# Francesco Morri

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#### Education

Sorbonne Université Sep 2021 – Jul 2022 • M2 in Physics of Complex Systems (i-PCS) • Final Grade: 16/20 (trés bien) Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP) Feb 2022 - Mar 2022 • Spring College in the Physics of Complex Systems Politecnico di Torino Sep 2020 – Oct 2022 • MSc in Physics of Complex Systems (International Track) • Final Grade: 110/110 cum laude Università di Bologna Oct 2017 - Sep 2020 • BSc in Physics • **Final Grade:** 110/110 Experience

Visiting Student, Universidad de O'Higgins, Rancagua, Chile May 2025 **Supervisor:** David Salas

I worked on a non-cooperative games and conjectural games.

**Visiting Student**, Polytechnique Montréal, Montréal, Canada Jul 2024 - Sep 2024

Supervisors: Quentin Cappart, Hanane Dagdougui

I worked on machine learning to enhance optimization algorithms.

Nov 2023 Visiting Student, Polytechnique Montréal, Montréal, Canada

Supervisor: Quentin Cappart

I worked with Quentin Cappart on optimization algorithms for smart building, focusing on the NeurIPS Citylearn Challenge 2023 (which we won). The visit was part of the Galangal project, a collaboration of researchers from Lille, Montréal and Edinburgh.

Research Intern, Institut de Physique Théorique (IPHT), Saclay, France Mar 2022 - Jul 2022 **Supervisor:** Pierfrancesco Urbani

I studied simple algorithms to solve continuous constraints satisfaction problems close to their satisfiability transition, using statistical mechanics and spin glasses theory.

Visiting Student, SISSA & ICTP, Trieste, Italy

I attended courses with PhD students of both SISSA and ICTP as part of my first semester in the Master in Physics of Complex Systems (International Track)

#### **Publications**

Winning the 2023 CityLearn Challenge: A Community-Based Hierarchical **Energy Systems Coordination Algorithm** 

Authors: A. I. Garmendia, F. Morri, Q. Cappart, H. Le Cadre 27th European Conference on Artificial Intelligence (ECAI)

Learning in Stackelberg Games with Application to Strategic Bidding in the **Electricity Market** 

Authors: F. Morri, H. Le Cadre, P. Gruet, L. Brotcorne

20th International Conference on the European Energy Market (EEM)

Sep 2020 - Jan 2021

2024

2024

2025

2023 - Aussois, France

2023 - Nice, France

2025

## On the Thermodynamic Interpretation of Deep Learning System

Authors: R. Fioresi, F. Faglioni, F. Morri, L. Squadrani

Geometric Science of Information. GSI 2021. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 12829. Springer

# **Pre-prints**

Nonconvex Game and Multi Agent Reinforcement Learning for Zonal Ancillary	2025
Markets	
Authors: F Morri H Le Cadre P Gruet L Brotcorne	

Submitted to Transactions on Control of Network Systems in June 2025

# **Learning in Conjectural Stackelberg Games**

Authors: F. Morri, H. Le Cadre, L. Brotcorne

## Talks and Presentations

<b>GAIW:</b> Learning in Conjectural Stackelberg Games - F. Morri, H. Le Cadre, L. Brotcorne	2025 - Detroit, USA
7th Games, Agents, and Incentives Workshop	
ROADEF: Learning in Conjectural Stackelberg Games - F. Morri, H. Le Cadre, L.	2025 - Paris, France
Brotcorne	
26ème Congrés Annuel de la Société Francaise de Recherche Opérationelle et d'Aide	
à la Décision	
ISMP: Learning in Multi-Leader Single-Follower Stackelberg Games - F. Morri, H. Le	2025 - Montréal, Canada
Cadre, L. Brotcorne	
25th International Symposium on Mathematical Programming	
IMACS: Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning for Strategic Bidding in the Electricity	2023 - Roma, Italy

Market - F. Morri, H. Le Cadre, P. Gruet, L. Brotcorne

21st International Association for Mathematics and Computers in Simulation World

Congress

Fime Summer School on Big Data & Finance: Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning for Strategic Bidding in Two Stage Electricity Markets - F. Morri, H. Le Cadre, P. Gruet, L. Brotcorne

LION17: Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning for Strategic Bidding in Two Stage Electricity Markets - F. Morri, H. Le Cadre, P. Gruet, L. Brotcorne

17th Learning and Intelligent Optimization Conference

# **Teaching**

## Object Oriented Programming, École Centrale de Lille, G1/G2

The goal of this course is to introduce the basic concepts of object oriented programming with Java. It is organized in 40h of lab sessions, where the students have to develop small projects following the teacher's instructions. Contribution: I followed a class of 16 students, teaching the basics of the Java language and helping with coding exercise. I then participated in the oral exam at the end of the course.

## **Technical Skills**

#### Coding:

• Experienced: C++ (ROOT, GSL), Python (PyTorch, Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib)

• Familiar: JavaScript • Basics: Java, HTML, CSS

#### Languages:

• Native: Italian • Fluent: English

• Intermediate: French