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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- ▷ Data-driven dynamic models of large-scale neural data
- ▷ Neural computation underlying task-free, naturalistic behavior
- ▷ Sparse sensing and control in biological and engineered systems

EDUCATION

Princeton University Princeton, NJ
Ph.D. in Molecular Biology & Neuroscience, 2012

California Institute of Technology (Caltech) Pasadena, CA
B.S. in Biology, with Honors, 2006

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

University of Washington (UW) Seattle, WA
▷ Associate Professor, Department of Biology 2019–present
Data Science Fellow, eScience Institute 2014–present
H. Stewart Parker Endowed Faculty Fellow 2020–present
Adjunct Faculty, Paul G. Allen School of Computer Science & Eng. 2016–present
Adjunct Faculty, Department of Applied Mathematics 2017–present
Faculty of Graduate Program in Neuroscience 2015–present

California Institute of Technology (Caltech) Pasadena, CA
▷ Moore Distinguished Scholar in Biology and Biological Engineering 2021–2022

University of Washington (UW) Seattle, WA
▷ Washington Research Foundation Innovation Assistant Professor, Dept. of Biology 2014–2019
▷ Postdoctoral Researcher, Applied Math. and Neural Engineering 2012–2014

AWARDS AND HONORS

H. Stewart Parker Endowed Faculty Fellowship (2020–23)
Caltech, Moore Distinguished Scholar (2021)
Weill Neurohub Investigator (2020)
Air Force Office of Scientific Research Young Investigator Program (YIP) Award (2018–21)
University of Washington Innovation Award (2017–19)
Alfred P. Sloan Research Fellowship (2016–18)
Washington Research Foundation Innovation Professor of Neuroengineering (2014–19)
NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Honorable Mention (2007, 2008)
Caltech, Richter Research Fellowship (2005)
Caltech, Perpall Speaking Competition Semifinalist (2005)
Caltech, McKinney Prize in Literature (2005)
Caltech Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (2003, 2004)
International Science and Engineering Fair (ISEF) Finalist (2002)
Intel Science Talent Search Semifinalist (2002)

For a complete list of publications, including preprints, see also B. W. Brunton's Google Scholar profile at <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=UftAYPkAAAAJ&hl=en>.

† co-first authors who contributed equally to the manuscript

‡ co-senior authors who jointly directed the work

► PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS:

Linden, N. J., Tabuena, D. R., Steinmetz, N. A., Moody, W. J., Brunton, S. L. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Go with the FLOW: Visualizing spatiotemporal dynamics in optical widefield calcium imaging.
Journal of the Royal Society Interface (2021), 18: 20210523.

Karashchuk, P., Rupp, K. L., Dickinson, E. S., Sanders, E., Azim, E., **Brunton, B. W.**[†] & Tuthill, J. C.[‡]
Anipose: a toolkit for robust markerless 3D pose estimation.
to appear in *Cell Reports* (2021), *bioRxiv* doi: <https://doi.org/10.1101/2020.05.26.117325>.

Deora, T., Ahmed, M. A., **Brunton, B. W.** & Daniel, T. L.
Learning to feed in the dark: how light level influences feeding in the hawkmoth *Manduca sexta*.
to appear in *Biology Letters* (2021).

Nair, A. G., Taira, K. **Brunton, B. W.**, & Brunton, S. L.
Phase-based control of periodic fluid flows.
to appear in *Journal of Fluid Mechanics* (2021), *arXiv:2004.10561*.

Harris, K. D., Aravkin, A., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Time-varying autoregression with low rank tensors.
to appear in *SIAM Journal on Dynamical Systems* (2021), preprint *arXiv:1905.08389*

Weber, A. I., Daniel, T. L. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Wing structure and neural encoding jointly determine sensing strategies in insect flight.
to appear in *PLoS Computational Biology* (2021); *bioRxiv* doi: <https://doi.org/10.1101/2021.02.09.430476>.

Aiello, B. R.[†], Stanchak, K. E.[†], Weber, A. I.[†], Deora, T., Sponberg, S. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Spatial distribution of wing mechanosensors: Form, function, and phylogeny.
Current Opinion in Insect Science (2021), <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cois.2021.06.002>.

Peterson, S. M.[†], Singh, S. H.[†], Wang, N. X. R., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Behavioral and neural variability of naturalistic arm movements.
eNeuro (2021), 0007-21.2021; DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1523/ENEURO.0007-21.2021>.

Singh, S. H., Peterson, S. M., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Mining naturalistic human behaviors in long-term video and neural recordings.
Journal of Neuroscience Methods (2021), <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jneumeth.2021.109199>.

Dallmann, C. J.[†], Karashchuk, P.,[†] **Brunton, B. W.**[‡] & Tuthill, J. C.[‡]
A leg to stand on: computational models of proprioception.
Current Opinion in Physiology (2021), <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cophys.2021.03.001>.

Deora, T., Ahmed, M. A., Daniel, T. L., & **Brunton, B. W.**
Tactile active sensing in insect-plant pollination.
Journal of Experimental Biology (2021), 224 no. 4, [jeb239442](https://doi.org/10.1093/jeb/239442).

de Silva, B. M., Manohar, K., Clark, E., **Brunton, B. W.**, Brunton, S. L. & Kutz, J. N.
PySensors: A Python package for sparse sensor placement.
Journal of Open Source Software (2021), 6(58), 2828.

