## Statistical Machine Learning for High Dimensional Data Workshop (21-31 May 2024)



Venue
IMS Auditorium
Institute for Mathematical Sciences
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Singapore 118402

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| Tuesday, 21 May 2024 |  |  |
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| Time                 | Title  | Speaker                                |
| 0900-0925            | Registration   |  |
| 0925-0930            | Opening Remarks  | Programme Organizers                   |
| 0930-1030            | Federated Learning for Nonparametric Function Estimation: Framework and Optimality | Tony Cai<br>University of Pennsylvania |
| 1030-1045            | Coffee Break   |  |
| 1045-1145            | Understanding the Benefits of Related Data   | Samory Kpotufe<br>Columbia University  |
| 1145-1400            | Lunch Break  |  |
| 1400-1500            | Statistical Inference on Network Data: New Models and Algorithms                   | Emma Zhang<br>Emory University         |
| 1500-1515            | Coffee Break   |  |
| 1530-1730            |  |  |

| Wednesday, 22 May 2024                             |   |         |
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| Time   | Title   | Speaker |
| IMS is closed as it is Vesak Day (Public Holiday). |   |         |
| 1500   | Group Outing to Gardens By the Bay 1-way transfer is provided departing from Park Avenue Rochester. |         |

| Thursday, 23 May 2024 |  |   |
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| Time                  | Title  | Speaker   |
| 0915-0930             | Registration   |   |
| 0930-1030             | Rate Optimality and Phase Transition for User-<br>Level Local Differential Privacy             | Yi Yu<br>University of Warwick                          |
| 1030-1045             | Coffee Break   |   |
| 1045-1145             | Online Policy Learning and Inference by Matrix<br>Completion                                   | Dong Xia Hong Kong University of Science and Technology |
| 1145-1400             | Lunch Break  |   |
| 1400-1500             | Generalization performance gaps between greedy and optimal regression trees in high dimensions | Yanshuo Tan<br>National University of Singapore         |

| Friday, 24 May 2024 |  |  |
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| Time                | Title  | Speaker                                    |
| 0915-0930           | Registration   |  |
| 0930-1030           | Generative models for high-dimensional statistical inference | Yao Xie<br>Georgia Institute of Technology |
| 1030-1045           | Coffee Break   |  |
| 1045-1145           | High-order Singular Value Decomposition in Tensor Analysis   | Anru Zhang  Duke University                |

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| Time                | Title  | Speaker  |  |
| 1145-1400           | Lunch Break  |  |  |
| 1400-1500           | Estimation and Inference for Networks of Multi-Experiment Point Processes  | Ali Shojaie<br>University of Washington            |  |
| Monday, 27 Ma       | Monday, 27 May 2024  |  |  |
| Time                | Title  | Speaker  |  |
| 0915-0930           | Registration   |  |  |
| 0930-1030           | Distinguished Lecture Series in Statistics Inferences on Mixing Probabilities and Ranking in Mixed-Membership Models                     | Jianqing Fan Princeton University                  |  |
| 1030-1045           | Coffee Break   |  |  |
| 1045-1145           | Beyond Matrices: Nonparametric Tensor<br>Estimation and Application  | Miaoyan Wang<br>University of Wisconsin-Madison    |  |
| 1145-1400           | Lunch Break  |  |  |
| 1400–1500           | Nonparametric test of Missing Completely At Random   | Thomas B. Berrett University of Warwick            |  |
| 1500-1515           | Coffee break   |  |  |
| 1515–1615           | Transfer learning and applications in genomics   | Hongzhe Li<br>University of Pennsylvania           |  |
| Tuesday, 28 Ma      | ay 2024  |  |  |
| Time                | Title  | Speaker  |  |
| 0915-0930           | Registration   |  |  |
| 0930-1030           | Spectrum-Aware Debiasing: High-Dimensional Inference beyond sub-Gaussian Covariates with Applications to Principal Components Regression | Pragya Sur<br>Harvard University                   |  |
| 1030-1045           | Coffee Break   |  |  |
| 1045-1145           | Log Concave Coupling for Sampling from Neural<br>Net Posterior Distributions   | Andrew Barron Yale University                      |  |
| 1145-1400           | Lunch Reception at IMS   |  |  |
| 1400-1500           | Fast and Powerful Minipatch Ensemble Learning for Discovery and Inference  | Genevera Allen Rice University                     |  |
| 1500-1515           | Coffee Break   |  |  |
| 1515–1615           | Statistical inference for Black-Box parameters generating data, and the Laplacian Fiducial distribution                                  | Yannis Yatracos<br>Cyprus University of Technology |  |

| Wednesday, 29 May 2024 |              |         |
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| Time                   | Title        | Speaker |
| 0915-0930              | Registration |         |

| Wednesday, 2          | Wednesday, 29 May 2024   |  |  |
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| Time                  | Title  | Speaker                                  |  |
| 0930-1030             | Tensor Methods in High Dimensional Data<br>Analysis: Opportunities and Challenges                                    | Ming Yuan Columbia University            |  |
| 1030-1045             | Coffee Break   |  |  |
| 1045-1145             | Generative Modeling and Generative Prior   | Yuejie Chi<br>Carnegie Mellon University |  |
| 1145-1400             | Lunch Break  |  |  |
| 1400-1500             | A Statistical Framework of Watermarks for Large<br>Language Models: Pivot, Detection Efficiency and<br>Optimal Rules | Xiang Li<br>University of Pennsylvania   |  |
| 1500-1530             | Coffee Break   |  |  |
| 1530-1630             | Group Outing to Gardens by the Bay 1-way transfer is provided departing from IMS.                                    |  |  |
| Thursday, 30 May 2024 |  |  |  |
| Time                  | Title  | Speaker                                  |  |
| 0915-0930             | Registration   |  |  |

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| Time                  | Title  | Speaker  |
| 0915-0930             | Registration   |  |
| 0930-1030             | Surprising phenomena of interpolating solutions in high dimensions                 | Fanny Yang<br>ETH Zurich                           |
| 1030-1045             | Coffee Break   |  |
| 1045–1145             | Recent Developments in High-Dimensional Estimation with Generative Priors          | Jonathan Scarlett National University of Singapore |
| 1145–1400             | Lunch Break  |  |
| 1400-1500             | Denoising over network with application to partially observed epidemics            | Olga Klopp<br>ESSEC Business School                |
| 1500-1515             | Coffee Break   |  |
| 1515-1615             | Frank-Wolfe-Type Methods for Minimizing<br>Log-Homogenous Self-Concordant Barriers | Renbo Zhao<br>University of Iowa, USA              |

| Friday, 31 May 2024 |  |  |
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| Time                | Title  | Speaker  |
| 0915-0930           | Registration                                       |  |
| 0930-1030           | Central limit theorems for stochastic optimization | Zehua Lai<br>The University of Texas at Austin   |
| 1030-1045           | Coffee Break                                       |  |
| 1045–1145           | Learning from Aggregate Responses                  | Adel Javanmard University of Southern California |

This schedule is accurate as of May 21, 2024 and subjected to changes.