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Data Architect and Senior Software Developer

Main professional experience with Python from 2016, previuos working experience with Java from 2013.

Focused on all aspects of data management such as Retrieval, Storage, Scaling, Analysis and Mining. Experience on many projects involving: Web Scraping, Relational Databases, Cloud infrastructure, REST API and Jupiter notebook.

Always fascinated by the potential given intersecting data coming from the Web and Data Mining techniques such as Data Clustering, Graph Analysis, Information Retrieval and Machine Learning.

Github Contributions:

Dask: Dask is a flexible parallel computing library for analytics.

Github personal project:

linkedin: Scraping software aimed to collect info from linkedin users. It uses scrapy, docker, Selenium Webdriver and Python3.

Some Skills:

Python3, R, Java, Groovy, C, Bash;

Git, PyCharm, Gradle;

docker, docker-compose, Amazon AWS, heroku, Ubuntu Server;

Django, Django REST framework, Scrapy, Selenium Webdriver;

Pandas, dask, Jupyter;

postgreSQL, elasticsearch, celery, redis;

Scrum, Agile, TDD;

CrowdFlower, BPMN, Petri Nets, OpenStreetMap;

Working Experience:

2020 Push

Data Science

Data cleaning - GeoSpatial Data;

python3, pandas, dask, Jupyter-lab, OpenStreetMap.

2019 <u>ErnieApp</u>

Dublin, Ireland

Remote

Backend Test Developer

Code Refactoring, Increasing Testing Coverage metrics;

python3, docker, django, celery, postgres, on Heroku.

2018 XPLOD Social

Los Angeles, California

Remote

Software Architect

Design an Analytics Platform to show insights on data gathered from Instagram;

python3, docker, django, celery, redis, Selenium, Instapy, Laravel, Mysql, on DigitalOcean.

2018 Trademark Pro

Canada

Remote

Data Scientist

Image similarity search engine (MVP);

python3, docker, flask, keras, tensorflow, scipy, numpy, annoy, postgres, on EC2 and S3.

2018 <u>Kiwicampus.com</u>

Berkeley, California

On Site

Backend Software Developer

In charge to build the Integration platform with **Doordash Inc.**

django, postgres, celery, redis, postgres, on Heroku.

2018 <u>Decyde.io</u>

San Francisco, California

Remote

Python Software Developer

python3, scrapy, scrapinghub.com, google-custom-search, selenium.

2017 Einhorn Manufaktur

Berlin, Germany

Remote

Backend Software Developer

REST API Developer.

Python3, Django, Postgres, TDD, Github.

2016 <u>Legalkite Ltd</u>

Zurich, Switzerland

Remote

Backend Software Developer

REST API, Data storage and Cloud infrastructure.

Python3, Django, Amazon AWS, ElasticSearch, Agile, TDD, Jira.

2015 **SpazioDati s.r.l.**

Pisa, Italy

Internship/Thesis

Supervisors: Prof. Paolo Ferragina and Ugo Scaiella

Development of an ETL workflow which involved CrowdFlower (rebranded now as <u>Figure Eight</u>).

Particular focus was given to cost reduction by leveraging an <u>Active Learning</u> technique.

The output dataset was used to train a logistic regression which replaced one of the steps of SpazioDati's proprietary Entity Linking system (SaaS): namely <u>Dandelion</u>

Tools used: Groovy, Intellij IDEA, WEKA, Gradle, Git and Ubuntu server.

2013 Synthema S.R.L.

Pisa, Italy

Software Developer

Design and implementation of Java modules for Crawling and Linguistic Analysis (Romanian, Japanese, Chinese and German), part of the CAPER european project.

Education:

2006 Bachelor's Degree

Laurea triennale

Computer Science

Informatica

<u>University of Pisa</u>, Italy

Outstanding final marks 110/110

Thesis: Document classification using lexical and semantic resources.

(Catalogazione di libri tramite risorse di semantica lessicale)

2009 Erasmus LLP Program

Facultad de Informática

Universidad Politécnica de Valencia, Spain

2011 Postgraduate Master's Degree

Laurea Magistrale

Business Informatics

Informatica per l'Economia e l'Azienda

University of Pisa, Italy

Outstanding final marks 110/110

Thesis: Applying Active Learning on Entity Linking.

(Algoritmi di Active Learning applicati al problema dell'Entity Linking Pruning).

2019 Bachelor's Degree

Laurea triennale

Statistics for Data Analysis Statistica per l'analisi dei dati

Università di Palermo, Italy

Classes: R Laboratory, Probability Calculus, Exploratory Statistics,

Statistical Inference, Multivariate Statistical Analysis.

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Publications:

Semantic Crawling: an Approach based on Named Entity Recognition

Proceedings of FOSINT-SI 2014

Antonio Ercole De Luca, Carlo Aliprandi, Giulia Di Pietro, Matteo Raffaelli, Tiziana Soru.

<u>CAPER: Crawling and Analysing Facebook for Intelligence</u> <u>Purposes</u>

Proceedings of ASONAM2014

Carlo Aliprandi, Antonio E. De Luca, Davide Gazzè, Mariantonietta N. La Polla, Giulia Di Pietro, Matteo Raffaelli, Andrea Marchetti, Maurizio Tesconi.

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Languages:

English: Fluent Spanish: Fluent Italian: Native

Activities:

Co-Founder Python Meetup Palermo.