

*Workshop
on*

Future Directions in Tensor-Based Computation and Modeling¹

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Program

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Friday, February 20

8:15-9:00 Breakfast
Room 120

9:00-9:30 **Opening**
Room 110

Welcome

Lenore Mullin (NSF) , **Frank Olken** (NSF)

Workshop Goals

Charles Van Loan (Cornell University)

Three Right Directions and Three Wrong Directions for Tensor Research

Michael W. Mahoney (Stanford)

9:30-12:30 **Tensor Methods and Modeling: Why the Proliferation?**
Room 110

Alternating Tensors and Rank Learning

Lek-Heng Lim (University of California, Berkeley)

Mining Graphs and Tensors

Christos Faloutsos (Carnegie Melon University)

Mathematical Modeling of DNA Microarray Data: Discovery of Biological Mechanisms with Tensor Decompositions, and Definitions of Novel Tensor Decompositions from Biological Applications

Orly Alter (University of Texas, Austin)

10:45-11:15 Coffee Break
Room 120

Tensor Clustering and Error Bounds

Chris Ding (University of Texas, Arlington)

Unusual Tensor Decompositions for Informatics Applications

Brett W. Bader, (Sandia National Laboratory)

Challenges in Tensor Mining

Evrin Acar Ataman (Sandia National Laboratory)

12:30-1:30 Lunch

Room 120

1:30-3:30 **Software and Language: How Do We Build an Infrastructure that Supports High-Performance, Tensor-Based Computation?**

Room 110

Domain-Specific Abstractions for High-Productivity, High-Performance Scientific Computing
J. (Ram) Ramanujam (Louisiana State University) and **P. (Saday) Sadayappan** (Ohio State University)

Communication Avoiding and Tiled Algorithm for "2D" Linear Algebra.
Julien Langou (University of Colorado, Denver)

Software Challenges in Computational Science
Anthony Kennedy (Edinburgh University)

A Mathematics of Arrays (MoA), Psi Calculus and the Composition of Tensor and Array Operations
Lenore Mullin (NSF) and **James E. Raynolds** (SUNY, Albany)

Tensor Computation on High Performance Machines
Manal Helal (University of New South Wales) and **Lenore Mullin** (NSF)

3:30-4:00 Coffee Break

Room 120

4:00-5:30 **The Curse of Dimensionality: A Grand Challenge?**

Room 110

Computing with Sums of Separable Functions, with Applications in Quantum Mechanics
Martin Mohlenkamp (Ohio University)

Nonlinear Approximations, Multi-linear Tools and Algorithms with Finite but Arbitrary Accuracy.
Gregory Beylkin, (University of Colorado, Boulder)

Multi-Length Scale Matrix Computations and Applications in Quantum Mechanical Simulations.
Zhaojun Bai (University of California, Davis)

From Math to Peta-app: Challenges in Practical Computation with Tensor-Based Algorithms.
Robert J. Harrison (Oak Ridge National Laboratory)

Saturday, February 21

8:15-9:00 Breakfast

Room 120

9:00-10:45 **Multilinear Optimization: More Nonlinear than Linear?**

Room 110

Optimization Approaches for Solving Tensor Decompositions Models and Tensor Eigenvalue Problems

Tamara G. Kolda (Sandia National Laboratories)

Newton-Type Methods for Non-negative Tensor Approximation

Inderjit Dhillon (University of Texas, Austin)

Toward Faster Nonnegative Tensor Factorization: A New Activeset type Algorithm and Comparisons

Haesun Park (Georgia Institute of Technology)

Some Applications of Nonnegative Tensor Factorizations to Mining Hyperspectral and Global Climate Data

Robert Plemmons (Wake Forest University)

10:45-11:15 Coffee Break

Room 120

11:15-12:30 **Tensor-Based Signal Processing and Statistics: Where To and Why?**

Room 110

Cumulant Signal Processing, Tensors, and Some Recurring Problems

Phillip Regalia (Catholic University of America)

An Introduction to Tensor-Based Independent Component Analysis

Lieven De Lathauwer (K.U.Leuven)

Algebraic Models for Multilinear Dependence

Jason Morton (Stanford University)

12:30-1:30 Lunch

Room 120

1:30-2:45 **Tensor Problems: What Makes Them Hard?**

Room 110

Developing Tensor Operations with an Underlying Group Structure

Carla Martin (James Madison University)

Results and Problems for 3-tensors

Shmuel Friedland (University of Illinois, Chicago)

Tensor Decompositions from a Theoretical Computer Science Perspective

Petros Drineas (Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute)

2:45-3:15 Coffee Break

Room 120

3:15-4:15 **Numerical Linear Algebra: What Is Its Message?**

Room 375

Krylov Methods for Tensors I

Lars Elden (Linköping University)

Krylov Methods for Tensors II

Berkant Savas (Linköping University)

Numerical Linear Algebra Issues Underlying a Tensor Network Computation

Charles Van Loan (Cornell University)

4:15-4:30 Break

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4:30-5:30 **Closing Discussion**

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Sunday, February 22

9:00-11:00 **Workshop Report Writing Session**

Location TBA