

2225-WS19, Building 1, King Abdullah University of Science and Technology, Thuwal, 23955, Saudi Arabia

□ +7 905 719 06 98 | ■ dmitry.kovalev@kaust.edu.sa | ★ dmitry-kovalev.com | 🖫 dakovalev1

# Education

### King Abdullah University of Science and Technology

PHD IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Thuwal, Saudi Arabia

Jan. 2020 - PRESENT

### King Abdullah University of Science and Technology

MS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Thuwal, Saudi Arabia

Sep. 2018 - Dec. 2019

### **Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology**

BSC IN APPLIED MATHEMATICS AND PHYSICS

Moscow, Russia Sep. 2014 - Jun. 2018

### Skills

**Programming** C/C++, Python, Go

**Mathematics** Calculus, Linear Algebra, Probability and Statistics

## **Honors & Awards**

2015-2017 <b>Abramov's Fund Scholarship</b> , for top students of Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology		Moscow, Russia
2014	Honourable Mention, APhO (Asian Physics Olympiad)	Singapore
2014	Prize-Winner, All-Russian School Physics Olympiad, Final Round	Saint Petersburg,
		Russia
2014	Winner, All-Russian School Programming Olympiad, Region Round	Moscow, Russia
2014	Winner, All-Russian School Math Olympiad, Region Round	Moscow, Russia
2012-2014	4 Russian President's Scholarship, for high school students	Russia
2012-2014 Moscow Governor's Scholarship, for high school students		Moscow, Russia
2013	Winner, All-Russian School Physics Olympiad, Final Round	Vladivostok, Russia
2012	Prize-Winner, All-Russian School Physics Olympiad, Final Round	Saransk, Russia

## Papers \_\_\_\_

### **Distributed Fixed Point Methods with Compressed Iterates**

SÉLIM CHRAIBI, AHMED KHALED, DMITRY KOVALEV, PETER RICHTÁRIK, ADIL SALIM, MARTIN TAKÁČ

Dec. 2019

arXiv 2019

## Stochastic Newton and Cubic Newton Methods with Simple Local **Linear-Quadratic Rates**

DMITRY KOVALEV, KONSTANTIN MISHCHENKO, PETER RICHTÁRIK

Dec. 2019

- NeurIPS 2019 Workshop: Beyond First Order Methods in Machine Learning
- arXiv 2019

### Accelerated methods for composite non-bilinear saddle point problem

MOHAMMAD ALKOUSA, DARINA DVINSKIKH, FEDOR STONYAKIN, ALEXANDER GASNIKOV, DMITRY KOVALEV

Dec. 2019

• arXiv 2019

# Stochastic Proximal Langevin Algorithm: Potential Splitting and Nonasymptotic

ADIL SALIM, DMITRY KOVALEV, PETER RICHTÁRIK

May 2019

• NeurIPS 2019

### **Revisiting Stochastic Extragradient**

KONSTANTIN MISHCHENKO, DMITRY KOVALEV, EGOR SHULGIN, PETER RICHTÁRIK, YURA MALITSKY

May 2019

• NeurIPS 2019 Workshop: Bridging Game Theory and Deep Learning

arXiv 2019

### **RSN: Randomized Subspace Newton**

Robert M. Gower, Dmitry Kovalev, Felix Lieder, Peter Richtárik

May 2019

• NeurIPS 2019

# Stochastic Distributed Learning with Gradient Quantization and Variance Reduction

Samuel Horváth, Dmitry Kovalev, Konstantin Mishchenko, Peter Richtárik, Sebastian U. Stich

Jan. 2019

arXiv 2019

# Don't Jump Through Hoops and Remove Those Loops: SVRG and Katyusha are Better Without the Outer Loop

DMITRY KOVALEV, SAMUEL HORVÁTH, PETER RICHTÁRIK

Jan. 2019

• arXiv 2019

# A hypothesis about the rate of global convergence for optimal methods (Newton's type) in smooth convex optimization

ALEXANDER GASNIKOV, DMITRY KOVALEV

Feb. 2018

• Computer Research and Modeling, 2018, Volume 10, Issue 3, Pages 305–314

### **Stochastic Spectral and Conjugate Descent Methods**

DMITRY KOVALEV, EDUARD GORBUNOV, ELNUR GASANOV, PETER RICHTÁRIK

Feb. 2018

• NeurIPS 2018

# Conferences & Talks \_\_\_\_

TU, Berlin, Germany

TALK: «REVISITING STOCHASTIC EXTRAGRADIENT METHOD»

5 Aug. 2019

#### **Data Science Summer School 2019**

POSTER: «STOCHASTIC DISTRIBUTED LEARNING WITH GRADIENT QUANTIZATION AND VARIANCE REDUCTION»

École polytechnique, Paris, France

26 Jun. 2019

20 Jun. 2019

26 Mar. 2019

25 Mar. 2019

#### **Traditional School (Control, Information and Otimization)**

POSTER: «STOCHASTIC DISTRIBUTED LEARNING WITH GRADIENT QUANTIZATION AND VARIANCE REDUCTION»

Voronovo, Moscow Region, Russia

#### Weekly seminar «Automatic control and Optimization Theory»

Talk: «Stochastic Spectral and Conjugate Descent Methods»

IPU, Moscow, Russia

#### **Seminar «Modern Optimization Methods»**

TALK: «STOCHASTIC DISTRIBUTED LEARNING WITH GRADIENT QUANTIZATION AND VARIANCE REDUCTION»

MIPT, Moscow, Russia

### **Traditional School (Control, Information and Otimization)**

POSTER: «STOCHASTIC SPECTRAL DESCENT METHODS»

Voronovo, Moscow Region, Russia

Jun. 2018

Feb. 2018

### **Optimization and Big Data Workshop**

POSTER: STOCHASTIC SPECTRAL DESCENT METHODS

KAUST, Thuwal, Saudi Arabia