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## Personal information

Birth 30/08/1991

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## Main research interests

- Convex analysis
- Optimization
- Algorithms
- Dynamical systems
- Inverse problems
- Machine learning

## Education

2019–2020 **Post-doc: "Theory and algorithms for Machine learning".**

Laboratory for Computational and Statistical Learning, Genoa  
Main collaborators : Lorenzo Rosasco, and Silvia Villa

2016–2019 **Ph.D. in Applied Mathematics.**

Institut de Mathématiques de Bordeaux, Université de Bordeaux, France.  
Thesis : Inertial Gradient-Descent algorithms for convex minimization.  
Advisors : Charles Dossal, Jean-François Aujol.  
Date of Defense : 11th of October 2019.  
Comitee : Samir Adly, Hedy Attouch, Jérôme Bolte, Guillaume Garrigos,  
Aude Rondepierre, Silvia Villa.

2014–2016 **Master's Degree in theoretical and applied Mathematics,  
Parcours Équations aux dérivées partielles.**

Université-Claude Bernard Lyon 1-École Normale Supérieure de Lyon,  
France.  
Master's thesis : Analysis of proximal algorithms.  
Advisors : Charles Dossal, Jean-François Aujol.

2012–2013 **Erasmus program.**

Institut de Mathématiques de Jussieu, Université Pierre et Marie Curie (Paris  
6), France.

2009–2014 **Degree in Mathematics.**

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece.

## Publications and preprints

### Publications

1. V. Apidopoulos, J.-F. Aujol, Ch. Dossal : The Differential Inclusion Modeling FISTA Algorithm and Optimality of Convergence Rate in the Case  $b < 3$ , SIAM Journal on Optimization, 2018, Vol. 28, No. 1 : pp. 551-574.
2. V. Apidopoulos, J.-F. Aujol, Ch. Dossal : Convergence rate of inertial Forward-Backward algorithm beyond Nesterov's rule, Mathematical programming, (2018), <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10107-018-1350-9>.
3. V. Apidopoulos, J.-F. Aujol, Ch. Dossal, A. Rondepierre : Convergence rates of an inertial gradient descent algorithm under growth and flatness conditions, Mathematical Programming (2020) <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10107-020-01476-3>.

## Computer skills

Programs	Matlab, Scilab, Mathematica
Programming languages	Python
Others	LATEX

## Teaching

- 2018-2019 Introduction to numerical analysis, theoretical and coding exercises (Scilab), (2nd year Bachelor students).
- 2017-2018 Mathematical bases for sciences, lectures and exercise sessions, (1st year Bachelor students).
- 2013-2014 Algebraic structures, teaching assistant for exercises (2nd year Bachelor students).

## Presentations in conferences

- February 2020 Séminaire Modélisation, Optimisation, Dynamique , Limoges, France.
- May 2019 Congrès SMAI 2019, Guidel, France.
- October 2018 Journées annuelles 2018 des GdR MOA et MIA, Pau, France.
- May 2018 Colloque Inter'Actions 18, Lyon, France.
- April 2018 Ph.D. Students Lambda Seminar, Bordeaux, France.
- June 2017 Signal Processing with Adaptive Sparse Structured Representations (SPARS), Lisbon, Portugal.
- October 2017 Journées annuelles 2017 des GdR MOA et MIA, Bordeaux, France.

## Participation in conferences

- February 2019 Workshop "Variational methods and optimization in imaging" : The mathematics of Imaging, Paris, France.
- January 2019 CIRM winter-school : The mathematics of Imaging, Marseille, France.

- January 2018 Mathematics and Image Analysis (MIA), Berlin, Germany.
- October 2016 Workshop CAVALIERI on Optimal Transport and Optimization in Imaging, Paris, France.
- December 2015 Winter school "Nonlinear Function Spaces in Mathematics and Physical Sciences", Lyon, France.

### Organization responsibilities

- 2018-2019 Organizer of the Ph.D. Students Seminar, IMB, Bordeaux, France.
- 2018-2019 Co-organizer of Colloque Inter'Actions 19 in Bordeaux, for Ph.D. students in Mathematics in France.
- 2019-2020 Organizer of the LCSL (Laboratory for Computational and Statistical Learning) weekly group meeting, LCSL, Genova, Italy.

### Other

- 2018-2019 President of the Ph.D. students association in Bordeaux (Lambda).

### Languages

- Greek Mother tongue
- French Fluent
- English Fluent
- Italian Intermediate

### References

- Charles Dossal : charles.dossal@insa-toulouse.fr
- Jean François Aujol : Jean-François.Aujol@math.u-bordeaux.fr