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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Bayesian inference, Computational statistics, Computational statistics (such as sequential Monte

EDUCATION

2017 PhD in Statistics, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

2012 BSc in Statistics, University College London, United Kingdom

EMPLOYMENT

Full-time academic positions

2024 - Present Associate Professor, ESSEC Business School, France

2019 - 2024 Assistant Professor, ESSEC Business School, Singapore

Other affiliations and appointments

2025 - 2026 Head of the BUSINESS ANALYTICS METHODS (BAM) Track, ESSEC Business School, France

2017 - 2019 Postdoctoral Fellow, Harvard University, United States of America

GRANTS AND HONORS

Awards and Honors

2022 2022 Blackwell-Rosenbluth Award, International Society for Bayesian Analysis,, United States of America

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

HENG, J., DE BORTOLI, V., DOUCET, A. and THORNTON, J. (2025). Simulating diffusion bridges with score matching. *Biometrika*, In press.

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HENG, J., BISHOP, A.N., DELIGIANNIDIS, G. and DOUCET, A. (2019). Controlled Sequential Monte Carlo. *Annals of Statistics*, 48(5), pp. 2904-2929.

Conference proceedings

CHOPIN, N., FULOP, A., HENG, J. and THIERY, A.H. (2023). Computational Doob h-transforms for Online Filtering of Discretely Observed Diffusions. In: *Proceedings of the 40th International Conference on Machine Learning, PMLR 202:5904-5923*. Honolulu: Proceedings of Machine Learning Research.

DE BORTOLI, V., THORNTON, J., HENG, J. and DOUCET, A. (2021). Diffusion Schrödinger Bridge with Applications to Score-Based Generative Modeling. In: *NeurIPS 2021*. Proceedings of Machine Learning Research.

LIN, A., ZHANG, Y., HENG, J., ALLSOP, S.A., TYE, K.M. and JACOB, P. (2019). Clustering Time Series with Nonlinear Dynamics: A Bayesian Non-Parametric and Particle-Based Approach. In: *Proceedings of Machine Learning Research*.

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Conferences

JU, N., HENG, J. and JACOB, P. (2024). Statistical Inference for Individual-based Models of Disease Transmission. In: 2024 Eastern Asia Chapter International Society for Bayesian Analysis Conference. Hong Kong.

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HENG, J. (2022). Diffusion Schrodinger Bridge with Applications to Score-based Generative Modeling. In: 5th International Conference on Econometrics and Statistics (EcoSta) 2022. Kyoto.

NIANQUIOA, J., HENG, J. and JACOB, P. (2022). Artificial Intelligence, Data challenges. In: 2022 Institute of Mathematical Statistics (IMS) Annual Meeting in Probability and Statistics. London.

FULOP, A., HENG, J. and LI, Y. (2021). Efficient Likelihood-based Estimation via Annealing for Dynamic Structural Macroeconomics Models. In: 2021 European Winter Meetings of the Econometric Society. Barcelona.

HENG, J., POKERN, Y. and DOUCET, A. (2019). Gibbs Flow for Approximate Transport with Applications to Bayesian Computation. In: International Conference on Scientific Computation and Differential Equations (SciCADE 2019).

OTHER RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Editorial Board Membership

2022 - 2023 Statistics and Computing