Alberto Raimondi

Senior Machine Learning Engineer

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Experience

Senior Machine Learning Engineer · **Standard.ai** Apr 2024 - Present Machine Learning Engineer · **Standard.ai** May 2022 - Mar 2024

- Implemented active learning for Human Pose Estimation, reducing labeling costs by ~30% and improving the representativeness of the training data distribution.
- Developed a service to automatically manage Human-in-the-loop feedback, streamlining the data labeling process and enhancing model accuracy (PostgreSQL, GCP App Engine, Celery).
- Directed the full life-cycle management of advanced deep learning models for diverse applications including action recognition, employee-customer classification, and precise interaction/product localization, leveraging cutting-edge techniques to boost performance and efficiency.
- Improved and maintained our distributed production pipeline by optimizing data flow through a Directed Acyclic Graph (DAG), ensuring reliable and high-speed frame processing from store sites to cloud machines (PubSub, Protobuf, Vertex)

Machine Learning Engineer · Helixa.ai

Apr 2021 - May 2022

- Developed a recommendation system for item-user matching using collaborative filtering (Implicit library, PyData stack).
- Worked with different linear and non-linear machine learning models to predict user preferences and behavior (PyTorch,XGboost, Scikit-Learn, SciPy).
- Ported legacy code to modern cloud infrastructure (AWS batch, MetaFlow, MLflow, CircleCI) reducing time to market of the final product.
- Optimized unsupervised clustering system to reduce runtime by 40% and improve performance (AWS step, AWS Lambda, cProfile, Apache Arrow/Parquet).

Machine Learning Consultant · Freelance

Since 2020

- Speaker on AI fundamentals, applications, and limitations for corporate and public sector audiences.
- Developed a graph-based time series analysis model to detect and predict losses in natural gas distribution networks, enabling a shift from reactive to predictive maintenance, improving resource efficiency and reducing operational costs.
- Enabled non tech-savvy medical researchers to autonomously run experiments by implementing a medical image segmentation model with a custom wrapper for experimentation. (PyTorch, AWS EC2).

Assistant Researcher · Imaging and Vision Lab Nov 2019 - Mar 2021

- Designed a state of the art beamforming system to mitigate active interference in antenna signals and optimize electromagnetic (EM) signal transmission.
- Employed state of the art convolutional neural networks to model EM signals as images, enabling effective signal manipulation and analysis.
- Successfully achieved best in category response times in an adversarial context, ensuring efficient and reliable signal transmission and consistent advantages over competing commercial solutions.
- Implemented complex differentiable operations in PyTorch, enabling the utilization
 of loss functions in the complex domain for accurate signal optimization (ONNX,
 TensorFlow Lite).

Research Intern · Imaging and Vision Lab

Jun 2018 - Oct 2018

- Developed a back-end system for a "Smart Mirror" IoT device to allow data collection and analysis aimed to improve senior citizens assistance.
- Built a messaging system to allow remote neural network inference on IoT devices (Flask, ZeroMQ).

Skills

Programming Languages

Python, Javascript, SQL, Rust, MatLab, R, Elixir

Libraries & Frameworks

PyTorch, TensorFlow, Transformers, Diffusers, Svelte, PostgreSQL, Lightning, Django, Metaflow, Protobuf, Vertex

Tools & Platforms

Linux, Git, Docker, GCP, AWS, WandB, DataBricks, DVC, LaTeX

Publications

U-WeAr: User Recognition on Wearable Devices through Arm Gesture

IEEE Transactions on Human-Machine Systems (2022)

AESA Adaptive Beamforming Using Deep Learning

IEEE Radar Conference (2020)

Education

M.Sc. Data Science · 2019

Graduated Magna Cum Laude Università degli studi Milano Bicocca

B.Sc. Finance · 2017

Università degli studi Milano Bicocca

Languages

Italian · Native

English · CEFR C2

Achievements

Public Speaker on Al · Present

I deliver accessible talks to diverse audiences about the impacts of Al

Erasmus Traineeship · 2019

Universidad Autónoma de Madrid

Python programming Teaching Assistant · 2019 & 2020

Università degli studi Milano Bicocca