Callaham, J. L., Kutz, J. N., **Brunton, B. W.**, & Brunton, S. L.

- Learning dominant physical processes with data-driven balance models.
Nature Communications (2021), 12 (1), 1-10
- Peterson, S. M., Steine-Hanson, Z., Davis, N., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Generalized neural decoders for transfer learning across participants and recording modalities.
Journal of Neural Engineering (2021), 18, 026014.
- Stanchak, K. E., French, C., Perkel D. J.[‡], & **Brunton, B. W.**[‡]
The balance hypothesis for the avian lumbosacral organ and an exploration of its morphological variation.
Integrative Organismal Biology (2020), obaa024.
- van Breugel, F., Kutz, J. N., & **Brunton, B. W.**
Numerical differentiation of noisy data: A unifying multi-objective optimization framework.
IEEE Access (2020), 8, 196865 - 196877.
- Stepaniants, G., **Brunton, B. W.** & Kutz, J. N.
Inferring causal networks of dynamical systems through transient dynamics and perturbation.
Physical Review E (2020), 102 (4), 042309.
- Hirsh, S. M., Harris, K. D., Kutz, J. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Centering data improves the Dynamic Mode Decomposition.
SIAM Journal on Dynamical Systems (2020) 19 (3), 1920-1955.
- Hirsh, S.M., **Brunton, B. W.**, & Kutz, J. N.
Data-driven spatiotemporal modal decomposition for time frequency analysis.
Applied and Computational Harmonic Analysis (2020), 49 (3), 771-790.
- Nair, A. G., Strom, B., **Brunton, B. W.**, & Brunton, S. L.
Phase-consistent dynamic mode decomposition from multiple overlapping spatial domains.
Physical Review Fluids (2020), 5 (7), 074702.
- Caldwell, D. J., Cronin, J. A., Rao, R. P. N., Collins, K. L., Weaver, K. E., Ko, A. K., Ojemann, J. G., Kutz, J. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Signal recovery from stimulation artifacts in intracranial recordings with dictionary learning.
Journal of Neural Engineering (2020), 17 (2), 026023.
- Brunton, B. W.** & Beyeler, M.
Data-driven models for human neuroscience and neuroengineering.
Current Opin Neurobiol (2019), 58, 21-29.
- Kunert-Graf, J. M., Eschenburg, K. M., Galas, D. J., Kutz, J. N., Rane, W. D., & **Brunton, B. W.**
Extracting reproducible time-resolved resting state networks using dynamic mode decomposition.
Frontiers in Comp. Neurosci. (2019).
- Curtu, R., Wang, X., **Brunton, B. W.** & Nourski, K.
Neural signatures of auditory perceptual bistability revealed by large-scale human intracranial recordings.
J. Neurosci (2019).
- Mohren, T. L., Daniel, T. L., Brunton, S. L., **Brunton, B. W.**
Neural-inspired sensors enable sparse, efficient classification of spatiotemporal data.
Proc Natl Acad Sci U.S.A (2018) 115 (42) 10564-10569.
* Featured in a Commentary by Hale, M, *PNAS* (2018) 115 (42) 10545-10547.
- Manohar, K., **Brunton, B. W.**, Kutz, J. N. & Brunton, S. L.
Data-Driven Sparse Sensor Placement for Reconstruction: Demonstrating the Benefits of Exploiting Known Patterns.

IEEE Control Systems Magazine (2018) 38 (3), 63–86.

Wang, N. X. R., Farhadi, A., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**

AJILE movement prediction: Multimodal deep learning for natural human neural recordings and video.
Proceedings of AAAI Conference (2018).

Kaiser, E., Morzynski, M., Daviller, G., Kutz, J. N., **Brunton, B. W.** & Brunton, S. L.

Sparsity enabled cluster reduced-order models for control.
Journal of Computational Physics (2018) 352, 388–409.

Brunton, S. L., **Brunton, B. W.**, Proctor, J. L., Kaiser, E. & Kutz, J. N.

Chaos as an intermittently forced linear system.
Nature Communications (2017) 8.

Brunton, B. W., Brunton, S. L., Proctor, J. L. & Kutz, J. N.

Sparse sensor placement optimization for classification.
SIAM Journal on Applied Mathematics (2016) 76 (5), 2099–2122.

Wang, N. X. R., Olson, J. D., Ojemann, J. G., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**

Unsupervised decoding of long-term, naturalistic human neural recordings with automated video and audio annotations.
Frontiers in Human Neuroscience (2016) 10, 165.

Brunton, S. L., **Brunton, B. W.**, Proctor, J. L. & Kutz, J. N.

Koopman observable subspaces and finite linear representations of nonlinear dynamical systems for control.
PLoS ONE (2016) 11(2): e0150171.

Brunton, B. W., Johnson, L. A., Ojemann, J. G. & Kutz, J. N.

Extracting spatial-temporal coherent patterns in large-scale neural recordings using dynamic mode decomposition.
J Neuroscience Methods (2016) 258, 1–15.

Kopec, C. D., Erlich, J. C., **Brunton, B. W.**, Deisseroth, K. & Brody, C. D.

