# Arian Skoki

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#### **FDUCATION**

University of Rijeka, Faculty of Engineering, Croatia

PhD in Computer Science Oct 2020 –

MSc in Computer Science Sep 2017 – Sep 2019
BSc in Computer Science Sep 2014 – Sep 2017

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Advanced Machine Learning, Data Science, Data Analysis, Data Visualisation, Python

Intermediate Streamlit, Django, Docker, SQL

Basic Linux, React, JavaScript, Deep learning

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

### Faculty of Engineering, University of Rijeka, Rijeka, Croatia

Research & Teaching Assistant

Oct 2020 -

- ullet develop **machine learning** model to estimate injury recovery time, enhancing physiotherapists' predictions with an increase in  $R^2$  from 0.62 to 0.72
- **construct** an **optimization-based** mathematical model to improve football player substitution strategy based on physical characteristics and score change effect
- establish an analytical framework for player workload visualization using Streamlit
- **develop**, **deploy**, and **maintain** a web application to streamline injury data collection for a professional football club improving knowledge sharing and rehabilitation process
- apply data science methods for feature-engineering, enabling comprehensive monitoring of football players' in-match physical performance on less detailed datasets
- collaborate with fellow researchers and football practitioners across the EU through Erasmus+ (BLISS), SoBigData++, and CEEPUS
- guide Riteh Web Team to top prizes in hackathons and development contests
- organize meetups, hackathons (Hackathon Ri-Hack), and conferences (Ri-Comp 2024, SSS 2022, SSIP 2021)
- **instruct** courses on Embedded Systems, Operating Systems, and Computer Architecture, consistently earning high student satisfaction scores of 4.6 to 4.8 out of 5
- speak at the events and conferences (DSC Europe, MLSA 23, DSC Adria, AI challenges)
- mentor students through competitions (Lumen Developement 2022, STEM Games T-Arena 2022, 2023)

#### Carrot and Company GmbH, Graz, Austria

Software Developer

Oct 2019 - Aug 2020

- test and develop internal Django API for fast client project generation
- integrate local state handling in Angular with GraphQL which reduced boilerplate code by 60%
- refactor **Docker** scripts for development and deployment, improving workflow efficiency

## SCIENTIFIC PAPERS

Building Individual Player Performance Profiles According to Pre-Game Expectations and Goal Difference in Soccer	2024
<ul> <li>Sensors, Special Issue Applications of Body Worn Sensors and Wearables, Volume 24, Issue 5</li> </ul>	
Revolutionizing Soccer Injury Management: Predicting Muscle Injury Recovery Time Using ML	2023
Applied Sciences, Volume 13, Issue 10	
Extended Energy-Expenditure Model in Soccer: Evaluating Player Performance in the Context of the Game	2022
• Sensors, Volume 22, Issue 24	
ML-Based Approach for NFL Defensive Pass Interference Prediction Using GPS Tracking Data	2021
<ul> <li>2021 44th International Convention on Information, Communication and Electronic Technology (MIPRO)</li> </ul>	
Sopele music dataset	2020
Data in Brief, Volume 28	
Automatic music transcription for traditional woodwind instruments sopele	2019
• Pattern Recognition Letters, Volume 128, str. 340-347	

## MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS

Big Bang Camp	1st place in pitch competition with the aim of developing a technology concept and steps to get the
	product on the market

# OTHER SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Toolban, Flaying the Garmer & Okarere, Martial Flass, Barreng, Flasher Speaking, Entertainment	Languages Interests	Croatian (native), English (fluent), German (basic) Football, Playing the Clarinet & Ukulele, Martial Arts, Dancing, Public Speaking, Entertainment
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