024: Senior area chair of datasets and benchmarks track.

ICML 2024: Senior area chair. ECCV 2024: Area chair.

MIT Press 2024: Textbook reviewer.

# The science of deep learning

Iddo Drori

Textbook, Cambridge University Press, 2023

# A neural network solves, explains, and generates university math problems by program synthesis and few-shot learning at human level

Iddo Drori, Sunny Tran, Roman Wang, Kevin Liu, Newman Cheng, Leonard Tang, Elizabeth Ke, Nikhil Singh, Taylor Patti, Jayson Lynch, Avi Shporer, Nakul Verma, Eugene Wu, Gilbert Strang

Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences (PNAS), 119 (32), 2022

#### Predicting the Atlantic multidecadal variability

Glenn Liu, Peidong Wang, Matthew Beveridge, Young-Oh Kwo, Iddo Drori NeurIPS Workshop on Tackling Climate Change with Machine Learning (CCAI), 2021 Best paper award winner

#### Solving machine learning problems

Sunny Tran, Ishan Pakuwal, Pranav Krishna, Prabhakar Kafle, Nikhil Singh, Jayson Lynch, Iddo Drori

Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML), 2021

Best student paper award winner

#### ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

#### Boston University, Boston, USA

Associate Professor of the Practice, Department of Computer Science, 2022-present Director of MS in AI, Department of Computer Science, 2022-present Co-Director of MS Admissions, Department of Computer Science, 2023-present

# Columbia University, New York, USA

Adjunct Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science, 2019-present Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, 2017-2019

# Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, USA

Visiting Associate Professor, Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence Lab (CSAIL), 2022-2023 Lecturer, Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science (EECS), 2020-2022

#### Cornell University, New York, USA

Visiting Associate Professor, School of Operations Research & Information Engineering, 2019-2020

#### New York University, New York, USA

Research Scientist, Tandon School of Engineering and Center for Data Science, 2017-2019 Adjunct Associate Professor, Center for Data Science, 2017-2019 Adjunct Associate Professor, Tandon School of Engineering, 2018-2019

# Tel Aviv University, Israel

Lecturer, Faculty of Management, Information Systems, 2016-2017

### College of Management, Israel

Senior Lecturer (Associate Professor), School of Computer Science, 2016-2018 Head of Data Science Specialization, 2016-2017

# Stanford University, California, USA

Instructor, Department of Statistics, 2006

#### **EDUCATION**

# Stanford University, California, USA

Post-Doctoral Fellow, Statistics, 2004-2007

#### Tel Aviv University, Israel

Ph.D., Computer Science, 2001-2004

M.B.A., Entrepreneurship and Organizational Behavior, 2007-2009

#### Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

M.Sc., Computer Science, Magna Cum Laude, 1998-2000

B.Sc., Mathematics and Computer Science, Amirim Honors Program, 1994-1997

#### RECENT AWARDS

- International Mathematical Olympiad (IMO) Competition: AI X Prize Zack Meeks, Xi Chen, Mao Mao, Akshat Gurbuxani, Iddo Drori Silver medal. 2024
- 2. NeurIPS 2022 Learning from Human Feedback in Minecraft 3rd place (mentor)
- 3. NeuriPS 2022 Neural Massively Multiplayer Online silver winner (mentor)
- 4. NeurIPS 2021 CCAI Best paper award winner
- 5. **FG 2021 Kinship Verification** 1st place competition winner (mentor)
- 6. ACML 2021 Best student paper award winner
- 7. ICCV 2019 Learning to Drive 1st and 2nd place competition winner (mentor)
- 8. Tel Aviv University 2017 Teaching Excellence Award for highest student surveys

# Industry Experience

#### AdiMap, Tel Aviv, Israel (acquired by VEN Commerce)

Founder and CEO, 2011-2017

Data Science: online advertising and e-commerce data analysis

- Nielsen data provider, 2014-2015
- eBay big data lab, 2014
- Amazon technology partner, 2012-2017
- Google partner and service agreement, 2012-2017

#### Mintigo, Israel (acquired by Anaplan)

Research Scientist, 2010

• Data Science: mobile network data analysis and churn prediction

# Gizmoz, Tel Aviv, Israel (acquired by DAZ 3D)

Research Scientist, 2008-2009

• Computer Vision and Graphics: 3D face reconstruction and swapping

PrimeSense, Tel Aviv, Israel (acquired by Apple)

Research Scientist, 2007

• Computer Vision and Graphics: 3D human pose estimation and rigging

# TEACHING EXPERIENCE

# Boston University, Department of Computer Science

- Artificial General Intelligence: Summer 2023, Fall 2023, Summer 2024
- Artificial Intelligence: Fall 2022, Spring 2023, Spring 2024
- Deep Learning: Fall 2022, Summer 2023, Fall 2023, Spring 2024, Summer 2024
- Principles of Machine Learning: Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Spring 2024

