Bella Nicholson ♦ Amsterdam, Netherlands % bellanich.github.io in bella-nicholson O bellanich American Resourceful Machine Learning Engineer with 3+ years of experience in a diverse set of organizations, ranging from tech startups and scaleups to an establish tech company. A life-long learner with a passion for optimizing ML models for real-world applications on resource-constrained devices. Excited about the intersection between engineering and AI research. **EXPERIENCE** Machine Learning Engineer // Brenntag // 🗎 Nov 2023 - Present Amsterdam, Netherlands At the world's leading chemical distributor, I deployed and maintained ML products across 70+ countries. Thus far, I've: Migrated a virtual AI assistant (earning €30+ million in annual revenue) to a more cost-effective and secure AWS platform • Developed a real-time notification system to monitor critical ML jobs and model metrics, improving system visibility • Standardized quality controls across 15+ ML project components through the creation of a CLI package prototype Artificial Intelligence Consultant // Deloitte // 🛗 Sept 2021 - Oct 2023 As a contracted ML engineer, I optimized and implemented ML solutions for diverse clients, delivering: • Increased system robustness of a Dutch e-classified ads platform's "For You" page, systematically introduced ML Engineering best practices · Launched a self-paced, ML-focused coding training website to standardize and improve code quality across Deloitte NL · Centralized large-scale model storage, experiment tracking across various environments for a German steel conglomerate Machine Learning Research Intern // Crunchr // 🛗 Jan 2020 - Aug 2020 At a people analytics platform, I conducted graph-based representation learning research for the development of ML products: • Built a proof of concept, one-off representation learning process to encode relational database entity information • Demonstrated approach validity by applying deep neural networks to downstream classification tasks on process outputs Computer Vision Intern // Cubelizer // June 2017 – July 2017 Madrid, Spain As part of a Google-backed edge computer vision startup. Limproved customer detection 12% in retail space optimization:

 Developed a video stream-based object detection method in compliance with EU privacy regulations Applied image processing and classical machine learning techniques to low-resolution images 			
PROJECTS			
Pocket Multi-Modal Large Language N Deployed a custom embedded, vision-text for Extended an existing large language model have been processed in a 4-part been processed in a 4-part been processed.	oundation model across various iOS ardware-optimization framework to		
Python Machine Learning Template • Automated a comprehensive Python ML proj • Enabled streamlined project creation with pro			
EDUCATION			
Master of Science, Artificial Intelligence university of Amsterdam		Sept 2018 - Dec 2020	• Amsterdam, Netherlands
 Courses on AI, including Deep Learning, Com Thesis on "Interpretable Representation Learn 		_	al, and Reinforcement Learning
Bachelor of Science, Biomedical Engin The College of New Jersey SKILLS		∄ Sept 2014 – May 2018	♥ Ewing, New Jersey, USA
Programming languages & tooling Python, Git (2016-present), Bash (2018- present), Terraform (2023-present), SQL (2019-present), Docker (2022-present)	MLOps platform Amazon Web Services (202 Google Cloud Platform (20 Databricks (2022-pre	21-present), PyTorch 22-present), present	ML frameworks n (2018-present), PySpark (2022- t), FastAPI (2021-present), Ten- ow (2021-2022), Keras (2022)
English 100% Spanish	75% Ger	man 60%	Russian 50%