

# TIM ALTHOFF

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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- Research** Data science, social network analysis, natural language processing, and applications to well-being
- Professional experience**
- University of Washington**, Seattle, WA, USA 1/2019 – present  
*Tenure-Track Assistant Professor, Paul G. Allen School of Computer Science & Engineering*  
*Adjunct Assistant Professor, Information School*
  - Stanford University**, Stanford, CA, USA 9/2013 – 9/2018  
*Research Assistant* with Jure Leskovec, Dan Jurafsky, Dan McFarland
  - Microsoft Research**, Redmond, WA, USA 6/2016 – 9/2016  
*Research Intern* with Eric Horvitz, Ryan White
  - Google Research**, Mountain View, CA, USA 6/2014 – 9/2014  
*Research Intern* with Kevin Murphy, Xin Luna Dong, Evgeniy Gabrilovich
  - Google Research**, Mountain View, CA, USA 5/2013 – 8/2013  
*Research Intern* with David Ross
  - Google Research**, Mountain View, CA, USA 5/2012 – 8/2012  
*Research Intern* with David Ross, Douglas Eck, Hrishikesh Aradhye
  - University of California, Berkeley**, Berkeley, CA, USA 8/2011 – 5/2012  
*Visiting Student Researcher* with Trevor Darrell
  - German Research Center for Artificial Intelligence**, Kaiserslautern, Germany 11/2009 – 5/2011  
*Research Assistant* with Adrian Ulges, Damian Borth, Andreas Dengel
  - German Research Center for Artificial Intelligence**, Kaiserslautern, Germany 5/2009 – 10/2009  
*Research Assistant* with Adrian Ulges, Thomas Breuel
- Education**
- Stanford University**, Stanford, CA, USA 9/2013 – 9/2018  
Ph.D. in Computer Science.  
Thesis: *Data Science for Human Well-being* (Winner of **SIGKDD Dissertation Award**)  
*Dissertation committee*: Jure Leskovec, Eric Horvitz, Dan Jurafsky, Scott Delp, Trevor Hastie  
M.S. in Computer Science (8/2015)
  - University of Kaiserslautern**, Kaiserslautern, Germany 10/2007 – 7/2013  
M.S. in Computer Science. Minor in Cognitive Psychology  
Thesis: *Analysis and Forecasting of Trending Topics in Online Media* (won university-wide award)  
B.S. in Computer Science. Minor in Mathematics  
Thesis: *Scalable Clustering for Hierarchical Content-based Browsing of Large-scale Image Collections*
- Publications** **Articles in peer-reviewed journals**
- [25] Leveraging Routine Behavior and Contextually-Filtered Features for Depression Detection among College Students  
Xuhai Xu, Perna Chikersal, Afsaneh Doryab, Daniella Villalba, Janine M. Dutcher, Michael Tumminia, **Tim Althoff**, Sheldon Cohen, Kasey Creswell, David Creswell, Jennifer Mankoff, Anind K. Dey  
*IMWUT / UbiComp – Proceedings of the ACM on Interactive, Mobile, Wearable and Ubiquitous Technologies, 2019*
  - [24] Best Practices for Analyzing Large-scale Health Data from Wearables and Smartphone Apps  
Jennifer L. Hicks, **Tim Althoff**, Rok Susic, Peter Kuhar, Bojan Bostjancic, Abby C. King, Jure Leskovec, Scott L. Delp  
*NPJ Digital Medicine – 2019*

- [23] Psychomotor Function Measured via Online Activity Predicts Motor Vehicle Fatality Risk  
**Tim Althoff**, Eric Horvitz, Ryen W. White  
[NPJ Digital Medicine](#) — 2018
- [22] Large-scale Physical Activity Data Reveal Worldwide Activity Inequality  
**Tim Althoff**, Rok Susic, Jennifer L. Hicks, Abby C. King, Scott L. Delp, Jure Leskovec  
[Nature](#) — 2017  
**Top 0.0002% Altmetric Attention Score of 8M articles; Top 0.002% among Nature articles**
- [21] Population-scale Pervasive Health  
**Tim Althoff**  
[IEEE Pervasive Computing](#) — 2017
- [20] Influence of Pokémon Go on Physical Activity: Study and Implications  
**Tim Althoff**, Ryen W. White, Eric Horvitz  
[JMIR — Journal of Medical Internet Research \(JMIR\)](#), 2016  
**Top 0.001% Altmetric Attention Score of 8M articles**
- [19] Natural Language Processing for Mental Health: Large Scale Discourse Analysis of Counseling Conversations  
**Tim Althoff\***, Kevin Clark\*, Jure Leskovec (\* equal contribution)  
[TACL — Transactions of the Association for Computational Linguistics \(TACL\)](#), 2016  
**Awarded International Medical Informatics Association Best Paper Award for best paper on clinical natural language processing in 2016**

