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Personal Data

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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

2016 | Teaching Assistant, Computer Vision (Code 140266)

 $M.Sc.\ in\ Telecommunications\ Engineering,\ University\ of\ Trento,\ Italy$ Machine Learning for Computer Vision (introduction to statistical learning theory and

neural networks).

2015 | Teaching Assistant, Multimedia Networking (Code 140151)

M.Sc. in Telecommunications Engineering, University of Trento, Italy Principles of video compression/coding (useful for transmission/storage of video files).

2013-CURRENT | Ph.D. candidate

ICT doctoral school, University of Trento, Italy

Advised by Prof. Francesco G.B. De Natale.

My research focuses in machine learning. In particular, I'm working to solve the problem of learning a classifier (e.g. neural network) with little supervision (one or a handful of labeled samples) by exploiting unlabeled data.

SEP 2015-MAR 2016 | Research Intern

LAMDA group, Nanjing University, China

Advised by Prof. Zhi-Hua Zhou.

I've studied semi-supervised learning as well as positive unlabeled learning.

SPORT EXPERIENCE

2011-CURRENT | Ski master instructor

Italy

Holding several professional education and training courses for ski instructors and candidate ski instructors. This is the highest professional degree in alpine skiing (the total number of ski master instructors in Italy is around 200).

2007-CURRENT | Ski coach

Italy

Coach of young athletes (6-20 years old) in several racing ski teams: Ski Team Sopramonte (2007/2008), Sci Club Padova (2008/2009), Sci Club Panarotta (2009-2011), Ski Team Paganella (2013/2014), Campiglio Ski Team (2016/2017).

2002-2007 | Ski athlete

Italy

See a sample list of records.

EDUCATION

2011-2012 M.Sc. in Telecommunications Engineering

University of Trento, Italy

Thesis: "Multimodal Photo Galleries Synchronization"

Advisor: Prof. Nicola Conci, Giulia Boato 110/110 summa cum laude | GPA: 28.82/30

2008-2010 **B.Sc.** in Telecommunications Engineering

University of Trento, Italy

Thesis: "Master P-NET protocol implementation on PIC 32 architecture"

Advisor: Prof. Dario Petri, Eng. Michele Corrà

AWARDS AND CERTIFICATES

Academic hardware grant award **SEP 2016**

Hong Kong, China

Provision of a NVIDIA Titan X GPU Organization: NVIDIA corporation

Machine Learning Summer School JAN 2015

Austin, USA

Certificate of attendance

Organization: University of Texas at Austin

MAR 2012 Merit award

Trento, Italy

Award assigned to distinguished students Organization: University of Trento

Nov 2011 Ski master instructor

> Milan, Italy Certificate

Organization: FISI, CoScuMa

SEP 2011 Ski coach (3° level)

> Milan, Italy Certificate

Organization: FISI, STF

MAY 2007 Ski instructor

> Trento, Italy Certificate Organization: PAT

LANGUAGES

Mothertongue ITALIAN: ENGLISH: Fluent (C2) GERMAN: Fluent (B2) CHINESE: Basic (A1)

PUBLICATIONS

Automatic Synchronization of Multi-User Photo Galleries 2017

> E. Sansone, K. Apostolidis, N. Conci, G. Boato, V. Mezaris, F.G.B. De Natale IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (TMM)

Efficient Training for Positive Unlabeled Learning 2017

E. Sansone, F.G.B De Natale, Z.H. Zhou

In review (2nd round) IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (TPAMI)

2016 Classtering: Joint Classification and Clustering with Mixture of Factor Analysers

E. Sansone, A. Passerini, F.G.B. De Natale

European Conference on Artificial Intelligence (ECAI)

2014 Synchronizing Multi-User Photo Galleries with MRF

E. Sansone, G. Boato, MS. Dao

MediaEval Workshop

Event Clustering and Classification from Social Media: Watershed-based and Ker-2013 nel Methods

TV. Nguyen, MS. Dao, R. Mattivi, E. Sansone, F.G.B. De Natale, G. Boato MediaEval Workshop

INTERESTS

RESEARCH I'm passionate about artificial intelligence and more specifically machine learning, but

I'm also curious about other areas involving the study of the human learning process,

like cognitive science.

VOLUNTEERING From 2012 to 2014, I've participated to a no-profit association, GiPro, composed by young

representatives of different sectors (e.g. ski instructors, engineers, lawyers, psychologists). The goal of the association is to promote the professional categories on the

territory and stimulate the inter-professional collaboration of young people.

OTHERS I like travelling around the world. In the past, I had several solo journeys in different

countries, like China and Vietnam.

REFERENCES

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