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EDUCATION

National Higher School of “Arts et Métiers” (ENSA) - Doctoral School SMI 432	Paris, France
CESI, CESI LINEACT UR 7527	Strasbourg, France
Ongoing Computer & Engineering Sciences Ph.D. degree	December 2023 – December 2026
Higher School of Computer Science 08 May 1945 - Sidi Bel Abbes (ESI SBA)	Sidi Bel Abbes, Algeria
Systems engineering Master degree / State Engineer Diploma in Systems engineering	September 2018 – July 2023
El Nadjah High School	Sidi Bel Abbes, Algeria
Baccalaureate in Mathematics field - graduation with honors	July 2018

WORK EXPERIENCE

National Higher School of "Arts et Métiers" (ENSA) - Doctoral School SMI 432	Paris, France
CESI, CESI LINEACT UR 7527	Strasbourg, France
Ph.D. Student/Candidate in Computer & Engineering Sciences	December 2023 – December 2026
• Thesis Title: “Computational Efficiency of Federated Learning techniques on Edge-Cloud Infrastructures”	
CESI Engineering school	Strasbourg, France
Adjunct Lecturer in Computer Science	September 2024 – April 2026
• “Artificial Intelligence” Course	
• “Object-Oriented Design and Programming” Course	
• “Computer Networks & System Administration” Course	
• “Arithmetic & Cryptography” Course	
• “Programming Paradigms” Course	
• “Python for Signal Processing” Course	
INSA Lyon – LIRIS Laboratory	Villeurbanne, France
Deep Learning Intern – Engineering & Master thesis	February – July 2023
• Master Thesis Title: “eXplainable Artificial Intelligence on Graph Neural Network-Based Network Intrusion Detection Systems”	
• Engineer Thesis Title: “E-GNNExplainer: Single-Instance Explanation of Edge-Classification Graph Neural Networks-based Network Intrusion Detection Systems”	
HASNAOUI Group of Companies	Sidi Bel Abbes, Algeria
Network Engineer Intern	September 2021

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE, ACTIVITIES & SCIENTIFIC PRODUCTION

Internet of Things Journal [ISSN 2542-6605] [Q1, IF 7.6]	Online
Authorship and Publication in the prestigious Internet of Things Journal	January 2026
• Published article: “HiFEL-OCKT: Hierarchical Federated Edge Learning with Objective Congruence and Multi-Level Knowledge Transfer for IoT Ecosystems”	
IWCMC 2024 [rank B Conference]	Ayia Napa, Cyprus
Authorship, presentation and participation in the 20 th IWCMC Conference	May 2024
• Published article: “Hyperparameter Impact on Computational Efficiency in Federated Edge Learning”	
ECML PKDD 2023 [rank A Conference]	Turin, Italy
Authorship, presentation and participation in the ECML PKDD Conference	September 2023
• Published article: “Using Graph Neural Networks for the Detection and Explanation of Network Intrusions”	
Project Manager & Developer of “Alzheimer-AI” project	
• A Computer Vision and Deep Learning-Based “Early Detection of Alzheimer's Disease System” using multiple approaches	November 2022 – February 2023

COC'2022	<i>Authorship and presentation in the international Connected Objects and Systems Conference</i>	Online
		<i>May 2022</i>
• Published article: “Computer Vision and Deep Learning-Based support system for Visually Impaired People in an outdoor environment”		
Project Manager & Developer of an “ArtificialEye” project		
• A Computer Vision and Deep Learning-Based support system for Visually Impaired People in an outdoor environment		<i>March – July 2022</i>
CICT'2022	<i>Presentation in the 1st national Conference on Information and Communication Technology</i>	Online
		<i>February 2022</i>
Project Manager & Web Developer of “LECTIO” An e-book Website		<i>December 2021 – March 2022</i>
Web Developer and Quality Insurance Manager of "HEALTHLINE" project	A health web application	
		<i>April – September 2021</i>
Developer & Organizer in the national AlphaBit Coding Challenge Event (3rd Edition)		<i>March – June 2021</i>
COC'2021	<i>Authorship and presentation in the international Connected Objects and Systems Conference</i>	Online
		<i>March 2021</i>
• Published article: “CONCEPTION D'UNE STATION MÉTÉO INTELLIGENTE”		
Cybersecurity Instructor & Trainer in AlphaBit Scientific Club		<i>March – October 2021</i>
Vice-President of AlphaBit Scientific Club		<i>January – October 2021</i>
Project Manager & Developer of “ESI Weather” project an AI-based weather station		<i>March – October 2020</i>

SKILLS & INTERESTS

IT Skills

- Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Federated Learning and Computational Intelligence paradigms.
- Neural Networks Development (Attention, RNN, GraphNN, CNN, DNN, Reservoir Computing).
- Data mining and Data analytics.
- Explainable Artificial Intelligence.
- Computer vision and Image processing.
- IoT Development and Solution Architecture (Edge-Fog-Cloud).
- Arduino and Raspberry Pi.
- Graph theory and Geographic Information Systems.
- Problem solving and automating tasks.
- **Programming:** Python, C/C++, Pascal, JavaScript — TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, scikit-learn, numpy, pandas, matplotlib, multiprocessing, multithreading, SQL, Git, GitHub, Docker.
- **Technologies:** WSN, LoRa, Sigfox, MQTT Protocol, Kafka Broker, IoT Cloud Platforms.

Soft Skills

- Leadership and project management.
- Critical thinking and problem solving.
- Public speaking, sense of communication, listening, organization and team spirit.
- Time management, punctual, determined, flexible and dynamic.

Languages: English, French, Arabic.

Interests:

- Efficient AI, edge intelligence, learning paradigms and collaborative IoT.
- Data science, neuroscience, astronomy and astrophysics.
- Traveling, learning, reading and drawing.

CONTACTS

Portfolio: <https://eagleeye1107.github.io/>

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