#### Articles in peer-reviewed conference proceedings

- [18] Data-Driven Implications for Translating Evidence-Based Psychotherapies into Technology-Delivered Interventions  
 Jessica Schroeder, Jina Suh, Chelsey Wilks, Mary Czerwinski, Sean Munson, James Fogarty,  
**Tim Althoff**  
[PH — EAI PervasiveHealth](#), 2020
- [17] Engagement Patterns of Peer-to-Peer Interactions on Mental Health Platforms: A Case-Study of TalkLife  
 Ashish Sharma, Monojit Choudhury, **Tim Althoff**, Amit Sharma  
[ICWSM — 14th International AAAI Conference on Weblogs and Social Media](#), 2020
- [16] Paths Explored, Paths Omitted, Paths Obscured: Decision Points & Selective Reporting in End-to-End Data Analysis  
 Yang Liu, **Tim Althoff**, Jeff Heer  
[CHI — ACM CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems](#), 2020
- [15] Passively-sensed Behavioral Correlates of Discrimination Events in College Students  
 Yasaman S. Sefidgar, Woosuk Seo, Kevin S. Kuehn, **Tim Althoff**, Anne Browning, Eve Riskin, Paula S. Nurius, Anind K. Dey, and Jennifer Mankoff  
[CSCW — 22nd Conference on Computer-Supported Cooperative Work & Social Computing](#), 2019
- [14] Goal-setting And Achievement In Activity Tracking Apps: A Case Study Of MyFitnessPal  
 Mitchell Gordon, **Tim Althoff**, Jure Leskovec  
[WWW/WebConf — 28th International World Wide Web Conference](#), 2019
- [13] Modeling Interdependent and Periodic Real-World Action Sequences  
 Takeshi Kurashima, **Tim Althoff**, Jure Leskovec  
[WWW — 27th International World Wide Web Conference](#), 2018
- [12] Modeling Individual Cyclic Variation in Human Behavior  
 Emma Pierson, **Tim Althoff**, Jure Leskovec  
[WWW — 27th International World Wide Web Conference](#), 2018
- [11] I'll be back: On the Multiple Lives of Users of a Mobile Activity Tracking Application  
 Zhiyuan Lin, **Tim Althoff**, Jure Leskovec  
[WWW — 27th International World Wide Web Conference](#), 2018
- [10] Harnessing the Web for Population-Scale Physiological Sensing: A Case Study of Sleep and Performance  
**Tim Althoff**, Ryen W. White, Eric Horvitz, Jamie Zeitzer  
[WWW — 26th International World Wide Web Conference](#), 2017

- [9] How Gamification Affects Physical Activity: Large-scale Analysis of Walking Challenges in a Mobile Application  
Ali Shamel, **Tim Althoff**, Amin Saberi, Jure Leskovec  
*WWW* — 26th International World Wide Web Conference, 2017
- [8] Online Actions with Offline Impact: How Online Social Networks Influence Online and Offline User Behavior  
**Tim Althoff**, Pranav Jindal, Jure Leskovec  
*WSDM* — 10th International ACM Conference on Web Search and Data Mining, 2017
- [7] TimeMachine: Timeline Generation for Knowledge-Base Entities  
**Tim Althoff**, Xin Luna Dong, Kevin Murphy, Safa Alai, Van Dang, Wei Zhang  
*KDD* — 21st International ACM Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining, 2015
- [6] Donor Retention in Online Crowdfunding Communities: A Case Study of DonorsChoose.org  
**Tim Althoff**, Jure Leskovec  
*WWW* — 24th International World Wide Web Conference, 2015
- [5] How to Ask for a Favor: A Case Study on the Success of Altruistic Requests  
**Tim Althoff**, Cristian Danescu-Niculescu-Mizil, Dan Jurafsky  
*ICWSM* — 8th International AAAI Conference on Weblogs and Social Media, 2014
- [4] Analysis and Forecasting of Trending Topics in Online Media Streams  
**Tim Althoff**, Damian Borth, Jörn Hees, Andreas Dengel  
*MM* — 21st ACM International Conference on Multimedia, 2013
- [3] Detection Bank: An Object Detection Based Video Representation for Multimedia Event Recognition  
**Tim Althoff**, Hyun Oh Song, Trevor Darrell  
*MM* — 20th ACM International Conference on Multimedia, 2012
- [2] Sparselet Models for Efficient Multiclass Object Detection  
Hyun Oh Song, Stefan Zickler, **Tim Althoff**, Ross Girshick, Mario Fritz, Christopher Geyer, Pedro Felzenszwalb, Trevor Darrell  
*ECCV* — 12th European Conference on Computer Vision, 2012
- [1] Balanced Clustering for Content-based Image Browsing  
**Tim Althoff**, Adrian Ulges, Andreas Dengel  
*GI* — Informatiktage 2011, Gesellschaft für Informatik, 2011

