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Current position

Director, Institute for Computational Sustainability, Cornell University

Professor, Dept. of Computer Science, Dept. of Information Science, and Dyson School of Applied Economics and Management, Cornell University

Cornell Research Field Membership: Computer Science, Information Science, Applied Mathematics, Applied Economics and Management, and City and Regional Planning.

Education

Ph.D. (Computer Science), University of Edinburgh (1993).

Area: Artificial Intelligence and Operations Research

Advisors: Professors Austin Tate (Artificial Intelligence) and Lyn Thomas (Oper. Research)

M.Sc. (Applied Mathematics), Technical University of Lisbon (1987).

Area: Operations Research

Advisor: Professor Teresa Almeida

Research Interests:

Computational Sustainability; Scientific Discovery; Combinatorial Decision and Optimization Problems; Connections with Operations Research, Machine and Statistical Learning, and Dynamical Systems; Multi-agent Systems; Approximations, randomization, and sampling techniques to identify structure; Science of Computation (synthesis of formal and experimental research).

Professional Recognition

Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), 2013.

Fellow, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2007.

Lead P.I., NSF Expeditions in Computing Award (\$10M). CompSustNet: Expanding the Horizons of Computational Sustainability, 2015-2020.

Lead P.I., NSF Expeditions in Computing Award (\$10M). Computational Sustainability: Computational Methods for a Sustainable Environment, Economy, and Society, 2008-2013.

Fellow, Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study, Harvard University, 2011-2012.

Chair-elect, Chair; Retired Chair, the Section on Information, Computing and Communication of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) 2014, 2015, 2016.

Member, Executive Council, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence, 2002-2005, 2012-2015.

AAAI Classic Paper Award, Boosting Combinatorial Search Through Randomization, AAAI, 2016.

Innovative AI Award, Phase-Mapper: An AI Platform to Accelerate High Throughput Materials Discovery. IAAI 2016.

Editor, special issue on Computational Sustainability, AI Magazine , 2013.

Program Chair, 10th International Conference on Integration of Artificial Intelligence and Operations Research Techniques in Constraint Programming, IBM T. J. Watson Research Center, NY, USA (CPAIOR 2013).

Program Chair, special track on Computational Sustainability of the Twenty-Third International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence,(IJCAI-13).

Program Chair, special track on Computational Sustainability of the Twenty-Fifth Conference on Artificial Intelligence, (AAAI-13).

Best Paper Award, Model counting: A new strategy for obtaining good bounds. Twenty-first National Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI06), 2006.

Distinguished Paper Award, Statistical Regimes Across Constrainedness Regions, Conference on the Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming, 2004.

Computational Sustainability. *The Bridge*, National Academy of Engineering, Volume 39, Number 4, Winter 2009. (Invited article.)

Program Co-chair, Twenty-Third Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Chicago, IL, USA (AAAI-08), 2008.

Program Co-chair, Ninth International Conference on Theory and Applications of Satisfiability Testing, Seattle, Washington, USA, (SAT 2006), 2006.

Conference Chair, International Conference on the Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming, Ithaca, NY, USA (CP-2002), 2002.

Invited Talk, World Economic Forum, China. Computational Sustainability, 2016.

Invited Plenary Talk, National Academy of Engineering, U.S. Frontiers of Engineering, 2009.

Invited Plenary Talk, 24th National Conference of the American Association for Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-10), 2010.

Invited Plenary Talk, 17th National Conference of the American Association for Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-00), 2000.

Invited Plenary Talk, International Conference on the Integration of Constraint Programming, Artificial Intelligence, and Operations Research, (CPAIOR-2010), 2010.

Invited Plenary Talk, 15th International Conference on the Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming (CP09), 2009.

Invited Plenary Talk, Grace Hopper Celebration of Women in Computing, (GraceHopper'10), 2010.

Nature, "Can Get Satisfaction," 2005 (invited perspective).

Member, Advisory Committee, International Scientists, for the Research Council President of the European Union, 2000.

Special Recognition Award, Information Directorate, Air Force Research Laboratory, 1999. Citation: Dr. Carla P. Gomes is recognized for her ground-breaking research in integrating Artificial Intelligence and Operations Research techniques which led to a "boosted" search method that allowed several orders of magnitude speedups for solving hard, real-world problems. 1999.

AFRL/IF nominated ROMAN for the *General Ronald Yates Award* for Excellence in Technology Transfer. ROMAN is a system incorporating AI techniques for generating provably correct and safe schedules for planned shutdowns of nuclear power plants. (Carla Gomes was the principal investigator of ROMAN.) 1996.

Ph.D. Scholarship Portuguese Scientific Foundation (3 years).

Best Student Paper Award, (Ph.D. Student: Stefano Ermon.) Computing the density of states of Boolean formulas. Conference on the Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming, 2010.

