Tomáš Horváth

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Research Interests Recommendation and Personalization techniques, User-Modeling, Data Mining, Pattern Mining, Relational Learning, Fuzzy Logic, Artificial Intelligence

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Computer Science

September, 2008

Institute of Computer Science, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice, Slovakia

- Thesis Title: User Preference Learning by Induction of Fuzzy and Annotated Logic Programs
- Supervisor: Prof. Peter Vojtáš, Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic

MSc. in Computer Science

June, 2002

Institute of Computer Science, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice, Slovakia

- Thesis Topic: Inductive Logic Programming
- Supervisor: Prof. Peter Vojtáš, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice, Slovakia

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Post-doc Researcher

accepted¹ from June, 2015 – May, 2016

Department of Computer Science, University of São Paolo, Brasil

Nature-Inspired Techniques in Recommender Systems

Assistant Professor

October, 2012 – May, 2015

Institute of Computer Science, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice, Slovakia

- Educational Data Mining, Recommendation Techniques, Pattern Mining

Post-doc Researcher

October, 2009 – September, 2012

Information Systems & Machine Learning Lab, University of Hildesheim, Germany

- Recommender Systems, Educational Data Mining, Pattern Recognition

Research Fellow, Post-doc researcher

November 2003 – September 2009

Institute of Computer Science, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice, Slovakia

- Induction of Fuzzy Logic Programs, Relational Learning, User Modeling

SKILLS

programming experience in Java, PHP, Prolog, C, R, Weka, MySQL

languages Hungarian (mother language), Slovak (native speaker), English (advanced) good communication and organization skills

- absolved courses on Project and Human Resource management in 2008 research **proposal writing** and co-ordination skills
- EU FP7, EU COST, Czech-Slovakian and Hungarian-Slovakian bi-lateral projects, Slovakian research agencies, Slovakian Infrastructural projects

Publication Statistics

- 1 book chapter
- 4 proceedings
- 8 journal articles
- 27 conference papers (17 in Springer/IEEE/ACM/IET proceedings)
- 12 workshop papers
- 5 posters/extended abstracts
- 6 papers written in Slovak language

¹The contract is not yet signed in the time of my application for the position. The expected start of the internship is on 15th June, 2015

RESEARCH PROJECTS

- ⊢ Supervised Educational Recommender System (co-ordinator)
- ⊢ University Science Park TECHNICOM with focus on the innovation applications using knowledge based technologies (work package manager)
- ⊢ Center of of knowledge and information systems in Košice (work package manager)
- ⊢ Scalable computational methods for acquisition, analysis and organization of data with elements of uncertainty (investigator)
- ⊢ A flexible recommender system (principal investigator)
- ⊢ Methods of the analysis of structured and unstructured data with elements of imperfection and their utilization in intelligent search (investigator)
- ⊢ Formal models motivated by requirements of semantic web and their experimental verification (investigator)
- ⊢ Tools for acquisition, organization and maintenance of knowledge in an environment of heterogeneous information resources (investigator)
- ⊢ *Methods of semantic web* (investigator)
- ⊢ Dynamic search of the k-best relevant objects (investigator)
- ⊢ Intelligent search, transfer and process of information (investigator)

ACTIVITIES

Steering Committee member of ITAT and Znalosti

Program Committee member of RuleML Challenge'15, RecSysRules'15, ITAT, Znalosti, PALE

Organization of PALE'15, Znalosti'14 and DATAKON'14, SOFSEM ('08 and '14), ITAT (2005–2014), FactMod'12, CS-RDM ('07 and '09), WDA'05

Ph. D. Commission member

- M. Repka: Company Network Analysis. 2013, Technical University in Košice
- Z. Gantner: Supervised Machine Learning Methods for Item Recommendation. 2012, University of Hildesheim
- A. Krohn-Grimberghe: Analysis and Evaluation of Multi-relational Recommender Systems. 2012, University of Hildesheim
- T-N. Nguyen: Predicting Student Performance in an Intelligent Tutoring System. 2012, University of Hildesheim
- K. A. Buza. Fusion Methods for Time-Series Classification. 2011, University of Hildesheim
- Ch. Preisach: Relational Semi-Supervised Classification Using multiple Relations.
 2010, University of Hildesheim
- L. Balby Marinho: Recommender Systems for Social Tagging Systems. 2010, University of Hildesheim
- S. Rendle: Context-aware Ranking with Factorization Models. 2010, University of Hildesheim

RELATED TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Lectures

- Data Mining Techniques (MSc Course, UPJŠ Košice)
- Introduction to Data Mining (BSc Course, UPJŠ Košice)
- Basics of Knowledge Systems (MSc Course, UPJŠ Košice)
- Artificial Intelligence (BSc Course, University of Hildesheim)
- Business Analytics (MSc Course, University of Hildesheim)
- Business Intelligence (BSc Course, University of Hildesheim)