# Columbia University, Department of Computer Science

- Artificial General Intelligence: Summer 2023
- Advanced Deep Learning: Summer 2022
- Deep Learning: Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Summer 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Summer 2021, Spring 2022

# Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Dept. of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

- Meta Learning: Fall 2020
- Applied Machine Learning: Fall 2020, Spring 2021
- Introduction to Machine Learning: Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 2022

# New York University, Center for Data Science, Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences

- Introduction to Data Science: Spring 2018, Spring 2019
- Introduction to Machine Learning: Fall 2018
- Optimization and Computational Linear Algebra: Fall 2017

#### New York University, Tandon School of Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering

• Deep Learning: Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019

# Tel Aviv University, Faculty of Management, Information Systems

• Data Visualization: Fall 2016, Spring 2017

#### College of Management, School of Computer Science

- Introduction to CyberSecurity: Spring 2016, Summer 2016, Spring 2017
- Introduction to Data Science: Spring 2017
- Seminar on Advanced Topics in Data Science: Spring 2017
- Software Project Management: Spring 2016, Summer 2016
- Final Project Advisor: Fall 2016, Spring 2017

# Stanford University, Department of Statistics

• Statistical Methods in Engineering and the Physical Sciences: Summer 2006

# NEW COURSE DEVELOPMENT

#### Artificial General Intelligence, Columbia University, 2022

Meta Learning, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 2020

Deep Learning, Columbia University, 2017

# SENIOR AREA CHAIR (SAC)

- 1. Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) Datasets and Benchmarks 2023, 2024
- 2. International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML) 2024

# PROGRAM COMMITTEE (PC), AREA CHAIR (AC)

- 3. International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR)
- 4. Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS)
- 5. International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML)
- 6. AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence1
- 7. European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV)
- 8. Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) Datasets and Benchmarks
- 9. ICML Workshop on Automatic Machine Learning
- 10. ICLR Workshop on Neural Architecture Search
- 11. EAAI: AAAI Symposium on Educational Advances in Artificial Intelligence
- 12. MLCB, Machine Learning in Computational Biology
- 13. PKDD, European Conference on Machine Learning (ECML)
- 14. HILDA, ACM SIGMOD
- 15. IEEE VIS, DSIA

#### Reviewer

- 1. MIT Press, 2024
- 2. IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition, 2022, 2023, 2024
- 3. International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024
- 4. Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024
- 5. International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML) 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024
- 6. European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV), 2024
- 7. AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence 2020, 2021, 2022
- 8. Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) Datasets and Benchmarks, 2022, 2023
- 9. IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence
- 10. IEEE Transactions on Image Processing
- 11. IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing
- 12. Journal of Machine Learning Research (JMLR)
- 13. ACM Transactions on Graphics, ACM SIGGRAPH
- 14. IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics
- 15. ACM SIGMOD International Conference on Management of Data
- 16. IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV)
- 17. Computer Vision and Image Understanding
- 18. EURASIP Journal on Advances in Signal Processing
- 19. Eurographics/IEEE VGTC Conference on Visualization
- 20. Eurographics
- 21. IEEE Visualization Conference
- 22. SIAM Journal on Multiscale Modeling and Simulation
- 23. ICML AutoML
- 24. AAAI EAAI
- 25. Machine Learning for Computational Biology
- 26. Dutch Research Council (NWO)
- 27. Israel Science Foundation (ISF)

# Advising / Committee

Sunny Tran, Masters of Engineering, MIT, 2021
 Thesis: Solving machine learning problems

• Allan Costa, Masters of Media Arts and Sciences, MIT, 2021 with Debora Marks and Joseph Jacobson

Thesis: Predicting protein-protein interactions using equivariant networks with self-attention

• Oscar Chang, PhD in Computer Science, Columbia University, 2020 with Hod Lipson, Itsik Pe'er, Ansaf Salleb-Aouissi, Erin L. Barnhart Thesis: Autogenerative networks

• Weiyi Lu, Masters of Arts and Sciences, Columbia University, 2019 with Michael Collins and Kathleen McKeown

Thesis: Inductive representation learning for knowledge base completion

• Directed Study, Boston University

Ayush Sharma, Uday Garg, Mao Mao, Spring 2024

Jason Lee, Fall 2023

Owen Chen, Summer 2023

Harsh Sharma, Spring 2023

Keith Tyser, Fall 2022

• Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Annie Wang, Iris Yang, Summer 2023