#### Articles in peer-reviewed workshop proceedings

- [2] Learning Individualized Cardiovascular Responses from Large-scale Wearable Sensors Data  
Haraldur T. Hallgrímsson, Filip Jankovic, **Tim Althoff**, Luca Foschini  
*NeurIPS ML4H* — NeurIPS Workshop on Machine Learning for Health, 2018
- [1] Quantifying Dose Response Relationships Between Physical Activity and Health Using Propensity Scores  
**Tim Althoff**, Rok Susic, Jennifer L. Hicks, Abby C. King, Scott L. Delp, Jure Leskovec  
*NeurIPS ML4H* — NeurIPS Workshop on Machine Learning for Health, 2016

#### Articles under review

- [7] Boba: Authoring and Visualizing Multiverse Analysis  
Yang Liu, Alex Kale, **Tim Althoff**, and Jeffrey Heer
- [6] Efficient and Explainable Risk Assessments for Imminent Dementia: Insights from an Aging Cohort Study  
Nicasia Beebe-Wang\*, Alexandra Okeson\*, **Tim Althoff**<sup>§</sup>, Su-In Lee<sup>§</sup>
- [5] Causal Inference for Natural Language: Challenges and Empirical Evaluation Framework  
Peter West, Galen Weld, David Arbour, Ryen Rossi, **Tim Althoff**
- [4] CORAL: COde RepresentAtion Learning with Weakly-Supervised Transformers for Analyzing Data Analysis  
Ge Zhang, Mike Merrill, Yang Liu, Jeff Heer, **Tim Althoff**
- [3] The Effect of Moderation on Online Mental Health Conversations  
David Wadden, Tal August, Qisheng Li, **Tim Althoff**

- [2] Job Performance in Athletes and Salespeople: An Observational Study of Performance, Sleep, and Mobile App Usage  
Morelle Arian\*, Chunjong Park\*, Xin Liu, Alex Mariakakis, Leon Sasson, Shwetak Patel, **Tim Althoff** (\* equal contribution)
- [1] Decomposition of women's mood, behavior, and vital signs into daily, weekly, seasonal, and menstrual cycles  
Emma Pierson, **Tim Althoff**, Daniel Thomas, Paula Hillard, Jure Leskovec

### Patents

- [4] Population-Scale Monitoring of Sleep and Performance via Everyday Interactions (2016)  
**Tim Althoff**, Eric Horvitz, Ryen White
- [3] Providing User-Interactive Graphical Timelines (2014)  
**Tim Althoff**, Xin Luna Dong, Kevin Murphy, Safa Alai, Van Dang, Wei Zhang, Evgeniy Gabrilovich
- [2] Adaptive Music and Video Recommendations (2013)  
**Tim Althoff**, David Ross, Huazhong Ning, Mohamad Tarifi, Wes Cheng
- [1] Automatic Music Video Generation Based on Structured Information (2012)  
**Tim Althoff**, David Ross, Douglas Eck, Hrishikesh Aradhye

