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## INTRODUCTION

I am a passionate data science master's student with a strong interest in turning data into useful insights. I enjoy working on projects involving machine learning, data analysis, and visualization. I am especially interested in applying data science to solve real-world problems in different fields like healthcare, finance, market analysis etc. I am eager to join a team where I can continue learning and contribute to exciting projects.

## **EDUCATION**

## École polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne, Master of Data Science

• Major courses: applied data analysis, machine learning, modern natural language processing, large-scale data science for real-world data, Principles of finance, distributed information systems.

Lausanne, Switzerland Sep. 2023 - present

## École polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne, Bachelor of Communication Systems

· Major courses: algorithms, probability and statistics, theory of computations, introduction to machine learning, functional programming.

Lausanne, Switzerland Sep. 2020 - Jul. 2023

#### Technical University of Denmark - DTU, Exchange year

• Major courses: database systems, agile object-oriented software Development.

Copenhaguen, Denmark Aug. 2022 – Jul. 2023

## WORK EXPERIENCE \_\_\_\_

#### **Dnext**, Data Analyst

- · Worked on US crop prediction based on future contracts prices and cost of production data for every state.
- Designed a WASDE report prediction based on multiple firms predictions.
- Contributed to adding multiple datasets by using different scrapping techniques. (BeautifulSoup, Selenium, ...).

# Morges, Switzerland Jul. 2024 - present

## **EPFL**, Teaching assistant in the introduction to programming course

- Helped students understand object oriented concepts and solve programming exercises.
- Exams and projects correction.

## Lausanne, Switzerland Sep. 2023 - Feb. 2024

## **ST2I**, Full Stack Engineer

• Designed a server and an android app to help collect data including fingerprints and verifying if the fingerprint is used in the database before adding it.

Tunis, Tunisia Jul. 2023 - Aug. 2023

# PROJECTS \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Applying Learning by Arguing with LLM**

- Collaborated on an upcoming research paper that implements a chatbot that is an expert in debating using techniques like RAG and prompt engineering.
- Created an interface that deploys this chatbot.

#### **Education related chatbot**

Worked on collecting EPFL courses related dataset used to finetune an open weighted

Sep. 2024 - present

Feb. 2024 - Jun. 2024

model (mistral 7b)

• used several techniques including SFT, DPO and RAG to finetune the model with the goal to make the model give better results while asked EPFL exam questions.

#### Switzerland robust journey planner

Feb. 2024 - Jun. 2024

- Applied Apache Spark and Spark Streaming for distributed processing.
- Used historical SBB/CFF dataset to create a robust journey planning within the Swiss transportation network that gives the best possible routes with their corresponding probability of success taking into account the delays.

#### Football dashboard website

Feb. 2024 - Jun. 2024

- Worked on processing and merging several football related datasets to get insights on European football teams and players.
- Designed a website that implements interactive visualizations on clubs and players using D3 (JavaScript).

## **IMDb** ratings analysis

Sep. 2023 - Jan. 2024

- Conducted preprocessing and detailed analysis of the CMU Movie Summary dataset, alongside the IMDb dataset. featuring over 42,000 movies and 450,000 characters, further augmented with advanced NLP techniques.
- Worked on analyzing the impact of various factors on IMDb movie ratings and presented the results on a website.

## **Deep Learning for Road Segmentation**

Sep. 2023 - Jan. 2024

- Collaborated on collecting and preprocessing over 5,000 satellite images from diverse global locations
- Led the experimentation of multiple neural network architectures, among with an innovative model reproduced from a research paper.

#### Other projects

all my other projects are available on my website mohamedcharfi.com

#### SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python (pandas, PyTorch, scikit-learn), Java, C, C#, R, Scala, SQL, HTML, CSS, JavaScript

Machine Learning & Data Science: PyTorch, scikit-learn, Matlab, R, Pandas, SQL, Wandb

Development Tools: Git, GitHub, Docker, Unity

**Languages:** English (C1), French (C2), Arabic (C2), German (A2)