Publications

Journals and Refereed Proceedings

1. Xue, Y.; Wu, X.; Morin, D.; Dilkina, D.; Fuller, A.; Royle, A.; Gomes, C. Dynamic Optimization of Landscape Connectivity Embedding Spatial-Capture-Recapture Information. 4552-4558. AAAI 2017.
2. Diaz, M.; Le Bras, R.; Gomes, C. In Search of Balance: The Challenge of Generating Balanced Latin Rectangles. CPAIOR 2017.
3. Bai, J.; Bjorck, J.; Xue, Y.; Suram, S.; Gregoire, J.; Gomes, C. Relaxation Methods for Constrained Matrix Factorization Problems: Solving the Phase Mapping Problem in Materials Discovery. CPAIOR 2017.
4. Chen, D.; Xue, Y.; Fink, D.; Chen, S.; Gomes, C. Deep Multi-species Embedding. IJCAI 2017.
5. Wu, X.; Xue, Y.; Selman, B.; Gomes, C. XOR-Sampling for Network Design with Correlated Stochastic Events. 4640-4647 IJCAI 2017.
6. Xue, Y.; Bai, J.; Le Bras, R.; Rappazzo, B.; Bernstein, R.; Bjorck, J.; Longpre, Suram, S.; van Dover, B.; Gregoire, J.; and Gomes, C. Phase-Mapper: An AI Platform to Accelerate High Throughput Materials Discovery. 4635-4643. AAAI 2017. (IAAI Innovative AI Award).
7. Suram, S.; Xue, Y.; Bai, J.; Le Bras, R.; Rappazzo, B.; Bernstein, R.; Bjorck, J.; Zhou, L.; van Dover, R. B.; Gomes, C.P. Automated Phase Mapping with AgileFD and its Application to Light Absorber Discovery in the V-Mn-Nb Oxide system. *ACS Combinatorial Science*, 19: 37-46, 2017.
8. Xue, Yexiang; Davies, Ian; Fink, Daniel; Wood, Christopher; Gomes, Carla P. Avicaching: A Two Stage Game for Bias Reduction in Citizen Science. *Proceedings of the 2016 International Conference on Autonomous Agents and Multiagent Systems (AAMAS-2016)*, Singapore, 2016.
9. Xue, Yexiang; Davies, Ian; Fink, Daniel; Wood, Christopher; Gomes, Carla P. Behavior Identification in Two-Stage Games for Incentivizing Citizen Science Exploration. *Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming - 22nd International Conference (CP-2016)*, France, 2016.
10. Xue, Yexiang; Ermon, Stefano; Le Bras, Ronan; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart. Variable Elimination in the Fourier Domain. *Proceedings of the 33rd International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML 2016)*, New York, NY, 2016.
11. Xue, Yexiang; Li, Zhiyuan; Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart. Solving Marginal MAP Problems with NP Oracles and Parity Constraints. *Proceedings of the Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems 29: Annual Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS-2016)*, Barcelona, 2016.

12. Ermon, Stefano; Le Bras, Ronan; Suram, Santosh K.; Gregoire, John M.; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart; van Dover, Robert Bruce. Pattern Decomposition with Complex Combinatorial Constraints: Application to Materials Discovery. *Proceedings of the Twenty-Ninth AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-2015)*, Texas, 2015.
13. Ermon, Stefano; Xue, Yexiang; Toth, Russell; Dilkina, Bistra N.; Bernstein, Richard; Damoulas, Theodoros; Clark, Patrick; DeGloari, Steve; Mude, Andrew; Barrett, Christopher; Gomes, Carla P. Learning Large-Scale Dynamic Discrete Choice Models of Spatio-Temporal Preferences with Application to Migratory Pastoralism in East Africa. *Proceedings of the Twenty-Ninth AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-2015)*, Texas, 2015.
14. Xue, Yexiang; Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart. Uncovering Hidden Structure through Parallel Problem Decomposition for the Set Basis Problem. *Computational Sustainability, Papers from the 2015 AAAI Workshop (AAAI WS)*, Texas, 2015.
15. Xue, Yexiang; Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart. Uncovering Hidden Structure through Parallel Problem Decomposition for the Set Basis Problem: Application to Materials Discovery. *Proceedings of the Twenty-Fourth International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI 2015)*, Argentina, 2015.
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20. Dilkina, Bistra N.; Gomes, Carla P.; Sabharwal, Ashish. Tradeoffs in the complexity of backdoors to satisfiability: dynamic sub-solvers and learning during search. *Annals of Mathematics and Artificial Intelligence* 70(4), 2014.
21. Le Bras, Ronan; Bernstein, Richard; Gregoire, John M.; Suram, Santosh K.; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart; van Dover, R. Bruce. Challenges in Materials Discovery - Synthetic Generator and Real Datasets (*AAAI-2014*), Canada, 2014.

