



# Tomislav Šmuc – Curriculum Vitae

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Publications (last 10 years): <http://bib.irb.hr/lista-radova?autor=136501&period=2007>

Google Scholar: <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=kuxxEikAAAAJ&hl=en>

(GS: 3700+ citations; h-index: 22; WoS: 2100+ citations, h-index: 16)

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## CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS

### Machine Learning & Data mining

Rule learning, ensemble based machine learning, redescription mining, information and model fusion

### Applications (DM&ML)

**biology, genomics&proteomics:** improving/interpreting experimental data, multi-label annotation of genes and organisms; information fusion for gene function prediction, microbial phenotype prediction;  
**drug discovery:** Modeling compound activities and mechanism of action – drug discovery  
**economics and finance:** impact of media on financial indicators;  
**complex systems & networks:** spreading processes on networks, detection of source of spreading in networks, modeling influence in networks.

## EDUCATION

1994	Faculty of Electrical Engineering (FEE)–University of Zagreb (UoZ); Phd in Nuclear Engineering; Thesis: "Stochastic Method For Loading Pattern Optimization of Pressurized Water Reactor"
1986 – 1991	FEE-UoZ; MSc in Nuclear Engineering
1981 – 1986	FEE-UoZ; BSc in Nuclear Engineering

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2017 -	RBI, Senior scientist with tenure, Head of Laboratory (2016-)
2012 - 2017	RBI, Senior scientist, Head of Division of electronics (2012 - 2016)
2006 - 2011	Senior research associate, Head of Division of electronics
2000 – 2005	RBI, Research associate
1998 – 1999	IRI - TU DELFT; Post-doctoral researcher
1986 – 1998	RBI, Research assistant (1986 - 1994), Senior research assistant (1994-1998)

## INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- Head of Division of electronics (2006-2016)
- Leading Institute's Committee for Computing and Communications (2003-2007)
- Adviser to the Director for collaboration with industry (2005-2009)
- Assistant Director for International Cooperation and Projects at RBI (2015-2016)
- Member of the Scientific Council of RBI (2006-2016)
- Member of the Board of Governors of RBI (2016-)

## RECENT RESEARCH PROJECTS (LAST 5 YEARS)

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### Croatian Science Foundation

2014-2017 Machine Learning Algorithms for Insightful Analysis of Complex Data Structures; **WP Leader**

### Ministry of Science and Education (Croatia)

2017-2022 **DATA CROSS** – project of the Center of Research Excellence in Data Science and Advanced Cooperative Systems, **Research area leader**

2017-2022 **Bioprospecting of Adriatic Sea** – project of the Center of Research Excellence in Bioprospecting, **Research task leader**

### EU FP projects:

2012-2014 **FOC-II; FP7-FET;** (172,000EUR); **RBI group leader**

2013-2016 **MultiPlex; FP7-FET;**(300,000EUR); **RBI group leader**

2013-2016 **InnoMol – FP7 REGPOT;** (RBI ~4.8MEUR, >30 RBI staff); **Collaborator**

2014-2017 **MAESTRA – FP 7 FET** (260,000EUR); **WP leader**

## SUPERVISION OF JUNIOR RESEARCHERS

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### MSc students

Jurica Levatić (2011)  
Patrik Đurđević (2012)  
Dino Malpera (2012)  
Josip Šumečki (2012)  
Ana Paliska (2017)  
Filip Milinković (2017)  
Andrea Stanić (2018)  
Tin Mavračić (2018)  
Dinko Ždravac (2018)

### PhD students

Krešimir Trontl (2004-2008)  
Fran Supek (2005-2010)  
Nino Antulov Fantulin (2011-2015)  
Matej Mihelčić (2013-2018)  
Matija Piškorec (2014-)  
Davor Oršolić (2018-)

## TEACHING ACTIVITIES

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### Faculty of Mathematics, PMF, University of Zagreb

(2010- ) **Machine Learning**, Masters students' course, (2008-2010) **Introduction to AI**, Masters students' course

## MEMBERSHIP IN EVALUATION PANELS & REVIEWING

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**Search committees (external):** WASP program – Sweden (2017); **Project proposals:** ERC remote reviewer (2017); National Science Centre - Poland (2013-2017); **Journals (reviewing) :** Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery, Machine Learning, Jrn. Int. Inf. System, Scientific Reports, PlosOne, Plos Computational Biology, Bioinformatics; **Conferences (reviewing):** ECML-PKDD, Discovery Science

