



Deep Learning and Big Data in Healthcare

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Message from the Guest Editor

The goal of this Special Issue is to put together relevant contributions, condensed in five key cornerstones of Deep Learning and Big Data applications in healthcare. On the one hand, the applications can include works with medical images (magnetic resonance, radioscopy and tomography, echography, nuclear medicine), contributions to signal processing (cardiac, neural, long-term monitoring, wellness devices), or data from large forms (primary attention, specialized medicine, clinical practice, electronic health recordings, hospital information systems, interoperability).

In addition, companies and organizations are playing a relevant role in this breakpoint, hence their contributions and experience are very welcome, in order to complete the landscape of the progress in the field, as well as open challenges for the research community.

Finally, the feature interpretation remains an open issue in Deep Learning and Big Data state-of-the-art, but it takes special relevance in healthcare applications, in order to gain confidence in their use both by the healthcare staff and by the patients, so contributions including insights into this hot and open topic are welcomed.





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