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24. Le Bras, Ronan; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart. On the Erds Discrepancy Problem (*Proceedings of Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming - 20th International Conference (CP 2014)*), France, 2014.
25. Le Bras, Ronan; Xue, Yexiang; Bernstein, Richard; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart. A Human Computation Framework for Boosting Combinatorial Solvers. *Proceedings of the Second AAAI Conference on Human Computation and Crowdsourcing (HCOMP 2014)*, Pennsylvania, 2014.
26. Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla P.; Sabharwal, Ashish; Selman, Bart. Low-density Parity Constraints for Hashing-Based Discrete Integration. *Proceedings of the 31th International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML 2014)*, Beijing, China, 2014.
27. Damoulas, Theodoros; He, Jin; Bernstein, Richard; Gomes, Carla P.; Arora, Anish. String Kernels for Complex Time-Series: Counting Targets from Sensed Movement. *Proceedings of the 22nd International Conference on Pattern Recognition (ICPR 2014)*, Stockholm, Sweden, 2014.
28. Kelling, Steve; Gerbracht, Jeff; Fink, Daniel; Lagoze, Carl; Wong, Weng-Keen, Yu, Jun; Damoulas, Theodoros; Gomes, Carla P. A Human/Computer Learning Network to Improve Biodiversity Conservation and Research. *AI Magazine* , Vol 34, 2013.
29. Ermon, Stefano; Xue, Yexiang; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart. Learning policies for battery usage optimization in electric vehicles. *Machine Learning*, Vol 92, 2013.
30. LeBras, Ronan; Dilkina, Bistra N.; Xue, Yexiang; Gomes, Carla P.; McKelvey, Kevin S.; Schwartz, Michael K.; Montgomery, Claire A. Robust Network Design For Multispecies Conservation. *Proceedings of the Twenty-Seventh AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-2013)*, Bellevue, Washington, 2013.
31. Dilkina, Bistra N.; Lai, Katherine J.; LeBras, Ronan; Xue, Yexiang; Gomes, Carla P.; Sabharwal, Ashish; Suter, Jordan; McKelvey, Kevin S.; Schwartz, Michael K.; Montgomery, Claire A. Large Landscape Conservation - Synthetic and Real-World Datasets. *Proceedings of the Twenty-Seventh AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-2013)*, Bellevue, Washington, 2013.
32. Xue, Yexiang; Dilkina, Bistra N.; Damoulas, Theodoros; Fink, Daniel; Gomes, Carla P.; Kelling, Steve. Improving Your Chances: Boosting Citizen Science Discovery. *Proceedings of the First AAAI Conference on Human Computation and Crowdsourcing (HCOMP 2013)*, Palm Springs, CA, 2013.
33. Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla P.; Sabharwal, Ashish; Selman, Bart. Taming the Curse of Dimensionality: Discrete Integration by Hashing and Optimization. *Proceedings of the 30th International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML-2013)*, Atlanta, GA, 2013.

34. LeBras, Ronan; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart. Double-Wheel Graphs Are Graceful. *Proceedings of the 23rd International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI 2013)*, Beijing, China, 2013.
35. LeBras, Ronan; Bernstein, Richard; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart; van Dover, R. Bruce. Crowdsourcing Backdoor Identification for Combinatorial Optimization. *Proceedings of the 23rd International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI 2013)*, Beijing, China, 2013.
36. Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla P.; Sabharwal, Ashish; Selman, Bart. Embed and Project: Discrete Sampling with Universal Hashing. *Proceedings of Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems 26: 27th Annual Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS-2013)*, Lake Tahoe, Nevada, 2013.
37. Finger, Marcelo; LeBras, Ronan; Gomes, Carla P.; Selman, Bart. Solutions for Hard and Soft Constraints Using Optimized Probabilistic Satisfiability. *Proceedings of the 16th International Conference of Theory and Applications of Satisfiability Testing (SAT-2013)*, Helsinki, Finland, 2013.
38. Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla P.; Sabharwal, Ashish; Selman, Bart. Optimization with Parity Constraints: From Binary Codes to Discrete Integration. *Proceedings of the Twenty-Ninth Conference on Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence (UAI-2013)*, Bellevue, WA., 2013.
39. Gomes, Carla P.; Sellmann, Meinolf. Integration of AI and OR Techniques in Constraint Programming for Combinatorial Optimization Problems. *Proceedings of the 10th International Conference, Lecture Notes in Computer Science 7874, Springer (CPAIOR 2013)*, Yorktown Heights, NY, 2013.
40. Kelling, Steve; Gerbracht, Jeff; Fink, Daniel; Lagoze, Carl; Wong, Weng-Keen; Yu, Jun; Damoulas, Theodoros; and Gomes, Carla P. eBird: A Human/Computer Learning Network for Biodiversity Conservation and Research. *Proceedings of the 24th Innovative Applications of Artificial Intelligence Conference (IAAI 2012)*, Toronto, Canada, 2012.
41. LeBras, Ronan; Gomes, Carla P.; and Selman, Bart. From Streamlined Combinatorial Search to Efficient Constructive Procedures. *Proceedings of the 26th International Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-12)*, Toronto, Canada, 2012.
42. Conrad, Jon; Gomes, Carla P.; van Hoeve, Willem-Jan; Sabharwal, Ashish; and Suter, Jordan F. Wildlife Corridors as a Connected Subgraph Problem, *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*, Volume 63, 2012.
43. Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla; Selman, Bart; and Vladimirovsky, Alexander. Probabilistic Planning With Non-linear Utility Functions and Worst Case Guarantees. *Proceedings of the 11th International Joint Conference on Autonomous Agents and Multi-Agent Systems (AAMAS-12)*, Valencia, Spain, 2012.

