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KITP Conference: At the Crossroad of Physics and Machine Learning

(Feb 11-15, 2019)

Coordinators: Giuseppe Carleo, Kyle Cranmer, Rose Yu, and Lenka Zdeborová

Monday, Feb 11, 2019

Session Chair: Lenka Zdeborová (CEA Saclay)

8:50am Lars Bildsten (KITP Director) Welcome
 9:00am Andrea Montanari (Stanford) Mean Field Concepts in Machine Learning
 10:00am Florent Krzakala (ENS Paris) Statistical Physics and Machine Learning
 11:00am **Lunch Break-KITP COURTYARD**

11:30am Greg Ver Steeg (UCS) Exact Information Bottlenecks for Arbitrary Distributions with Echo Noise
 12:30pm **LUNCH BREAK-KITP COURTYARD**

Session Chair: Kyle Cranmer (NYU)

2:00pm Chiara Cammarota (King's) Rough-glassy Landscapes from Inference to Machine Learning
 3:00pm Pratik Chaudhari (UCLA) A Picture of the Energy Landscape of Deep Neural Networks
 4:00pm **Afternoon Break-KITP COURTYARD**
 4:30pm Michael Bronstein (Imperial) Deep Learning on Graphs: from Astrophysics to Fake News Detection
 5:30pm **SHUTTLE TO BWSCI**

Tuesday, Feb 12, 2019

Session Chair: Giuseppe Carleo (Flatiron)

9:00am Michele Parrinello (ETH Zurich) Machine Learning and Enhanced Sampling
 10:00am Kieron Burke (UC Irvine) Machine Learning in Electronic Structure: Finding Better Density Functionals than Humans do
 11:00am **Morning Break-KITP COURTYARD**

11:30am Isaac Tamblyn (NRC Canada) Rubber Ducks and a Sea of Electrons -
Designing Neural Networks Physics which
Incorporate Physics

12:30pm **Lunch Break-KITP COURTYARD**

2:00pm Mihai A. Petrovici (U of Bern) Computers Like Brains

3:00pm Benjamin Wandelt (Flatiron) Bayesian Likelihood-free Inference in
Cosmology and Information Maximizing
Neural Networks

4:00pm **Afternoon Break-KITP COURTYARD**

4:30pm Panel Open problems

5:30pm **RECEPTION-KITP COURTYARD**

6:00pm **SPECIAL EVENTS DINNER-KITP COURTYARD**

8:00pm **SHUTTLE TO BWSCI**

Wednesday, Feb 13, 2019

9:00am Yashar Hezaveh (Stanford) Mapping Distant Galaxies with Machine
Learning

10:00am Fernanda Psihas (UT Austin) Successes and Perspectives of Deep
Learning Applications to Neutrino Physics

11:00am **Morning Break-KITP COURTYARD**

11:30am Jaan Altosaar (Princeton) Hierarchical Variational Approximations
for Physics Models

12:30pm **Lunch Break-KITP COURTYARD**

2:00pm **FREE AFTERNOON-Shuttle Available to BWSCI**

Thursday, Feb 14, 2019

Session Chair: Giuseppe Carleo (Flatiron)

9:00am Eun-Ah Kim (Cornell) Machine Learning Quantum Emergence

10:00am Titus Neupert (U of Zurich) Excitations and Symmetries in Neural
Network Variational Wave Functions

11:00am **Morning Break-KITP COURTYARD**

11:30am Juan Carrasquilla (Vector) Learning Quantum States with Generative
Models

12:30pm **Lunch Break-KITP COURTYARD**

Session Chair: Lenka Zdeborová (CEA Saclay)

- 2:00pm Hartmut Neven (Google) TBA
- 3:00pm Lei Wang (CAS, China) Tensor Networks for Generative Modeling
- 4:00pm **Afternoon Break-KITP COURTYARD**
- 4:30pm Panel Open problems
- 5:30pm **RECEPTION-KITP COURTYARD**
- 6:00pm **SPECIAL EVENTS DINNER-KITP COURTYARD**
- 8:00pm **SHUTTLE TO BWSCI**

Friday, Feb 15, 2019**Session Chair: Rose Yu (Northeastern)**

- 9:00am James Halverson (Northeastern) Machine Learning Geometry and String Theory
- 10:00am Stephan Mandt (UC Irvine) Physics-inspired Machine Learning: Non-equilibrium, Perturbation Theory, and Goldstone Modes
- 11:00am **Morning Break-KITP COURTYARD**
- 11:30am Phiala Shanahan (MIT) Machine Learning for Lattice Quantum Field Theory Calculations
- 12:30pm **Lunch Break-KITP COURTYARD**

Session Chair: Lenka Zdeborová (CEA Saclay)

- 2:00pm Andrey Lokhov (LANL) Predicting the Behavior of Analog Quantum Annealers with Statistical Learning
- 3:00pm Yasaman Bahri (Google AI) Deep Neural Networks as Gaussian Processes
- 4:00pm **CONFERENCE END SHUTTLE TO BWSCI *Also available to SB Airport and SB Airbus, Goleta location (See Registration Desk BEFORE FRIDAY to sign up.)**