Seminars

- Data Mining (UPJŠ Košice)
- Applied Computer Science (UPJŠ Košice)
- Logic of Information Systems (UPJŠ Košice)
- Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence (University of Hildesheim)
- Business Intelligence (UPJŠ Košice)

Tutorials/Practices

- Programming, Algorithms and Complexity (UPJŠ Košice)
- Logic Programming (UPJŠ Košice)
- Computational Logic (UPJŠ Košice)
- Introduction to Informatics (UPJŠ Košice)
- Database Systems (UPJŠ Košice)

PhD. theses supervision

- Tomáš Jakab: Complex Context-Aware Recommendation Techniques. Ongoing (supervisor)
- Štefan Pero: Educational Data Mining. Ongoing. (supervisor)
- Lenka Pisková: Algorithms to Construct and Reduce the Size of Concept Lattices.
 UPJŠ Košice, 2013. (co-supervisor)
- Thai-Nghe Nguyen: Predicting Student Performance in an Intelligent Tutoring System.
 University of Hildesheim, 2012 (co-supervisor)

MSc. theses supervision

- Dominik Imrich: Analyzis, implementation and testing of recommendation techniques in real environments. UPJŠ Košice, ongoing. (supervisor)
- Štefan Bocko: Web-based data mining assistant. UPJŠ Košice, 2015. (supervisor)
- Tomáš Nguyen: Supervised recommendation in an intelligent tutoring system for programming. UPJŠ Košice, 2015. (supervisor)
- Július Pál: Prediction of possible disease appearance in a population using data mining techniques. UPJŠ Košice, 2014. (supervisor)
- Tomáš Jakab: Relational classification. UPJŠ Košice, 2014. (supervisor)
- Stephan Reller: Conception and Implementation of a Sentiment Analysis System.
 University of Hildesheim, 2012. (supervisor)
- Marek Daňko: Training information system with planning. UPJŠ Košice, 2012. (supervisor)
- Maroš Andrejko: Outlier detection for monotone classification. UPJŠ Košice, 2012. (supervisor)
- Maroš Dzuriš: User preference learning in faceted browser. UPJŠ Košice, 2012. (supervisor)
- Štefan Pero: Distributive data mining. UPJŠ Košice, 2011. (supervisor)
- Lubomír Didnianský: The GoleMy System. UPJŠ Košice, 2009. (supervisor)
- Ján Bella: Ordinal classification via ILP. UPJŠ Košice, 2006. (co-supervisor)
- Martin Kucirka: Classification of graded data via inductive logic programming.
 UPJŠ Košice, 2006. (co-supervisor)

BSc. theses supervision

- Martin Jobbágy: Utilizing frequent itemset mining for recommendation. UPJŠ Košice, ongoing. (supervisor)
- Ján Dudáš: Analysis of algorithms for gene transcription. UPJŠ Košice, ongoing. (supervisor)
- Dominik Imrich: Pattern mining in the JEM-EUSO experiment. UPJŚ Košice, 2014.
 (supervisor)
- Marek Daňko: Training information system with planning. UPJŚ Košice, 2010. (supervisor)
- Maroš Andrejko: Categorization of supply points wrt. possible unauthorized electric energy consumption. UPJŠ Košice, 2010. (supervisor)
- Maroš Dzuriš: User preference learning in faceted browser. UPJŠ Košice, 2010. (supervisor)
- Matej Lazár: Preference learning. UPJŠ Košice, 2009. (supervisor)
- Adrián Krajník: Mining frequent sequences of events. UPJŠ Košice, 2009. (supervisor)
- Štefan Pero: Winston data mining assistant. UPJŠ Košice, 2009. (supervisor)
- Marek Varchula: Intelligent data mining asistant. UPJŠ Košice, 2008. (supervisor)
- Štefan Ontkovič: Supportive software for programming NC machines. UPJŠ Košice, 2008. (supervisor)

- Tomáš Lacko: Least relative generalization in MySQL. UPJŠ Košice, 2007. (supervisor)

Misc

Invited talk on *Matrix Factorization Techniques for Recommender Systems* at the Colloquium of DSE, Faculty of Mathematics and Physics, Charles University, Prague at 26th November, 2012

 ${\bf Tutorial}$ on $Recommender\ Systems$ at the conference Znalosti 2012, Mikulov, Czech Republic

Research visits

- Laboratory of Information Technologies, Joint Institute of Nuclear Research, Dubna, Russia (3 months in 2014)
- Department of Software Engineering, Faculty of Mathematics and Physics, *Charles university in Prague, Czech Republic* (1 month in 2007)
- University of Malaga, Spain (1 week in 2006)

Hobbies

folk dance – at the Ilosvai Folk Ensemble in Vel'ká Ida, Slovakia (since 1996) sports – table tennis, ball games, swimming, hiking reading and cinema

In Košice, 11th November, 2015

Dr. Tomáš Horváth