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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

STOCHASTIC OPTIMIZATION, VARIATIONAL INEQUALITIES.

## **EDUCATION**

Sept. 2022 - Present PhD in Computer Science

King Abdullah University of Science and Technology, Thuwal, Saudi Arabia

Advisor: Peter Richtárik

Sept. 2020 - July 2022 MS in Applied Mathematics and Physics

Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology, Moscow, Russia

Advisor: Alexander Gasnikov

Sept. 2016 - July 2020 BS in Applied Mathematics and Physics

Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology, Moscow, Russia

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#### PUBLICATIONS AND PREPRINTS

1. **A. Sadiev**, M. Danilova, E Gorbunov, S Horváth, G. Gidel, P. Dvurechensky, A. Gasnikov and P. Richtárik

High-Probability Bounds for Stochastic Optimization and Variational Inequalities: the Case of Unbounded Variance, arXiv preprint: arXiv:2302.00999;

Status: Under review

2. M. Makarenko, E. Gasanov, R. Islamov, A. Sadiev and P. Richtárik

Adaptive Compression for Communication-Efficient Distributed Training, arXiv preprint: arXiv:2211.00188;

Status: Under review

3. A. Sadiev, D. Kovalev and P. Richtárik

Communication Acceleration of Local Gradient Methods via an Accelerated Primal-Dual Algorithm with Inexact Prox, arXiv:2207.03957

Status: Accepted to NeurIPS 2022

 A. Sadiev, G. Malinovsky, E Gorbunov, I. Sokolov, A. Khaled, K. Burlachenko and P. Richtárik

Federated Optimization Algorithms with Random Reshuffling and Gradient Compression, arXiv preprint: arXiv:2206.07021;

Status: Under review

 A. Sadiev, A. Beznosikov, AJ Almansoori, D Kamzolov, R. Tappenden and M. Takác Stochastic gradient methods with preconditioned updates, arXiv preprint: arXiv:2206.00285; Status: Under review

6. M. Alkousa, A. Gasnikov, P. Dvurechensky, A. Sadiev and L. Razouk

An Approach for Non-convex Uniformly Concave Structured Saddle Point Problem, arXiv preprint arXiv:2202.06376;

Status: Accepted to CRM

7. D. Kovalev, A. Beznosikov, A. Sadiev, M. Persiianov, P. Richtárik and A. Gasnikov Optimal Algorithms for Decentralized Stochastic Variational Inequalities, arXiv preprint: arXiv:2202.02771

Status: Accepted to NeurIPS 2022

8. Z. Shi, A. Sadiev, N. Loizou, P. Richtárik and M. Takác

AI-SARAH: Adaptive and Implicit Stochastic Recursive Gradient Methods, arXiv preprint: arXiv:2102.09700

Status: Accepted to TMLR

9. **A. Sadiev**, E. Borodich , A. Beznosikov, D. Dvinskikh, S. Chezhegov, R. Tappenden, M. Takác and A. Gasnikov

**Decentralized and Personalized Federated Learning**, arXiv preprint arXiv:2107.07190; NeurIPS 2021, spotlight at workshop on Optimization for Machine Learning Status: Accepted to EURO Journal on Computational Optimization

- E. Borodich, A. Beznosikov, A. Sadiev, V. Sushko, N. Savelyev, M. Takác and A. Gasnikov Decentralized Personalized Federated Min-Max Problems, arXiv preprint arXiv:2106.07289; NeurIPS 2021, poster at workshop on New Frontiers in Federated Learning: Privacy, Fairness, Robustness, Personalization and Data Ownership Status: Under review.
- 11. E. Gladin, A. Sadiev, A. Gasnikov, P. Dvurechensky, A. Beznosikov and M. Alkousa Solving smooth min-min and min-max problems by mixed oracle algorithms, arXiv preprint: arXiv:2103.00434

  Status: Accepted to MOTOR-2021, published in Communications in Computer and Information Science (CCIS) series.
- 12. A. Sadiev, A. Beznosikov, P. Dvurechensky and A. Gasnikov

  Zeroth-Order Algorithms for Smooth Saddle-Point Problems, arXiv preprint: arXiv:2009.09908

  Status: Accepted to MOTOR-2021, published in Communications in Computer and Information Science (CCIS) series.
- 13. A. Beznosikov, A. Sadiev and A. Gasnikov

  Gradient-Free Methods for Saddle-Point Problem, arXiv preprint: arXiv:2005.05913

  Status: Accepted to MOTOR-2020, published in Communications in Computer and Information Science (CCIS) series.

#### RESEARCH VISITING

- February July 2022, KAUST, Thuwal, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (worked with Peter Richtárik)
- October November 2021, MBZUAI, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (worked with Martin Takác)

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- July 5-10, 2021, International conference on "Mathematical Optimization Theory and Operations Research" MOTOR-2021, Irkutsk, Russia.
- July 6-11, 2020, International conference on "Mathematical Optimization Theory and Operations Research" MOTOR-2020, Novosibirsk, Russia.

## AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

- September 2022 September 2025: KAUST Discovery Doctoral Fellowship (KDDF), KAUST.
- September 2022 September 2025: Dean's award, KAUST.
- **September 2021- December 2021**; Increased State Academic Scholarship for 4 year bachelor and master students at MIPT.

- **September 2021 December 2021**; 2nd degree prof. Andrei Raigorodskii personal scholarship for contributions to the development of numerical optimization methods.
- **February 2021 June 2021**; 3rd degree prof. Andrei Raigorodskii personal scholarship for contributions to the development of numerical optimization methods.
- September 2020- December 2020; Increased State Academic Scholarship for 4 year bachelor and master students at MIPT.
- **September 2018- December 2018**; Abramov scholarship for 1-3 year bachelor students with the best grades at MIPT.
- **February 2018 June 2018**; Abramov scholarship for 1-3 year bachelor students with the best grades at MIPT.

# **SUMMER SCHOOLS**

- July-August, 2021, Summer School on "Modern Methods of Information Theory, Optimization and Control Theory" (Sirius University of Science and Technology, Sochi, Russia)
- June, 2021, Summer School on "Control, Information and Optimization"
- August, 2020, Summer School on "Control, Information and Optimization" (Sirius University of Science and Technology, Sochi, Russia)
- August, 2020, Summer School on "Modern Methods of Information Theory, Optimization and Control Theory" (Sirius University of Science and Technology, Sochi, Russia)

#### COMPUTER SKILLS

OPERATING SYSTEMS: MAC OSX, MICROSOFT WINDOWS, LINUX

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES: PYTHON, LETEX, C, C++

## LANGUAGES

RUSSIAN: Native speaker ENGLISH: Advanced

# OTHER INTERESTS

Chess: 5 years in chess school in Moscow, Russia. Now I am playing chess online. Theater: 4 years in school theater. Science, Technology, Cinematography.