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GOOGLE SCHOLAR https://goo.gl/M7Guxq PHD IN COMPUTER SCIENCE - 2016 University of Madeira / M-ITI, Portugal

MSC IN COMPUTER SCIENCE - 2011 University of Madeira / M-ITI, Portugal

ENGINEERING DEGREE IN INFORMATICS - 2007 University of Madeira, Portugal

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ASSISTANT RESEARCHER, APRIL 2019 - ONGOING ITI, LARSyS, Instituto Superior Técnico, University of Lisbon

VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, OCTOBER 2017 - JULY 2019 University of Madeira

POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER, JANUARY 2017 - MARCH 2019 Madeira Interactive Technologies Institute (M-ITI)

CO-FOUNDER AND DATA SCIENCE LEAD, JUNE 2015 - ONGOING BrightCuriosity Lda. (prsma)

INFORMATICS ENGINEER, DECEMBER 2007 - JANUARY 2010 Information Systems and Communications Department Câmara de Lobos City Hall

LANGUAGES

PORTUGUESE (C2), ENGLISH (C2), SPANISH (B2), FRENCH (A1)

HONOURS AND AWARDS

SCIENTIFIC EMPLOYMENT STIMULUS GRANT, 2019 (TOP 12%) Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology

BEST ORAL PRESENTATION, 2018 International NILM Workshop 2018

INDIVIDUAL DOCTORAL GRANT, 2011 - 2015 Portuguese Foundation for Science and Technology

RESEARCH GRANTS

EXPLORING THE HUMAN-WATER-ENERGY NEXUS IN INDUSTRIAL KITCHENS (NEXIK), 2022 - 2023 FCT, EXPL/CCI-COM/1234/2021 https://nexik.tecnico.ulisboa.pt

FUTURE INDUSTRIAL KITCHEN (FIK), 2018 - 2019 Madeira 14-20 / FEDER, M1420-01-0247-FEDER-000018 https://futurekitchen.m-iti.org

smart island energy systems (smile), 2017 - 2021 Horizon 2020, GA 731249

https://www.h2020smile.eu

SME INSTRUMENT - PHASE 1, 2015 - 2016 Horizon 2020, SME Instrument

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

COMMUNICATION AND MULTIMEDIA - UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA, SPRING 2019

Introduction to multimedia tools, content creation and management. Web accessibility and data privacy protection. Course delivered in Portuguese.

PROGRAMMING PARADIGMS - UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA, FALL 2017

Introductory programming course to the different engineering and mathematics majors at the the University of Madeira. Course delivered in English and Portuguese.

PHD STUDENTS

JOÃO GÓIS (TÉCNICO LISBOA, UNIVERSITY OF LISBON), 2021 - ONGOING

Thesis: On the Relationship Between Similarity Measures and Complexity in Energy Disaggregation (Funded by FCT)

ANTHONY FAUSTINE (TÉCNICO LISBOA, UNIVERSITY OF LISBON), 2021 - ONGOING Thesis: Towards Robust Machine Learning Algorithms for Future Energy Systems

EDUARDO GOMES (TÉCNICO LISBOA, UNIVERSITY OF LISBON), 2021 - ONGOING Thesis: MARLEC: Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning Applications in Energy Communities. In cosupervision with Hugo Morais (Técnico Lisboa) (Funded by FCT)

ONGOING MASTER STUDENTS

ANA OLIVEIRA (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2022/2023 Thesis:Water-Energy-Food Nexus in Industrial Kitchens: Energy Efficiency and Management. In cosupervision with Hugo Morais (Técnico Lisboa, U. Lisbon)

RAFAEL CANDEIAS (COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2022/2023 Thesis: Semi-Supervised Learning Applied to Soil Nutrient Estimation Using Earth Observation Data.

FÁBIO BASSOI (COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2022/2023 Thesis:Web-based application to create large-scale datasets through crowd-sourcing and data-driven models of EV charging and appliance electricity consumption.