Cortical and subcortical contributions to short-term memory for orienting movements.
Neuron (2015) 88 (2), 367–377.

Erlich, J. C., **Brunton, B. W.**, Duan, C. A., Hanks, T. D., & Brody, C. D.

Distinct behavioral effects of prefrontal and parietal cortex inactivations on an accumulation of evidence task in the rat.
eLife (2015) 4:e05457.

Hanks, T., Kopec, C. D., **Brunton, B. W.**, Duan, C. A., Erlich, J. C. & Brody, C. D.

Distinct relationships of parietal and prefrontal cortices to evidence accumulation.
Nature (2015) 520, 220–223.

Proctor, J. L., Brunton, S. L., **Brunton, B. W.** & Kutz, J. N.

Exploiting sparsity and equation-free architecture in complex systems.
European Physical Journal Special Topics (2014) 223, 1–20.

Brunton, B. W., Botvinick, M. M. & Brody, C. D.

Rats and humans can optimally accumulate evidence for decision-making.
Science (2013) 340:95–98.

* Featured in News & Views by Kauffman, M. T. & Churchland, A. K., *Nature* (2013) 496:172–173.

Granstedt, A. E., **Brunton, B. W.** & Enquist, L. W.

Imaging the transport dynamics of single alphaherpesvirus particles in intact peripheral nervous system explants from infected mice.

mBio (2013) 4:e00358.

Kubaneck, J., Snyder, L. H., **Brunton, B. W.**, Brody, C. D. & Schalk, G.
A low-frequency oscillatory neural signal in humans encodes a developing decision variable.
NeuroImage (2013) 83:795–808.

Huang, K. C., Mukhopadhyay, R., **Wen, B.**, Gitai, Z. & Wingreen, N. S.
Cell shape and cell-wall organization in Gram-negative bacteria.
Proc Natl Acad Sci U.S.A. (2008) 105:19282–19287.

► PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS:

Fasel, U., Kaiser, E., Kutz, J. N., **Brunton, B. W.** & Brunton, S. L.
SINDy with Control: A Tutorial.
60th IEEE Conference on Decision and Control (CDC 2021)

Azadian, E., Velchuru, G., Wang, N. X. R., Peterson, S. M., Staneva, V. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Decoding happiness from neural and video recordings for better insight into emotional processing in the brain.
IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Conference (EMBC 2021).

Azadian, E., Velchuru, G., Wang, N. X. R., Peterson, S. M., Staneva, V. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Decoding happiness from neural and video recordings.
NeurIPS 2020, workshop on Learning Meaningful Representations of Life.

Singh, S. H., van Breugel, F., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Understanding biological plume tracking behavior using deep reinforcement-learning.
2020 Artificial Life Conference Proceedings, 750-752.

Singh, S. H., Peterson, S. M., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
Enabling naturalistic neuroscience through behavior mining: Analysis of long-term human brain and video recordings
2019 Conference on Cognitive Computational Neuroscience (2019).

Wu, J., Shuman, B. R., **Brunton, B. W.**, Steele, K. M., Olson, J. D., Rao, R. P. N. & Ojemann, J. G.
Multistep model for predicting upper-Limb 3D isometric force application from pre-movement electrocorticographic features.
IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society Conference (EMBC 2016).

► DATASETS:

Peterson, S. M., Singh, S. H., Dichter, B., Scheid, M., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
AJILE12: Long-term naturalistic human intracranial neural recordings and pose.
bioRxiv doi: <https://doi.org/10.1101/2021.07.26.453884>.

Wang, N. X. R., Farhadi, A., Rao, R. P. N. & **Brunton, B. W.**
The Annotated Joints in Long-term ECoG (AJILE) Dataset.
<https://www.bingbrunton.com/data>.

► ADDITIONAL PUBLICATIONS:

Karashchuk, P., Tuthill, J. C. & **Brunton, B. W.**
The DANNCE of the rats: a new toolkit for 3D tracking of animal behavior.
Nat Methods (2021). <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41592-021-01110-w>

Kutz, J. N., Brunton, S. L., **Brunton, B. W.**, & Proctor, J. L.
Dynamic Mode Decomposition: Data-Driven Modeling of Complex Systems.
Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (2016) ISBN: 9781611974492.

RESEARCH SUPPORT

DOD/AFOSR, 09/01/2019–08/31/2024, \$7.5M

PI: B. W. Brunton

Co-PIs: S. E. Bergbreiter, S. L. Brunton, T. L. Daniel, J. N. Kutz, J. P. How

MURI: Neural inspired sparse sensing and control for agile flight

Weill Neurohub, 2020, \$700K

PI: K. Bouchard, Co-PIs: B. W. Brunton, T. Grabowski, R. Henry, G. Manley, S. Sundaram, B. Yu

Weill Neurohub Data and Analytics Center (NDAC)

Burroughs-Wellcome Fund, 10/15/2018–10/14/2020, \$150K

PI: B. W. Brunton, Co-PI: B. Kerr

Transforming biology graduate training through quantitative experimental dialectics (QED)

DOD/AFOSR, 1/29/2018–1/28/2021, \$445K

PI: B. W. Brunton

Sparse sensing with wing mechanosensory neurons for estimation of body rotation in flying insects

