# Alexander Dahl

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# Experience

2020-08 Data Engineer, ICA Gruppen, Stockholm, Sweden.

- current o Developed data pipelines for personalized marketing that reaches 3 million ICA customers each month and delivers 500 Million SEK in yearly value using Spark, Airflow, Python and
  - o Productionized models developed by data scientists, in one case decreased the production fires from every week to 0 through better scheduling, validation and code quality
  - o Developed CI/CD pipelines for automatic testing, code quality checks and better release process with Jenkins, Gitlab CI and Ansible
  - Decreased release to production cadence from once a week to several per day
  - · Lead an internal GDPR-audit to find data that should be deleted and created jobs to automate the deletion process
  - o Migrated data pipelines from the on-prem Hadoop cluster to Google Cloud Platform
  - Built the new GCP infrastructure using Terraform with Customer-Managed Encryption Keys to protect GDPR-sensitive data

2018-01 Database Technology Lab Assistant (TDDD37), Linköping Institute of Technology.

2019-01 o Taught students about SQL, Database Design, EER-diagrams, Relational Models, Functional Dependencies and Database Normalization

# **Technologies**

Data Eng. Python, SQL, Airflow, Spark, Hadoop

DevOps Docker, Jenkins, Gitlab CI, Drone, Elastic Stack, Grafana

GCP BigQuery, DataFlow, Composer, Psyduck

IaC Terraform, Ansible, docker-compose

General GNU/Linux, Git, bash, Traefik, Agile, Scrum

#### Education

Graduated M.Sc. Computer Science and Supply Chain Management,

2020-05 Linköping Institute of Technology, Linköping, Sweden.

- o Program: Industrial Engineering and Management
- o Study abroad; One Erasmus year at Karlsruhe Institute of Technology in Karlsruhe, Germany
- · Master's thesis: Used data mining to find an allocation for a picking machine at Apotea AB (an online pharmacy). The allocation yielded a 5% increase in efficiency without any additional costs. Read thesis here! See the python code here!
- Student Union: Was Head of IT for LARM, Linköping's largest career fair, in 2018-2019.

# Side Projects

Home Server I have a home server that I am hosting different things on, for example my website dahl.dev. Running several docker containers that all interact with each other in some way, check out a more detailed description here!

Web Pipeline I built my own place on the internet (dahl.dev) with Angular, link to repo. To make everything as automatic as possible I have a CD pipeline set up with Docker, github, Drone and Watchtower. Upon each push to master Drone will build a Docker image, push it to dockerhub and then watchtower till pull and deploy it on my server. See a more detailed description here!

Monitoring I collect data regarding performance and net speed on my raspberry pi, push it to TimescaleDB and built a dashboard in Grafana. Link to dashboard: grafana.dahl.dev

### Other

- o Was an English speaking volunteer at a summer camp in Hokkaido, Japan in 2019
- Rode a bicycle 10 000km from New York to Costa Rica, here is a picture of my route!