# Alexandre Ramé

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PhD student in deep learning and computer vision. Former research scientist. Specialized in classification, domain adaptation, weak supervision, object detection, and semantic segmentation.

# **Professional Experience**

**Sorbonne University** 

Paris

PhD student under the supervision of Professor Matthieu Cord.

Mar 2020-now

My thesis is about information theory for deep-ensembles applied to computer vision.

**HEURITECH** *R&D Research Scientist in Deep Learning* 

Paris Jan 2016-Nov 2019

- Contributor of the **Computer Vision pipeline**: we aim at understanding fashion trends, with garments detection for images in wild from social media. Manager in the R&D team through open-set and open-domain computer vision challenges.
- **Classification**. Semi supervised using *CNNs* in *Keras* and *Tensorflow*, domain adaptation, low shot learning with triplets, image retrieval, GAN for dataset generation, color detection with attention, hierarchical classification, incremental learning ...
- **Object Detection**. Own implementation of *Mask R-CNN* in *Tensorflow* with weak labels and partially annotated datasets. Weakly supervised semantic segmentation.
- **NLP**. Language modeling, multilingual words and sentences embeddings, unsupervised named entity recognition, classification, clustering and language detection.

FLAMINEM Paris

R&D Research Engineer in Data Science

Sep 2015-Dec 2015

Analyzed web users journeys to predict long-term purchase decision. Big data challenges on Spark.

CLARAVISTA Paris

Oata Scientist

Apr 2014-Jul 2014

Classification and clustering of internet behaviours. Proximal stochastic average gradient descent in *Scala* under the supervision of Francis Bach.

## **Education**

## **COLUMBIA** University

New York, USA

Master of Science in Operations Research (GPA: 3.9/4)

Sep 2014-May 2015

- Majors: Advanced Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Deep Learning and Data Mining.
- Minors: Statistics, Stochastic, Deterministic, Simulation, Sports Analytics, Algorithms and Programming.

#### **Ecole POLYTECHNIQUE**

Palaiseau, France

Diplôme d'Ingénieur (GPA: 3.7/4)

Sep 2011-May 2014

Applied Mathematics. Courses in Optimization, Statistics, Stochastic Finance, Times Series Analysis, Complex Systems and Operations Research, Computer Science, Economics, Physics, Entrepreneurship and Mathematics.

### **Publications**

Alexandre Rame and Matthieu Cord. Dice: Diversity in deep ensembles via conditional redundancy adversarial estimation. In ICLR, 2021.

Alexandre Rame, Remy Sun, and Matthieu Cord. Mixmo: Mixing multiple inputs for multiple outputs via deep subnetworks. under submission, 2021.

Alexandre Rame, Arthur Douillard, and Charles Ollion. Core: Color regression for multiple colors fashion garments. ArXiv preprint, 2020.

Alexandre Rame, Emilien Garreau, Hedi Ben-Younes, and Charles Ollion. Omnia faster r-cnn: Detection in the wild through dataset merging and soft distillation. ArXiv preprint, 2018.

Charles Corbiere, Hedi Ben-Younes, Alexandre Rame, and Charles Ollion. Leveraging weakly annotated data for fashion image retrieval and label prediction. In ICCVW, 2017.

# **Conferences & Teaching**

Sorbonne University Paris. France Fall 2020 Teacher Assistant

Deep Learning for Computer Vision

Deep Learning Meetup #16 Paris, France Conference Speaker Jan 2019

OMNIA Faster R-CNN.

Master Data Science I'X-Paris Saclay Palaiseau, France O Teacher Assistant 2017-2018

Deep Learning course by Charles Ollion and Olivier Grisel.

Deep Learning Meetup #6 Paris. France Feb 2017

Conference Speaker

Correlational Neural Networks for multilingual embeddings.

Fondation D'Auteuil Sannois, France Nov 2011-Mar 2012

Volunteer Teacher and Youth Leader

#### **Skills & Interests**

- Programming Languages:
  - Python Deep Learning tools (TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, Theano, Caffe) and Machine Learning (xgboost, scikit-learn, Gensim).
  - Bash, Scala, R, Spark, Hadoop, SQL.
- o Languages: French(native), English (fluent).

- o Meetups: Organizer of the Deep Learning Meetup in Paris with Heuritech.
- o Sport: Tennis, ski, squash, football.
- o Games: Chess, Go, board games.

# **Projects**

#### Summer School

- PRAIRIE AI of INRIA in Grenoble (Jul 2018).
- Data Science Summer School of **Ecole POLYTECHNIQUE** in *Palaiseau* (Sep 2017).
- Deep Learning Summer School of MILA in Montréal (Aug 2016).

### Kaggle

- Otto group product classification challenge (116/3514).
- American Epilepsy Society Seizure Prediction Challenge.

#### o MOOC