NIH/NIMH, 8/14/2018–5/31/2023, \$3.8M

PI: E. Buffalo, Co-Inv: B. W. Brunton

Temporally coordinated activity in the primate hippocampus supporting memory formation

► COMPLETED RESEARCH SUPPORT, SELECTED

NSF, 9/1/2016–8/31/2021, \$899K

PI: B. W. Brunton, Co-PI: R. P. N. Rao

NCS-FO: Understanding neural processing in long-term, naturalistic human brain recordings using data-intensive approaches

DOD/DARPA, 11/16/2017–11/15/2020, \$527K

PI: B. W. Brunton, Co-PI: R. P. N. Rao

Multimodal neural decoding: Data-intensive approaches to understanding long-term, unlabeled human brain data

DOD/AFRL, 1/4/2016–1/3/2020, \$395K

PI: B. W. Brunton, Co-PI: S. L. Brunton

Integrating compressive sensing and classification for dynamic target tracking

NSF, CRCNS, 9/1/2015–8/31/2019, \$519K total with \$145K to UW

PI: R. Curtu, Co-PIs: B. W. Brunton and K Nourski

Collaborative Research: Dynamic models of human auditory perceptual switching informed by large-scale ECoG recordings

INVITED TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS † denotes keynote and plenary talks

2021 Aug.	New York University Langone Health, symposium on FAIR Thee Well: The language and tools for sharing neurophysiological data (New York NY, remote)
2021 May	Air Force Headquarters, Biotechnology Lunch (Arlington VA, remote)
2021 May	Janelia Research Campus, Computation & Theory Seminar (Ashburn VA, remote)
2021 Mar.	† Interdisciplinary College (IK), Evening Lecture (Möhnesee-Günne, Germany, remote)
2021 Mar.	Allen Institute for Brain Science, online symposium on Open for (neuro)science
2020 Nov.	Johns Hopkins University, Zanvyl Krieger Mind/Brain Institute, David Bodian Seminar (Baltimore MD, remote)
2020 Oct.	University of Chicago, Neuroscience Seminar (Chicago IL, remote)
2020 Oct.	Columbia University, Center for Theoretical Neuroscience Seminar (New York NY, remote)
2020 Oct.	University of Virginia, Quantitative Psychology Colloquium (Charlottesville VA, remote)

2020 Sept. University of Pennsylvania, Mahoney Institute for Neurosciences Colloquium (Philadelphia PA, remote)

2019 Nov. Georgia Institute of Technology, Department of Biomedical Eng. (Atlanta GA)

2019 Nov. University of Washington, Machine Learning Colloquium (Seattle WA)

2019 Nov. Institute for Pure and Applied Mathematics (IPAM) at UCLA, Workshop on Machine Learning for Physics and the Physics of Machine Learning (Los Angeles CA)

2019 Oct. University of Southern California, Department Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering (Los Angeles CA)

2019 Sept. University of Washington, Graduate Program in Neuroscience Retreat (Seattle WA)

2019 Sept. Harvard University, QBio Workshop on Making Sense of Turbulence (Cambridge MA)

2019 July Sainsbury Wellcome Centre (London, UK)

2019 July Telluride Neuromorphic Cognition Engineering Workshop (Telluride CO)

2019 June Workshop on Multisensory Integration in Insect Flight Dynamics (Bangalore, India)

2019 May. The Copenhagen Initiative Workshop: Developing a theory on how brains work (Copenhagen, Denmark)

2019 Feb. Georgia Institute of Technology, School of Life Sciences (Atlanta GA)

2019 Jan. † Dynamics Days, International Conference on Nonlinear Dynamics (Evanston IL)

2018 Oct. Eglin Air Force Base (Destin FL)

2018 May University of Washington Center for Integrative Neuroscience Spring Symposium (Seattle WA)

2018 May Boeing Data Science Executive Workshop (Washington DC)

2018 May American Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting, session on Big Data in Mental Health (New York NY)

2018 Mar. University of Oregon, Institute of Neuroscience (Eugene OR)

2018 Mar. American Physical Society (APS) March Meeting, focus session on Neural Control of Behavior (Los Angeles CA)

2018 Mar. Computational and Systems Neuroscience (COSYNE), Workshop on Recent Computational Advances in Neuroengineering: From Theory to Applications (Breckenridge CO)

2018 Jan. Boeing Data Science Executive Workshop (Seattle WA)

2017 Dec. Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS) Conference Workshop: Big Neuro (Long Beach CA)

2017 Nov. École Normale Supérieure, Center for Neural Theory (Paris, France)

2017 Oct. University of California Los Angeles (UCLA), Dept. of Mathematics, Applied Math Colloquium (Los Angeles CA)

2017 Aug. Workshop on Data-Driven Methods for Multi-Scale Physics and Complex Systems (Rome, Italy)

2017 July Johns Hopkins University, Dept. of Psychology (Baltimore MD)

2017 July Naval Surface Warfare Center, Carderock Division (Bethesda MD)

2017 July 8th Bio-inspired Unmanned Autonomous Systems (BioUAS) State Of the Art Review (Oxford, UK)

2017 June University of Washington Database (UWDB) Affiliates Workshop (Seattle WA)

2017 May Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM) Conference on Applications of Dynamical Systems (Snow Bird UT)

