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EXPERIENCE

DATA ANALYST   2024-
Datagotchi USA 2024 | *Université Laval, Qc, Canada*
(Leadership Chair in The Teaching of Digital Social Science (CLESSN))

- Datagotchi is a fun, educational application that offers personalized predictions based on lifestyle and socio-demographic aspects, with a focus on American elections. The fruit of interdisciplinary academic collaboration, Datagotchi combines expertise and innovation to provide analyses that are accessible to all.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT   2024-
Research Chair on Visual Culture in International Studies | *Université Laval, Qc, Canada*

- Development of an innovative image analysis method in social science with the help of generative AI.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT   2023-
Polimeter | *Université Laval, Qc, Canada*
(Leadership Chair in The Teaching of Digital Social Science (CLESSN))

- Polimeter is an independent initiative developed by political scientists that tracks whether politicians keep the promises they make.

DATA ANALYST   2023-
Quorum Project | *Université Laval, Qc, Canada*
(Leadership Chair in The Teaching of Digital Social Science (CLESSN))

- Quorum Project is a multidisciplinary Web application that enables Quebecers to take the pulse of their society in real time, and understand the mood and perceptions of public decision-makers, the media and general public opinion on the issues of the day.

PROJECT COORDINATOR   2023-2024

Chatbot-parties project | Université Laval, Qc, Canada
(Leadership Chair in The Teaching of Digital Social Science (CLESSN))

- Development of a ludic platform to interact with political party bots.

DATA ANALYST   2023-2024

Datagotchi-Japan | Université Laval, Qc, Canada
(Leadership Chair in The Teaching of Digital Social Science (CLESSN))

- Educational and fun, Datagotchi is the first fully illustrated survey making predictions based on your life habits.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT   2022-2023

Canada Research Chair in Immigration and Security | Université Laval, Qc, Canada

- Building a database by encoding political speeches.

EDUCATION

Master's in Political Science   2024-

Université Laval | Québec, Qc., Canada
(Scheduled for completion in 2026)

Integrated Bachelor's degree in public affairs and international relations   2021-2024

Université Laval | Québec, Qc., Canada

- GPA = 4.11/4.3

CÉGEP in Natural Science, health profile   2019-2021

Cégep Édouard-Montpetit | Longueuil, Québec, Canada

- Cote R = 33

ACHIEVEMENTS

Awards
- Award of Merit in History of the National Movement of Quebecers, (2019)
- Best academic average of all students enrolled in the Baseball High School program, (2019)

Scholarships
- Government of Quebec, Fonds de recherche du Québec Master's Research Scholarship, $20,000 (Fall 2023)
- Canada Graduate Scholarships – Master's Program, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC), $27,000 (2024-2025)
- Canada Research Chair in Immigration and Security $5,000 grant, (2023)
- Cégep Édouard-Montpetit Odyssée scholarship for student involvement, (2020)

PUBLICATIONS

Articles
Foisy, M. L., H. Cadieux, **É. Proulx**, J. Gilbert, J. Rivest, A. Bouillon, and Y. Dufresne (2023). "OpenAI's GPT Model in Political Context: A New Dataset for Political Science Research". In: *Submitted to Electoral Studies journal*.

IMPLICATIONS

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS COORDINATOR   2022-2023
Association of Students in Social Sciences | *Université Laval, Qc, Canada*

ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE COORDINATOR   2021-2022
Public Affairs and International Relations Student Association | *Université Laval, Qc, Canada*

MEMBER OF THE GRANTS COMMITTEE   2021-2022
Association of Students in Social Sciences | *Université Laval, Qc, Canada*

MEMBER OF THE SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE   2021-2022
Public Affairs and International Relations Student Association | *Université Laval, Qc, Canada*

COMMUNICATIONS EXECUTIVE   2020-2021
Cégep Édouard-Montpetit General Association | *Cégep Édouard-Montpetit, Qc, Canada*

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS   2020
Cégep Édouard-Montpetit General Association | *Cégep Édouard-Montpetit, Qc, Canada*

SKILLS

● ● ●   Political Theories, Political communication, Public opinion

● ● ○   Microsoft Office, Programming in R, LaTeX

● ○ ○   AI, Machine Learning

Languages   • French (native)
                • English (Full professional proficiency)

REFERENCES

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