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Curriculum Vitae: Anton Rodomanov

PERSONAL INFORMATION

- Born on 22/01/1994, Russian citizenship, married, 1 daughter.
- E-mail: anton.rodomanov@cispa.de.
- Web-page: arodomanov.github.io.
- Address: Saarbrücken, Germany.
- Languages: English (advanced), German (basic), French (basic), Russian (native).

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Convex Optimization, Numerical Algorithms, Complexity Estimates, Randomized Methods, Machine Learning, Statistics.

EDUCATION

PhD in Mathematical Engineering

2019-22

Catholic University of Louvain (UCLouvain), Department of Mathematical Engineering (INMA)

Thesis: Quasi-Newton Methods with Provable Efficiency Guarantees.

Advisor: Yurii Nesterov.

MSc in Computer Science

Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

Higher School of Economics, Faculty of Computer Science

2015–17 Moscow, Russia

Thesis: A Superlinearly-Convergent Proximal Newton-Type Method for the Optimization of

Finite Sums.

Advisors: Dmitry Kropotov and Dmitry Vetrov.

BSc in Computer Science

2011-15

Lomonosov Moscow State University, Faculty of Computational Mathematics and Cybernetics

Thesis: Development of a Stochastic Optimization Method for Machine Learning Problems with

Big Data.

Advisors: Dmitry Kropotov and Dmitry Vetrov.

Moscow, Russia

WORK EXPERIENCE

Postdoctoral Researcher

01/09/2023 – now Saarbrücken, Germany

CISPA Helmholtz Center for Information Security.

01/09/2022 - 31/08/2023

Postdoctoral Researcher ICTEAM Institute at UCLouvain.

Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

Doctoral Candidate

23/01/2019 - 31/08/2022

Department of Mathematical Engineering (INMA) at UCLouvain.

Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

Samsung-HSE Lab at Higher School of Economics.

02/10/2017 - 31/08/2018 Moscow, Russia

Samsung 1132 Lab at Thence School of Leonomic

09/01/2017 - 18/01/2019

Research Assistant
International Laboratory of Deep Learning and Bayesian Methods at Higher School of Economics.

Moscow, Russia

PUBLICATIONS

Preprints

Stabilized Proximal-Point Methods for Federated Optimization

2024

X. Jiang, A. Rodomanov, S. Stich. [arXiv]

Universality of AdaGrad Stepsizes for Stochastic Optimization: Inexact Oracle, Acceleration and Variance Reduction

2024

A. Rodomanov, X. Jiang, S. Stich. [arXiv]

Global Complexity Analysis of BFGS A. Rodomanov. [arXiv]	2024
Gradient Methods for Stochastic Optimization in Relative Scale Y. Nesterov and A. Rodomanov. [arXiv]	2023
Conference and workshop papers	
Non-convex Stochastic Composite Optimization with Polyak Momentum Y. Gao, A. Rodomanov, S. Stich. ICML 2024:14826–14843. [url] [pdf] [arXiv]	2024
Federated Optimization with Doubly Regularized Drift Correction X. Jiang, A. Rodomanov, S. Stich. ICML 2024:21912–21945. [url] [pdf] [arXiv]	2024
Universal Gradient Methods for Stochastic Convex Optimization A. Rodomanov, A. Kavis, Y. Wu, K. Antonakopoulos, V. Cevher. ICML 2024:42620–42646. [url] [pdf] [arXiv]	2024
Polynomial Preconditioning for Gradient Methods N. Doikov and A. Rodomanov. ICML 2023:8162–8187. [url] [pdf] [arXiv]	2023
A Superlinearly-Convergent Proximal Newton-Type Method for the Optimization of Finite Sums A. Rodomanov and D. Kropotov. ICML 2016:2597–2605. [url] [pdf] [supplementary] [code]	2016
Primal-Dual Method for Searching Equilibrium in Hierarchical Congestion Population Games P. Dvurechensky, A. Gasnikov, E. Gasnikova, S. Matsievsky, A. Rodomanov, I. Usik. DOOR-SUP 2016:584-595. [url] [arXiv]	2016
A Newton-type Incremental Method with a Superlinear Rate of Convergence A. Rodomanov and D. Kropotov. OPT15@NIPS. [url]	2015
Putting MRFs on a Tensor Train A. Novikov, A. Rodomanov, A. Osokin, D. Vetrov. ICML 2014:811–819. [url] [pdf] [supplementary] [poster] [slides] [code]	2014
Journal articles	
Subgradient ellipsoid method for nonsmooth convex problems A. Rodomanov and Y. Nesterov. Math. Program. [url] [arXiv]	2022
New Results on Superlinear Convergence of Classical Quasi-Newton Methods A. Rodomanov and Y. Nesterov. J. Optim. Theory Appl. 188:744–769. [url] [arXiv]	2021
Rates of superlinear convergence for classical quasi-Newton methods A. Rodomanov and Y. Nesterov. Math. Program. [url] [arXiv]	2021
Greedy Quasi-Newton Methods with Explicit Superlinear Convergence A. Rodomanov and Y. Nesterov. SIAM J. Optim. 31(1):785–811. [url] [arXiv]	2021
Smoothness Parameter of Power of Euclidean Norm A. Rodomanov and Y. Nesterov. J. Optim. Theory Appl. 185:303–326. [url]	2020
A Randomized Coordinate Descent Method with Volume Sampling A. Rodomanov and D. Kropotov. SIAM J. Optim. 30(3):1878–1904. [url] [arXiv]	2020