GONÇALO DE MORAIS (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2022/2023

Thesis: Machine Learning Applications in Industrial Kitchens: Monitoring and Disaggregation. In cosupervision with Hugo Morais (Técnico Lisboa, U. Lisbon)

MÁRCIO ROMERO (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2022/2023

Thesis:Water-Energy-Food Nexus in Industrial Kitchens - Load Modelling of Industrial Kitchen Devices. In co-supervision with Hugo Morais (Técnico Lisboa, U. Lisbon)

GRADUATED MASTER STUDENTS

VASCO ANDRADE (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2022/2023

Thesis: Forecast of Electrical Consumption in Industrial Kitchens. In co-supervision with Hugo Morais (Técnico Lisboa, U. Lisbon)

RICARDO MARTINS (DATA SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2022 Thesis: Machine Learning Applications in Industrial Kitchens: Data Acquisition and Data-Driven Water-Energy-Food Nexus Modelling. In co-supervision with Hugo Morais (Técnico Lisboa, U. Lisbon)

NUNO VELOSA (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2020/2021 - 2021/2022 Thesis: Exploring the potential of social agents and distributed ledger technologies for load balancing in community energy systems. In co-supervision with Filipe Quintal (University of Madeira) | Now at INESC-ID

MANUEL PEREIRA (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, NUNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2020/2021 - 2021/2022 Thesis: Exploring the potential of machine-learning and earth observations data for climate change mitigation. In co-supervision with Filipe Quintal (University of Madeira) | Now at INESC-ID

DIOGO NOBREGA (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2021/2022

Thesis:Battery Energy Storage System to Provide Grid Services. In co-supervision with Hugo Morais (Técnico Lisboa, U. Lisbon)

JORGE AMANTEGUI (ENERGY ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2021/2022

Thesis: On the Potential of RES and Storage Devices in the Context of Restaurant Kitchens. In cosupervision with Hugo Morais (Técnico Lisboa, U. Lisbon)

ARUN NAGARAJ (ENERGY ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2020/2021 Thesis: Participation of prosumers in peer-to-peer negotiation in Energy Communities. In cosupervision with Hugo Morais (Técnico Lisboa, U. Lisbon) | Now at Microsoft Portugal

MIKOLAJ KRUTNIK (ENERGY ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2019/2020

Thesis: Energy Services for the Food Industry. In co-supervision with Nuno Nunes (University of Lisbon) and Van Malcolm Yadack (Koena Tech) | Now at McKinsey & Company

DINO VASCONCELOS (ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2017/2018 - 2019/2020 Thesis: Electric Vehicle Smart Charging. In co-supervision with Dionisio Barros (University of Madeira) | Now at Tech4Home

FAYAZ AHMED (ENERGY ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2018/2019 Thesis: Assessing the Value Proposition of Disaggregated Electricity Consumption Data through Real-World Deployments. In co-supervision with Nuno Jardim Nunes (University of Lisbon) | now at CleanWatts

RODOLFO GONÇALVES (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2013/2014 - 2014/2015 Thesis: OpenDataHub:An Open Dataset Management System. In co-supervision with Nuno Nunes and Filipe Quintal (University of Madeira) | now at blip.pt

PHD THESES EXAMINER

FRANCESCA MARCELLO (ELECTRONIC AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF CAGLIARY, ITALY) - 2023

Thesis: Sensors and Wearable-based Activity Recognition and Behaviour Analysis for Users' Quality of Life Improvement

FÁBIO MENDONÇA (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON) - 2021 Thesis: Signal Processing Approaches for Sleep Quality Analysis in Suspected Sleep Disorder Patients

SANDY ABREU (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON) - 2021 Thesis: Improving Machine Learning Prediction and Forecasting Models Used in Photovoltaic Monitoring Systems

MSCTHESES EXAMINER

LUCAS NOLASCO (ELECTRICAL AND INDUSTRIAL INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UTFPR, BRAZIL), 2023 Thesis: DEEPDFML-NILM: A Deep Learning-Based Model for Detection, Feature Extraction and Classification in NILM Signals

