

# ABYLAY AMANBAYEV

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## SUMMARY

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Pursuing a PhD in Computer Science focusing on Agentic LLM/LMMs, RAG applications, and Vector Databases. Currently seeking 2025 Summer Internships.

## SKILLS

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Languages	Python, SQL, C/C++, HTML/CSS, L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X
DS/ML	Pandas, NumPy, PyTorch, TensorFlow, Sklearn, Matplotlib, HuggingFace, LangChain
DBMS	PostgreSQL, MySQL, PG-vector, MilvusDB, Pinecone, PASE
Tools	SciPy, BS4, Docker, Git, Bash

## EDUCATION

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**University of California Merced** Aug 2023 - Present

*PhD in Computer Science*

- Scientific Advisor: Prof. Florin Rusu
- Courses: DBMS Implementation, Deep Learning, Reinforcement Learning, Approximation Algorithms

**National Research University Higher School of Economics** Feb 2024

*Master of Data Science*

- Courses: Applied Machine Learning, SQL, Computational Complexity, Advanced Algorithms

## EXPERIENCE

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**University of California Merced** Aug 2023 - Present

*Research/Teaching Assistant*

- Developing query optimization strategies for vector databases
- Evaluation of indexing algorithms and designing benchmarking tools for RAG applications
- TA-ship for the course CSE 111-Database Systems (Fall 2023, Fall 2024)

**Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory** July-Aug 2024

*Team Lead in Data Science Challenge*

- Led a team of two undergraduates and one MS student in cardiac research utilizing machine learning methods
- Developed algorithms for cardiovascular diseases diagnostics with over 98% accuracy
- Trained neural networks to reconstruct cardiac activation and transmembrane potential maps from 12-lead ECG data

## PROJECTS

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**Multi-Purpose RAG Application** Aug 2024 - Present

- Developing multi-purpose agentic RAG application with foundational LLM/LMMs: ChatGPT-4o, Llama-2/3
- Fine-tuning LLM/LMMs using PEFT and few-shot learning
- Integration with Vector Databases and Embedding Models: PG-Vector, Milvus, OpenAI, Mistral, BGE

## RESEARCH

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1. A. Amanbayev, A. Datta, B. Tsan, F. Rusu. Query Optimization Strategies for Vector Databases (*in progress*)
2. A. Amanbayev, A. Datta, B. Tsan, F. Rusu. A comprehensive overview of Vector Databases and ANNS with Filters (*preparing for submission*)
3. Y. Izenov, A. Datta, B. Tsan, A. Amanbayev, F. Rusu. Spanning Tree-Based Query Plan Enumeration, arXiv: 2403.04026v1 [cs.DB] 6 Mar 2024