2017 Jan. Workshop on Data-Driven Methods for Reduced-Order Modeling and Stochastic Partial Differential Equations, Banff International Research Station (Banff Alberta, Canada)

2017 Jan. Frontiers of Science and Engineering (Seattle WA)

2016 Nov. University of Washington, Graduate Program in Neuroscience Seminar (Seattle WA)

2016 Nov. Society for Mathematical Psychology and Psychonomics, Workshop on Rethinking Biological Plausibility (Boston MA)

2016 Nov. Harvard University, Center for Brain Science (Cambridge MA)

2016 Oct. University of Washington Institute for Neuroengineering Seminar (Seattle WA)

2016 Oct. † BrainKDD: The 3rd International Workshop on Data Mining and Visualization for Brain Science (Seattle WA)

2016 July University of Maryland, Brain and Behavior Initiative Seminar (College Park MD)
2016 June NeuroFutures Conference (Seattle WA)
2016 April Institute for Disease Modeling Annual Symposium (Bellevue WA)
2016 April Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM) Conference on Uncertainty Quantification (Lausanne, Switzerland)
2016 Mar. DARPA/ISAT Workshop on Bio-Integrated Processing, Sensing, and Storage (Seattle WA)
2016 Feb. Computational and Systems Neuroscience (COSYNE), Workshop on Dimensionality Reduction in High-Dimensional Neural Datasets (Snowbird UT)
2016 Feb. University of Washington, Neuroengineering and Computational Neuroscience Connection (Seattle WA)
2016 Feb. University of Washington, Behavioral Neuroscience Research Seminar (Seattle WA)
2016 Jan. Workshop on Neuromechanics & Dynamics of Locomotion (New Orleans LA)
2015 Dec. DARPA/ISAT Workshop on Making-Sense (Washington DC)
2015 Oct. Columbia University, Center for Theoretical Neuroscience (NYC NY)
2015 Oct. New York University, Center for Data Science (NYC NY)
2015 Oct. University of Washington, Dept. of Electrical Engineering Colloquium (Seattle WA)
2015 Oct. † Moore-Sloan Data Science Environment Annual Summit (Suncadia WA)
2015 May Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM) Conference on Applications of Dynamical Systems (Snow Bird UT)
2014 Dec. University of Washington, Department of Statistics Seminar (Seattle WA)
2014 Nov. New Perspectives on Neuroengineering and Neurotechnologies, DFG-NSF Research Conference (Washington DC)
2014 Aug. University of Iowa, Department of Neurosurgery Research Seminar (Iowa City IA)
2014 June Sloan-Swartz Center for Theoretical Neurobiology Annual Meeting (Seattle WA)
2014 June NeuroFutures Conference (Seattle WA)
2014 May University of Washington Institute for Neuroengineering (UWIN) and Department of Biology (Seattle WA)
2014 May Allen Institute for Brain Science (Seattle WA)
2014 Apr. Harvard University, Center for Brain Science (Cambridge MA)
2013 Dec. University of Washington, Center for Sensorimotor Neural Engineering (CSNE), Kavli Seminar (Seattle WA)
2013 Oct. Allen Institute for Brain Science (Seattle WA)
2011 Dec. Brandeis University, Decision-making Seminar (Waltham MA)
2011 Oct. University of Washington, Computational Neuroscience Seminar (Seattle WA)
2011 July Sloan-Swartz Centers for Theoretical Neurobiology Annual Meeting (Ashburn VA)

MENTORING † **current group members in bold**

POST GRADUATE

2017– **Tanvi Deora, Ph.D. in Biology**, co-advised with Tom Daniel, *Postdoctoral Research Associate in Biology, Human Frontiers Science Program (HFSP) Postdoctoral Fellow*
2018– **Chris Dallmann, Ph.D. in Neuroscience**, co-advised with John Tuthill, *Postdoctoral Research Associate in Physiology & Biophysics, Sackler Postdoctoral Scholar*
2018– **Steven Peterson, Ph.D. in Biomedical Engineering**, co-advised with Raj Rao, *Data Science Postdoctoral Research Associate in Biology*
2019– **Alison Weber, Ph.D. in Neuroscience**, co-advised with Tom Daniel, *Postdoctoral Research Associate in Biology, Washington Research Foundation (WRF) Postdoctoral Fellow*
2019– **Alice Schwarze, D.Phil. in Mathematics**, *Data Science Postdoctoral Research Associate in Biology*
2020– **Katie Stanchak, Ph.D. in Biology**, co-advised with David Perkel, *Postdoctoral Research Associate in Biology*

- 2021– **Urban Fasel, Dr.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering**, co-advised with Steve Brunton, *Postdoctoral Research Associate in Mechanical Engineering*
- 2018–2020 **Karmeron Decker Harris, Ph.D. in Applied Mathematics**, co-advised with Raj Rao, *Postdoctoral Research Associate in Computer Science & Engineering, Washington Research Foundation (WRF) Postdoctoral Fellow*
- 2018–2020 **Aditya Nair, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering**, co-advised with Steve Brunton, *Postdoctoral Research Associate in Mechanical Engineering*
- 2016–2018 **C. Liz Gass, M.D., M.P.H.**, *Resident at UW Medicine, Psychiatry*
- 2016–2018 **Bethany Lusch, Ph.D.**, co-advised with Steve Brunton and Nathan Kutz, *Postdoctoral Research Associate in Applied Mathematics*
- 2016 **Eurika Kaiser, Ph.D.**, co-advised with Steve Brunton and Nathan Kutz, *Moore-Sloan-WRF Data Science Postdoctoral Fellow*