JOSÉ SARAMAGO (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2023 Thesis: Energy Communities : Military Academy Use Case

FRANCISCO FIALHO (COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2022 Thesis: PowerShare - AI Energy Sensor Interface for Google Home/Assistant

GUILLERMO LOPEZ (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2022 Thesis: Management of Autonomous Electric Vehicles in Parking Lots

DUARTE SILVA (ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2021 Thesis: Sistema Hierárquico de Gestão de Energia em Parques de Estacionamento (Hierarchical Energy Management System in Car Parks)

DUARTE PINTO (COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING, ISCTE, IUL), 2021 Thesis: User Emotional Interaction Processor: A tool to support the development of GUIs through physiological user monitoring

JOAQUIM PEREZ (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2021

Thesis: Development and Analysis of an Open-source Platform to Simulate Electric Vehicle Charging Needs ANDRÉ MOURA (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2021 Thesis: User Chat Clustering Using Deep Learning Representations and Unsupervised Methods for Dialog System Applications

ANDRESSA BADE (ENERGY ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT, TÉCNICO LISBOA, U. LISBON), 2020 Thesis: Small Flexibility-based Frequency Containment Reserves - Opportunities in the European Union and Case Study

DIOGO CRUZ (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2020 Thesis: User Interfaces and Methods for Visual Search in Images

GRADUATED BACHELOR STUDENTS

TONI GARCÊS (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2023 Project:Visualising Electricity Consumption in Industrial Kitchens.

TOM MENDONÇA (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2023 Project: Frontend application for the TerraSenseTK Machine-Learning Toolkit.

FILIPE LOPES (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2023 Project: Frontend application for the PROCSIM Energy Communities Simulator.

PEDRO JAQUES (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2023 Project: Empirical exploration of performance metrics for power and energy estimation using NILM.

JOÃO PEREIRA (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2020 Project: Perceptions of sustainable development web-platform.

MANUEL PEREIRA (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2019 Project: dsCleaner: A Python Library to Clean, Preprocess and Convert Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring Datasets.

NUNO VELOSA (INFORMATICS ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF MADEIRA), 2019 Project: Multimedia File Format for Data Analytics in Smart Energy Grids.

michael cavaleiro (informatics engineering, university of madeira), 2019 Project: Map My Drive web-platform

VISITING STUDENTS

MANOLO MANCA (UNIVERSITY OF CAGLIARI, ITALY), 2022 Research Topic: End-to-end energy disaggregation with combined single- and multi-label approaches

REVIEWING

REVIEWER IN JOURNALS ACM Transactions on Intelligent Interactive Systems: since 2016 Elsevier Advanced Engineering Informatics: since 2019 Elsevier Applied Energy: since 2019 Elsevier Building Engineering: Since 2021 Elsevier Electric Power Systems Research: since 2021 Elsevier Energy and Al: since 2020 Elsevier Energy and Buildings: since 2017 Elsevier International Journal of Electrical Power and Energy Systems: since 2018 Elsevier Sustainable Cities and Society: since 2020 Elsevier Sustainable Energy, Grids and Networks, since 2023 IEEE Access: since 2019 IEEE Journal of Modern Power Systems and Clean Energy: since 2020 IEEE Transactions on Consumer Electronics: since 2022 IEEE Transactions on Green Communications and Networking: since 2022 IEEE Transactions on Industrial Informatics: since 2019 IEEE Transactions on Instrumentation & Measurement: since 2021 IEEE Transactions on Smart Grid: since 2020 MDPI Buildings: since 2015 MDPI Energies: since 2013 MDPI Sensors: since 2012 MDPI Sustainability / Technologies / Urban Science / Smart Cities / Future Internet: since 2018 Nature Scientific Data: since 2020

Nature Scientific Reports: since 2022 Wiley International Journal of Energy Research: since 2020