Calvin Macatantan, Ashley Zhang, Summer 2023

Samuel Florin, Spring 2023

Annie Wang, Spring 2023

Sarah J. Zhang, Eugenia Feng, Spring 2023

Alice Zhang, Andrei Marginean, Spring 2023

Reece Shuttleworth, Sarah Zhang, Pedro Lantigua, Summer 2022

Reece Shuttleworth, Muhender Rajvee, Spring 2022

Albert Lu, Michelle He, Linda Chen, Spring 2022

Elizabeth Ke, Kevin Liu, Fall 2021

Prabhakar Kafle, Pranav Krishna, Ishan Pakuwal. Spring 2021

Alexander Gu, Fall 2020

Sunny Tran, Fall 2020

• Ph.D. in Data Science, Boston University Yuke Zhang, 2023-present

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### 2024

77. Artificial general intelligence: Mathematical foundations Iddo Drori

Cambridge University Press, 2024

In commission

www.agibook.org

76. Self-improving instructions and programs for visual concept learning at a human level

Mao Mao, Ayush Sharma, Yuke Zhang, Madeleine Udell, **Iddo Drori** In progress (CF)

75. Solving the IMO, Harvard's Mathematics PhD quals, and MIT's EECS curriculum at a human level

Iddo Drori, Cindy Zhang, Ryan Nie, Chunhao Bi, Ayush Sharma, Uday Garg, Shreyas Sudarsan, Seunghwan Hyun, Bargav Jagatha, Zack Meeks, Xi Chen, Akshat Gurbaxani, Abhaya

Shukla, Nicholas Belsten, Ori Kerret, Avi Shporer, Madeleine Udell In progress (JR)

 Creating hierarchical long-form realistic videos of actor likenesses in latent spaces Mahdi Khemakhem, Jason Lee, Iddo Drori In progress (CF)

73. Scaling paper reviews: Integrating LLMs with human preferences for automatic evaluation

Keith Tyser, Jason Lee, Uday Garg, Nicholas Belsten, Avi Shporer, Madeleine Udell, Dov Te'eni, **Iddo Drori** 

Submitted (CF)

www.reviewerarena.com, www.paperswithreviews.com, www.openreviewer.com

72. Human-in-the-Loop AI Reviewing: Feasibility, opportunities, and risks Iddo Drori and Dov Te'eni

Journal of the Association for Information Systems 25 (1), 98-109 (JR)

#### 2023

71. The science of deep learning

Iddo Drori

Cambridge University Press, 2023 In press, ISBN: 9781108835084.

www.dlbook.org

70. From human days to machine seconds: Automatically answering and generating machine learning final exams

Iddo Drori, Sarah J. Zhang, Reece Shuttleworth, Sarah Zhang, Zad Chin, Pedro Lantigua, Saisamrit Surbehera, Gregory Hunter, Derek Austin, Leonard Tang, Yann Hicke, Sage Simhon, Sathwik Karnik, Darnell Granberry, Madeleine Udell

ACM Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (KDD) (CF)

69. A dataset for learning university STEM courses at scale and generating questions at a human level

Iddo Drori, Sarah Zhang, Zad Chin, Reece Shuttleworth, Albert Lu, Linda Chen, Bereket Birbo, Michele He, Pedro Lantigua, Sunny Tran, Gregory Hunter, Bo Feng, Newman Cheng, Roman Wang, Yann Hicke, Saisamrit Surbehera, Arvind Raghavan, Alexander Siemenn, Nikhil Singh, Avi Shporer, Jayson Lynch, Nakul Verma, Tonio Buonassisi, Armand Solar-Lezama Educational Advances in Artificial Intelligence (EAAI) (CF)

68. Text to graphics by program synthesis with error correction

Ivan Nikitovic, Trisha Anil, Showndarya Madhavan, Arvind Raghavan, Zad Chin, Alexander E. Siemenn, Saisamrit Surbehera, Yann Hicke, Edward Chien, Ori Kerret, Tonio Buonassisi, Armando Solar-Lezama, **Iddo Drori** 

CVPR Generative Models for Computer Vision Workshop (GCV) (WS)

#### 2022

67. A neural network solves, explains, and generates university math problems by program synthesis and few-shot learning at human level

Iddo Drori, Sunny Tran, Roman Wang, Kevin Liu, Newman Cheng, Leonard Tang, Elizabeth Ke, Nikhil Singh, Taylor Patti, Jayson Lynch, Avi Shporer, Nakul Verma, Eugene Wu, Gilbert Strang

Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences (PNAS), 119 (32) (JR)

