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#### **EDUCATION**

#### **University of Cyprus**

Nicosia, Cyprus • 09/2022 — Present

PhD Computer Science

**Topic:** Populated Virtual Environments

### **University of Cyprus**

Nicosia, Cyprus • 01/2021 — 06/2022

MSc Computer Science

Thesis: Crowd simulation by Deep Reinforcement Learning

### **University of Cyprus**

Nicosia, Cyprus • 01/2017 — 01/2021

**BSc Computer Science** 

Thesis: Shift scheduling software and mobile application

for Ambulance Service Cyprus

# WORK EXPERIENCE

#### **Research Associate, CYENS - Centre of Excellence**

Nicosia, Cyprus • 09/2021 — Present

V-EUPNEA MRG: Living, Breathing Virtual Worlds

- Crowd Simulation
- Machine Learning
- Computer Animation

## **Internship, CYENS - Centre of Excellence**

Nicosia, Cyprus • 06/2021 — 07/2021

V-EUPNEA MRG: Living, Breathing Virtual Worlds

- Teaching Virtual Crowds How to Behave
- Unity3D | ML-Agents Toolkit | TensorFlow
- Imitation and Reinforcement Learning
- Character Animation

## Internship (IT Department), Bernhard Schulte Shipmanagement (BSM)

Limassol, Cyprus • 06/2018 — 07/2018

- Support company core network
- Provide technical support to employees
- Communicate with company partners located abroad to learn the use of maritime software
- Upgrade and repair of computer hardware

#### **CERTIFICATES**

### **Machine Learning Specialization**

08/2022

DeepLearning.AI

• Supervised Machine Learning: Regression and Classification • Advanced Learning Algorithms • Unsupervised Learning, Recommenders, Reinforcement Learning

#### **Internet of Things for IT Professionals**

01/2021

SEnDIng - Sector Skills Alliance for the design and delivery of innovative VET programmes to Data Science and Internet of Things professionals

	Pure Mathematics A-Level Pearson Edexcel International	6/2014
	English as a second Language Cambridge International Examinations	6/2014
	Computing A-Level Cambridge International Examinations	6/2013
PUBLICATIONS	Andreas Panayiotou, Theodoros Kyriakou, Marilena Lemonari, Yiorgos Chrysanthou, and Pana Charalambous. 2022. CCP: Configurable Crowd Profiles. In ACM SIGGRAPH 2022 Conference Procee (SIGGRAPH '22). Association for Computing Machinery, New York, NY, USA, Article 53, doi.org/10.1145/3528233.3530712	edings
LANGUAGES	Greek (native), English (fluent)	
TECHNICAL SKILLS	Languages: C, C++, C#, Python, Java, Pascal, ARMv8, Prolog Programming Tools: Unity3D, Unreal Engine, Visual Studio, PyCharm, Eclipse, Git Web/Mobile Development: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP, Node.js, Bootstrap, Apache Cordova, XAMPI Operating Systems: Microsoft Windows, Linux, Unix Other: TensorFlow, OpenGL, OpenCV, NetworkX, ZeroMQ, OOP, UML, SQL	P
SOFT SKILLS	Problem-solving, Decision Making, Teamwork, Communication, Time management, Active liste Creativity, Adaptability, Responsibility	ening,
REFERENCES	Available upon request.	