## ACTIVE MEMBERSHIPS IN SOCIETES

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- ENS – European Nuclear Society; HNS – Croatian Nuclear Society
- ISCB – International Society for Computational Biology

## ORGANIZATION OF CONFERENCES & WORKSHOPS

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- ECML-PKDD (2016-2017), Discovery Science (2016), **Program committee member**
- ECML-PKDD 2017, PhD Forum; **Co-chair**
- Summer school “Mining Big and Complex Data”, Ohrid, Macedonia, 2016, **Organizer and lecturer**; Summer school on Data Science 2016, 2017, Split. **Co-chair**; 2018 - **Program chair**
- ECML-PKDD 2011, Discovery challenge; **Organizer & workshop chair**
- ECML-PKDD 2003, **Local chair**

## REPRESENTATIVE PUBLICATIONS(LAST 10 YEARS) (QUARTILE + WOS CITATIONS)

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- 1.1 Matija Piškorec, Nino Antulov-Fantulin, Petra Kralj Novak, Igor Mozetič, Miha Grčar, Irena Vodenska, **T. Šmuc** (2014), Cohesiveness in Financial News and its Relation to Market Volatility, *Scientific Reports*, <http://dx.doi.org/10.1038/srep05038>; (Q1); **Citations: 8**
- 1.2 N. Antulov-Fantulin, **T. Šmuc**, A. Lančić, H. Štefančić, M. Šikić, (2015) Identification of patient zero in static and temporal networks - robustness and limitations, *Phys. Rev. Lett.*, 114(24), 248701.; (Q1); **Citations: 19**.
- 1.3 M. Mihelčić, N. Lavrač, S. Džeroski, **T. Šmuc**, (2017) A framework for redescription set construction, *Expert Systems With Applications* 68 196–215. (Q1); **Citations: 5**
- 1.4 M. Mihelčić, S. Džeroski, N. Lavrač, **T. Šmuc**, (2017) Redescription mining augmented with random forest of predictive clustering trees, *Journal of Intelligent Information Systems*, 1-34. doi:10.1007/s10844-017-0448-5, (Q3); **Citations: 1**
- 1.5 M. Mihelčić, G. Šimić, M. L. Babić, N. Lavrač, S. Džeroski, **T. Šmuc** (2017) Using redescription mining to relate clinical and biological characteristics of cognitively impaired and Alzheimer's disease patients. *PLOS ONE* 12(10), (Q1); **Citations: 2**.
- 1.6 M. Mihelčić, T. Šmuc, (2018), Targeted and contextual redescription set exploration, *Machine Learning*, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10994-018-5738-9>
- 1.7 V., Vidulin, T. Šmuc, S. Džeroski, F. Supek, The evolutionary signal in metagenome phyletic profiles predicts many gene functions, *Microbiome* (2018) 6:129, <https://doi.org/10.1186/s40168-018-0506-4>
- 1.8 V Vidulin, **T Šmuc**, F Supek, (2016). Extensive Complementarity between Gene Function Prediction Methods, *Bioinformatics*, 1367-4803. (Q1); **Citations: 3**
- 1.9 M Brbić, M Piškorec, V Vidulin, A Kriško, **T Šmuc** and F Supek, (2016), The landscape of microbial phenotypic traits and associated genes, *Nucleic acids research* (0305-1048) (Q1); **Citations: 16**
- 1.10 P. Radivojac et al., (2013) A large-scale evaluation of computational protein function prediction; *Nature Methods* 10(3):221, (Q1); **Citations: 366**
- 1.11 Škunca N, Bošnjak M, Kriško A, Panov P, Džeroski S, **Šmuc T**, Supek F. (2012). Phyletic Profiling With Cliques of Orthologs Is Enhanced by Signatures of Paralogy Relationships, *PLoS Computational Biology*. (Q1); **Citations: 18**.
- 1.12 Supek F, Bošnjak M, Škunca N, **Šmuc T**, (2011), REVIGO summarizes and visualizes long lists of Gene Ontology terms , *PloS One*, (7):e21800. doi:10.1371/journal.pone. (Q1); **Citations 1371**