44. Ermon, Stefano; LeBras, Ronan; Gomes, Carla; Selman, Bart; and van Dover, Bruce. SMT-Aided Combinatorial Materials Discovery. *Proceedings of the 15th International Conference on Theory and Applications of Satisfiability Testing (SAT-12)*, 2012.
45. Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla; and Selman, Bart. Uniform Solution Sampling Using a Constraint Solver as an Oracle. *Proceedings of the 28th Conference on Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence (UAI 2012)*, 2012.
46. Ermon, Stefano; Xue, Yexiang; Gomes, Carla; and Selman, Bart. Learning Policies for Battery Usage Optimization in Electric Vehicles. *Proceedings of the European Conference on Machine Learning and Principles and Practice of Knowledge Discovery in Databases (ECML-PKDD-12)*, 2012.
47. Teose, Maarika; Ahmadizadeh, Kiyan; OMahony, Eoin; Smith, Rebecca L.; Lu, Zhao; Ellner, Stephen P.; Gomes, Carla P.; and Grohn, Yrjo. Embedding system dynamics in agent based models for complex adaptive systems. *Proceedings of the 22nd International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI-2011)*, Barcelona, Spain, 2011.
48. Lai, Katherine J.; Gomes, Carla P.; Schwartz, Michael K.; McKelvey, Kevin S.; Calkin, David E.; and Montgomery, Claire A. The Steiner Multigraph Problem: Wildlife Corridor Design for Multiple Species. *Proceedings of the 25th AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-11)*, San Francisco, CA, 2011.
49. LeBras, Ronan; Damoulas, Theodoros; Gregoire, John M.; Sabharwal, Ashish; Gomes, Carla P.; and van Dover, R. Bruce. Constraint Reasoning and Kernel Clustering for Pattern Decomposition with Scaling. *Proceedings of the 17th International Conference on Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming (CP 2011)*, Perugia, Italy, 2011.
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51. Gomes, Carla P. Computational Sustainability. *Proceedings of the 10th International Conference on Intelligent Data Analysis (IDA 2011)*, Porto, Portugal, 2011.
52. Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla P.; Sabharwal, Ashish; and Selman, Bart. Accelerated Adaptive Markov Chain for Partition Function Computation. *Proceedings of the 25th Annual Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS-11)*, Grenada, Spain, 2011.
53. Anstegui, Carlos; Bjar, Ramn; Fernandez, Csar; Gomes, Carla P.; and Mateu, Carles. Generating highly balanced sudoku problems as hard problems. *Journal of Heuristics*, Volume 17, 2011.
54. Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla; Sabharwal, Ashish; and Selman, Bart. Accelerated Adaptive Markov Chain for Partition Function Computation. *Proceedings of the 25th Annual Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS-11)*, Grenada, Spain, 2011.

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56. Ermon, Stefano; Conrad, Jon; Gomes, Carla; and Selman Bart. Risk-Sensitive Policies for Sustainable Renewable Resource Allocation. *Proceedings of the 20th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI-11)*, Barcelona, Spain, 2011.
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58. Dilkina, Bistra and Gomes, Carla. Solving Connected Subgraph Problems in Wildlife Conservation. *Proceedings of the 7th International Conference on Integration of AI and OR Techniques in Constraint Programming for Combinatorial Optimization Problems (CP-AI-OR'10)*, 2010.
59. Ermon, Stefano; Gomes, Carla; and Selman Bart. Computing the Density of States of Boolean Formulas. *Proceedings 16th International Conference on Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming (CP 2010)*, 2010. (Best student paper award.)
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64. Gomes, Carla. Challenges for CPAIOR in Computational Sustainability. In *Proceedings of the 7th International Conference on Integration of AI and OR Techniques in Constraint Programming for Combinatorial Optimization Problems (CP-AI-OR'10)*, 2010. (Written version of invited plenary talk.)
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2. *Co-organizer and Invited talk*, Accelerating Science: A Grand Challenge for AI, AAAI Fall Symposium, Arlington, VA, Challenges for AI in Computational Sustainability, 2016.
3. *Invited talk*, Carnegie Mellon School of Computer Science, Challenges for AI in Computational Sustainability, AI Lunch and Seminar, 2016.
4. *Invited talk in computational sustainability session, chair, and tutorial host*, International Conference on Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming, CP2016, Toulouse, France, 2016.
5. *Invited talk*, World Economic Forum, remote to China, Harnessing artificial intelligence to target conservation efforts, 2016.
6. *Keynote speaker*, Computing Research: Addressing National Priorities and Societal Needs CCC Computing Community Consortium, Catalyst Series, Computational Sustainability: Computational Methods for Sustainable Development, 2016.
7. *Invited Talk*, University of Washington AI Research seminar series, Challenges for AI in Computational Sustainability, 2016.
8. *Invited Talk*, AAAS, Washington D.C., Computational Sustainability: UDiscoverIt: Incentivizing Citizen Science Discovery for a Sustainable World, 2015.

