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Al Researcher - Data Scientist

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SKILLS

Programming Python, TensorFlow, PyTorch, Scikit-learn, SQL, NoSQL (MongoDB), Docker, Kubernetes, Git.

AI & Data Science Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Computer Vision, Time Series Forecasting, NLP, LLMs, RAG Pipelines,

Data Pipelines (ETL, Feature Engineering, Monitoring).

GenAl Tooling
Dev & Deployment
Cloud & Infrastructure
Soft Skills

HuggingFace Transformers, LangChain, Vector DBs (FAISS), OCR + LLM Pipelines, Prompt Engineering. FastAPI, Django, REST APIs, CI/CD, MLOps, Microservices, Monitoring (Prometheus, Grafana).

AWS SageMaker, Scaleway, Airflow, Docker Compose, Kubernetes.

Technical Leadership, Project Management, Mentorship, Public Speaking, Technical Writing.

French (Native), English (B2), Ghomalah.

Languages EDUCATION

PhD in Computer Science, Aix-Marseille University	Oct 2019 — Mar 2023
Master's degree in Mechatronics, National Advanced School of Engineering of Sud-Alsace, GPA: 4.0/4.0	Sep 2018 — Aug 2019
Engineer's degree in Mechatronics, National Advanced School of Engineering of Douala, GPA: 3.33/4.0	Sep 2015 — Aug 2017
Bachelor in Mechatronics National Advanced School of Engineering of Dougla, GPA: 3,33/4,0	Sep 2012 — Aug 2015

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

Al Researcher – Senior Data Scientist DMS Logistics

Aug 2023 — Present

Marseille, France

- Spearhead AI-driven innovations to optimize container logistics, leading to a 10% increase in operational efficiency.
- Led the design and deployment of a **GenAl-powered insight engine** based on **Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG)**, enabling natural language exploration of CO2 monitoring KPIs for clients.
- Developed a document understanding pipeline combining **OCR systems with LLMs** to extract and summarize structured information from unstructured scanned documents.
- Designed and deployed **end-to-end time series forecasting features** within the SaaS platform, enabling clients to predict and act on key logistics KPIs with improved accuracy.
- Built and maintained scalable pipelines and services using FastAPI, Docker, Kubernetes, Airflow, and deployed on Scaleway cloud infrastructure.
- Co-authored and presented scientific papers at AI and domain-specific conferences, contributing to thought leadership in applied AI for logistics.

Research Assistant Professor

Sep 2022 — Jul 2023

Institut Fresnel

Marseille, France

- Conducted research in **computer vision and medical imaging**, including deep learning applications for 2D/3D image segmentation and object detection.
- Supervised Master's students on thesis topics involving deep neural networks, generative models, and explainable AI.
- Delivered graduate-level lectures in deep learning, signal processing, and modern ML techniques.
- · Co-authored high-impact publications and conference papers in the field of computer vision.

Researcher in Computer Vision

Oct 2019 — Aug 2023

Marseille, France

LIS Laboratoire d'Informatique et Systèmes

- Developed deep learning models for melanoma detection and classification using CNNs and attention-based architectures.
- Conducted extensive experiments with image segmentation and multi-modal fusion techniques for early diagnosis.
- Participation in collaborative research projects focused on developing AI algorithms for medical imaging, including the ANR
 project [DIAMELEX].
- Published results in top-tier medical imaging and AI journals.

AI & Computer Vision Research Intern

Apr 2019 — Sep 2019

LIS Laboratoire d'Informatique et Systèmes

Marseille, France

- Created a proof-of-concept **AI-powered diagnostic tool** for skin cancer detection.
- Applied feature selection and dimensionality reduction (PCA, RFE) to optimize classifier performance.
- Implemented multiple ML models (SVM, CNN, MLP) with tuned hyperparameters for medical datasets.

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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

SQL Instructor - Part-Time Teaching

Oct 2024 — Present

IUT Networking and Telecommunications, Aix Marseille University

Marseille, France

- Provide hands-on practical sessions in SQL databases for undergraduate students in Networking and Telecommunications.
- Guide students through relational schema design, complex queries, indexing, and database normalization.
- Support the development of applied projects and assessments to strengthen industry-relevant database skills.

Research Assistant Professor (hourly volume: 192h/year)

09/2022 - 08/2023

Marseille, France

Faculty of Sciences of the University of Aix-Marseille

- Operation of computers Licence 1 preparation to scientific studies: Tutorial and practical work
- Programming Bachelor in mathematic and computer science: Practical works
- Introduction to software engineering Bachelor in computer science : Practical works
- Embedded systems Master degree in TSI: Tutorial and practical work
- Programming Bachelor in computer science: Practical works
- Signal acquisition and processing Master degree in EEEA: Practical works
- Digital processing of measurement Bachelor in SPI: Practical works

Teaching Assistant (hourly volume: 64h/year)

10/2019 - 08/2022

Marseille, France

IUT Networking and Telecommunications, Aix Marseille University

- Transmission mathematics: Tutorial and practical work
- · Communication Writing of internship report (MS WORD), presentation (MS Powerpoint): Tutorial and practical work
- Database (SQL): Practical work

SUPERVISION

Master's student 03/2023 — 08/2023

University of Strasbourg.

Internship for Master's thesis project.

Topic: "Detection, study, and reduction of outlier data in medical images using deep learning".

Technical environment: Python.

Master's student 03/2022 — 08/2022

Ecole centrale de Marseille.

Internship for Master's thesis project.

Topic: "Segmentation of skin cancer images using convolutional neural networks".

Technical environment: Python, Matlab.

PUBLICATION

Arthur Cartel Foahom Gouabou, et al. Forecasting Empty Container availability for Vehicle Booking System Application. In: Proceedings of the 28th International Conference on Knowledge-Based and Intelligent Information & Engineering Systems (KES-2024), 2024.

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Arthur Cartel Foahom Gouabou, *et al.* Ensemble Method of Convolutional Neural Networks with Directed Acyclic Graph Using Dermoscopic Images: Melanoma Detection Application *Sensors*, 2021, vol. 21, no 12, p. 3999.

Jilliana Monnier, **Arthur Cartel Foahom Gouabou**, Caroline Gaudy-Marqueste, *et al.* Impact d'un artefact fréquent sur la détection automatique du mélanome à partir d'images dermoscopiques : approche deep learning combinée à l'algorithme Support Vector Machine *Annales de Dermatologie et de Vénéréologie*, 2021, vol. 147, no 12, p. A82.