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EXPERIENCE

PhD Researcher

Technical University of Eindhoven

Nov 2021 – Present Eindhoven, The Netherlands

Full-Stack Developer

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April 2019 – Sept 2019 Tallinn, Estonia

Software Developer

Ardera OÜ

Oct 2017 – April 2019 Tallinn, Estonia

Software Engineer

AS SEB Pank

June 2015 – Nov 2018 Tallinn, Estonia

EDUCATION

PhD in Deep Reinforcement Learning

Eindhoven University of Technology

Nov 2021 – Present

MSc in Data Science in Engineering

Eindhoven University of Technology

Sept 2019 – Aug 2021 (GPA: 8.12/10.00)

Thesis: GVizDoom: A Benchmark for Generalization of FPS Games in Deep Reinforcement Learning (Grade: 9/10)

B.Sc. in Information Technology, Informatics

Tallinn University of Technology

Sept 2013 – June 2016 (GPA: 4.45/5.00)

Thesis: Digital Identity Usage Notification Platform (Grade: 5/5)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

RL Benchmarking

Safe RL

Continual RL

Multi-Agent RL

Game AI

PUBLICATIONS

- Zihao Guo, Shuqing Shi, Richard Willis, **Tristan Tomilin**, et al. *SocialJax: An Evaluation Suite for Multi-agent RL in Sequential Social Dilemmas*. ICLR 2026.
- Ziyang Wang, Meng Fang, **Tristan Tomilin** et al. *Safe MARL with Natural Language Constraints*. AAAI 2026.
- **Tristan Tomilin** et al. *HASARD: A Benchmark for Embodied Safe Reinforcement Learning*. ICLR 2025.
- Bram Grooten, **Tristan Tomilin**, et al. *MaDi: Learning to Mask Distractions for Generalization in Visual Deep Reinforcement Learning*. AAMAS 2024.
- **Tristan Tomilin** et al. *COOM: A Game Benchmark for Continual RL*. NeurIPS 2023.
- **Tristan Tomilin** et al. *LevDoom: A Benchmark for Generalization on Level Difficulty in RL*. IEEE CoG 2022.

ACADEMIC ENGAGEMENT

Peer Review

NeurIPS 2024, 2025

ICML 2025, 2026

ICLR 2025, 2026

Journals *Machine Learning, Robotics and Autonomous Systems*

Grants



NeurIPS 2025 Top Reviewer Grant

Complimentary registration awarded in recognition of outstanding reviewing.



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AAMAS 2024 Travel Grant

Awarded travel funding by the conference organizers.



NeurIPS 2023 Travel Grant

Awarded travel funding by the conference organizers.

Invited Talks

- Leiden University
- RLChina – Online seminar
- TU Delft
- UoE Agents Group – Online seminar

Research Visits

- UTS – Prof. Ling Chen's group 2024
- UMD – Prof. Tianyi Zhou's group 2023

Academic Development

- DLRL 2024 Summer School
- ESSAI 2023 Summer School