66. Tracking blobs on the turbulent edge of plasma in Tokamak fusion reactors Woonghee Han, Randall Pietersen, Rafael Villamor Lora, Matthew Beveridge, Nicola Offeddu, Theodore Golfinopoulos, Christian Theiler, Jim Terry, Earl Marmar, Iddo Drori Nature Scientific Reports, 12 (18142) (JR)

65. A machine learning and computer vision approach to rapidly optimize multiscale droplet generation

Alexander Siemenn, Evyatar Shaulsky, Matthew Beveridge, Tonio Buonassisi, Sara Hashmi, **Iddo Drori** 

ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces, 14 (3), 4668—4679 (JR)

64. Solving Probability and Statistics problems by probabilistic program synthesis at human level and predicting solvability

Leonard Tang, Elizabeth Ke, Nikhil Singh, Nakul Verma, **Iddo Drori** International Conference on Artificial Intelligence in Education (AIED) (CF)

63. Human evaluation of text-to-image models on a multi-task benchmark

Vitali Petsiuk, Alexander Siemenn, Saisamrit Surbehera, Zad Chin, Kieth Tyser, Gregory Hunter, Arvind Raghavan, Yann Hicke, Bryan Plummer, Ori Kerret, Tonio Buonassisi, Kate Saenko, Armando Solar-Lezama, **Iddo Drori** 

NeurIPS Workshop on Human Evaluation of Generative Models (HEGM) (WS)

62. InterDocker: End-to-end cross-attentive and geometric Transformers for efficient iterative protein docking

Allan Dos Santos Costa, Manvitha Ponnapati, Eric Alcaide, Kalyan Palepu, Suhaas M Bhat, Pranam Chaterjee, Joseph Jacobson, **Iddo Drori** 

NeurIPS Workshop on Learning Meaningful Representations of Life (LMRL) (WS)

61. Generalizing imaging through scattering media with uncertainty estimates
Jared Cochrane, Matthew Beveridge, Iddo Drori
WACV Workshop on Applications of Computational Imaging (WS)

60. Language aware zero-shot AutoML

Nikhil Singh, Brandon Kates, Jeff Mentch, Anant Kharkar, Madeleine Udell, **Iddo Drori** Technical Report (TR)

59. Solving Linear Algebra by program synthesis

Iddo Drori, Nakul Verma

Technical Report (TR)

58. Image2Lego: Customized LEGO® set generation from images

Kyle Lennon, Katharina Fransen, Alexander O'Brien, Yamin Arefeen, Matthew Beveridge, Melody Cao, Nikhil Singh, **Iddo Drori** 

Technical Report (TR)

#### 2021

57. Solving machine learning problems

Sunny Tran, Ishan Pakuwal, Pranav Krishna, Prabhakar Kafle, Nikhil Singh, Jayson Lynch, **Iddo Drori** 

Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML) (CF)

Best paper award winner

56. Solving the Families in the Wild kinship verification challenge by program synthesis

Junyi Huang, Maxwell Strome, Ian Jenkins, Parker Williams, Bo Feng, Yaning Wang, Vaibhav Bagri, Newman Cheng, **Iddo Drori** 

IEEE International Conference on Automatic Face and Gesture Recognition (FG) (CF) Competition winner

55. Image2Reverb: Cross-modal reverb impulse response synthesis Nikhil Singh, Jeff Mentch, Jerry Ng, Matthew Beveridge, Iddo Drori International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV) (CF)

54. Pedestrian wind factor estimation in complex urban environments Sarah Mokhtar, Matthew Beveridge, Melody Cao, Iddo Drori Asian Conference on Machine Learning (ACML) (CF)

53. Exploring the edge/SOL fluctuations in negative triangularity plasmas on TCV Woonghee Han, Nicola Offeddu, Theodore Golfinopoulos, Christian Theiler, Cedric Tsui, Jose Boedo, Jim Terry, Earl Marmar, Randall Pietersen, Rafael Villamor Lora, Matthew Beveridge, Iddo Drori 63rd Annual Meeting of the American Physical Society Division of Plasma Physics (CF)

52. SARS-CoV-2 protein docking

Iddo Drori, Manvitha Ponnapati, Allan Costa, Amanda Beck, Daniel Goodwin, Anant Kharkar, Jérôme Tubiana, Dina Schneidman, Haim Wolfson Critical Assessment of PRediction of Interactions (CAPRI) COVID-19 Open Science Initiative Participants (CF)

51. Meta learning

Iddo Drori and Joaquin Vanschoren AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (TL)

50. Predicting the Atlantic multidecadal variability

Glenn Liu, Peidong Wang, Matthew Beveridge, Young-Oh Kwo, **Iddo Drori** NeurIPS Workshop on Tackling Climate Change with Machine Learning (CCAI), (WS) **Best paper award winner** 

