Davide Locatelli

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Interactive machine learning, natural language processing, computational linguistics

EDUCATION Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona, Spain, 2021-present

M. Res. Intelligent Interactive Systems. Graduation date: July 2022.

Consolidating machine learning knowledge and skill set by taking part in applied research projects.

Thesis: Probing for Compositional Language in Emergent Communication.

Imperial College, London, England, 2019-2020

M.S. Computer Science. Graduated with *Distinction* (4.0 GPA).

Strengthened programming abilities and applied knowldge of philosophy of language to NLP tasks.

Thesis: Measuring Compositional Generalization in Modular Neural Networks.

University College, London, England, 2016-2019

B.A. Philosophy. Graduated with First Class Honors (4.0 GPA).

Gained expertise in philosophy of language, philosophy of mathematics and formal logic.

Thesis: Formalizing Belief Bias with Sub-classical Non-Monotonic Logic.

EXPERIENCE Junior Researcher, Polytechnic University of Catalonia, 2021-present

Developing interactive learning algorithms for NLP tasks as part of the INTERACT research group. Currently working in Semantic Parsing, towards the development of new data-efficient architectures.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Pompeu Fabra University, 2021-present

Teaching C programming to 30+ undergraduate students as part of the Operating Systems course.

Software Engineer Consultant, Recycleye, 2020-2021

Developed and improved a web application for automated data analysis of object detection datasets:

- Redesigned the user interface for a smoother and more intuitive experience
- Significantly improved the time efficiency by streamlining the back-end processes
- Added several useful visualization functionalities for quicker data analysis

Honors & University College London

AWARDS

SKILLS

• Two letters of commendation for outstanding academic performance

- Sports Colours Award as member of the rowing team
- Added to the Roll of Honour as Coxswain Captain of the rowing team

Additional Oxford Machine Learning Summer School, 2021

EDUCATION Broadened understanding of machine learning applications in healthcare and climate action.

Lisbon Machine Learning Summer School, 2021

Mastered NLP and Computation Linguistics with Lectures & Lab sessions.

Adept in C++, Python (incl. Pytorch, NumPy, Pandas, Scikit-Learn, Matplotlib), MATLAB, R Native English and Italian speaker, proficient in German, currently learning Spanish and Catalan.