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I have created Systems for Machine Learning, Al, Computer Graphics, Computer Vision, Computational Physics via fully exploiting hardware via domain-specific languages via using contemporary areas of various fields of Applied Math and Computer Science. My current focus is Federated Learning, the area that my advisor proposed in 2016 with his peers in the paper "Federated Learning: Strategies for Improving Communication Efficiency". And it will be the next big breakthrough in Machine Learning for society.

EDUCATION

2020-Now	Saudi Arabia: Ph.D. program in CS Program at King Abdullah University of Science and Technology under supervision of prof. P.Richtárik. <i>Awards</i> : Dean's Award 2019, KAUST.
	Transcript: Link-1
2015-2019	USA (remote): Graduate Program. Leland Stanford Jr. University, Stanford, USA. Transcript: Link-2
2015-2018	USA (remote): Leland Stanford Jr. University, Stanford, USA. Data, Models and Optimization Graduate Cer-
	tificate : Link-3. Program Description : Link-4
2016 - 2019	USA (remote): Leland Stanford Jr. University, Stanford, USA. Artificial Intelligence Graduate Certificate:
	Link-5. Program Description: Link-6
2003-2009	Russia: Master Degree in Computer Science and Control Systems. Bauman Moscow State Technical Uni-
	versity, Russia. Transcript evalutated by World Education Service: Link-7
Shools and	Regularization Methods for ML 2021 (Certificate); The PRAIRIE/MIAI AI summer school 2021 (Certificate);
Conferences	ICML-2021 (Certificate); Oxford ML Summer School-2021(Certificate)

FL_PyTorch: Optimization Research Simulator for Federated Learning	2021

ttps://dl.acm.org/doi/abs/10.1145/3488659.3493775/

Accepted for presentation and publication to 2nd Workshop on Distributed Machine Learning (co-located with CoNEXT 2021)

MARINA: Faster Non-Convex Distributed Learning with Compression 2021

https://arxiv.org/abs/2102.07845

Accepted for presentation and publication to Thirty-eighth International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML 2021)

PERSONALIZED FEDERATED LEARNING WITH COMMUNICATION COMPRESSION 2021

E. Bergou, A. Dutta, K. Burlachenko, P. Kalnis and P. Richtárik

NOTE: MAIN MATH MODELS IN AREA OF INTEREST OF MACHINE LEARNING 2018

Https://sites.google.com/site/burlachenkok/articles/main-math-models-in-area-of-interest-of-machine-learning

NOTE: ABOUT BOOK A.N.KOLOMOGOROV, S.V.FOMIN INTRODUCTORY REAL ANALYSIS 2020

Https://sites.google.com/site/burlachenkok/articles/notes-about-the-book-of-ankolomogorovsvfomin

NOTES ABOUT VARIOUS ASPECTS IN ML, AI, CS, OPTIMIZATION, PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES, PHYSICS, APPLIED MATH 2010-2021

https://sites.google.com/site/burlachenkok/articles

* Presentations

DEC-2021	A session talk in DistributedML2021: FL_PyTorch: Optimization Research Simulator for Federated Learning.
JULY-2021	Poster and spotlight for in ICML-2021: MARINA Faster Non-Convex Distributed Learning with Compression
APR-2021	Poster presentation at Communication Efficient Distributed Optimization at NSF-TRIPODS Workshop.
FEB-2020	Moscow, Russia. Speaker in OpenTalks.Al conference : Huawei technologies for Al developers
JULY-2019	Sochi, Russia. Educational center Sirius : Deliver one month Deep Learning course with D.Kamzolov
DEC-2018	MIPT(Moscow Institure of Physics and Technologies). Deliver guest lectures about subtle things around
	Decision Trees. Slides: Slides in github. Presentions: Presentation 1 record, Presentation 2 record.
APR-2016	GTC 2016, San Hose, USA: Presenter in Driveworks NVIDIA Booth
AUG-2012	ACM SIGGRAPH 2012, LosAngeles, USA: Presenter in Centil eo Booth.



COMPETENCES

General Programming Languages that I have used

DSL Programming Languages that I have used

Frameworks

C89/C99, C++14/11/03, C#, Python, Cython, Bash, Perl, x386/ARM, Java Gl SL, TVM, Google Protobuf, CUDA, OpenCL, Matlab, R, SQL

Qt, CUDA, WinApi, Posix, OpenGL, OpenCL, PyTorch, TensorFlow

Selected open-source libraries

Operating Systems

Areas of interest

Windows, Linux based, Orbis, XBox, Android, NDA OS-es

Development Environments

QtCreator, Visual Studio, Eclipse, WinDbg, Android Studio, TexStudio, Nsight SysInternals, AqTime, Cmake, GNU Toolchain, CppCheck, Valgrind, Git, QMake

General purpose development tools

Latex, HTML, XML, Markdown

Markup and Type Languages

Federated Learning, Stochastic Distributed Math Optimization,

Computer Science, Machine Learning, Al,

Computer Vision, System Programming, GPU Programming,

Distributed Systems, Convex Optimization, Non Convex Optimization

Examples of own Projects

Provided under request. I have personal projects from 100 lines to 100K lines.

Recomendations from co-workers on recent projects

Provided under request

Numpy, CvxPy

Sport achievements

Candidate for master of sport in chess by FIDE.



PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

August 2020 March 2019

Principal Lead Engineer | Foundation AI Lab, HUAWEI, Moscow

- ► R&D in internal ML/DL middleware for HUAWEI HiSilicon
- ▶ R&D in internal projects in ML/DL middleware for HUAWEI Consumer Business Group
- ▶ Preseting HiSilicon solutions internally and externally.