49. Top 3 in FG 2021 Families in the Wild kinship verification challenge

Junyi Huang, Maxwell Strome, Ian Jenkins, Parker Williams, Bo Feng, Yaning Wang, Vaibhav Bagri, Newman Cheng, **Iddo Drori** 

Families in the Wild Kinship Verification Challenge (WS)

Competition winner

48. Quantifying and alleviating distribution shifts in foundation models on review classification

Sehaj Chawla, Nikhil Singh, Iddo Drori

NeurIPS Workshop on Distribution Shifts: Connecting Methods and Applications (WS)

47. End-to-end cross-attentive and geometric Transformers for efficient iterative protein docking

Allan Costa, Manvitha Ponnapati, Kalyan Palepu, Suhaas Bhat, Eric Alcaide, Joseph M. Jacobson, Pranam Chatterjee, **Iddo Drori** 

NeurIPS Workshop on Learning Meaningful Representations of Life (LMRL) (WS)

46. Predicting critical biogeochemistry of the Southern Ocean for climate monitoring Ellen Park, Jae Deok Kim, Nadege Aoki, Melody Cao, Yamin Arefeen, Matthew Beveridge, David Nicholson, Iddo Drori

NeurIPS Workshop on Tackling Climate Change with Machine Learning (CCAI) (WS)

45. Artificial intelligence enhances enhances control parameter space investigation in flow-focusing droplet generation

Evyatar Shaulsky, Alexander Siemenn, Matthew Beveridge, Tonio Buonassisi, **Iddo Drori**, Sara Hashmi

95th ACS Colloid and Surface Science Symposium (WS)

#### 2020

#### 44. Deep variational inference

#### Iddo Drori

Handbook of Variational Methods for Nonlinear Geometric Data Editors Philipp Grohs, Martin Holler and Andreas Weinmann Springer (BC)

# 43. Variational objectives for Markovian dynamics with backward simulation Antonio Moretti, Zizhao Wang, Luhuan Wu, Iddo Drori, Itsik Pe'er European Conference on Artificial Intelligence (ECAI) (CF)

# 42. Learning to solve combinatorial optimization problems on real-world graphs in linear time

Iddo Drori, Anant Kharkar, William R. Sickinger, Brandon Kates, Qiang Ma, Suwen Ge, Eden Dolev, Brenda Dietrich, David P. Williamson, Madeleine Udell IEEE International Conference on Machine Learning and Applications (CF)

# 41. Morphing semi-supervised protein structures predicted using distance and torsion representations with deep graph ranking

Iddo Drori, Jessie Ji, Zining Fan, Anant Kharkar

Critical Assessment of Techniques for Protein Structure Prediction (CASP) 14th Community Wide Experiment (CF)

# 40. Combinatorial optimization by graph pointer networks and hierarchical reinforcement learning

Qiang Ma, Suwen Ge, Danyang He, Darshan Thaker, **Iddo Drori** AAAI Workshop on Deep Learning on Graphs (WS) **Spotlight** 

# 39. Galaxy TSP: A new billion node benchmark for TSP

**Iddo Drori**, Brandon Kates, William R. Sickinger, Anant Kharkar, Brenda Dietrich, Avi Shporer, Madeleine Udell

NeurIPS Workshop on Learning Meets Combinatorial Algorithms (WS)

# 38. Vehicle trajectory prediction by transfer learning of semi-supervised models Nick Lamm, Malavika Srikanth, Shashank Jaiprakash, Iddo Drori NeurIPS Workshop on Machine Learning for Autonomous Driving (WS)

37. Trajectograms: Which semi-supervised trajectory prediction model to use?
Nick Lamm, Malavika Srikanth, Shashank Jaiprakash, Iddo Drori
ICML Workshop on AI for Autonomous Driving (WS)

### 36. Zero-shot AutoML

Iddo Drori, Lu Liu, Qiang Ma, Brandon Kates, Madeleine Udell Annual Machine Learning Symposium (WS)

### 35. High-quality real-time structured debate generation

Niles Christensen, Eric Bolton, Alex Calderwood, **Iddo Drori** Annual Machine Learning Symposium (WS)

# 34. Realistic real-time voice swapping from single unpaired sentences

Carlo Provinciali, Junghoo Kim, Yihong Liu, Iddo Drori

International Conference on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing (ICASSP) (DM)

