





Today

- Kick-Off Meeting
- Some Formalities
- Short Overview of the Topics

- We are very few
- →But this does not mean that we can't have a good seminar
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Objective of this Seminar

- Introduction to some fundamental research problems
 - Researching current scientific ideas
 - Understanding benefits and drawbacks of state-of-the-art techniques
 - Writing a clear and concisive scientific report
 - Presenting and discussing your findings
- →Great start for a bachelor thesis.... →maybe just talk to your supervisor about this



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Timeline

- Presentation in Class (Last week of June)
- Discussion of your Findings (afterwards)
- **3** Writing of your Report (till 15.07.2022 23:59)
- All parts required!

Everything will be done in english. If this is a problem for you, please write us.



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Tasks of this Seminar

- Choose a couple of topics from our list, you will be assigned to one of them
- Read and understand the chapter/paper given to you
- Find, read and understand related literature. It is probably impossible to get a good picture about your topic from just one paper (and chapter)
- Critically analyze the suggested ideas and compare them to the literature
- Final Results:
 - Presentation (25-30min +10min discussion)
 - Written Report (at least 6 Pages double column, ACM template)



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Research Culture

This course is Research oriented

- Feel free to ask as many Questions as you want
- If you want to discuss your Topic with somebody, make an appointment with your Supervisor
- the same holds for your Presentation/Report
- Any Feedback is always appreciated

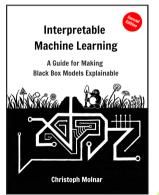


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Topics

- Based on the Book "Interpretable Machine Learning" by Christoph Molnar
- Freely available at christophm.github.io/interpretable-ml-book
- Some Topics contain programming assignments. We suggest using google colab for these.







Topic 1: Shapley Values

Shapley Values for Feature Selection: The Good, the Bad, and the Axioms (Fryer,

Strümke, Nguyen, et al., 2020)

Chapter: 9.2,9.5 and 9.6 Supervisor: Chiara Balestra

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- Use game theory to explain the output of a model
- You could either focus on cs theory or on medical application



Topic 2: Prototypes

Interpreting Convolutional Sequence Model by Learning Local Prototypes with Adaptation Regularization (Ni, Chen, Cheng, et al., 2021)

Chapter: 8.7 Supervisor: Bin Li (bin.li@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



 Represent some model output by well fitting data instances



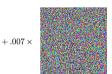
Topic 3: Adversarial Examples

Intriguing properties of neural networks (Szegedy, Zaremba, et al., 2013)

Chapter: 10.4 Supervisor: Benedikt Böing (benedikt.böing@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



"panda"
57.7% confidence



 $sign(\nabla_{\boldsymbol{x}}J(\boldsymbol{\theta},\boldsymbol{x},y))$ "nematode"
8.2% confidence



 $x + \epsilon sign(\nabla_x J(\theta, x, y))$ "gibbon"

99.3 % confidence

 Slight changes in a neural network can change its output drastically



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Topic 4: Pixel Attribution

Deep Inside Convolutional Networks: Visualising Image Classification Models and

Saliency Maps (Simonyan, Vedaldi, et al., 2013)

Chapter: 10.2 Supervisor: Simon Klüttermann

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 Different parts of an image have different effect/importance on the classification of an image



- 1: Shapley Values
- 2: Prototypes
- 3: Adversarial Examples
- 4: Pixel Attribution