9. *Keynote Speaker*, Third International Green Computing Conference (IGCC'12), San Jose, CA, 2012.
10. *Keynote Speaker*, National Academy of Engineering Regional Symposium, Toward a Sustainable Future, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, 2012.
11. *Colloquium Speaker*, University of Waterloo Computer Science Colloquium on Computational Sustainability, Waterloo, Canada, 2012.
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14. *Invited Talk*, Workshop on Information and Communication Technologies for Sustainability (WICS), Salt Lake City, UT, 2011.
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26. *Colloquium Speaker*, CMU, Tepper Business School. Exploiting Structure and Randomization in Combinatorial Search. 2009.
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Invited Survey Lectures and Tutorials

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Open Source, Demos, and Web Applications

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<http://www.cs.cornell.edu/gomes/demos/demo/html/people.html>
6. Visualization of Heavy-tailed Behavior (Java Applet)
<http://www.cs.cornell.edu/gomes/BalancedBranchApplet/ImbalancedApplet.html>
7. Sudoku
<http://www.cs.cornell.edu/gomes/SUDOKU/sudoku.html>
8. Grizzly Bear Wildlife Corridor Problem Generator
9. Red-Cockaded Woodpecker (endangered species) Problem Generator
<http://www.cs.cornell.edu/kiyan/rcw/generator.htm>

Teaching, Course Development, and Research Advising at Cornell

Courses developed recently

CS/AEM/INFO-2770 — *Excursions in Computational Sustainability*. This is an introductory undergraduate level course. An important objective of the course is to show how the often ill-defined notions of sustainability can be made operational through computational and mathematical models, and how those models can improve policies to alter or modify unsustainable human behavior. The course introduces the students to a range of sustainability notions, concepts, and challenges as they arise in different fields (ecology, geology, economics, and other biological, physical, and social sciences). Sustainability topics include sustainable development, biodiversity and wildlife conservation, poverty mitigation, food security, renewable resources, energy, transportation, and climate change. In the context of these sustainability topics, the course will introduce students to mathematical and computational modeling techniques, algorithms, and machine and statistical learning methods.

Other courses taught

CS/INFO-6702 — *Topics in Computational Sustainability.*

INFO7990 — *Distributed Seminar on Sustainability Science.*

CS-4700 — *Foundations of Artificial Intelligence.*

CS-4701 — *Artificial Intelligence Practicum.*

CS/INFO-3720 — *Explorations in Artificial Intelligence.*

CS-6730 — *Integration of Artificial Intelligence and Operations Research Techniques for Combinatorial Problems.*

AEM-4120 — *Computational Methods for Management and Economics.*

Student research advising, Ph.D. / M.Eng. / Undergraduate:

Johan Bjorck, (Ph.D.,CS), Yexiang Xue (Ph.D., CS), Qinru Shi (Ph.D., Applied Math), Bistra Dilkina (Ph.D., CS, now Assistant Professor at Georgia Tech), Stefano Ermon (Ph.D., CS, now Assistant Professor at Stanford), Katherine Lai (Ph.D., CS), Ronan Le Bras (Ph.D., CS, now researcher at Paul Allen Institute for Artificial Intelligence), Maarika Teose (Ph.D., CAM), Yunsong Guo (Ph.D., CS, now at Pinterest), Ricardo Arguello (Ph.D., CRP, 2009, minor; chair: Nancy Chau), Zevi Azzaino (Ph.D.,CRP, minor; chair: Jon Conrad), Ryan Finseth(M.Sc., AEM, minor; chair: Jon Conrad), Yan Zhao (M.Sc., AEM), Keith Savageau (M.Sc., AEM, 2005), Sam Henry (M.Eng., research project Sp 2010), Lisa Cai(M.Eng., research project Sp 2005), Anan Kapur (M.Eng., research project Spring 2005), Keith Savageau (M.Sc., AEM, 2005), Ryan Williams (M.Eng.,research project Summer 2002), Sean N. Byrnes (M.Eng, research project 2001), Vicky Weissman (M.Eng.,research project Summer 1999), Andrew Perrault (Undergrad), Gregory Sadowski (Undergrad Fall 2009), Raoul Reit (Undergrad Spring 2010), Sarah Chung (Undergrad Fall 2002), Nir Etzion (Undergrad Fall 2001), Guilherme Luiz Karnas Hoefel (Undergraduate / M.Eng. OR - Research project 2001/2002), Patrick Dowell (Undergrad, research project Summer 2001), Radha Narayan (Undergrad, research project Summer 2001), Mike Sweredoski (Undergrad, research project Summer 2002), Ben Kraus (Undergrad, research project Summer 2000).

