

# David CHEIKHI

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Passionate about computer science, especially algorithms and optimization, I'm looking for a 4 to 5 months *research* internship.

## Education

- **"Hello, Barcelona" algorithmic boot camp | C++** Barcelona, Spain
  - Training week for ACM International Collegiate Programming Contest 2017
  - Co-organized by Codeforces and Moscow Workshops ACM ICPC
- **École polytechnique: France's top-ranking engineering school | GPA : 3.86** Palaiseau, France
  - Majoring in computer science and applied mathematics 2016–2020
- **Preparatory School in lycée Henri Poincaré** Nancy, France
  - Competitive undergraduate program in maths, physics and computer science 2014–2016
- **Lycée Notre-Dame Saint-Sigisbert** Nancy, France
  - Scientific Baccalaureate 2014
- **International Olympiads of Informatics (IOI) training boot camps | C++** Paris, France
  - Four training weeks for IOI organized by association France-IOI 2013–2014

## Professional and teaching experience

- **Google : Site Reliability Intern | Golang, Python** London, UK
  - Creation of a pipeline to get data from the servers June – September 2018
  - Calibration of models to compute a unite of measurement of hardware performance
- **XProjets : École polytechnique's junior enterprise (IT department)** 2017–2018
  - Improving and maintaining the enterprise's website
  - Developing software to automate recurring work
- **Internship in teaching in high-priority education area** Drancy, France
  - Six-month internship in Science Ouverte (Open Science) association 2016–2017
  - Teaching science to primary school, middle school, high school and undergraduate students
- **Coach in algorithmic boot camp for high school students** Paris, France
  - Boot camps organized by association France-IOI 2014–present

## Skills and personal projects

### Coding/Algorithmic and Mathematics competitions:

- **Regular participant to programming contests | C++**
  - Taking part in Codeforces, CSAcademy, USACO contests, ACM ICPC training contests, Prologin...
- **Bronze medalist at the 2018 SWERC ACM ICPC contest (10<sup>th</sup> place)** Paris, France
- **Silver medalist at the 2017 International Mathematics Competition (IMC)** Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria
- **Bronze medalist at the 2014 International Olympiads of Informatics (IOI) | C++** Taipei, Taiwan

### Research:

- **Optimal decision trees** 3-student team
  - Trying to use discrete optimization techniques to generate optimal decision trees 2018 - 2019
  - A particular focus is set on small decision trees in order to get interpretable results

### Development:

- **Fractal drawing Software | Java** 2016
  - Software to easily draw fractals using IFS method
- **Creation and publication of an Android application "Verbes Irrégulières en Anglais" | Java and MySQL** 2012
  - 50,000+ downloads application to Help revising English irregular verbs

**Languages:** • French: mother tongue • Spanish: intermediate

## Hobbies

- President of the Ecole polytechnique's algorithmic club
- Soccer: member of the school team
- Traveling
- Tennis, Pool, Table tennis