# 2019

# 33. Accurate protein structure prediction by embeddings and deep learning representations

Iddo Drori, Darshan Thaker, Arjun Srivatsa, Daniel Jeong, Yueqi Wang, Linyong Nan, Fan Wu, Dimitri Leggas, Jinhao Lei, Weiyi Lu, Weilong Fu, Yuan Gao, Sashank Karri,

Annand Kannan, Antonio Moretti, Chen Keasar, Itsik Pe'er Machine Learning in Computational Biology (CF)

# 32. Assessing the ability of CNNs to detect Glaucoma from OCT probability maps

Kaveri A. Thakoor, Qian Zheng, Linyong Nan, Xinhui Li, Emmanouill Tsamis, Isht Dwivedi, Iddo Drori, Paul Sajda, Donald C. Hood

The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology ARVO Annual Meeting (CF)

# 31. Automatic machine learning by pipeline synthesis using model-based reinforcement learning and a grammar

Iddo Drori, Yamuna Krishnamurthy, Raoni de Paula Lourenco, Remi Rampin,

Kyunghyun Cho, Claudio Silva, Juliana Freire

ICML Workshop on Automated Machine Learning (WS)

### 30. Winning the ICCV 2019 Learning to Drive Challenge

Michael Diodato, Yu Li, Manik Goyal, Iddo Drori

ICCV Autonomous Driving Workshop (WS)

Competition winner

# 29. Using segmentation masks in the ICCV 2019 Learning to Drive Challenge

Antonia Lovjer, Minsu Yeom, Benedikt Schifferer, Iddo Drori

ICCV Autonomous Driving Workshop (WS)

Competition winner

### 28. AutoML using metadata language embeddings

Iddo Drori, Lu Liu, Sharath Koorathota, Nian Yi, Jie Li, Antonio Khalil Moretti, Juliana Freire, Madeleine Udell

NeurIPS Workshop on Meta-Learning (WS)

# 27. Protein structure prediction with deep learning representations

**Iddo Drori**, Darshan Thaker, Arjun Srivatsa, Daniel Jeong, Yueqi Wang, Linyong Nan, Fan Wu, Dimitri Leggas, Jinhao Lei, Weiyi Lu, Weilong Fu, Yuan Gao, Sashank Karri, Anand Kannan, Antonio Khalil Moretti, Chen Keasar, Itsik Pe'er

NeurIPS Workshop on Learning Meaningful Representations of Life (WS)

### 26. Prose for a painting

Prerna Kashyap, Samrat Phatale, Iddo Drori

ICCV Workshop on Closing the Loop Between Vision and Language (WS)

# 25. Visual natural language query auto-completion for estimating instance probabilities

Samuel Sharpe, Jin Yan, Fan Wu, Iddo Drori

CVPR Language and Vision Workshop (WS)

#### 24. Training poisoning in imperfect information games

Guy Aridor, Natania Wolansky, Jisha Jacob, Iddo Drori

Annual Machine Learning Symposium (WS)

#### 2018

#### 23. AlphaD3M: Machine learning pipeline synthesis

Iddo Drori, Yamuna Krishnamurthy, Remi Rampin, Raoni de Paula Lourenco, Jorge Piazentin Ono, Kyunghyun Cho, Claudio Silva, Juliana Freire ICML International Workshop on Automated Machine Learning (WS)

# 22. High quality protein Q8 secondary structure prediction

by diverse neural network architectures

Iddo Drori, Isht Dwivedi, Pranav Shrestha, Jeffrey Wan, Yueqi Wang, Yunchu He,

Anthony Mazza, Hugh Krogh-Freeman, Dimitri Leggas, Kendal Sandridge, Chinmay Joshi, Sonam Goenka, Linyong Nan, Kaveri Thakoor, Chen Keasar, Itsik Pe'er NeurIPS Workshop on Machine Learning for Molecules and Materials (WS)

### 21. Explainable musical phrase completion

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

ICML Joint Workshop on Machine Learning for Music (WS)

### 20. Deep mutual information

Andrew Stirn, Robert Kwiatkowski, **Iddo Drori** 

Annual Machine Learning Symposium (WS)

#### Previous

19. Sparse solution of underdetermined systems of linear equations by stagewise orthogonal matching pursuit

David L. Donoho, Yaakov Tsaig, **Iddo Drori**, Jean L. Starck IEEE Transactions on Information Theory, 58 (2), 1094-1121, 2012. (JR)

18. Compressed video sensing

Iddo Drori

BMVA Symposium on 3D Video-Analysis, Display, and Applications, 2008. (WS)

17. Fast 11 minimization by iterative thresholding for multidimensional NMR spectroscopy

Iddo Drori

EURASIP Journal on Advances in Signal Processing 2007 (1), 2007. (JR)