### Awards

- Nomination for 2020 Marsha L. Landolt Distinguished Graduate Mentor Award** 1/2020  
University-wide award recognizing excellent faculty mentors
- 2019 SIGKDD Doctoral Dissertation Award Winner ACM SIGKDD** 8/2019  
For *Data Science for Human Well-being*  
Recognizing excellent research in the field of data science, data mining and knowledge discovery
- Kavli Fellow Kavli Frontiers of Science** at National Academy of Sciences 4/2019
- eScience Fellow University of Washington** 3/2019
- Altmetric Top 100 Article 2017** 12/2017  
For *Large-scale Physical Activity Data Reveal Worldwide Activity Inequality*  
Among top 100 public attention scores of over 2 million tracked research outputs in 2017
- Best Paper Award – Clinical Natural Language Processing 2016** 8/2017  
For *Natural Language Processing for Mental Health: Large Scale Discourse Analysis of Counseling Conversations* by International Medical Informatics Association  
One of five selected among all research papers published in 2016
- #1 most tweeted JMIR article 2016; #4 most tweeted JMIR article all time** 1/2017  
For *Influence of Pokémon Go on Physical Activity: Study and Implications* by Journal of Medical Internet Research (JMIR)
- Fellow Digital Ecologies Research Partnership** 5/2014
- Outstanding Master's Thesis Award** (one of five awarded university-wide) 4/2014
- Top of class, M.S. degree in Computer Science program** 7/2013
- Dean's award for the best B.S. degree in Computer Science program (top of class)** 12/2010

### Grants & gifts

- (Sole) PI: Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (INV-004841) 3/2020  
*Data Science for Wearables and Public Health.*  
Total funded amount: \$600,000 (2020-2022).
- (Sole) PI: Allen Institute for Artificial Intelligence (AI2), unrestricted gift (\$100,000) 3/2020
- (Sole) PI: Outreach, unrestricted gift (\$100,000) 3/2020
- (Sole) PI: Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL) (\$60,000) 1/2020
- Co-PI: National Science Foundation (NSF-IIS Large #1901386) 9/2019  
*Analysis Engineering for Robust End-to-End Data Science.*  
Total funded amount: \$3,000,000; Personal share: \$786,096 (2019–2024).
- (Sole) PI: Supportiv, unrestricted gift (\$50,000) 8/2019
- (Sole) PI: Adobe Data Science Research Award (\$50,000; 5/72 proposals funded) 3/2019
- (Sole) PI: Intel Research - Academic Cluster Computing Grant 2/2019

<b>Fellowships</b>	Stanford Graduate Fellowship, SAP Fellow (tuition + US\$41,700 p.a.) (awarded to top 3% of Stanford Ph.D. students)	9/2015 – 8/2018
	Stanford School of Engineering Fellowship (tuition + US\$39,400 p.a.)	9/2013 – 6/2014
	Fulbright scholarship (US\$21,500; declined)	8/2011 – 5/2012
	UC Berkeley scholarship from German Academic Exchange Service (€26,775)	8/2011 – 5/2012
	German National Merit Foundation Scholarship (awarded to top-ranked 0.25% of students nationwide; i.a. €3,600 p.a.)	7/2009 – 7/2013
<b>Advising &amp; mentoring</b>	Ashish Sharma, Ph.D. student, University of Washington	9/2019 – present
	Mike Merrill, Ph.D. student, University of Washington	9/2019 – present
	Galen Weld, Ph.D. student, University of Washington	7/2019 – present
	Jina Suh, Ph.D. student, University of Washington (co-advised with James Fogarty)	6/2019 – present
	Joy He, B.S. student, University of Washington (undergraduate research)	6/2019 – present
	Ge Zhang, B.S. student, Peking University (undergraduate intern)	6/2019 – present
	Peter West, Ph.D. student, University of Washington (Ph.D. rotation)	6/2019 – 2/2020
	Prakhar Agarwal, M.S. student, University of Washington (research assistant)	2/2019 – 6/2019
	Hamed Nilforoshan, B.S. student, Columbia University (undergraduate intern)	6/2017 – 8/2019
	Boris Ivanovic, M.S. student, Stanford University (research assistant)	9/2016 – 8/2019
Chaitanya Asawa, B.S. student, Stanford University (senior project)	9/2016 – 4/2017	
Pranav Jindal, M.S. student, Stanford University (research assistant)	9/2015 – 6/2016	
<b>Teaching experience</b>	Instructor, University of Washington <i>Machine Learning for Big Data (CSE547)</i>	Spring 2020
	Guest lecture, University of Washington <i>Computing for Social Good (CSE599)</i>	Spring 2020
	Co-Instructor, University of Washington <i>Big and Small Data in Health (CSE599H)</i>	Fall 2019
	Instructor, University of Washington <i>Machine Learning for Big Data (CSE547)</i>	Spring 2019
	Guest lecture, University of Washington <i>Adv. Methods in Data Science (INFO371)</i>	Spring 2019
	Instructor, University of Washington <i>Data Science for Human Well-being (CSE599H)</i>	Winter 2018
	Guest lecture, Stanford: <i>From Languages to Information (CS124)</i>	3/2016 & 3/2017
	Guest lecture, Recruit Holdings of Japan at Stanford	3/2017
	Guest lecture, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg	12/2016
	Guest lecture, Stanford: <i>Mining Massive Datasets (CS246)</i>	3/2016
	Head teaching assistant, Stanford: <i>Mining Massive Data Sets (CS246; ~300 students)</i>	Winter 2015
Teaching assistant, Stanford: <i>Social &amp; Inform. Network Analysis (CS224W; ~250 students)</i>	Fall 2015	
<b>Selected invited talks</b>	Information Science Department, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, USA	4/2020
	Digital Mental Health Workshop, San Francisco, WA, USA	1/2020
	UW DUB Seminar	12/2019
	The Human Factors and Ergonomics Society: Panel on Ubiquitous User Monitoring	10/2019
	Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Seattle, WA, USA	9/2019
	Keynote at 2nd KDD Workshop on Offline and Online Evaluation of Interactive Systems	8/2019
	KDD Dissertation Award 2019	8/2019
	Industrial and Systems Engineering Seminar, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, USA	6/2019
	Linguistic Department Seminar, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, USA	4/2019
	Sage Bionetworks, Seattle, WA, USA	2/2019
	BRiTE Center, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, USA	2/2019
	Data Abuse Prevention Workshop, DARPA/ISAT, Arlington, VA, USA	8/2018
	YouTube, Mountain View, CA, USA	7/2018
	Schools of Computer Science and Information, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, USA	4/2018
	Computer Science Department, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, USA	4/2018
	Computer Science Department, University of Maryland, College Park, MD, USA	4/2018
	Max Planck Institute for Software Systems, Kaiserslautern, DE	3/2018
	Computer Science Department, ETH Zurich, Zurich, CH	3/2018
	Boston Children's Hospital, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, USA	3/2018
	HCII, LTI, MLD, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, USA	3/2018
Computer Science Department, Columbia University, New York City, NY, USA	3/2018	

