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29 January 2025 14:30-18:00 Aula Magna Aldo Cossu Palazzo di Ateneo	30 January 2025 9:00-18:30 Aula I & Aula VI Department of Mathematics	31 January 2025 9:00-16:00 Aula I & Aula VI Department of Mathematics
13:30-14:30 <i>Registration</i>	8:30-9:00 <i>Registration</i>	8:30-9:00 <i>Registration</i>
14:30-15:00 Welcome and Opening	9:00-10:25 Parallel Sessions (Keynote and Contributed talks)	9:00-9:40 Parallel Sessions (Contributed talks)
15:00-16:00 Plenary: Prof. Yuri Nesterov	10:25-11:00 <i>Coffee break and Poster Session</i>	9:40-10:40 Plenary: Prof. Claudia Angelini
16:00-16:25 Keynote: Dr. Monica Pragliola	11:00-11:40 Parallel Sessions	10:40-11:10 <i>Coffee break and Poster Session</i>
16:30-17:30 Plenary: Prof. Tommaso Di Noia	11:45-13:00 Round Table (Plenary Speakers, Pirelli, Planetek, IRCSS Giovanni Paolo II, representatives of UMI group) <i>Exploring the interactions between MATHS, ML and AI to address challenges and innovative applications in industry and science</i>	11:10-12:55 Parallel Sessions (Keynote and Contributed talks)
17:30-17:55 Keynote: Prof. Giacomo De Palma	13:00-14:15 <i>Lunch and Poster Session</i>	13:00-14:15 <i>Lunch and Poster Session</i>
18:00 Closure of the day	14:15-15:35 Parallel Sessions (Contributed talks)	14:20-15:40 Parallel Sessions (Contributed talks)
	15:35-16:00 <i>Coffee break and Poster Session</i>	15:40-16:00 Closure of workshop
	16:25-18:05 Parallel Sessions (Keynote and Contributed talks)	

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13:30-14:30	<i>Registration and Welcome Break</i>	
14:30-15:00	Welcome and Opening	Chair Prof. N. Del Buono Institutional and Company welcome
15:00-16:00	Plenary talk: Prof. Yurii Nesterov	Optimization, the philosophical background of artificial intelligence
16:00-16:25	Keynote talk: Dr. Monica Pragliola	Whiteness-based learning of parameters in inverse imaging problems
16:30-17:30	Plenary talk: Prof. Tommaso Di Noia	Current and future Trends in Recommender Systems
17:30-17:55	Keynote talk: Prof. Giacomo De Palma	Trained quantum neural networks are Gaussian processes
18:00	Closure of the day	

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8:30-9:00	Registration	
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9:00-9:20	Danilo Pezzi Linesearch-Enhanced Forward-Backward Methods for Inexact Nonconvex Scenarios	Moreno Pintore The Neural Approximated Virtual Element Method on general polygons
9:20-9:40	Ilaria Trombini Variable metric proximal stochastic gradient methods with additional sampling	Nunzio Dimola A Neural Preconditioner for the Numerical Solutions of Parametrised PDEs
9:40-10:05 (keynote talk)	Dr. Andersen Ang MGProx: A nonsmooth multigrad proximal gradient method with adaptive restriction for strongly convex optimization	Dr. Stefania Fresca Latent Dynamics Models
10:05-10:25	Nicola Rares Franco Deep orthogonal decomposition: an adaptive basis approach to dimensionality reduction	Arturo De Marinis Approximation properties of neural ODEs
10:25-11:00	Coffee break and Poster Session	
11:00-11:20	Cristiano Tamborrino A Deep-QLP Decomposition Algorithm and Applications	Nicola Farenga On latent dynamics learning in nonlinear reduced order modeling
11:20-11:40	Flavia Esposito Low-rank approximation methods for real data analysis and integration	Davide Carrara Implicit Neural Field Reconstruction on Complex Shapes from Scattered Data
11:45-13:00 Aula I	Round Table Plenary Speakers, Pirelli, Planetek, IRCSS Giovanni Paolo II, UMI group representatives <i>Exploring the interactions between MATHS, ML and AI to address challenges and innovative applications in industry and science</i>	
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ROUND TABLE

AULA I Department of Mathematics, via E. Orabona 4, Bari

Topic

Exploring the interactions between MATHS, ML and AI to address challenges and innovative applications in industry and science

Moderators:

Anna Maria Candela (Head of the Department of Mathematics, UniBA)

Nicoletta Del Buono (Chair of MATH4AIML)

Speakers

Cristoforo Abbattista (Head of SpaceStream Strategic Business Unit, Planetek Italia S.r.l)

Claudia Angelini (CNR Research Director Istituto per le Applicazioni del Calcolo "Mauro Picone")

Mattia Bolzoni (AI manufacturing data science manager, Pirelli & C. S.p.A)

Sabino Ciavarella (Istituto Tumori "Giovanni Paolo II" IRCCS di Bari)

Tommaso Di Noia (Polytechnic University of Bari)

Yurii Nesterov (Louvain School of Engineering)

Francesca Mazzia (Coordinator PhD Programme in Computer Science and Mathematics, UniBA)

Sandra Pieraccini (UMI Group Mathematics for AI and ML)