16. Virtual Northern analysis of the human genome

Evan H. Hurowitz, **Iddo Drori**, Victoria C. Stodden, David L. Donoho, Patrick O. Brown PLoS One 2 (5), 2007. (JR)

15. Error prevention in random linear codes by iterative reweighted least squares Iddo Drori

Technical Report, 2007. (TR)

14. Solution of l1 minimization problems by LARS/homotopy methods

Iddo Drori and David L. Donoho

IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP), 2006. (CF)

13. Fast 11 minimization for genomewide analysis of mRNA lengths

Iddo Drori, Victoria C. Stodden, Evan H. Hurowitz

Genomic Signal Processing and Statistics (GENSIPS), 2006. (CF)

12. Multiscale representations for manifold-valued data

Inam Ur Rahman, **Iddo Drori**, Victoria C. Stodden, David L. Donoho, Peter Schroder SIAM Journal on Multiscale Modeling and Simulation, 4 (4), 1201-1232, 2005. (JR)

11. Example-based rendering

Iddo Drori, PhD, outstanding doctoral award

Tel-Aviv University, 2004. (TS)

10. Spectral sound gap filling

Iddo Drori, Alon Fishbach, Hezy Yeshurun

Proceeding of International Conference on Pattern Recognition, 871-874, 2004. (CF)

9. Interactive object segmentation in video by fitting splines to graph cuts Iddo Drori, Tommer Leyvand, Daniel Cohen-Or, Hezy Yeshurun ACM SIGGRAPH, Posters Session, 2004. (CF)

### 8. Video operations in the gradient domain

Iddo Drori, Tommer Leyvand, Shachar Fleishman, Daniel Cohen-Or, Hezy Yeshurun Technical Report, 2004. (TR)

#### 7. Bilateral mesh denoising

Shachar Fleishman, **Iddo Drori**, Daniel Cohen-Or

ACM Transactions on Graphics 22 (3), SIGGRAPH, 950-953, 2003. (JR)

### 6. Fragment-based image completion

Iddo Drori, Daniel Cohen-Or, Hezy Yeshurun

ACM Transactions on Graphics 22 (3), SIGGRAPH, 303-312, 2003. (JR)

## 5. Fast multiresolution image operations in the wavelet domain

Iddo Drori and Dani Lischinski

IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics, 9 (3), 395-411, 2003. (JR)

TVCG Journal Cover

### 4. Example-based style synthesis

Iddo Drori, Daniel Cohen-Or, Hezy Yeshurun

IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2003. (CF)

**CVPR Proceedings Back Cover** 

#### 3. Image operations in the wavelet domain

Iddo Drori, MSc, Magna Cum Laude

Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 2000. (TS)

#### 2. Wavelet warping

Iddo Drori and Dani Lischinski

Eurographics Rendering Techniques, 113-124, 2000. (CF)

# 1. Contact analysis of spatial fixed-axes pairs using configuration spaces

Iddo Drori, Leo Joskowicz, Elisha Sacks

IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), 578-584, 1999. (CF)

# SELECTED INVITED TALKS AND PANELS

#### • AI generated classes

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Faculty Seminar, February, 2023 Columbia University, Senate, January, 2023

#### • Learning to learn courses

MIT-CalTech-UPenn-Stanford, NeuroSym Seminar, July 2022

Boston University, Department of Computer Science, April 2022

McMaster University, Distinguished Lecture Series, Computing & Software, March, 2022 Massachusetts Institute of Technology, March 2022

Harvard University, Center of Mathematical Sciences and Applications, March 2022.

Cornell University, Department of Computer Science, February, 2022.

Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Computer Science Department, January 2022.

Illinois Institute of Technology, Department of Computer Science, January 2022.

Bar Ilan University, Israel, August 2021.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology,  $\tau \beta \pi$ , Da Vinci Lecture, February, 2021.

### • SARS-CoV-2 proteins structure prediction

 ${\it Massachusetts\ Institute\ of\ Technology,\ Department\ of\ EE\ and\ Computer\ Science}.$ 

Columbia University, Zuckerman Institute, COVID-19 Virtual Symposium.

Tel-Aviv University, School of Computer Science, Structural Bioinformatics seminar. April 2020

#### • The science of deep learning

Carnegie Mellon University, Department of Machine Learning, March 2019.

# • Learning deep learning

Columbia University, Department of Computer Science, February 2019.

### • Automated machine learning for medical imaging

Columbia University, Data Science Institute, workshop, February 2019.

#### • Automated machine learning

Tel Aviv University, January 2019.

### • AlphaX: Generalizing AlphaZero

Ben-Gurion University, Department of Computer Science, CS seminar, January 2019.