GRADUATE

- 2017– **Aaron D. Garcia**, co-advised with Beth Buffalo, *Ph.D. student in UW Neuroscience, National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellow, Washington Research Foundation (WRF) Innovation in Neuroengineering Graduate Fellow*
- 2017– **Pierre Karashchuk**, co-advised with John Tuthill, *Ph.D. student in UW Neuroscience, National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellow*
- 2018– **Satpreet Singh**, co-advised with Rajesh Rao, *Ph.D. student in UW Elec. & Comp. Eng.*
- 2019– **Michelle Hickner**, co-advised with Steve Brunton, *Ph.D. student in UW Mech. Eng.*
- 2019– **Gabrielle Strandquist**, co-advised with Rajesh Rao, *Ph.D. student in UW Computer Sci. & Eng.*, National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellow
- 2019– **Zoe Steine-Hanson**, co-advised with Rajesh Rao, *Ph.D. student in UW Computer Sci. & Eng.*, National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellow
- 2019– **Biraj Pandey, Ph.D. student in UW Applied Math.**, National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellow
- 2019– **Maxwell Gray, Ph.D. student in UW Computer Sci. & Eng.**
- 2017–2020 **Seth Hirsh, Ph.D. in Physics**, co-advised with Nathan Kutz
- 2015–2018 **Nancy X. R. Wang, Ph.D. in Computer Science & Engineering**, co-advised with Rajesh Rao, Washington Research Foundation Innovation in Neuroengineering and Data Science Graduate Fellow, National Science and Engineering Research Council (NSERC) of Canada Graduate Fellow

UNDERGRADUATE AND POST-BACCALAUREATE

- 2019– **Sara Ichinaga**, undergraduate researcher, *Applied Computational and Mathematical Sciences (ACMS) major at UW*
- 2020– **Zeynep Toprakbasti**, undergraduate researcher, *Computer Science major at UW, Mary Gates Scholar*
- 2021– **Abna Moalin**, undergraduate ENDURE scholar, *Biology major at Highline College*
- 2019–2021 **Nathan Davis**, undergraduate researcher, *Computer Science graduate at UW*
- 2019–2020 **Nathaniel Linden**, undergraduate researcher, *Bioengineering graduate at UW*
- 2018–2019 **Yuchen Wang**, undergraduate researcher, *Computer Sci and Psychology graduate at UW*
- 2017–2019 **George Stepaniants**, undergraduate researcher, co-advised with Nathan Kutz, *Mathematics and Computer Science graduate at UW, Mary Gates Scholar*
- 2018 **Frances Ingram-Bate**, undergraduate researcher, *Bioengineering major at UW*
- 2018 **AJ Krouse**, undergraduate researcher, *Neurobiology major at UW*
- 2017–2018 **Gautham Velchuru**, undergraduate researcher, *UWIN fellow, Computer Sci major at UW*
- 2017–2018 **Joe Christianson**, undergraduate researcher, *Mathematics major at UW*
- 2017–2018 **Jeffery Ni**, undergraduate researcher, *Bioengineering major at UW*
- 2017 **Nhi Ngo**, undergraduate researcher, *Applied Comp & Mathematical Sci major at UW*
- 2016–2017 **Ryan Shean**, undergraduate researcher and UWIN fellow, *Microbiology major at UW*

- 2016 Wilven Smoody, undergraduate researcher, *Physics graduate at UW*
 2016 Mathi Manavalan, undergraduate researcher, *Psychology major at UW*
 2016 Sam Kinn, undergraduate researcher and UWIN fellow, *Electrical Engineering graduate at UW*
 2016 Mycole Brown, undergraduate researcher, *Biology graduate at UW*
 2015–2016 Karl Marrett, post-baccalaureate researcher and UWIN Fellow, *Neurobiology/Computational Neuroscience graduate at UW*
 2015 Christine McCreary, undergraduate researcher sponsored by UWIN and the Center for Sensorimotor Neural Engineering (CSNE), *Computer Science and Neurobiology major at UW*
 2015 Monica Lamirand, undergrad researcher, CSNE UR, *Math/Psych major at Hanover College*
 2013–2014 Justin Thompson, *post-baccalaureate researcher at UW, Center for Sensorimotor Neural Engineering (CSNE) Research Experience for Veterans–University Projects (REV-UP)*

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

- 2021 Vanshika Balaji, Issaquah High School
 2017–2018 Saijel Verma, Interlake High School

