

Lorenzo BALZOTTI

Curriculum Vitae

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Lorenzo Balzotti
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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Graph theory and discrete mathematics
- Graph algorithms and applications
- Knowledge graphs
- Explainable Artificial Intelligence
- Computational complexity

RESEARCH GROUPS

- Giorgio Ausiello, Paolo G. Franciosa, Isabella Lari, Andrea Ribichini about graphs algorithms
- Donatella Firmani, Andrea Ribichini about knowledge graph embeddings and explainable artificial intelligence
- Carlo Cavicchia, Giorgia Zaccaria about creating an R package for statistical method for clustering

RESEARCH ACTIVITY AT QUALIFIED INSTITUTIONS

2022 – Current **Postdoc in Computer Science**
Sapienza University of Rome, Department of Statistical Sciences
Big Data Networks

EDUCATION

- Jan 2023 **PhD in Mathematical Models for Engineering**
Sapienza University of Rome, Department of Basic and Applied Sciences for Engineering (SBAI)
Thesis: “Non-Crossing Shortest Paths in Planar Graphs with Applications to Max Flow, and Path Graphs”
Advisor: Prof. Paolo Giulio Franciosa
- Jan 2019 **Master’s Degree in Applied Mathematics**
110 cum laude, Sapienza University of Rome
Thesis: “Un nuovo algoritmo per il riconoscimento dei grafi Vertex Path Tree”
Advisor: Prof. Claudia Malvenuto
Co-Advisor: Prof. Nicola Apollonio
- Oct 2015 **Bachelor’s Degree in Mathematics**
110 cum laude, Sapienza University of Rome
Thesis: “Tempo di mescolamento in catene di Markov”
Advisor: Prof. Alessandra Faggionato

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Journal Reviews

1. Discrete Mathematics. Role: reviewer
2. Journal of Graph Algorithms and Applications. Role: reviewer

External Reviewer

1. **[SEA 2023]**: 21st Symposium on Experimental Algorithms. Role: subreviewer
2. **[CIAC 2023]**: Algorithms and Complexity: 13th International Conference. Role: subreviewer
3. **[STACS 2022]**: 39th International Symposium on Theoretical Aspects of Computer Science. Role: subreviewer
4. **[CIAC 2021]**: Algorithms and Complexity, 12th International Conference, CIAC 2021 Role: subreviewer
5. **[MFCS 2022]**: 47th International Symposium on Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science Role: subreviewer

CONFERENCES

1. **Contributed talk** at *17th International Computer Science Symposium in Russia*, June 29–July 1, 2022, online
2. **Contributed talk** at *13th International Conference on Algorithms and Complexity*, 14 – 16 June, 202, Larnaca, Cyprus

PROJECTS

1. Progetti Medi Sapienza, person in charge: Capparelli Stefano, Project Title: “Strutture algebro-geometriche e combinatorie relative a grafi, quiver, grassmanniane, codici e partizioni di interi”, Department of Basic and Applied Sciences for Engineering, year: 2020, grant: €11.000,00
2. Progetti Medi Sapienza, person in charge: Pepe Valentina, Project Title: “Strutture algebro-geometriche e combinatorie relative a grafi, quiver, grassmanniane, codici e algebre di Lie, e questioni didattiche”, Department of Basic and Applied Sciences for Engineering, year: 2021, grant: €13.900,00

LANGUAGES

- Italian (Mothertongue)
- English (Good Knowledge)

COMPUTER SKILLS

C, C++, Python, Matlab, R, \LaTeX , Excel

Publications

Articles

1. Lorenzo Balzotti, and Paolo G. Franciosa. “Non-crossing shortest paths lengths in planar graphs in linear time”. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.dam.2023.12.011>
2. Nicola Apollonio and Lorenzo Balzotti. “Two new characterizations of path graphs”. *Discrete Mathematics*, 346.12 (2023): 113596., <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.disc.2023.113596>
3. Lorenzo Balzotti, and Paolo G. Franciosa. “Non-crossing Shortest Paths in Undirected Unweighted Planar Graphs in Linear Time”. *Journal of Graph Algorithms and Applications*, 26 (2022), pp. 589–606, <https://doi.org/10.7155/jgaa.00610>
4. Lorenzo Balzotti, and Paolo G. Franciosa. “How Vulnerable is an Undirected Planar Graph with respect to Max Flow”. Accepted to *Networks*

Proceedings

5. Lorenzo Balzotti, and Paolo G. Franciosa. “Non-crossing Shortest Paths in Undirected Unweighted Planar Graphs in Linear Time”. In: Kulikov, A.S., Raskhodnikova, S. (eds) *Computer Science – Theory and Applications. CSR 2022. Lecture Notes in Computer Science*, vol 13296. Springer, Cham. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-09574-0_6
6. Lorenzo Balzotti, and Paolo G. Franciosa. “How Vulnerable is an Undirected Planar Graph with respect to Max Flow”. in *Algorithms and Complexity: 13th International Conference, CIAC 2023, June 13–16, 2023, Springer*. https://dx.doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-30448-4_7
7. Lorenzo Balzotti, and Paolo G. Franciosa. “Non-Crossing Shortest Paths Lengths in Planar Graphs in Linear Time”. in *Algorithms and Complexity: 13th International Conference, CIAC 2023, June 13–16, 2023, Springer*. https://dx.doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-30448-4_6

PhD Thesis

8. Lorenzo Balzotti. “[Non-Crossing Shortest Paths in Planar Graphs with Applications to Max Flow, and Path Graphs](#)”. PhD Thesis (2023).

Preprints

9. Lorenzo Balzotti. “[Non-Crossing Shortest Paths are Covered with Exactly Four Forests](#)”. arXiv preprint arXiv:2210.13036 (2022). (submitted to *Discrete Mathematics*)
10. Giorgio Ausiello, Lorenzo Balzotti, Paolo G. Franciosa, Isabella Lari, and Andrea Ribichini “[A Linear Time Algorithm for Computing Max-Flow Vitality in Undirected Unweighted Planar Graphs](#)”. arXiv preprint arXiv:2204.10568 (2022).
11. Lorenzo Balzotti. “[A New Algorithm to Recognize Path Graphs and Directed Path Graphs](#)”. arXiv preprint arXiv:2012.08476 (2021). (submitted to *Discrete Applied Mathematics*)

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