

# Research Seminars 2022

# Research Center for Statistics

# 25 February 2022

Jonathan Boon Han Koh, University of Bern, Switzerland Modelling and Predicting Extreme Wildfires

# 4 March 2022

Gilles Stupfler, ENSAI, France
Asymmetric Least Squares Techniques for Extreme Risk Assessment

# 11 March 2022

Joseph G. Ibrahim, University of North Carolina School of Public Health, USA Assessment of Homogeneity and Consistency for Network Meta-Analysis

#### 18 March 2022

Aaditya K. Ramdas, Carnegie Mellon University, USA Game-Theoretic Statistics and Safe Anytime-Valid Inference

# 25 March 2022

Jakob Zscheischler, Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research - UFZ, Germany The Emergence of Compound Event Analysis as a New Research Frontier

# 1st April 2022

Laura Lea Sacerdote, Università degli studi di Torino, Italy From Single Neuron to Networks: The Integrate and Fire Paradigm (jointly with Petr Lansky and Federico Polito)

# 8 April 2022

Francis K.C. Hui, The Australian National University, Australia GEE-Assisted Variable Selection for Binary Latent Variable Models (jointly with Samuel Mueller (School of Mathematics and Physical Sciences, Macquarie University) and A.H. Welsh (Research School of Finance, Actuarial Studies and Statistics, The Australian National University))

# 29 April 2022

Federico Martellosio, University of Surrey, UK Non-Identifiability in Network Autoregressions

# 6 May 2022

Yoav Zemel, University of Cambridge, UK
Limiting Laws for Optimal Transport Plans on Finite Spaces

# 13 May 2022

Jeremias Knoblauch, University College London, UK Optimization-Centric Generalizations of Bayesian Inference

# 20 May 2022

Heather Battey, Imperial College London, UK Inducement of Sparsity

#### 21 June 2022

Rainer von Sachs, Université catholique de Louvain, Belgium

Statistical Inference for Intrinsic Wavelet Estimators of Covariance Matrices in a log-Euclidean Manifold

(jointly with Johannes Krebs (Eichstätt) and Daniel Rademacher (Heidelberg))

# 23 September 2022

Xuming He, University of Michigan, USA Covariate-Adjusted Expected Shortfall: Some Recent Developments

# 30 September 2022

Frank Roettger, GSEM

Total Positivity in Multivariate Extremes
(jointly with Sebastian Engelke and Piotr Zwiernik)

# 7 October 2022

Alessia Caponera, EPFL, Switzerland Functional Estimation of Anisotropic Covariance and Autocovariance Operators on the Sphere (jointly with Julien Fageot, Matthieu Simeoni, and Victor M. Panaretos)

#### 21 October 2022

Pierre Vandergheynst, EPFL, Switzerland Graph Signal Processing: Neural Nets and Beyond

# 28 October 2022

Mikhail Zhelonkin, Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands Outlier Robust Inference in Weak Linear Instrumental Variable Models

# 4 November 2022

Michaël Lalancette, Technical University of Munich, Germany Learning Extremal Graphical Structures in High Dimensions

# 18 November 2022

Tengyao Wang, London School of Economics and Political Science, UK Sparse Change Detection in High-Dimensional Linear Regression

# **25 November 2022**

Niklas Andreas Pfister, University of Copenhagen, Denmark Distribution Generalization and Identifiability in IV Models

# 2 December 2022

Anne Ruiz-Gazen, Toulouse School of Economics, France Spatial Simultaneous Autoregressive Models for Compositional Data: Application to Land Use (jointly with Christine Thomas-Agnan, Thibault Laurent, Thi Huong An Nguyen, Raja Chakir, and Anna Lungarska)

# 9 December 2022

Ottavia Telve, Intesa Sanpaulo, Italy Treatment of COVID-19 Recession in Italian Default Rate Projection Model

# 16 December 2022

Matthieu Lerasle, ENSAE, France Some Phase Transition Phenomena in Graphical Data Analysis