Who Counts? Sex and Gender Bias in Data

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Scientific Overview

As algorithmic decisions and likelihood predictions reach ever more deeply, and with increasing consequence, into our lives, there is an increasing mandate that they be "fair".

Who counts? Machine learning algorithms learn from training data; when these are biased so are the algorithms they produce. The workshop will examine sources of sex and gender bias in data, with emphases on impoverished women; women of color; trans and non-binary persons; and older women.

This program is preceded by a **Graduate Summer School on Algorithmic Fairness**.

This summer school will include a poster session; a request for posters will be sent to registered participants in advance of the summer school.

Participation

Additional information about this summer school including links to register and to apply for funding, can be found on the webpage listed below. Encouraging the careers of women and minority mathematicians and scientists is an important component of IPAM's mission, and we welcome their applications.



Organizers

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Speakers

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