Edmond Sanou, PhD

Statistician

Education

- 2019–2023 **PhD degree in Applied Mathematics**, Evry Paris-Saclay University/French National Research Institute for Agriculture, Food and the Environment (INRAE), Évry-Courcouronnes (France)
- 2016–2019 **MSc degree in Biostatistics**, National School of Statistics and Information Analysis (ENSAI), France
- 2013–2016 Bachelor Degree in Statistics and Computer Science (LSI), Nazi Boni University (UNB), Bobo-Dioulasso (Burkina Faso)

Professional Experiences

2023–2025 **Postdoctoral Researcher in Biostatistics**, *French Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Authority (ASNR)*, Fontenay-aux-Roses (France) Research Project: Statistical characterization and validation of a deep learning model for an

automated chromosomal aberration detection

- O Validate a computer vision algorithm used to detect radiation biomarkers in cells images
- O Model the relationship between counts of biomarkers and radiation exposure dose level
- Quantify the uncertainties associated to dose prediction
- 2022–2023 **Temporary Teaching and Research Assistant (ATER)**, *Evry Mathematics and Modeling Laboratory (LaMME)*, Évry-Courcouronnes (France)
 - Delivered lectures and tutorials in descriptive statistics
 - O Led tutorials in linear algebra and conducted oral examinations in analysis
 - Wrote PhD report
- 2019–2023 PhD candidate in Applied Mathematics, Evry Mathematics and Modeling Laboratory (LaMME), Évry-Courcouronnes (France)

Thesis title: Integration of complex omics data through Multiscale Gaussian Graphical Models. Supervisors: Dr. Geneviève Robin, Prof. Christophe Ambroise.

- Developed and evaluated the performances of a statistical approach for multi-scale network inference and programmed R/Python packages for integrative analysis of Omics data
- Analyzed Omics data and collaborated with bioinformatics and biology teams
- Delivered tutorials in descriptive statistics, probability, R programming, supervised a master student, and participated in the organization of scientific seminars
- Apr–Sep 2019 Statistician Intern, French Radioprotection and Nuclear Safety Institute (IRSN/LRAcc), Fontenay-aux-Roses (France) Project: Characterization of the inter-individual variation in the response of genes to irradiation. Supervisors: Dr Gaetan Gruël, Dr Amine Benadjaoud
- Jun-Aug 2018 **Statistician Intern**, French Radioprotection and Nuclear Safety Institute (IRSN/LRMed), Fontenay-aux-Roses (France) Project: Modelling and clustering of temporal kinetics of transcriptomic and proteomic data to study the response of endothelial cells to irradiation. Supervisors: Dr Olivier Guipaud, Dr Amine Benadjaoud.
 - Jul 2017 **Statistician Intern**, *Health Sciences Research Institute (IRSS)*, Bobo-Dioulasso (Burkina Faso)

Project: Design of a data entry form for a questionnaire on the adverse effects of mosquito insecticide spraying in rural areas using EpiData. Supervisor: Mr. Moussa Zongo.

May-Aug 2016 Statistician Intern, Muraz Center - Methodological Support and Training Team (Centre Muraz - EAMF), Bobo-Dioulasso (Burkina Faso) Project: Validation of an areal-based sampling plan in the urban commune of Bobo-Dioulasso. Supervisors: Dr Serge Somda, Dr Boureima Sangaré.

Skills & Interests

Techniques Network inference, Clustering, Biostatistics, Statistical Omics Programming Proficient in R and Git, Intermediate level in Python, C++, SAS, SQL Language English (professional proficiency), French (fluent) Interests Chess, Running

Publications

Statistical publications

- Sanou E., Ambroise C., Robin G. Inference of Multiscale Gaussian Graphical Model, Computo, 2023
- Somda SMA, <u>Sanou E</u>, Soubeiga A, Sawadogo MA. Developing an area-based sampling system in the urban district of Bobo Dioulasso, AJAS, 2019

Biology publications

- Sow et al., Epigenetic Variation in Tree Evolution: a case study in black poplar, 2023
- Lesur et al., A strategy for studying epigenetic diversity in natural populations, 2024
- Rogier et al., Bioinformatics manual for population epigenomics, 2024

Oral Presentations

- 2022 Young Statisticians' Meeting (RJS), Porquerolles, France Inference of Multiscale Graphical Lasso
- 2021 52nd meeting of the French Statistical Society, Remote, France Multiscale Graphical Lasso

Volunteering

- 2024-present MathStatBites, Institute for Mathematical & Statistical Innovation, Write statistical articles for the general public.
 - 2022-2023 Young Statisticians Europe, Editorial Board Member
 - 2021–2023 Young Statisticians Group, French Statistical Society (SFdS), Organized scientific seminars in statistics/probability.
 - 2020 CARaDOC(Carriers and Doctors), Paris-Saclay University, France Organized job fairs for PhD students and postdoctoral researchers.