TALKS AT CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

Universality of AdaGrad Stepsizes for Stochastic Optimization: Inexact Oracle,

Acceleration and Variance Reduction

FGS Conference on Optimization [slides]

EURO Conference on Operational Research [slides]

Gijón, Spain Copenhagen, Denmark

Jun, Jul 2024

Universal Gradient Methods for Stochastic Convex Optimization

MOP Research Seminar on Mathematical Optimization [slides] Research Seminar at CORE [slides]

Mar, Apr 2024 online Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium Gradient Methods for Stochastic Optimization in Relative Scale

Research Seminar of DAO team at Université Grenoble Alpes [slides]

SIAM Conference on Optimization (OP23) [slides]

Grenoble, France Seattle, USA

Mar 2023

Mar, May 2023

Modern analysis of local convergence for classical quasi-Newton methods

Maths Job Market Seminar at Toulouse School of Economics [slides]

Toulouse, France

Universal Stochastic Gradient Methods for Convex Optimization

Research Seminar at CISPA Helmholtz Center for Information Security [slides]

Saarbrücken, Germany

Subgradient Ellipsoid Method for Nonsmooth Convex Problems

20th French-German-Portugese Conference on Optimization (FGP22) [slides]

May 2022

Jan 2023

Porto, Portugal

New Results on Superlinear Convergence of Classical Quasi-Newton Methods

XIII Symposium of Numerical Analysis and Optimization [slides]

18th Workshop on Advances in Continuous Optimization (EUROPT 2021) [slides]

Mar, Jul 2021

Curitiba, Brazil (online) Toulouse, France (online)

Greedy Quasi-Newton Method with Explicit Superlinear Convergence

17th Workshop on Advances in Continuous Optimization (EUROPT 2019) [slides] Sixth International Conference on Continuous Optimization (ICCOPT 2019) [slides] 19th French-German-Swiss Conference on Optimization (FGS'2019) [slides]

Seminar in Mathematical Engineering at UCLouvain [slides]

Jun, Aug, Sep, Oct 2019

Glasgow, UK Berlin, Germany Nice, France

Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

Lecture: Introduction to Stochastic Optimization

DeepBayes Summer School [slides] [video]

Aug 2018

Moscow, Russia

Adaptive gradient methods for stochastic and online optimization

Seminar on Bayesian Methods in Machine Learning [slides]

Feb 2018 Moscow, Russia

Incremental Newton Method for Big Sums of Functions

Seminar on Stochastic Analysis in Problems, IUM [slides (in Russian)] [video (in Russian)]

Oct 2016

Moscow, Russia

New York, USA

A Superlinearly-Convergent Proximal Newton-Type Method for the Optimization

of Finite Sums

International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML) [slides] [video]

Jun 2016

Jun 2016

Optimization Methods for Big Sums of Functions

Deep Machine Intelligence Workshop at Skoltech [slides]

Moscow, Russia

May 2016 Voronovo, Russia

HSE off-site seminar on Machine Learning [slides]

Incremental Newton Method for Minimizing Big Sums of Functions

Mar 2016

Moscow, Russia

Seminar on Applied Linear Algebra at HSE [slides]