Interactive Computing Department, Georgia Tech University, Atlanta, GA, USA	3/2018
Computer Science Department, UC San Diego, San Diego, CA, USA	2/2018
Computer Science Department, UC Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, USA	2/2018
CSE Department, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, USA	2/2018
Biomedical Data Science Department, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, USA	2/2018
Computer Science & ECE Departments, Duke University, Durham, NC, USA	2/2018
Computer Science Department, UC Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, USA	1/2018
School of Public Health, UC Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, USA	1/2018
e-WEAR Student Society Annual Symposium, Stanford University, CA, USA	9/2017
Center for the Study of Language and Information (CSLI), Stanford University, CA, USA	6/2017
Max Planck Institute for Software Systems, Saarbrücken, Germany	12/2016
DFKI Deep Learning Competence Center, Kaiserslautern, Germany	12/2016
Adidas, Herzogenaurach, Germany	12/2016
Microsoft Health Intelligence Group, Redmond, WA, USA	6/2016
Workshop on Wearable Devices & the 24-hour Activity Cycle, Stanford University, CA	4/2016
Intelligent Systems Lab, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands	1/2013
Multimedia Computing Group, Delft University of Technology, Netherlands	1/2013
GI Informatiktage 2011, Bonn, Germany	3/2011

**Selected  
community  
service**

**Outstanding Reviewer Award** — *ACM Int'l Conference on Web-Search and Data Mining*, 2016

**Co-organizer**

[WWW/WebConf](#), Co-Chair for *Health on the Web Track*, 2020

[Kavli Frontiers of Science](#), held at *National Academy of Sciences*, 2020

[Workshop on Machine Learning for Health](#), held at *NeurIPS*, 2017

[Workshop on Observational Studies Through Social Media](#), held at *ICWSM*, 2017

**Editorial board member**

*Nature Scientific Data*, 2018–present

**Program committee member**

*WWW* — *Intl. World Wide Web Conference*, 2015–2016; Session Chair, 2017; 2018–2020

*WSDM* — *ACM Intl. Conference on Web Search and Data Mining*, 2016–2018

*KDD* — *ACM SIGKDD Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining*, 2015–2020

*ICWSM* — *Intl. AAAI Conference on Web and Social Media*, 2016, 2017, 2018

*EMNLP* — *Intl. ACL Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing*, 2017–2018

