

# Francisco Emiliano Lopez Saavedra

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## EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

### Master of Science in Computer Science (Machine Learning)

Université de Montréal/Mila

Sep. 2025-April 2027

Montréal, QC

- **Scholarship:** Bourse d'exemption pour les étudiants étrangers, the highest academic merit scholarship for international students.

### Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Mathematics

Université de Montréal

### TRAIL AI Practitioner Certification

Mila

2025

- Designed for AI specialists, this program allowed me to acquire **practical skills in fairness, transparency, explainability**, AI ethics, and **responsible generative AI**, to advance responsible AI initiatives.

## EXPERIENCE

### Data Science Intern

ÉAU (Écosystèmes Alimentaires Urbains) | Supervised by Prof. Fabian Bastin, Université de Montréal

Jan. 2025 – April 2025

Montréal, QC

- **Designed and developed** a **full-stack web interface** using **React.js** and **InfluxAPI** to visualize and control the anomaly detection process, enabling selective removal of erroneous data and improving data reliability.
- **Built and deployed** an **ETL pipeline** from InfluxDB to a PostgreSQL database using Python, integrating real-time anomaly detection that **reduced** sensor data noise by over **50%**.
- **Engineered and evaluated** machine learning models for **time series forecasting**, predicting system performance using real-time environmental sensor streams.

## PROJECTS

### Downscaling Climate Models

- **Enhanced** climate modeling accuracy at finer scales by integrating **high-resolution datasets** and **topological indicators** into large-scale simulations. Using advanced deep learning architectures, including **ResNet** and **U-Net**, to refine regional and community-level climate projections. (Detailed project explanation available upon request.)
- **Built and optimized** a modular deep learning pipeline using **PyTorch** and **NumPy**, enabling efficient experimentation and reproducibility. Designed preprocessing workflows and training routines for large-scale geospatial datasets.
- **Collaborated** on a 4-month project with a team of **5 members** under the supervision of **Mila, Quebec AI Institute**, focusing on applying **deep learning techniques** to enhance climate model precision.

### Predictive Modeling for Maternal and Infant Health

- **Conducted** a study analyzing the relationship between maternal factors and low-birth-weight infant outcomes to evaluate predictive models and gain actionable insights.
- **Explored** a range of predictor variables through **Exploratory Data Analysis**, utilizing **statistical analysis in R**, hypothesis testing, and model selection techniques. Implemented models such as **logistic regression** and **GLMs** to assess the significance of variables and predictive performance.

## SKILLS

**Languages** : Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, Java, C++, R, Matlab, SQL, HTML, CSS

**Tools/Frameworks** : GitHub, Linux, React.js, Node.js, Flask, FastAPI, TensorFlow, PyTorch, Keras, Numpy, Pandas, Scikit-learn, Unreal Engine, InfluxDB

**Skills** : Software Development, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Data Analysis, Time Series Forecasting, NLP, ETL Pipelines, Data Visualization, Model Deployment, Exploratory Data Analysis, Statistics

**Human Languages** : Spanish, English, French