Postdoctoral associates:

Xiaojian Wu (2016-current); Theodoros Damoulas (2009-2013, now Assistant Professor at University of Warwick, UK); Carlos Ansotegui (2005, now Professor at Lleida University, Spain); Ramon Bejar (2003, now Professor at Lleida University, Spain); Ashish Sabharwal (2005-2010, now at Paul Allen Institute for Artificial Intelligence); Willem van Hoeve (2005-2010, currently Associate Professor, CMU); Meinolf Sellmann (2004, now at IBM T.J. Watson Research Center); Cesar Fernandez (2004, now Professor, Lleida University, Spain); Carmel Domshlak (2002-2003, now Associate Professor, Technion University, Israel); Ramon Bejar (2001, currently Assoc. Professor, Lleida University)

Professional Service

Editorial Boards (past and current):

Journal of Artificial Intelligence Research

ACM Transactions on Programming Languages and Systems (current)
Constraints Journal (current)
Journal of Knowledge Engineering Review (current)
Journal of Satisfiability, Boolean Modeling and Computation (current)

Guest Editor, *ACM Transactions on Intelligent Systems and Technology*, Special issue on Computational Sustainability (2010-2011).

Program Chair (with Brian Williams) Special Track on Computational Sustainability at AAAI, 25th Conference on Artificial Intelligence, CompSust@AAAI, San Francisco, 2011.

Program Chair (with Tom Dietterich and Brian Williams) 2nd Intl. Conference on Computational Sustainability (CompSust-2009), MIT, Boston, USA, 2009.

Program Chair (with Jon Conrad and David Shmoys) 1st Intl. Conference on Computational Sustainability (CompSust-2009), Cornell University, Ithaca, USA, 2009.

Program Chair (with Dieter Fox), Twenty-Third Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-08), Chicago, USA, 2008.

Program Chair (with Armin Biere), Ninth International Conference on Theory and Applications of Satisfiability Testing (SAT 2006), Seattle, Washington, USA, 2006.

Conference Chair, Eighth International Conference on the Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming (CP2002), Ithaca, NY, 2002.

Co-Chair:

AAAI Tutorial program, American Association for Artificial Intelligence AAAI-2006.

AAAI Workshop on Probability and Search, Edmonton, Canada, 2002 (with Toby Walsh).

AAAI Fall Symposium, Uncertainty in Computation, Boston, Nov. 2001 (with Toby Walsh).

AAAI Workshop, Leverage Randomization, and Probability, Austin, TX, 2000 (with H. Hoos).

External committee member (Ph.D.):

Alda Carvallho, Applied Mathematics, Technical University of Lisbon, 2010.

Mathew Streeter, Comp. Sci. Dept., Carnegie Mellon University, 2008.

Erik van der Meers, Information Technology, University of Copenhagen, 2006.

Vincent Cicerello, Comp. Sci. Dept., Carnegie Mellon University, 2004.

Carlos Ansotegui, Comp. Sci. Dept., Univ. Lleida, Spain, 2004.

Ines Lynce, Comp. Sci. Dept., University of Lisbon, 2003

Ramon Bejar, Comp. Sci. Dept., Univ. Aut3noma de Barcelona, Spain, 2000.

Anil Menon, Computer Science Department, University of Syracuse, 1998.

Guest Editor, *J. of Knowledge Engineering Review*, on AI/OR for Planning and Scheduling (2001).

Program Committees:

National Conference of the American Association for Artificial Intelligence AAAI-2010 (Nectar PC); 16th International Conference on the Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming, CP-2010; International Conference on the Integration of AI and OR in CP for Combinatorial Optimization (CPAIOR-2009);

21st International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence, IJCAI-2009; International Conference on the Integration of AI and OR in CP for Combinatorial Optimization (CPAIOR-2008);

International Conference on the Integration of AI and OR in CP for Combinatorial Optimization (CPAIOR-2007); International Conference on the Integration of AI and OR in CP for Combinatorial Optimization (CPAIOR-2006); International Conference on Automated Planning and Scheduling, ICAPS-2006; International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence, IJCAI-2005; International Conference on the Integration of AI and OR in CP for Combinatorial Optimization (CPAIOR-2005); International Conference on Automated Planning and Scheduling, ICAPS-2005; National Conference of the American Association for Artificial Intelligence AAAI-2005 (senior PC); International Conference on the Integration of AI and OR in CP for Combinatorial Optimization (CPAIOR-2004); International Conference on Automated Planning and Scheduling, ICAPS-2004; 7th International Conference on the Theory and Applications of Satisfiability Testing, SAT-2004; International Conference on Automated Planning and Scheduling, ICAPS-2003; 9th International Conference on the Principles and Practice of Constraint Programming, CP-2003; 6th International Conference on the Theory and Applications of Satisfiability Testing, SAT-2003; American Association for Artificial Intelligence AAAI-2002; Symp. on the Theory and Applications of Satisfiability Testing (SAT-2001, part of LICS-2001); Abstract State Machine Workshop, ASM-2000; European Conference on Planning, ECP-1999; Agents 1999; American Association for Artificial Intelligence AAAI-1996; Artificial Intelligence Tools (AI-TOOLS) 1994; AI/OR Workshop, Vermont, 1994.

Judge, Intel International Science and Engineering Fair, May 12-18, 2002, USA.

Advisory Committee Member, *International Scientists, Presidency of European Community*, 2000.