PH.D. GRADUATE COMMITTEES

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| Yoni Browning | Neuroscience (Co-advisors: Beth Buffalo & Adrienne Fairhall), thesis committee member |
| Suzanne Lewis | Psychology (Advisor: David Gire), graduate school representative |
| Jesse Miles | Neuroscience (Advisors: David Gire & Sheri Mizumori), thesis committee member |
| Meghana Velegar | Applied Mathematics (Advisor: Nathan Kutz), graduate school representative |
| Brandon Pratt | Physiology & Biophysics (Advisor: John Tuthill), thesis committee member |
| Samantha Sun | Bioengineering (Co-advisors: Raj Rao & Jeff Ojemann), thesis committee member |
| Si Jia Li | Bioengineering (Advisor: Amy Orsborn), thesis committee member |
| Leila Elabbady | Neuroscience (Advisors: John Tuthill, Forrest Collman), thesis committee member |
| Dennis Tabuena, Ph.D. | Neuroscience 2021 (Advisor: Bill Moody), thesis committee member |
| John Huddleston, Ph.D. | Molecular and Cell Biology 2021 (Advisor: Trevor Bedford), graduate school representative |
| Callie Bee, Ph.D. | Computer Science & Engineering 2021 (Advisor: Luis Ceze), graduate school representative |
| Claire Rusch, Ph.D. | Biology 2020 (Advisor: Jeff Riffell), thesis committee member |
| Eleanor Lutz, Ph.D. | Biology 2020 (Advisor: Jeff Riffell), thesis committee member |
| Gideon Dunster, Ph.D. | Biology 2019 (Advisor: Horacio de la Iglesia), thesis committee member |
| Nile Wilson, Ph.D. | Bioengineering 2019 (Co-advisors: Raj Rao, Jeff Ojemann & Eric Chudler), thesis committee member |
| David Caldwell, Ph.D. | Bioengineering MD/PhD program 2019 (Co-advisors: Raj Rao, Jeff Ojemann & Eric Chudler), thesis committee member |
| Jing James Wu, Ph.D. | Bioengineering 2019 (Co-advisors: Raj Rao, Jeff Ojemann & Eric Chudler), thesis committee member |
| David Bjanas, Ph.D. | Electrical Engineering 2019 (Advisor: Chet Moritz), graduate school representative |
| Vaishnavi Ranganathan, Ph.D. | Electrical Engineering 2018 (Advisor: Josh Smith), graduate school representative |
| Alex Tank, Ph.D. | Statistics 2018 (Advisor: Emily Fox), graduate school representative |

Maggie Thompson, Ph.D.	Electrical Engineering 2018 (Advisor: Howard Chiczek), graduate school representative
Jingjing Wang, Ph.D.	Computer Science & Engineering 2018 (Advisor: Magda Balazinska), graduate school representative
Andrew Haddock, Ph.D.	Electrical Engineering 2017 (Advisor: Howard Chiczek), thesis committee member
James Kunert, Ph.D.	Physics 2016, (Advisor: Nathan Kutz), graduate school representative
Vamsi Talla, Ph.D.	Electrical Engineering 2016, (Advisor: Josh Smith), graduate school representative
Brad Dickerson, Ph.D.	Biology 2015, (Advisor: Tom Daniel), thesis committee member

TEACHING

2021 Spring	UW, BIOL 511C, High-dimensional Data Analysis
2021 Winter	UW, BIOL 461, Neurobiology
2020 Spring	UW, BIOL 511B, Mathematical Biology , with B. Kerr
2020 Winter	UW, BIOL 419/519, Data Science for Biologists
2019 Spring	UW, BIOL 511B, Mathematical Biology , with B. Kerr
2019 Winter	UW, BIOL 419/519, Data Science for Biologists , with K. D. Harris
2018 Spring	UW, BIOL 511B, Mathematical Biology , with B. Kerr
2018 Spring	UW, BIOL 130, Introduction to Neuroscience , with T. Daniel & W. Moody
2018 Winter	UW, BIOL 419/519, Data Science for Biologists
2017 Winter	UW, BIOL 419/519, Data Science for Biologists
2016 Spring	UW, BIOL 300, Introduction to Neuroscience , with W. Moody
2016 Winter	UW, BIOL 419/519, Data Science for Biologists
2015 Spring	UW, BIOL 419/519, Data Science for Biologists

VIRTUAL AND ONLINE TEACHING

2020, 21	Neuromatch Academy , an online school for computational neuroscience, lecturer, tutorial creator, and day chief on <i>Linear Systems</i> , materials freely available online
2016	Video Course Data Science for Biologists , lectures available on YouTube

GUEST LECTURES

2021	UCSD, Cognitive Neuroscience Colloquium
2014, 15, 16, 17, 20	UW, NBIO 490 Seminars in Computational Neuroscience
2019, 20	UW, MATH 498 Undergraduate Mathematical Sciences Seminar
2017	UW, CSE 491 Data Science and Society
2017	UW, CSE/Neuro 528 Computational Neuroscience
2016	UW, PSYCH 502 Core Concepts in Behavioral Neuroscience
2014	UW, GEN ST 391B Different Ways of Knowing

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

ADVISORY AND EDITORIAL ROLES

Board of Directors, Neuromatch Conference (NMC), 2021–present

Executive Board, Neurodata Without Borders (NWB), 2020–present

Editorial Board, Neurons, Behavior, Data analysis, and Theory (NBDT), 2018–present

