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EDUCATION Skoltech, Moscow

2017 – 2021 PhD, Computer Science and Engineering(CSE)

Skoltech and Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology, Moscow GPA: 4.76/5.00

 $2015-2017\ Master,$ Computer Science and Engineering (CSE)

Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology, Moscow GPA: 4.79/5.00

CGPA: 5.00/5.00

2011 – 2015 Bachelor, Applied Mathematics and Physics

Eastbourne School of English, UK

Summer 2014 English Language Course C1 (TOEFL-ITP: 557)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Primary Language: Python

Frameworks: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, sklearn/scipy/numpy/pandas

Familiar: Matlab, C++, R
Tools: Slurm, Docker, Linux, Git

General: Deep Learning, Computer Vision, Numerical Algebra, Algorithms

PROJECTS

Automated Multi-Stage Compression of Neural Networks

Skoltech 2019

An automated neural network compression tool. Accelerate neural networks for object detection (Faster R-CNN) and classification (Resnet/VGG) using tensor decomposition methods without accuracy drop. The idea is to substitute a huge convolution layer with three tiny ones with a much smaller number of params and required computations. I did all the object detection part.

- Keywords: PyTorch, Tensor Decompositions, Object Detection
- ICCV-2019 LPCVW paper: http://bit.ly/musco_paper

Reduced-Order Modeling of Deep Neural Networks:

Data-specific neural networks speed-up method. The idea is replacing convolutions layers with much smaller dense layers with a relatively small drop in accuracy and notable acceleration.

• **Paper**: https://arxiv.org/abs/1910.06995

Skoltech 2017

Reinforcement Learning for Trading:

I trained a trading robot through reinforcement learning with usage recurrent neural networks and achieved 66% annual return on historical data (counting commissions).

- Keywords: TensorFlow, Reinforcment Learning, Actor-Critic
- \bullet Paper: https://arxiv.org/abs/2002.11523
- Code: https://github.com/evgps/a3c_trading

RoboCV 2016

RGBD-based goods visual localization: I created the prototype of a visual system for automated wholesale storage. The system finds a spatial position of boxes. RGBD camera was used as a sensor, RoboCV company used my code in their MVP.

Visillect 2015

Self-motion estimation by monocular optical flow: Recovering self-motion (rotation) from optical flow, estimated by monocular video. Individual project.

TEACHING

Teacher assistant at Skoltech courses: • Numerical Linear Algebra (2018) • Introduction to Data Science (2018 and 2019)

Speaker for external commercial education seminars: • Introduction in Reinforcement Learning (2017) • Introduction in Machine learning (2019)

AWARDS

• UMNIK grant for self-projects (2017-2019) • Best student paper award for 59 conference of Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology (2016) • Russian step International Physicist Tournament - winner (2014,2015) • Innovative Education Development scholarship (2011-2014)