REVIEWER IN CONFERENCES

Annual Conference of the IEEE Industrial Electronics Society - IECon 2021 International ACM Conference on Automotive User Interfaces and Interactive Vehicular Applications -AutoUI 2021 ACM International Conference on Information Technology for Social Good - GoodIT 2021 - 2023 ACM Conference on Designing Interactive Systems - DIS 2020, 2023 IEEE International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Virtual Reality - AIVR 2018 - 2021 IEEE International Conference on Smart Computing - SmartComp 2018 - 2020 IFIP Conference on Sustainable Internet and ICT for Sustainability - SustainIT 2017 IEEE PES Power Africa Conference - PowerAfrica 2017 - 2019 ACM Conference on Computer-Supported Cooperative Work and Social Computing - CSCW 2017 -2019 ACM Conference on Intelligent User Interfaces - IUI 2015 - 2023 ACM International Conference on Embedded Systems for Energy-Efficient Buildings - BuildSys 2014 ACM CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems - CHI 2014, 2015, 2023 ACM SIGCHI Conference on Mobile Human-Computer Interaction - Mobile HCI 2012, 2013 ACM SIGCHI Symposium on Engineering Interactive Computing Systems - EICS 2014, 2015, 2023 ACM SIGCHI Symposium on User Interface Software and Technology - UIST 2014 International Conference on ICT for Sustainability - ICT4S 2014 ACM Nordic Conference on Human-Computer Interaction - NordiCHI 2014

REVIEWER IN WORKSHOPS

International Workshop on Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring - NILM Workshop 2016, 2020, 2022 ACM Workshop On Embedded Systems For Energy-Efficient Buildings - BuildSys 2012, 2013

EDITING

EDITOR IN CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

6th International Workshop on Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring - 2022 The Fifth IFIP Conference on Sustainable Internet and ICT for Sustainability - 2017

EDITOR IN JOURNALS

Guest Editor: MDPI Sensors - Special Issue on Practical Nonintrusive Load Monitoring Approaches with Meaningful Performance Evaluation

Guest Editor: MDPI Energies - Special Issue on Energy Data Analytics for Smart Meter Data Guest Editor:Wiley Greenhouse Gases: Science and Technology - Special Issue on ICEA-Energy and Sustainability 2019

Guest Editor: Springer Computing - Special Issue on Highlights of ES2DE and IWOBI 2017 -Extended Versions of Selected Best Papers

CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

CO-GENERAL CHAIR:

Advances in Signal Processing and Machine Learning for Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring - IEEE ICASSP 2023

The 6th International Workshop on Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring - NILM 2022

VICE-PROGRAM CHAIR:

The Fifth IFIP Conference on Sustainable Internet and ICT for Sustainability - SustainIT 2017

CO-CHAIR WORK IN PROGRESS:

International Conference on Information Technology for Social Good - GoodIT 2023

LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:

Advances in Computer Entertainment Technology - ACE 2014 IEEE Energy and Sustainability in Small Developing Economies - ES2DE 2017, 2018

TECHNICAL PROGRAM COMMITTEE:

ACM International Conference on Information Technology for Social Good - GoodIT since 2021 ACM Conference on Designing Interactive Systems - DIS 2020 IEEE International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Virtual Reality - AIVR 2018 - 2021

ACM Conference on Intelligent User Interfaces - IUI 2017 - 2023 IEEE International Conference on Smart Computing - SmartComp 2018 - 2020 International Workshop on Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring - NILM Workshop 2016, 2020, 2022 International Conference on Smart Cities and Green ICT Systems - SMARTGREENS 2024

TECHNICAL SESSION CHAIR:

IEEE International Conference on Industrial Informatics - INDIN 2023 International Workshop on Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring - NILM Workshop 2018, 2022 IEEE Energy and Sustainability in Small Developing Economies - ES2DE 2017