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

- 2019– eScience Institute, Member of Executive Committee
- 2020– Data Science Minor, Member of Curriculum Committee
- 2020– Dept of Biology & eScience Institute, Data Science Minor advisor
- 2019– Dept of Biology & eScience Institute, Data Science Ph.D. Option advisor
- 2018–2021 Dept of Biology, Member of Undergraduate Program Committee
- 2019 Search Committee for the Director of the eScience Institute
- 2017–2019 eScience Institute & UW Institute of Neuroengineering, Neuroinformatics Working Group
- 2015–2018 Neuroscience Graduate Program, Member of Admissions Committee
- 2017–2018 eScience Institute, Co-Chair of Education Working Group
- 2017–2018 eScience Institute, Program Chair of UW Data Science Summit
- 2017–2018 Dept of Biology, Member of Faculty Search Committee
- 2014–2017 eScience Institute, Member of Education Working Group
- 2016–2017 Dept of Biology, Member of Graduate & Postdoc Committee
- 2016–2017 Dept of Biology, Member of Seminar Committee
- 2015–2016 Dept of Biology, Co-Chair of Seminar Committee

Ad Hoc Reviewer for: Mary Gates Merit Scholarship, Royal Research Fund, Innovation in Neuroengineering Postdoctoral Fellowship, Washington Research Foundation Data Science Postdoctoral Fellowship, Institute for Translational and Health Sciences Pilot Awards, Weill Neurohub.

EXTERNAL COMMITTEES

- 2021– Shanahan Foundation Fellowship at the Interface of Data and Neuroscience, Allen Institute, Member of selection committee
- 2021 Washington Research Foundation (WRF) Postdoctoral Fellowship, Member of selection committee

CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP ORGANIZING

- 2021 Neuromatch Conference, board of directors and member of executive committee
- 2017–2018 Computational and Systems Neuroscience Conference, co-organizer for Workshop on Recent Computational Advances in Neuroengineering: From Theory to Applications
- 2015–2018 Computational and Systems Neuroscience Conference (COSYNE 2016, 2017, 2018), Member of Program Committee
- 2016–2017 Organization for Human Brain Mapping (OHBM) Annual Meeting, Vancouver BC, Symposium Organizer for *Uncovering complexity with long-term naturalistic recordings*
- 2016–2017 Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM) Conference on Dynamical Systems, Snowbird UT, Mini-Symposium Organizer for *Equation-free modeling of biological systems*
- 2015–2016 International Conference on Brain Informatics & Health (BIH 2016), Co-Chair of Workshops and Tutorials

INVITED WORKSHOPS, PANELS, AND EVENTS

- 2019 Fall Institute for Pure and Applied Mathematics (IPAM), Long Workshop on Machine Learning for Physics, UCLA (Westwood CA)
- 2017 Sept. Plenary Speaker at the University of Washington Annual TA Conference (Seattle WA)
- 2016 Dec. BRAIN Initiative Annual PI Meeting (Bethesda MD)
- 2016 Nov. Society for Mathematical Psychology and Psychonomics, Workshop on Rethinking Biological Plausibility (Boston MA)
- 2016 Oct. NSF CRCNS Annual PI Meeting (Paris, France)
- 2016 Oct. BrainKDD: The 3rd International Workshop on Data Mining and Visualization for Brain Science (Seattle WA)

2016 Sept. Plenary Speaker at the University of Washington Annual TA/RA Conference (Seattle WA)
 2016 Sept. NeuroHack Week (Seattle WA)
 2016 Mar. DARPA/ISAT Workshop, Bio-Integrate Processing, Sensing and Storage (Seattle WA)
 2016 Feb. Computational and Systems Neuroscience (COSYNE), Workshop on Dimensionality Reduction in High-Dimensional Neural Datasets (Snowbird UT)
 2015 Dec. DARPA/ISAT Workshop, Making Sense (Washington DC)
 2015 Oct. Moore-Sloan Data Science Environment Annual Summit (Suncadia WA)
 2015 Mar. DARPA/ISAT Workshop, Silicon Meets Biotechnology (Seattle WA)
 2014 Oct. Moore-Sloan Data Science Environment Annual Summit (Asilomar CA)

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Proposal review for: NSF CRCNS, NSF CNS, HFSP.

Manuscript reviewer for: Proceedings of the National Academy of Science, Nature Neuroscience, Science Advances, Nature Communications, eLife, Nature Methods, Current Biology, Trans Biomedical Engineering, IEEE Trans Image Processing, IEEE Trans Signal Processing, Cell Reports, PLoS Computational Biology, PLoS One, NeurIPS, ICLR, SIAM Journal on Applied Dynamical Systems (SIADS), Journal of the American Statistical Association, Entropy, Neuroscience, Pattern Recognition Letters, Bioinformatics, J Neurosci Methods, J Experimental Biology, Neuroimage.

COMMUNITY AND OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

2015–18 *Girls in Science* volunteer instructor, Burke Museum of Natural History and Culture
 2017 Neurobiology Club and SynapTech presenting *Neuroscience for Everyone*, Panelist leading discussion on consciousness, artificial intelligence, and ethics
 2017 Grey Matters Journal presenting *Evening with Neuroscience*, Panelist
 2017 UW Neurobiology Club, Guest Speaker
 2012 Women in Science and Engineering (WISC) panel discussion on grad school, panelist
 2009 Science Expo at Princeton University, volunteer
 2009 Trenton Area Science Fair, volunteer
 2007, 08, 09 New Jersey Science Olympiad, event coordinator and judge