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14:15-14:35	Filippo Camellini Majorization-Minimization for multiclass classification in a big data scenario	Paolo Conti Multi-fidelity reduced-order surrogate modelling
14:35-14:55	Cristian Belfiore An efficient matheuristic for nurse rostering problems	Sofia Imperatore Data-driven parameterization for adaptive spline model reconstruction
14:55-15:15	Alessandro Scagliotti Trade-off Invariance Principle for regularized functionals	Giovanni Pagano Step-by-Step Time-Discrete Physics Informed Neural Networks for PDEs models
15:15-15:35	Ben William Gerriety Cullen GANs through the Lens of Topological Data Analysis	Luca San Mauro On the complexity of infinite argumentation
15:35-16:00	<i>Coffee break and Poster Session</i>	
16:00-16:25 (keynote talk)	Dr. Cesare Molinari Stochastic (but structured) zeroth order optimization	Dr. Alessandro Gianola Formal Analysis of Data-Aware Processes via Symbolic AI
16:25-16:45	Antonioneè Barletta Exploring Deep Learning in Seismology for Early Warning systems	Andrea Alessandrelli Networks of neural networks: disentanglement of overlapping inputs
16:45-17:05	Vittorio Bauduin Simulations of Water Distribution Systems via Radial Basis Function Networks	Simone Brivio Mitigating the adverse effects of data scarcity through pre-trained physics-informed DL-ROMs
17:05-17:25	Giulia Lombardi Hexagonal Grid-Based Reinforcement Learning Environments for Marine Biodiversity Monitoring	Alberto Fachechi A random matrix approach to Hopfield-like neural networks: addressing generalization and overfitting
17:25-17:45	Nicolò Taggio - Planetek s.r.l Data, Math, and Machine Learning: Revolutionizing Earth Observation Technologies	Francesco Della Santa Learning Variably Scaled Kernels and Scaling Functions via Discontinuous Neural Network
17:45-18:05	Mattia Beretta - Pirelli S.p.A Pirelli practical development of LLM application for risk prevention on the workplace	Simmaco Di Lillo Spectral Complexity of Deep Neural Networks

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9:20-9:40	Ivan Cucchi Integrating Molecular Dynamics and Machine Learning Algorithms to Predict the Functional Profile of Kinase Ligands	Davide Pastorello Training a quantum GAN with classical data
9:40-10:40 Plenary Talk (Aula I)	Dr. Claudia Angelini From single omics dataset to multi-omics and multi-datasets integration through a statistical learning perspective and beyond	
10:40-11:10	Coffee break and Poster Session	
11:10-11:30	Marta Menci An all-around perspective on hybrid coupled models and parameter calibration for collective cell dynamics	Domenico Pomarico Grokking as an entanglement transition in tensor network machine learning
11:30-11:50	Davide Duma Optimizing patient admission in the emergency department with machine learning-based survival models	Vincenzo Schiano di Cola Quantum Optimization in Environmental Resource Management: A Focus on Irrigation Scheduling
11:50-12:15 (Keynote Talk)	Dr. Aikatarina Papagiannoulli Bures-Wasserstein gradient-based learning of covariance operators in Gaussian processes	Dr. Stefano Coniglio Graph and Hypergraph Learning via Complex- and Quaternion-Valued Spectral Convolutional Operator
12:15-12:35	Linda Albanese Boolean SK model	Stefania Ferrisi Mathematical Transformations and Deep Learning Methodologies to enhance Tool Wear Monitoring using Audio Data
12:35-12:55	Alessia Benevento Semi-Supervised Learning for Time Series Clustering Using Copulas	Samira Iscaro A new mathematical model to analyze the spread of misinformation on Social Media
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14:40-15:00	Maria Grazia Quarta A CNN-LSTM approach for parameter estimation for lithium metal battery cycling model	Bharath Krishnan Girishkumar Penalized Maximum Likelihood and Loss Minimization for Classification
15:00-15:20	Marc Hirschvogel Learning Passive Left Ventricular Mechanics via Shape Encoding Neural Networks	Dhruv Singhvi A Framework Combining Machine Learning and Statistical
15:20-15:40 (Aula I)	<i>Closure of works</i>	



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List of Posters

Sala Lettura, Department of Mathematics, via E. Orabona 4, Bari

Carlo Abate MaxCutPool: Differentiable Feature-Aware MAXCUT for Pooling in Graph Neural Networks	Grazia Gargano A Low-Rank Multi-Factor Approach to Identify Differentially Expressed Genes Transcriptome Data
Sara Cambiaghi Distributional forecast approaches to stochastic optimization in healthcare appointment scheduling	Letizia Lorusso Analysis of Decision-Making Styles and Personality Traits in Women Undergoing Voluntary Termination of Pregnancy: A Bayesian Network Approach Using bnstruct
Anna Livia Croella Anticlustering for Large Scale Clustering	Maura Mecchi COSMONET 2.0: An R Package for Survival Analysis Using Screening-Network Methods
Serena Grazia De Benedictis ROI Image Identification via Topological Data Analysis: A Case Study of Brain Tumor MRI	Giuseppina Monteverde Efficiency-driven 3D CNN architectures for hyperspectral classification
Roberta De Fazio Inferring Failure Processes via Causality Analysis: from Event Logs to Predictive Fault Trees	Laura Selicato Bi-level algorithm for optimizing hyperparameters in penalized NMF
Anna De Magistris A line-search based SGD algorithm with Adaptive Importance Sampling	Alessandra Serianni Hybrid knowledge and data-driven approaches for Diffuse Optical Tomography reconstruction
Bernardo Forni Adapting SAM2 for Few-Shot Multi-Class Semantic Segmentation	Gaetano Settembre Spatial Informed Hierarchical Clustering for Hyperspectral Imagery via Total Variation
Caterina Gallegati GANs through the Lens of Topological Data Analysis	Paolo Sorino Empowering Clinicians with Explainable AI: Predicting Mortality Risk in MAFLD with Counter-factual Analysis
Daniela Gallo CAP: Copyright Audit via Prompt generation	

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