

# Aurélie Pirayre

## Engineer – PhD / Data processing & interpretation

### Skills

**Bioinformatics** — transcriptomics, computational biology, network analysis  
**Signal processing** — filtering, trend estimation, normalization  
**Image processing** — segmentation, restoration  
**Optimization** — discrete/continuous, in graphs, proximal, majorize-minimize  
**Statistics** — complicated data handling, statistical tests, Bayesian framework  
**Communication and popularization of science**

### personal records

04/09/1989 (27 years old)  
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### languages

french - native  
english - working prof.

### programming

Matlab, Python, C++  
R (Rstudio, Shiny)  
L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, html

### scientific networks

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GdR ISIS, MaDICS,  
BIM, Statomique

### personal interests

stand-up paddle / surf  
oenology  
yoga

### Experience

2013 – 2017	<b>PhD in Signal Processing (defense: July 3<sup>rd</sup>)</b>	IPF Energies nouvelles, Rueil-Malmaison, France – University Paris-Est, Champs-sur-Marne, France
	<i>Reconstruction and clustering with graph optimization and priors on gene networks and images</i>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>multidisciplinary communication: links between mathematicians/computer engineers and biologists</li><li>discrete and/or continuous optimization with priors</li><li>software development: BRANE Cut and BRANE Clust</li><li>article writing (list of publications below)</li><li>biological interpretation of results</li><li>internship supervisor of two students from Master EEA</li></ul>	
	<i>Supervisors: Jean-Christophe Pesquet, Laurent Duval, Camille Couprie and Frédérique Bidard-Michelot</i>	
since 2013	<b>Teaching in signal processing</b>	Engineer school ESIPE EISC, 2 <sup>nd</sup> year, Marne-la-Vallée, France
	Determinist and Stochastic Signal Processing module: 2 × 24 h per year Lectures, tutorials and practical work: Fourier, sampling, filter characterization and design, quantization, spectral estimation	
03 – 09 2013	<b>Research Internship in Bioinformatics</b>	IPF Energies nouvelles, Rueil-Malmaison, France
	Theoretical and practical benchmark on gene regulatory networks with development of a network visualization tool (R)	
06 – 08 2012	<b>Research Internship in Bioinformatics</b>	Pasteur Institute, Paris, France
	<i>Algorithm implementation to deal with HiC experiments</i>	
06 – 08 2011	<b>Research Internship</b>	CEA, Saclay, France
	<i>Study of the molecular dynamic of a transmembrane protein</i>	

### Education

2013 – 2017	<b>PhD in Signal Processing</b>	IPF Energies nouvelles, Rueil-Malmaison
2010 – 2013	<b>Engineering school in Biosciences</b>	ISBS, Créteil
	Specialization: computer sciences, bioimaging, bioinformatics and drugs	
2007 – 2010	<b>Classes Préparatoires aux Grandes Écoles</b>	Lycée Ozenne, Toulouse
	Technology Biology (TB)	
2007	<b>French Baccalauréat STL</b>	Lycée Borda, Dax
	Specialization in biochemistry-biology	

# Publications

## Ongoing publications

Y. Zheng, A. Pirayre, L. Duval and J.-C. Pesquet  
**Joint restoration/segmentation of multicomponent images with variational Bayes and higher-order graphical models (HOGMep)**  
In progress, provisional submission in June 2017 to *IEEE Transactions on Computational Imaging*

L. Duval, A. Pirayre and I.W. Selesnick  
**BEADS unstrung: automated baseline and noise filtering guided by sparsity and positivity on analytical data**  
In progress, provisional submission in July 2017 to *ACS Analytical Chemistry*

A. Pirayre, D. Ivanoff, E. Jourdier, A. Margeot, L. Duval, and F. Bidard  
**Growing Trichoderma reesei on a mix of carbon sources reveals links between development and cellulase production**  
In progress, provisional submission in June 2017 to *BMC Genomics*

## International journals

A. Pirayre, C. Couprise, L. Duval and J.-C. Pesquet  
**BRANE Clust: Cluster-Assisted Gene Regulatory Network Inference Refinement**  
In *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Computational Biology and Bioinformatics*, Mar. 2017