PUBLICATIONS

JOURNALS

- Velosa, N., Gomes, E., Morais. M., Pereira, L. (2023) "PROCSIM: An Open-Source Simulator to Generate Energy Community Power Demand and Generation Scenarios," *Energies, MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/en16041611
- Pedro, A., Krutnik, M., Yadack, V. M., Pereira, L., Morais, H. (2022) "Opportunities and Challenges for Small-Scale Flexibility in European Electricity Markets," *Utilities Policy, Elsevier*, doi: 10.1016/j.jup.2022.101477
- Amantegui, J., Morais, H., Pereira, L. (2022) "Benchmark of Electricity Consumption Forecasting Methodologies Applied to Industrial Kitchens," *Buildings, MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/ buildings12122231
- Bousbiat, B., Faustine, A., Klemenjak, C., Pereira, P., Elmenreich, W. (2022) "Unlocking the Full Potential of Neural NILM: On Automation, Hyperparameters & Modular Pipelines", *Transactions on Industrial Informatics, IEEE*, doi: 10.1109/TII.2022.3206322
- Góis, J., Pereira, L., Nunes, N. (2022) "A Data-Centric Analysis of the Impact of Non-Electric Data on the Performance of Load Disaggregation Algorithms", Sensors, MDPI, doi: 10.3390/s22186914
- Fiqueli, Z., Pereira, L., (2022) "Privacy Protection in Smart Meters using Homomorphic Encryption: an overview", WIREs Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery, Wiley, doi: 10.1002/widm.1469
- Pereira, L., Velosa. N., Pereira, M. (2022) "A Data Model and File Format to Represent and Store High Frequency Energy Monitoring and Disaggregation Datasets", *Scientific Reports, Nature*, doi: 10.1038/s41598-022-14517-y
- Gomes, L., Morais, H., Rodrigues, C., Gomes, E., Pereira, L., Vale, Z. (2022) "Impact of Forecasting Models Errors in a Peer-to-Peer Energy Sharing Market", *Energies, MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/en15103543
- 9. Pereira, L., Costa, D., Ribeiro, M. (2022) "A residential labeled dataset for smart meter data analytics", *Scientific Data, Nature*, doi: 10.1038/s41597-022-01252-2
- Faustine, A., Pereira, L. (2022) "FPSeq2Q: Fully Parameterized Sequence to Quantile Regression for Net-Load Forecasting with Uncertainty Estimates", *Transactions on Smart Grid, IEEE*, doi: 10.1109/TSG.2022.3148699
- Góis, J., Pereira, L. (2021) "A Novel Methodology for Identifying Appliance Usage Patterns in Buildings Based on Auto-Correlation and Probability Distribution Analysis", *Energy and Buildings, Elsevier*, doi: 10.1016/j.enbuild.2021.111618
- Quintal, F., Garigali, D., Vasconcelos, D., Cavaleiro, J., Santos, W., Pereira, L. (2021) "Energy Monitoring in the Wild: Platform Development and Lessons Learned from a Real-World Demonstrator", *Energies, MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/en14185786
- Pereira, L., Aguiar, V., Vasconcelos, F. (2021) "FIK Water: A Water Consumption Dataset from Three Restaurant Kitchens in Portugal", *Data*, *MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/ data6030026
- 14. **Pereira, L.**, Aguiar, V., Vasconcelos, F. **(2021)** "FIK Waste: A Waste Generation Dataset from Three Restaurant Kitchens in Portugal", *Data*, *MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/data6030025