Member, Electrical and Computer Engineering — Robotics and Information Systems, Funding Review Panel of the National Science and Technology Foundation, Portugal, Febr. 2002.

Member, DARPA Future Directions Study Group (ISAT), Self-Configuring Wireless Sensor Networks, Woods Hole, MA, August 2000; Study on Probabilistic Methods in Computational Systems and Infrastructure, Woods Hole, MA, August 1999.

Organizer, New World Vistas AFOSR Annual Review, 1999.

Reviewer for:

Artificial Intelligence Journal; Constraints: An International Journal; Discrete Applied Mathematics; Constraint Programming; American Association for Artificial Intelligence (AAAI); Air Force Office of Scientific Research (AFOSR); Artificial Intelligence Tools Journal; IEEE Expert; International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI); Journal of Automated Reasoning; Journal of Artificial Intelligence Research; NASA; and NSF.

Employment History

Since Jul. 2008	Director, Institute for Computational Sustainability.
Since Jul. 2010	Professor, Dept. of Computer Science, Dept. of Information Science and Dyson School of Economics and Management, Cornell University.
2003-2010	Associate Professor, Computing and Information Science, Dept. of Applied Economics and Management, and Dept. of Computer Science, Cornell University.
2001-2008	Director, Intelligent Information Systems Institute (IISI), Computing and Information Science, Cornell University.
1998-2000	Research Associate, Computer Science Dept., Cornell University.
1993-1998	Researcher, Air Force Research Lab, Information Directorate, Information Technology, Technical Advisor: Nort Fowler.
1990-1992	Teaching Assistant at the University of Edinburgh.
1987-1989	Research Analyst, Department of Informatics, Air Portugal. Main projects: Crew Scheduling and Automatic Passenger Profile Analysis.

Recent Media

- *Materials to do anything under the sun*, Cornell Engineering Magazine, October 4, 2016.
- *Optimization technique identifies cost-effective biodiversity corridors*, ScienceDaily, September 27, 2016.
- *Students Come Together to Code, Solve Problems at the BigRed Hacks*, Cornell Sun, September 19, 2016.
- *Three ways artificial intelligence is helping to save the world*, Ensia, April 26, 2016.
- *Computers play a crucial role in preserving the Earth*, NSF Web site, April 20, 2016.
- *Computing and Information Science receives 10 million dollar grant*, Cornell Chronicle, March 29, 2016.
- *Cornellians illuminate world's scientific strides*, Cornell Chronicle, February 18, 2016.
- *Incentivizing citizen science discovery for a sustainable world*, Phys.org, February 13, 2016.
- *Cornellians to share scientific studies at AAAS meeting*, Cornell Chronicle, February 2, 2016.
- *Prof Awarded 10 million dollar Grant for Computational Sustainability Work*, Cornell Daily Sun, January 28, 2016.
- *Harnessing the power of computers to create a sustainable future*, Research News @ Vanderbilt, January 8, 2016.
- *NSF puts 30 million dollars behind software bug killing, synthetic biology and computational sustainability*, Network World, January 8, 2016.

- *NSF Commits 30 million dollars to Theoretical Computer Science, Synthetic Biology, Computational Sustainability*, Scientific Computing, January 7, 2016.
- *NSF commits 30 million dollars to expand the frontiers of computing*, NSF press release, January 7, 2016.
- *Computing and Information Science receives 10 million dollar grant*, Cornell Chronicle, January 7, 2016.
- *Cornell joins pleas for responsible AI research*, Cornell Chronicle, August 26, 2015.
- *Ecological corridor to preserve Ecuadorian Andes bears*, Cornell Chronicle, March 9, 2015.
- *App tracks Kenya's best places to graze*, Futurity Science and Technology, February 20, 2015.
- *Space-age technology points African herders in right direction*, Cornell Chronicle, February 15, 2015.
- *Forging a New Path: Working to Build the Perfect Wildlife Corridor*, Pacific Standard Nature and TEch, September 25, 2014.
- *Forging a New Path*, On Earth, September 15, 2014.
- *Interview, Planetary Skin, cross media project, Werden Wir die erde retten?*, A project by Roman Brinzanik, Tobias Hlswitt and Gunther Kreis, on behalf of the Federal Cultural Foundation and in cooperation with the Suhrkamp Verlag, 2012.

Research Funding

Lead Principal Investigator — Collaborative Research: CompSustNet: Expanding the Horizons of Computational Sustainability, NSF Expedition: Award CCF-1522054 (2015-2020). \$10,000,000.

Lead Principal Investigator — Collaborative Research: Computational Sustainability: Computational Methods for a Sustainable Environment, Economy, and Society, NSF Expedition: Award CNS-0832782 (2008-2016). \$10,000,000.

Principal Investigator — Accelerated Learning Lab: Capturing Deep Structure to Accelerate Materials Discovery, Toyota Research Institute, (2017-2020). \$1,000,000.

Co-Principal Investigator — A Scientific Autonomous Reasoning Agent: Integrating Theory, Experiment Computation, Multidisciplinary University Research Initiative, AFOSR (2017-2022). \$7,500,000.