Proximal Incremental Newton Method

Seminar on Bayesian Methods in Machine Learning [slides]

Feb 2016

Moscow, Russia

Probabilistic Graphical Models: a Tensorial Perspective

International Conference on Matrix Methods in Mathematics and Applications (MMMA)

Introduction to the Tensor Train Decomposition and Its Applications in Machine

slides

Learning

Aug 2015

Moscow, Russia

A Fast Incremental Optimization Method with a Superlinear Rate of Convergence

Summer School on Control, Information and Optimization [slides]

Jun 2015

Solnechnogorsk, Russia

Markov Chains and Spectral Theory

Seminar on Bayesian Methods in Machine Learning [slides (in Russian)]

Oct 2014

Moscow, Russia

Low-Rank Representation of MRF Energy by means of the TT-Format

May 2014 Hong-Kong, China

SIAM Conference in Imaging Science (SIAM-IS) [slides]

Fast Gradient Method Seminar on Bayesian Methods in Machine Learning [slides (in Russian)]

Seminar on Bayesian Methods in Machine Learning [slides (in Russian)]

Apr 2014

Moscow, Russia

Oct 2013

TT-Decomposition for Compact Representation of Tensors

Moscow, Russia

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POSTERS

Randomized Minimization of Eigenvalue Functions

Joint with Y. Nesterov. Optimization and Statistical Learning Workshop. [pdf]

Les Houches, France

Jan 2023

Oct 2021

Quasi-Newton and Second-Order Methods for Convex Optimization

Joint with N. Doikov and Y. Nesterov. ICTEAM Welcome Day. [pdf]

Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

A Superlinearly-Convergent Proximal Newton-Type Method for the Optimization

of Finite Sums

Joint with D. Kropotov. ICML 2016. [pdf]

Jun 2016

New York, USA

A Newton-type Incremental Method with a Superlinear Convergence Rate

Joint with D. Kropotov. OPT15@NIPS. [pdf]

Dec 2015

Montreal, Canada

A Fast Incremental Optimization Method with a Superlinear Rate of Convergence

Joint with D. Kropotov. Microsoft Research PhD Summer School. [pdf]

Jul 2015 Cambridge, UK

Putting MRFs on a Tensor Train

Joint with A. Novikov, A. Osokin and D. Vetrov. ICML 2014. [pdf]

Jun 2014

Beijing, China

RESEARCH VISITS

UCLouvain

Hosted by Yurii Nesterov.

Apr 2024

Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

DAO team at Université Grenoble Alpes

Hosted by Jérôme Malick.

Mar 2023

Grenoble, France

CISPA Helmholtz Center for Information Security

Hosted by Sebastian U. Stich.

Jan 2023

Saarbrücken, Germany

Laboratory for Information and Inference Systems (LIONS) at EPFL

Hosted by Volkan Cevher.

Jul, Nov 2022

Lausanne, Switzerland

AWARDS

Increased State Academic Scholarship for research and academic achievements, at Higher School of Economics	2017
Golden HSE Award in the Silver Nestling nomination, at Higher School of Economics	2016
Scholarship of the Lukoil Fund, at Higher School of Economics	2016
Ilya Segalovich Scholarship (from Yandex), at Higher School of Economics	2016
Travel award, at International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML)	2016
Best thesis award (1st place), at Lomonosov Moscow State University	2015

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Optimization Models and Methods II, exercise sessions

2021-22

Graduate-level course at UCLouvain. Lectures by François Glineur and Geovani Grapiglia.

Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

Optimization Methods in Machine Learning, exercise sessions

2015-18

Graduate-level course at Lomonosov Moscow State University, Yandex School of Data Analysis and Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology. Lectures by Dmitry Kropotov.

Moscow, Russia

Continuous Optimization, exercise sessions

Undergraduate-level course at Higher School of Economics. Lectures by Dmitry Kropotov.

2017–18 Moscow, Russia

Machine Learning, exercise sessions

2015

Graduate-level course at Skoltech. Lectures by Victor Kitov.

Moscow, Russia

REVIEWING

- **Journals:** Mathematical Programming, SIAM Journal on Optimization (SIOPT), Journal of Optimization Theory and Applications (JOTA), Journal of Machine Learning Research (JMLR), Automatica.
- Conferences: Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML).