# Carles Garcia-Cabrera

#### Education

- 2019 2023 Ph.D. in Machine Learning, Generalizable Cardiac MR analysis with Deep Learning,
- Pending of ML-LABS SFI CENTRE FOR RESEARCH TRAINING IN MACHINE LEARNING,
- Examination Dublin City University, Dublin.
- 2019 2022 Master in Advanced Telecommunications Technologies, Machine Learning, Polytechnic University of Catalonia, Barcelona.
- 2012 2018 **Bachelor's degree in Telecommunications Engineering**, *Audiovisual Systems*, Polytechnic University of Catalonia, Barcelona.
  - 2018 **Bachelor's Thesis**, The University of Auckland, Auckland, New Zealand. Automatic Ventricle Segmentation Using CNNs in Cardiac MRI

#### Experience

- Nov 2021 Applied Research Intern, MEDIS MEDICAL IMAGING, Leiden, The Netherlands.
- March 2022 R&D Cardiac MRI innovation, Customer support.
- June 2018 Research Intern, Auckland MRI Research Group, The University of Auckland.
- January 2019 Artificial Intelligence research and software development.
- January 2016 Research Assistant, SIGNAL THEORY DEPARTMENT, Polytechnic University of Catalonia.
  - June 2018 IT support to researchers. System administrator and app developer.
  - April 2014 Intern, Specific Projects Bureau, The Polytechnic University of Catalonia.
- January 2016 IT support. Grant proposal support and translation. Multimedia support.
  - 2014 IT Technician, BARCELONA MOBILE WORLD CONGRESS 2014.

## Fellowships & Awards

- 2020 Winning team at the IBM Shielding Federated Learning Against Attacks Hackathon.
- 2019 **Ph.D. Scholarship** ML-LABS SFI Centre for Research Training in Machine Learning.
- 2019 Master Scholarship at UPC by the Telecommunication Engineering School.

#### Publications

- 2023 "Cardiac MRI Dataset Balancing using Atlas Deformations and Style Transfer". Accepted as an abstract at the Scientific Assembly and Annual Meeting of the Radiological Society of North America (RSNA) and under-review at the Radiology journal.
- 2023 "Cardiac Magnetic Resonance Phase Detection Using Neural Networks". Irish Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Cognitive Science (AICS).
- 2023 "Cardiac MRI reconstruction from undersampled k-space using double-stream IFFT and a denoising GNA-UNET pipeline". Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI).
- 2022 "Cardiac Segmentation using Transfer Learning under Respiratory Motion Artifacts". International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI).
- 2021 "Semi-supervised learning of cardiac MRI using image registration". Irish Machine Vision and Image Processing Conference (IMVIP).

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#### Presentations

- 2023 **Oral talk:** "Cardiac MRI Dataset Balancing using Atlas Deformations and Style Transfer" at the Scientific Assembly and Annual Meeting of the Radiological Society of North America (RSNA). Chicago, The United States of America.
- 2023 **Poster:** "Cardiac Magnetic Resonance Phase Detection Using Neural Networks". Irish Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Cognitive Science (AICS). Letterkenny, Ireland.
- 2022 **Poster:** "Cardiac Segmentation using Transfer Learning under Respiratory Motion Artifacts". International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI). Singapore.
- 2021 **Poster:** "Semi-supervised learning of cardiac MRI using image registration". Irish Machine Vision and Image Processing Conference (IMVIP). Dublin, Ireland.

## **Teaching**

- 2022 Advisor: (1) Master's Thesis (University College Dublin).
- 2022 2023 **Tutoring**. Image Processing & Analysis (Dublin City University).
- 2019 2023 **Teaching Assistance.** Mobile Robotics (Dublin City University).
- 2021 2022 **Teaching Assistance**. Embedded Systems (Dublin City University).
- 2020 2021 **Teaching Assistance.** Algorithms for Engineers (Dublin City University).

## Other Professional Experience, NGO and Philanthropy

- Since 2015 Freelance Lighting Engineer and Operator.
- 2013 2018 Vice President & Treasurer, Telecogresca Cultural Association, Barcelona.
- 2016 2017 **Director & Founder**, *COSINE Project*, Bhimphedi, Nepal.
  - 2015 Co-founder, Clean Water for Bali, Karangasem, Indonesia.

## Computer Skills

- Advanced Python: Pytorch, Numpy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Pandas, TorchlO, Nibabel, Napari. Later, Tikz.
- Intermediate Python: TensorFlow, Keras, OpenCV, ITK.

  BASH, JAVA, MATLAB, Video and Image recording and editing.

Basic C++, HTML.

## Languages

Catalan, Spanish and English.

#### Research and Professional Interests

- Machine learning in Medical Imaging: Multi-modality, foundational models, attention, generative models, federated learning, explainable/interpretable AI, digital twins, ethical AI.
- o Medical Data Modalities: MRI, ECG, CT, Ultrasound, Genomics.