## 4th International Winter School on Big Data



Timisoara, Romania, January 22-26, 2018 more info: http://grammars.grlmc.com/BigDat2018/

## **Keynote Speakers (to be confirmed)**

## **Professors and Courses**

Paul Bliese (University of South Carolina), [introductory/intermediate] *Using R for Mixed-effects (Multilevel) Models*Hendrik Blockeel (KU Leuven), [intermediate] *Decision Trees for Big Data Analytics* 

Diego Calvanese (Free University of Bozen-Bolzano), [intermediate] tbc

Nick Duffield (Texas A&M University), [introductory/intermediate] Sampling for Big Data

Saso Dzeroski (Jozef Stefan Institute), [introductory/intermediate] Multi-target Prediction: Techniques and Applications

Geoffrey C. Fox (Indiana University, Bloomington), [intermediate] Integration of HPC, Big Data Analytics and Software Ecosystem

Minos Garofalakis (Technical University of Crete), [intermediate/advanced] Data Streaming Analytics

David Gerbing (Portland State University), [introductory] Data Visualization with R

Xiaohua Tony Hu (Drexel University), [introductory/advanced] Big Data Analysis in Microbiome Study

Maurizio Lenzerini (Sapienza University of Rome), [intermediate/advanced] Semantic Technologies for Open Data Publishing

Bing Liu (University of Illinois, Chicago), [intermediate/advanced] Lifelong Learning and its Applications in NLP

B.S. Manjunath (University of California, Santa Barbara), [introductory] Unstructured (Big) Data

Folker Meyer (Argonne National Laboratory), [introductory/intermediate] Efficient Multi Cloud Execution of Reproducible Data Analytics using Common Workflow Language, AWE and SHOCK Wladek Minor (University of Virginia), [introductory/advanced] Big Data in Biomedical Sciences

Fionn Murtagh (University of Huddersfield), [introductory/advanced] The New Science of Big Data Analytics, Based on the Geometry and the Topology of Complex, Hierarchic Systems

Raymond Ng (University of British Columbia), [introductory] *Mining and Summarizing Text Conversations* 

Srinivasan Parthasarathy (Ohio State University), [introductory/intermediate] Network Science Fundamentals

Hanan Samet (University of Maryland, College Park), [introductory/intermediate]

Sorting in Space: Multidimensional, Spatial, and Metric Data Structures for Applications in Spatial Databases, Geographic Information Systems (GIS), and Location-based Services

Kyuseok Shim (Seoul National University), [introductory/intermediate] MapReduce Algorithms for Big Data Analysis

Jaideep Srivastava (Qatar Computing Research Institute), [introductory/intermediate] Social Computing

Jeffrey Ullman (Stanford University), [introductory] Big-data Algorithms That Aren't Machine Learning

Pascal Van Hentenryck (University of Michigan, Ann Arbor), [intermediate] Big Data in Transportation and Mobility

Sebastián Ventura (University of Córdoba), [intermediate/advanced] Pattern Mining on Big Data

Haixun Wang (Facebook), [intermediate/advanced] Understanding Natural Language: End-to-end and Structure Learning Approaches

Xiaowei Xu (University of Arkansas, Little Rock), [introductory/advanced] Mining Big Networked Data

Zhongfei Zhang (Binghamton University), [introductory/advanced] Relational and Media Data Learning and Knowledge Discovery

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