Principal Investigator — A Platform for Computational-and-Data-Intensive Methods for Large-Scale Intelligent Distributed Systems, ARO, DURIP, (2017-2018), \$425,000.

Co-Principal Investigator — The Integration of Reasoning and Learning Strategies for Scientific Discovery, AFOSR (2017-2020), \$566,000.

Principal Investigator — UDiscoverIt: Integration of Computational Reasoning, Learning, and Crowd-Sourcing for Accelerating Materials Discovery, National Science Foundation INSPIRE Track 1: Award IIS-1344201 (2013-2017). \$699,986.

Principal Investigator — Crowd-Sourcing for Scientific Discovery, DOD-Army Research Office (ARO) Award W911-NF-14-1-0498 (2014-2017) \$600,000.

Principal Investigator — NSF Collaborative Project: Wireless Sensor Networks for Protecting Wildlife and Humans (with Ohio State and UCLA), CNS-1143651, National Science Foundation Collaborative Project (2011-2014). \$121,791.

Principal Investigator — Exploratory Research in Automated Computational Analysis of Inorganic Materials Libraries, National Science Foundation EAGER: Award IIS-1258330 (2013-2014) \$133,440.

Principal Investigator — The human and environmental impacts of migratory pastoralism in arid and semi-arid East Africa, Collaborative Project: Wireless Sensor Networks for Protecting Wildlife and Humans, Australian Development Research Awards Scheme (ADRAS): Collaborating with University of Sydney, (2013-2015), \$156,837. \$600,000.

Principal Investigator — Computing research infrastructure for constraint optimization, machine learning, and dynamical models for computational sustainability, CNS-1059284, National Science Foundation (2011-2012). \$378,016.

Principal Investigator — Integrating Ecological and Social Data to Optimize Economic Decisions on Wildlife Corridors, US Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Research Station, 10-JV11221635-241, (2010-2015), \$60,613.

Principal Investigator — Bridging the Gap Between Theory and Practice: Structure and Randomization in Large Scale Combinatorial Search, Air Force Office of Scientific Research. Basic research FA9550-08-1-0196, (2008–2010). \$419,987.

Co-Principal Investigator — Extending the Reach of SAT Technology: Quantification, Counting, and Sampling, National Science Foundation, 713499,(2007-2010). \$405,000.

Principal Investigator — Computational Intelligence for Print Shop Workflows, University of Rochester, (2007–2008). \$30,000.

Principal Investigator — Computational Intelligence for Print Shop Workflows, Kodak Eastman, Supplement 12, (2007–2008). \$170,000.

Principal Investigator — Intelligent Information Systems Institute, Air Force Office of Scientific Research, Basic research, FA9550-04-1-0151, (2004–2008). \$3,870,000.

Co-Principal Investigator — Boosting Reasoning Technologies Through Randomization, Structure Discovery, and Hybrid Strategies, DOD-DARPA/AFRL, FA8750-04-2-0216, (2004-2009). \$3,580,000.

Principal Investigator — Intelligent Information Systems Institute, Air Force Office of Scientific Research, Basic research, F49620-01-1-0076, (2000–2004). \$3,200,000.

Co-Principal Investigator — Controlling Computational Cost: Structure, Phase Transitions, and Randomization, DOD-DARPA/AFRL, F30602-00-2-0596, (2000-2003), \$550,000.

Co-Principal Investigator — Controlling Computational Cost: Structure, Phase Transitions, and Randomization, DOD-DARPA/AFRL, F30602-00-2-0530, (2000-2003), \$1,621,041.

Co-Principal Investigator — Principled Analysis & Synthesis of Agent Systems Using Tools from Statistical Physics. DARPA, (2000-2003). \$650,000.

Co-Principal Investigator — Self-Configuring Wireless Transmission and Decentralized Data Processing for Generic Sensor Networks, DARPA, (with S. Wicker (PI), T. Fine, L. Tong, and V. Veeravalli, 2000-2003), \$890,000.

Co-Principal Investigator — Cooperative Control in Uncertain, Adversarial Environments. Air Force Office of Scientific Research, (MURI) Principal Investigator J. Shamma, UCLA. Joint with UCLA, MIT, Caltech (2001-2006). Cornell portion: \$1,000,000. (2001-2006).

Principal Investigator — Hybrid Approaches for Combinatorial Problems, DOD-DARPA/AFRL, F30602-99-1-0006, (1999-2002), \$260,688.

Principal Investigator — Integration of AI and OR for Mixed Initiative Continuous Planning and Scheduling, Air Force Office of Scientific Research, (1996-2001), \$1,150,000.

Principal Investigator — Compute-Intensive Methods for Combinatorial Problems, DOD-Air Force Research Labs, F30602-99-1-0005, (1999-2001), \$395,817.

Principal Investigator — Compute-Intensive Methods for Combinatorial Problems, AFOSR, DURIP, F49620-99-1-0195, (1999-2000), \$158,076.

Principal Investigator — Compute-Intensive Methods for Combinatorial Problems, DOD - Air Force, Rome Laboratories, F30602-98-1-0008, (1998-1999), \$203,677.