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#### EDUCATION

# New York University (NYU)

Brooklyn, NY, USA

PhD in Computer Science focused on Machine Learning

Set. 2020 - Jun. 2025 (predicted)

o Relevant classes: Probability for DS, ML, DL, Algorithmic ML and DS, Information Visualization

# University of São Paulo (USP), ICMC

Campus of São Carlos, Brasil

Bachelor's degree in Computer Science; Emphasis in Data Science; GPA: 8.8/10.0

Fev. 2016 - Jan. 2020

## Work Experience

# Consulting with The AI Academy

Remote

 $Data\ Scientist$ 

May 2020 - Oct 2020

- Continuous Development for DS: Prototyping and evaluating new DS processes and tools for use in the finance sector with client being one of Brazil's biggest banks.
- **DevOps**: Integrating H2O Driverless AI into automated CD pipelines.

# Imaflora Origens

Brazil

Data Scientist

Feb 2020 - July 2020

- ETL: Data wrangling business and Geo-spatial data from different sources for a interactive visualisation.
- **Visualisation**: Building a interactive platform for exploring new data-driven insights. Working alongside business owners to visualise and understand the impact of social programmes.

# University of São Paulo, ICMC

Brazil

Research Assistant - international scholarship by USAID

Mar 2017 - Dez 2019

- Processing: Transformed raw audio data (mosquito's wingbeats) into structured data using time series analysis.
- Classifying: Building pipelines and evaluating models to classify different insect species.
- Undergratuate thesis: Applying CNNs to raw audio data for insect classification; Analysing covariate shift in the context of sensor generalization.

#### Getúlio Vargas Fundation (FGV) and Imaflora

Brazil

Data Scientist

Aug 2019 - Dez 2019

- Data Processing: Integration of multiple government systems related to timber exploration data.
- Illegal Exploration: Developing a django/D3 visualisation tool to facilitate the discovery of anomalous data.

# Birdie

Brazil

Data Science Intern

Aug 2018 - Fev 2019

- Data Acquisition and Mining: Acquired more than 1 million e-commerce products through crawlers, building a reliable back-end infrastructure; Extraction of useful features from the unstructured textual data of the products.
- Machine Learning: Building hierarchical models for product category classification
- Production: Deployed the models as micro-services processing 10 million+ daily products.

#### Major Projects

# • Winner of the Dotz NLP Competition

May 2020 - July 2020

- Competition: Hierarchical classification of e-commerce products from their description.
- **Solution**: Building a integrated pipeline using a mixture of portuguese Bert, Character CNNs, traditional sparse BOW model and hierarchical specific models.
- Finalist of the Data Science Games 2018

May 2018 - Set 2018

- Qualification Phase Kaggle competition: Analysed the bond market with data provided by BNP Paribas;
  Predicted customer interest in a bond using diverse data, from customer data to international market information;
  Final result in the top 30 worldwide from 220 participating universities, guarantying a place in the final.
- Final: Used e-commerce data to help predict customer interest in online shopping.

#### • Co-founder of DATA - Extracurricular Data Science Group

September 2018 - Jan 2020

- Co-Founder: Creating and running a extracurricular data science group recognised by the university.
- Teaching: Weekly classes teaching basic Machine Learning concepts and frameworks to a class of 30 students.

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, SQL, C, JavaScript, Java

DS/ML/Viz: SciPy, Scikit-Learn, Pandas, Jupyter, PyTorch, TensorFlow, DVC, Seaborn, D3, Plotly Dash

Others: BeautifulSoup, Scrapy, Django, Git, Docker, Airflow, Driverless AI

## AWARDS

- Winner of the Dotz NLP Competition Alongside a team member, achieved first place building hierarchical Portuguese NLP models from 80 participating teams.
- Finalist of the Data Science Games 2018 one of the 20 best teams, from 400 participating teams, representing 220 universities across 46 countries.
- Silver medal on Elo's Merchant Category Recommendation on Kaggle. Over 4000 teams of 1-4 people took part.
- 19th place at Data Mining Cup, from 149 Teams from 114 universities in 28 countries Best team from Brazil.
- Honorable mention on best article at USP's International Symposium of Undergraduate Research International Stage.
  Less than 600 mentions given from over 3200 applicants.
- Recipient of Academic Featured Student (2016), for students with a GPA above 9 / 10. Awarded to 7 / 120 students.

#### TEACHING

#### • Data Science MBA T.A.

Feb 2020 -

- Processing: Creating classes, practical exercises/evaluations and tutoring a class of 150 students.
- Classes mentored: Intro to Python; Intro to ML; Advanced data acquisition and processing; ML; DL
- General Computer Science and Data Science
  - NYU's Introduction to CS: Python programming general grading, Fall 2021.
  - Invited DS Course Lead: Heading the DS part of a 3 month course at a startup incubator, Summer 2019.
  - o Python for DS course: Teaching industry members at the Universidade de São Paulo, Fall 2019.

#### Invited Events

- Khipu: Latin American Meeting In Artificial Intelligence, invited participant through full merit-based scholarship
- Data Day: Head of the discussion panel "Present and Future of AI" with invited professors and industry members.
- 5th Mathematics Solutions Workshop for Industrial Problems: One of the 3 invited undergraduate members. Analysing timber transport data for an ONG.
- HTN 2018: Full sponsorship to Hack The North 2018, Canada's biggest hackaton.

#### Voluntering

- Programming Tutor, 2017, 1 year: Taught fundamentals of computer programming to underprivileged communities.
- Tutor, 2018, 8 months: Personal mentor to high school student, helping with SATs and career questions.