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SUMMARY

- Accumulated a unique mix of 7 years of experience in Al, spanning academic research and practical industry solutions in computer vision, data engineering, generative Al, and classical ML.
- My work has been featured at major conferences like NeurIPS, and my broad contributions to open-source projects have been showcased through a rich <u>Github profile</u>, proving my dedication to pushing the boundaries of AI and sharing knowledge with the community.

EXPERIENCE

2021 - Now

PhD Al Researcher

University of Tennessee - US

Skills: Python \cdot Machine Learning \cdot Computer Vision \cdot Research \cdot SQL \cdot PyTorch \cdot Team Leadership \cdot Statistical Modeling

- Enhanced foundational research in masked image modeling research by tailoring scale factors for remote sensing data, achieving an average accuracy improvement of 5% over the state-of-the-art across 4 datasets.
- Developed novel fine-tuning strategies for a self-supervised model, reducing training time by 32% and improving Macro F1 scores by 5.4% for the client's phase detection pipeline.
- Pioneered a contrastive learning model that improved state-of-the-art pixel-based semantic segmentation accuracy by 5.9%.
- · Implemented a Koopman-based method for transient event detection, improving the average temporal error by 21.5 days.

2019 - 2021

• Associate Data Engineer

Performance Technologies S.A - Greece

Skills: Python \cdot Data Engineering \cdot Software Engineering \cdot Machine Learning \cdot Apache Spark \cdot SQL \cdot TensorFlow \cdot Team Leadership

- Led the rapid completion of a critical terabyte-scale data replication project for Greece's leading <u>telecommunications provider</u>, reducing replication time from days to minutes and ensuring real-time views for ETL and analytics.
- Spearheaded the development of a machine learning model to predict order fulfillment times, which, following a comprehensive analysis of business operations and consultation with clients, resulted in a 34% reduction over previous baseline.
- Managed the design and implementation of a SIP call quality benchmarking service, successfully deployed across vital public institutions, facilitating improved service monitoring and enabling the Greek government to credit service providers.
- Associate Researcher

University of Patras - Greece

2018 - 2019

 $Skills: Python \cdot Community\ Detection \cdot Algorithm\ Design \cdot Machine\ Learning \cdot Apache\ Spark \cdot SQL \cdot Research$

- $\bullet \quad \hbox{Conducted intensive machine learning research, specializing in graph theory and network analysis.}\\$
- Reduced the execution time of the Girvan-Newman community detection <u>algorithm</u> by 84%, creating the first scalable solution while maintaining high accuracy and securing <u>publication</u> in the Algorithms journal.
- Junior Software Engineer

Global Voices Ltd - UK

2017 - 2018

Skills: Python · Software Engineering · Operating systems · SQL

- Played a pivotal role in developing and maintaining the company's proprietary content management system, significantly reducing bugs, implementing new features, overseeing code reviews, improving system functionality and user experience.
- Optimized the company's continuous integration and deployment pipelines, enhancing the efficiency and reliability of product releases, resulting in a 50% reduction in rollbacks and ensuring a streamlined development cycle.

EDUCATION

2025

• PhD in Data Science & Engineering

University of Tennessee

- Received Fellowship Award from the University of Tennessee Graduate School and Tickle College of Engineering, which recognizes academic excellence and research potential.
- · Led innovative research in LLM security, uncovering crucial ground rules for ensuring secure code generation (to be published).
- Mastered the intricacies of ML by designing and implementing foundational models, including <u>CNNs</u> and <u>RL agents</u>, and delving
 into advanced statistical concepts such as Bayesian formulation and hidden Markov models, setting a strong base for innovative
 solutions in the field.

2019

Integrated Master's in Computer Science & Engineering

University of Patras

• Developed an innovative distributed algorithm for community prediction in social graphs, achieving significant improvements in scalability and accuracy.

PUBLICATIONS

- Advancing Multi-scale Remote Sensing Analysis through Self-Supervised Learning Fine-tuning Strategies. IEEE IGARSS 2024
- Koopman-based Transition Detection in Satellite Imagery. IEEE IGARSS 2024
- Occasionally Secure: A Comparative Analysis of Code Generation Assistants. Arxiv 2024
- Cross-Scale MAE: A Tale of Multi-scale Exploitation in Remote Sensing. NeurIPS 2023
- Semantic Segmentation in Aerial Imagery using Multi-level Contrastive Learning with Local Consistency. WACV 2023
- A Distributed Hybrid Community Detection Methodology for Social Networks. Algorithms 2019