- Völker, B., Reinhardt, A., Fausten, A., Pereira, L. (2021) "Watt's up at Home? Smart Meter Data Analytics from a Consumer-Centric Perspective" *Energies*, *MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/en14030719
- Pereira, L., Cavaleiro, J., Barros, L. (2020) "Economic Assessment of Solar-Powered Residential Battery Energy Storage Systems: The Case of Madeira Island, Portugal" Applied Sciences, MDPI, doi: 10.3390/app10207366
- Pereira, L., Nunes, N. (2020) "An Empirical Exploration of Performance Metrics for Event Detection Algorithms in Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring", Sustainable Cities and Society, Elsevier, doi: 10.1016/j.scs.2020.102399
- Faustine, A., Pereira, L., Klemenjak, C. (2020) "Adaptive Weighted Recurrence Graphs for Appliance Recognition in Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring", *Transactions on Smart Grid*, *IEEE*, doi: 10.1109/TSG.2020.3010621
- Faustine, A., Pereira, L. (2020) "Multi-label Learning for Appliance Recognition in NILM using Fryze-Current Decomposition and Convolutional Neural Network", *Energies, MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/en13164154
- Faustine, A., Pereira, L. (2020) "Improved Appliance Classification in Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring Using Weighted Recurrence Graph and Convolutional Neural Networks", *Energies, MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/en13133374
- Câmara, E., Pereira, L. (2020) "PB-NILM: PinBall Guided Deep Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring", Access, IEEE, doi: 10.1109/ACCESS.2020.2978513
- Hashmi, Md U., Deka, D., Bušić, A., Pereira, L., Backhaus, S. (2020) "Arbitrage with power factor correction using energy storage", *Transactions on Power Systems, IEEE*, doi: 10.1109/TPWRS.2020.2969978
- 23. **Pereira, L.**, Nunes, N. **(2019)** "Understanding the practical issues of deploying energy monitoring and eco-feedback technology in the wild: Lesson learned from three long-term deployments.", *Energy Reports, Elsevier*, doi: 10.1016/j.egyr.2019.11.025
- Pereira, L. (2019) "NILMPEds: A Performance Evaluation Dataset for Event Detection Algorithms in Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring", *Data, MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/ data4030127
- Pereira, M., Velova, N., Pereira, L. (2019) "dsCleaner: A Python Library to Clean, Preprocess and Convert Non-Instrusive Load Monitoring Datasets", *Data, MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/data4030123
- Torabi, R., Rodrigues, S., Cafôfo, N., Pereira, L., Quintal, F., Nunes, N., Morgado-Dias, F. (2018) "A global monitoring system for electricity consumption and production of household roof-top PV systems in Madeira", *Neural Computing and Applications, Springer,* doi: 10.1007/s00521-018-3832-3
- Baptista, D., Shanawaz Mostafa, S., Pereira, L., Sousa, L., Morgado-Dias, F. (2018)
 "Implementation Strategy of Convolution Neural Networks on Field Programmable Gate Arrays for Appliance Classification Using the Voltage and Current (V-I) Trajectory", *Energies, MDPI*, doi: 10.3390/en11092460
- Pereira, L., Nunes, N. (2018) "Performance Evaluation in Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring: datasets, metrics and tools - a review", WIREs Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery, John Wiley & Sons, doi: 10.1002/widm.1265
- Scott, M., Pereira, L., Oakley, I. (2014) "Show Me or Tell Me: Designing Avatars for Feedback", Interacting with Computers, Oxford Academic, doi: 10.1093/iwc/iwu008
- Barreto, M., Szóstek, A., Karapanos, E., Nunes, N. J., Pereira, L., Quintal, F. (2014)
 "Understanding Families' Motivations for Sustainable Behaviors", *Computers in Human Behavior, Elsevier,* doi:10.1016/j.chb.2014.07.042