Math Optimization Al Machine Learning C++ Python TVM Java Google Protobuf CMake Qt TensorFlow

March 2019 July 2014

Senior Developer Technology Engineer, NVIDIA, Moscow

Created and supported different modules in middleware software before it tends to be open source.

- ▶ Driveworks SDK computer vision, machine learning, calibration, egomotion
- ► PhysX/Apex SDK physics simulation, graphical special effects.
- ► cuDNN/cuBLAS libraries GPU computation, machine learning
- ► RAPIDS project GPU based classical Machine Learning Framework

CUDA GLSL C++ SSE2/ARM NEON Linux Windows PS4 XBox OpenGL Google Tests GitLab Perl Python CMake Make Qt Git TensorFlow Computer Vision Graphics Deep Learning CppCheck

July 2014 May 2013

Senior Developer Engineer | Yandex Video Team, YANDEX, Moscow

Yandex is one of the available general-purpose web search engines in the world. I worked in a video search.

- ► Text and statistical machine learning features for Yandex video search http://video.yandex.ru
- ► Infrastructure to store static aspects web document with embedded video
- ▶ Statistical analysis in several billions web documents with embedded video in MapReduce
- ► Infrastructure to show plots for internal team's processes

C++ Google Protobuf JavaScript Bash Python Computer Science HTML SVN MapReduce Decision Trees

April 2013

Lead Physics Engine Developer, FITTING REALITY, Moscow

March 2012

CEO Inga Nakhmanson can prove that I brought big value to the project and company. I have left due to the stopped financial support of a startup company.

- ► Develop library for clothing simulation started with CUDA
- ► Migrate cloth simulation library to OpenCL
- Adapt to use this library for Ogre.
- ► Custom render engine for clothing visualizatio https://yadi.sk/d/ytygxSIYP62Tr
- ► Carry internal math/cs trainings

C++ OpenGL GLSL Qt Linux Windows QMake CUDA OpenCL Physics Computer Graphics gDebugger

March 2012 September 2010

Software Developer Engineer, ACRONIS, Moscow

Acronis invited B.Stroustroup author of C++ to give an advanced series of lectures about C++ which gave me additional great knowledge on the subject.

- Low-level debugging in a big codebase
- ► Key member of GUI team for Acronis Backup and Recovery 2011 Enterprise

C++ C Windows WinDbg WmWare Specialized GUI library SVN SysInternals Suite AppVerifer CppCheck

September 2010

Senior Software Developer Engineer, CAPITAL RESEARCH, Moscow

March 2009

Left company due to that financial support of startup have starts be problematical. CEO Kirill Garanzha can prove that I was up to last moments.

▶ Developed Firefox plugin to create the three-dimensional HTML view for basics HTML elements Firefox C++ Windows HTML CSS Windows OpenGL GLSL

June 2009 December 2006

C++ Programming Engineer, FLINT AND CO, Moscow

Created several computer games with computer vision and graphics part, hardware drivers

► Trips to customers

C++ SDL Linux Windows Development Image Library Low level programming Computer Vision OpenGL SVN

November 2006 March 2006

C++ Programming Engineer, ASTRASOFT TECHNOLOGY, Moscow

Left company due no interconnection with my education in 2006

Developed visual elements of management system based on Qt and OpenGL

C++ Qt Windows OpenGL SVN

Some own projects

MATH OPTIMIZATION RESEARCH STUDIO

2020

☑ https://bitbucket.org/konstantin_burlachenko/opt_studio ☑ Project report Math Optimizaiton Research Studio CS380: Math Optimization Research Studio.

C++ Linux Windows CUDA CMake

EXPERIMENTAL NEURAL NET FRAMEWORK

2019

☑ Poster Presentation Session, CS230 - 2019 ☐ 4 minute presentation ☐ bitbucket repo

CS230: Experimental Neural Net Framework done under mentoring of Steven Ziqiu Chen (stevenzc@stanford.edu)

C++ Linux Windows CUDA Python CMake

CONVEX OPTIMIZATION SOLVERS WITH LEVERAGING INTO GPU/CPU POWER FOR AI/ML

2018

ttps://sites.google.com/site/burlachenkok/convex-optimization-solvers-with-leveraging-into-gpucpu-power-for-aiml

Poster Presentation Session, CS221 - 2018 bitbucket repo

CS221: Convex optimization solvers with leveraging into GPU/CPU power for AI/ML under mentoring of Steven Diamond http://web.stanford.edu/~stevend2/

C++ Linux Windows CUDA Python CMake Convex Optimization

CONVEX OPTIMIZATION FOR MACHINE LEARNING

2017

https://sites.google.com/site/burlachenkok/articles/cvx4ml

Poster Presentation Session, CS229 - 2017

4 minute presentation

Stanford, CS229: Convex Optimization for Machine Learning

C++ Visual Studio Numerical Linear Algebra Convex Optimization Python CMake

ADVACNED TOOL TO PLOT DATA

2017

☑ 40 minute presentation
☐ github.com/burlachenkok/plotter_plusplus

This is an advanced plotter tool which receives commands over the network TCP connection. Goal of this program is to assist debugging and development process. It have been written in C++ and it use Qt Framework 5.7.* as only one external library.

C++ Linux Windows Embeded Systems Qt Python

LANE DETECTION USING FOURIER BASED LINE DETECTOR

2016

http://web.stanford.edu/class/cs231a/prev_projects_2016/final_konstantin_burlachenko.pdf

☑ 10 minute presentation

Lane detection from several image input videostream.

Matlab

66 References

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