*MM* — *ACM Intl. Conference on Multimedia*, 2014–2015

*SocialNLP* — *Intl. Workshop on Natural Language Processing for Social Media*, 2016–2017

*EuroSymposium* — *European Symposium on Societal Challenges in Computational Social Science*, 2017

*HealthRecSys* — *Intl. Workshop on Health Recommender Systems at ACM RecSys*, 2017

**Journal reviewer**

*NatureHB* — *Nature Human Behavior*, 2019

*ScienceAdv* — *Science Advances*, 2019

*DS* — *EPJ Data Science*, 2018

*BMJ* — *British Medical Journal*, 2019

*S* — *Sleep*, 2020

*PR* — *Psychotherapy Research*, 2020

*JMIR* — *Journal of Medical Internet Research (incl. Mental Health, Serious Games)*, 2016–2018

*MS* — *Management Science*, 2018

*TIST* — *ACM Transactions on Intelligent Systems and Technology*, 2016

*TKDE* — *IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering*, 2016

**Science  
outreach &  
selected  
media  
coverage  
(of 400+)**

***Selected articles in media***

<b>GeekWire</b> on <i>Pandemic data mining underscores the importance of social distancing [...]</i>	3/2020
<b>GeekWire</b> on <i>How data from smartphones [...] can inform us about human health [...]</i>	11/2019
<b>Yahoo News</b> on <i>KDD 2019 Honors Top Data Scientists [...]</i>	8/2019
<b>The Globe and Mail</b> on <i>Calls grow to redesign cities with women in mind</i>	4/2019
<b>3M</b> on <i>How creative science is helping make neighborhoods healthier</i>	10/2018
<b>Nature Medicine</b> on <i>Discovery cycle: Period-tracking apps offer new insights</i>	8/2018
<b>New York Times</b> on <i>A Crisis Line That Calms With Texting and Data</i>	12/2017
<b>The Guardian</b> on <i>'Paying to stay safe': why women don't walk as much as men</i>	10/2017
<b>New York Times</b> on <i>Jakarta, the City Where Nobody Wants to Walk</i>	8/2017
<b>American Council on Science and Health</b> on <i>Activity Inequality: What Does That Mean?</i>	8/2017
<b>CNN</b> on <i>Why are these countries the most obese? Walking is just one reason</i>	7/2017
<b>The Washington Post</b> on <i>Americans take fewer steps than people in U.K., new study reveals</i>	7/2017
<b>CBS</b> on <i>Daily step counts: Which countries are most active - and which are least?</i>	7/2017
<b>TIME</b> on <i>How Step Count Data Can Predict Obesity</i>	7/2017
<b>WIRED</b> on <i>The problem with fitness studies based on activity apps</i>	7/2017
<b>Huffington Post</b> on <i>How Smartphone Data Can Make Healthcare Smarter</i>	7/2017
<b>NIH</b> on <i>NIH-funded team uses smartphone data in global study of physical activity</i>	7/2017
<b>Wall Street Journal</b> on <i>Want to Exercise More? Try Screen Time</i>	12/2016
<b>Forbes</b> on <i>Study Finds Pokémon Go Does Get People Moving [...]</i>	12/2016
<b>Science</b> on <i>Pokémon Go could add extra years to your life</i>	10/2016
<b>BBC</b> on <i>Could playing Pokemon Go make you live longer?</i>	10/2016
<b>CNN</b> on <i>Pokemon Go could add 2.83 million years to users' lives</i>	10/2016
<b>Reddit's front page</b> on <i>Pokémon Go has added [...] 144 billion steps to US physical activity</i>	10/2016
<b>The Economist</b> on <i>Science on the web: Social net, working</i>	9/2014
<b>Huffington Post</b> on <i>Here's The Secret Formula for Getting Free Pizza, According to Science</i>	6/2014
<b>ABC News</b> on <i>How to Ask Strangers for a Free Pizza</i>	5/2014
<b>MIT Technology Review</b> on <i>Data Mining Reddit Posts Reveal How to Ask For a Favor</i>	5/2014

***Selected interviews in TV & radio***

<b>ABC News Australia (radio)</b> on <i>Physical Activity Data Reveal Worldwide Activity Inequality</i>	7/2017
<b>BBC (TV)</b> on <i>Click (covering our research on NLP for crisis counseling and mental health)</i>	3/2017