#### • Automated machine learning

International Workshop on Automatic Machine Learning, ICML, July 2018.

Panel member with Chelsea Finn, Roman Garnett, Isabelle Guyon, Frank Hutter, Luc de Raedt, Joaquin Vanschoren

# • Adaptive dual process theory, neural network architectures, and applications NYU, Center for Data Science, data science seminar, April 2018.

# • Visual task recommendation

Tel Aviv University, Institute for Internet Studies, May 2017.

### • Sparse solution of underdetermined systems of equations

Ben-Gurion University, Department of Computer Science, CS seminar, February 2007. Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Dept. of Statistics, statistics seminar, November 2006.

#### • Fast $\ell 1$ minimization

Stanford University, Department of Statistics, statistics seminar, July 2006.

# • Iterative thresholding for rapid sparse solution of underdetermined linear systems Stanford University, ICME, linear algebra and optimization seminar, September 2005.

#### • Multi-scale representations for manifold valued data

Technion, Faculty of Industrial Engineering, statistics seminar, March 2007. Weizmann Institute, Vision and Robotics seminar, August 2005.

#### • Video operations in the gradient domain

MIT, CSAIL, graphics meeting, August 2004.

#### • Spectral sound gap filling

Weizmann Institute, Vision and Robotics seminar, June 2004.

#### Gradient video compositing, matting and completion

Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Computer Vision seminar, May 2004. Technion - Tel Aviv University, 3rd Workshop on Geometric Computing, May 2004. Tel-Aviv University, Israel SIGGRAPH Chapter meeting, November 2003.

#### Example and fragment-based image completion

Technion - Tel Aviv University, 2nd Workshop on Geometric Computing, May 2003. Weizmann Institute, Vision and Robotics seminar, June 2003. The Interdisciplinary Center, Israel SIGGRAPH Chapter meeting, November 2002.

### • Example-based style synthesis

Weizmann Institute, Vision and Robotics seminar, April 2002.

# • Example-based rendering

Weizmann Institute, Computer Vision annual seminar, December 2001. Tel Aviv University, Center of Geometric Computing, October 2001.

# • Fast multi-resolution image operations in the wavelet domain

Tel Aviv University, Israel SIGGRAPH Chapter meeting, February 2000.

# TRAINING AND PARTICIPATION

MIT and Columbia University: IRB social-behavioral research training

**ASSC**: The association for the scientific study of consciousness **Stanford University**: Responsible conduct of research training

Stanford University: Teaching and course design

Berkeley, MSRI: Mathematical computational and statistical image analysis UCLA, IPAM: Multi-scale structures in analysis of high dimensional data

# AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- International Mathematical Olympiad (IMO): AI X Prize Winner for a top-ranking team, 2024
- NeurIPS open-ended learning competitions MineRL BASALT and Neural MMO, 2022
- CCAI NeurIPS Best Paper Award Winner, 2021
- FG Competition Winner, Kinship Verification Challenge, 2021
- ACML Best Student Paper Award Winner, 2021
- ICCV Competition Winner, Learning to Drive Challenge, 2019
- Tel Aviv University Teaching excellence award for highest student surveys, 2017
- Colman Award for mentoring best student capstone projects, 2017
- Tel Aviv University The annual prize in Computer Science, 2003
- Tel Aviv University Vatat scholarship for outstanding PhD students, 2001-2004
- Tel Aviv University Research excellence scholarship, 2001
- Hebrew University Research scholarship in M.Sc. studies, 1998-1999
- Hebrew University Amirim excellence program scholarship (top 2%), 1994-1997

### Grants Accepted

- Google educational grants, 2021–2023
- Google cloud grant for learning to learn Math in Computer Science, 2021
- Microsoft Azure grant for efficiently cleaning up low earth orbit, 2021 Cornell University Center for Data Science for Enterprise & Society, 2021
- Google COVID-19 research cloud grant, 2020
- Tel Aviv Unviersity Research grant, Coller Foundation, 2017

Press

- MIT News, New algorithm aces university math course questions, 2022
- MIT News, Machine learning facilitates turbulence tracking in fusion reactors, 2022
- Boston University News, Students win two NeurIPS competitions, 2022
- Columbia University News, Team wins top 3 in FG kinship verification challenge, 2021
- Columbia University News, CS Team Wins the ICCV learning-to-drive challenge, 2019
- New York University News, Automatic machine learning: Learning how to learn, 2019

CITATIONS

6,300+ on Google Scholar.

EXTRACURRICULAR Flight training: Student pilot 2020-2023, toward private pilot certificate 2024

ACTIVITIES Music: Juilliard extension courses, 2020, 2022