CONFERENCES

- Fialho, F., Scuri, S., Pereira, L., Nunes, N. (2023) "Virtual Assistants for Energy Efficiency: Real World Tryouts" in Proceedings of the Third ACM International Conference on Information Technology for Social Good, GoodIT '23
- 32. **Pereira, L.**, Cavaleiro, J., Morais, H. **(2023)** "Understanding the Role of Solar PV and Battery Energy Storage in a Snack Bar: A Case Study in Madeira Island" in *Proceedings of the 21st IEEE International Conference on Industrial Informatics*, INDIN'23
- 33. Isaza-Giraldo, A., Pereira, M., Candeias, R., Pereira, L. (2023) "Satellite Dataset Visual Analysis for Remote Soil Nutrient Estimation" in Proceedings of the 3rd International Conference on Water Energy Food and Sustainability, ICoWEFS'23
- Oliveira, A., Ribeiro, M., Martins, R., Morais, G., Morais, H., Pereira, L. (2023) "On The Role Of Industrial Kitchens In Sustainable Energy Systems: The nexlK Vision" in Proceedings of the 27th International Conference on Electricity Distribution, CIRED'23
- Faustine, A., Pereira, L. (2023) "Applying Symmetrical Component Transform for Industrial Appliance Classification in Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring", in Proceedings of ICASSP 2023 - 2023 IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing, ICASSP'23
- Barros, L., Barreto, M., Pereira, L. (2020) "Understanding the challenges behind Electric Vehicle usage by drivers - a case study in the Madeira Autonomous Region" in Proceedings of the International Conference of ICT for Sustainability 2020, ICT4S '20
- Hashmi, Md U., Cavaleiro, J., Pereira, L., Bušić, A. (2020) "Sizing and Profitability of Energy Storage for Prosumers in Madeira, Portugal" in Proceedings of the Eleventh Conference on Innovative Smart Grid Technologies, ISGT '20
- Hashmi, Md U., Deka, D., Bušić, A., Pereira, L., Backhaus, S. (2019) "Co-optimizing Energy Storage for Prosumers Using Convex Relaxations", in Proceedings of the 20th International Conference on Intelligent Systems Applications to Power Systems, ISAP '19
- Klemenjak, C., Reinhardt, A., Pereira, L., Berges, M., Makonin, S., Elmenreich, W. (2019) "Electricity Consumption Data Sets: Pitfalls and Opportunities", in Proceedings of the 6th ACM International Conference on Systems for Energy-Efficient Buildings, Cities, and Transportation, BuildSys '19 [notes paper]
- Pereira, L., Cavaleiro, J. (2019) "On the Value Proposition of Battery Energy Storage in Self-Consumption Only Scenarios: A Case-Study in Madeira Island", in Proceedings of the IEEE 45th Annual Conference of the Industrial Electronics Society, IECON '19
- Barreto, M., Pereira, L., Quintal, F. (2019) "The Acceptance of Energy Monitoring Technologies – The Case of Local Prosumers", in *Proceedings of the International Conference of ICT for Sustainability 2019*, ICT4S '19
- Hashmi, Md U., Pereira, L. Bušić, A. (2019), "Energy Storage in Madeira, Portugal: Cooptimizing for Arbitrage, Self-Sufficiency, Peak Shaving and Energy Backup", in *Proceedings* of the 13th IEEE PowerTech 2019, PowerTech '19
- Pereira, L., Gonçalves, R., Quintal, F., Nunes, N.J. (2018) "Data Storage and Maintenance Challenges: The Case of Advanced Metering Infrastructure Systems", in Proceedings of the International Conference of ICT for Sustainability 2018, ICT4S '18
- 44. **Pereira, L.**, Ribeiro, M., Nunes, N.J. (**2017**) "Engineering and Deploying a Hardware and Software Platform to Collect and Label Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring Datasets", in *Proceedings of the Fifth IFIP International Conference on Sustainable Internet and ICT for Sustainability*, SustainIT '17
- 45. **Pereira, L.** (2017) "Developing and Evaluating a Probabilistic Event Detector for Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring", in *Proceedings of the Fifth IFIP International Conference* on Sustainable Internet and ICT for Sustainability, SustainIT '17

- Pereira, L., Nunes, N. (2017) "A Comparison of Performance Metrics for Event Classification in Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring", In Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Smart Grid Communications, SmartGridComm '17
- Quintal, F., Pereira, L., Nunes, N., Nisi, V. (2015) "What-a-Watt: Exploring Electricity Production Literacy Through a Long Term Eco-Feedback Study", In Proceedings of the Fourth IFIP Conference on Sustainable Internet and ICT for Sustainability, SustainIT '15, [short paper]
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- 3. "Furthering Energy and Environment Research at ITI/LARSyS" (2019), University of Klagenfurt, Klagenfurt, Austria
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