## Additional File 3. Additional information on the model optimization

### Multinomial logistic regression (LR)

The LR models were optimized using the *LogisticRegressionCV* function with default parameters, multi\_class: 'multinomial', max\_iter: 1000 and the 'lbfgs' solver for the optimization.

LogisticRegressionCV(cv = 5, multi\_class='multinomial', solver='lbfgs', max\_iter=1000)

### Multi-layer perceptron – MLP

The MLP models were optimized using the *MLPClassifier* function and the *GridSearchCV* function for cross-validation.

 $param\_grid = \{ 'alpha': [1e-3, 5e-3, 1e-4, 5e-4], 'learning\_rate\_init': [0.005, 0.01, 0.1] \}$   $GridSearchCV(MLPClassifier(hidden\_layer\_sizes=(24,8), max\_iter = 1000, solver = 'adam', verbose = 0, tol = 1e-8, random\_state = 1), param\_grid, cv=5, n\_jobs = -1)$ 

# K-nearest neighbor classifier - KNN

The KNN models were optimized using the *neighbors.KNeighborsClassifier* function and the *GridSearchCV* function for cross-validation.

## Support vector machine – SVM

The SVM models were optimized using the *SVC* function and the *GridSearchCV* function for cross-validation.

param\_grid = {'C':[5e2, 1e3, 5e3, 1e4, 5e4, 1e5], 'gamma':[0.0001, 0.0005, 0.001, 0.005, 0.01, 0.1]} GridSearchCV(SVC(kernel = 'linear'), param\_grid, cv=5, n\_jobs = -1)

## Random forest-RF

The RF models were optimized using the *RandomForestClassifier* function and the *GridSearchCV* function for cross-validation.