A. Pirayre, C. Couprise, L. Duval, F. Bidard and J.-C. Pesquet  
**BRANE Cut: Biologically-Related Apriori Network Enhancement with Graph cuts for Gene Regulatory Network Inference**  
In *BMC Bioinformatics*, 16:369, Dec. 2015

D. Poggi-Parodi, F. Bidard, A. Pirayre, T. Portnoy, C. Blugeon, B. Seiboth, C.P. Kubicek, S. Le Crom and A. Margeot  
**Kinetic transcriptome reveals an essentially intact induction system in a cellulase hyper-producer Trichoderma reesei strain**  
In *Biotechnology and Biofuels*, 7:173, Dec. 2014

## International conferences with proceedings

A. Pirayre, Y. Zheng, L Duval and J.-C. Pesquet  
**HOGMep: Variational Bayes and Higher-Order Graphical Models Applied to Joint image Segmentation and Reconstruction**  
Accepted to *ICIP (International Conference on Image Processing)*, Sep. 2017, Beijing, China

A. Pirayre, D. Ivanoff, E. Jourdier, A. Margeot, L. Duval and F. Bidard  
**Growing Trichoderma reesei on a mix of carbon sources reveals links between development and cellulase production**  
Presented at *FGC (Fungal Genetics Conference)*, Mar. 2017, Pacific Grove, USA

L. Duval, A. Pirayre, X. Ning and I.W. Selesnick  
**Suppression de ligne de base et débruitage de chromatogrammes par pénalisation asymétrique de positivité et dérivées parcimonieuses**  
Presented at *GRETSI (Groupe d'Etudes du Traitement du Signal et des Images)*, Sep. 2015, Lyon, France

A. Pirayre, C. Couprise, L. Duval, J.-C. Pesquet  
**Graph inference enhancement with clustering: application to gene regulatory network reconstruction**  
Presented at *EUSIPCO (European Signal Processing Conference)*, Sep. 2015, Nice, France

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## International conferences with proceedings (continued)

A. Pirayre, C. Couprise, L. Duval, J.-C. Pesquet

**Fast convex optimization for connectivity enforcement in gene regulatory network inference**

Presented at *ICASSP (International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing)*, Apr. 2015, Brisbane, Australia

A. Pirayre, C. Couprise, L. Duval, J.-C. Pesquet

**Discrete vs Continuous Optimization for Gene Regulatory Network Inference**

Presented at *BASP (International Biomedical and Astronomical Signal Processing Workshop)*, Jan. 2015, Villars-sur-Ollon, Switzerland

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## Presentations without proceedings

A. Pirayre, C. Couprise, L. Duval and J.-C. Pesquet

**Gene Regulatory Network inference refinement using clustering**

Presented at the *GdR ISIS – Apprentissage et/ou traitement du signal et des images sur graphes*, Jun. 2016, Paris, France

A. Pirayre, D. Ivanoff, E. Jourdier, A. Margeot, L. Duval, F. Bidard

**Growing Trichoderma reesei on a mix of carbon sources reveals links between development and cellulase production**

Presented at *1<sup>st</sup> Trichoderma Workshop*, satellite meeting of *ECFG (European Conference on Fungal Genetics)*, Apr. 2016, Paris, France

A. Pirayre, C. Couprise, F. Bidard, L. Duval and J.-C. Pesquet

**BRANE Cut: integrating biological a priori in Gene Regulatory Network inference with Graph cuts**

Presented at *Statomique*, Nov. 2015, Paris, France

A. Pirayre, C. Couprise, L. Duval and J.-C. Pesquet

**Graph enhancement via clustering: application to Gene Regulatory Network inference**

Presented at the *GdR MaDICS – One-day Workshop on Emerging Trends in Clustering*, Jun. 2015, Orléans, France

A. Pirayre, C. Couprise, L. Duval, J.-C. Pesquet, F. Bidard

**Incorporating biological a priori in Gene Regulatory Networks Inference using Graph Cuts**

Presented at *ESCS (European Student Council Symposium)*, satellite meeting of *ECCB (European Conference on Computational Biology)* Sep. 2014, Strasbourg, France (**second best poster award**)