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Programming

Python, C++, SQL, Bash,
Java, Fortran, PHP, HTML,
LaTeX

Data analysis

Techniques

Fourier transform
Monte Carlo methods
Iterative optimisation
Data simulation
Data quality monitoring

Python tools

NumPy, pandas, SciPy,
Matplotlib, seaborn

C and Fortran tools

GEANT4, ROOT,
Millipede-II

Machine Learning

Techniques

Regression
Classification
GPU utilisation

Tools

scikit-learn, TensorFlow,
Keras

Software

PostgreSQL, Git, Docker,
MS Excel, JupyterLab,
MATLAB, Mathematica

Languages

English (native)
Russian (native)
Latvian (intermediate)

Interests

Professional

Education outreach
Technology blogging

Personal



Observational astronomy
Thai kickboxing

Profile

- Numerate and dynamic PhD candidate; proficient in Python, C++, SQL.
- Applied expertise with distributed computing systems: servers, grid, IoT.
- 6+ years of experience in applying advanced statistical methods to large datasets.

Experience

2017–2019 **Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory**, *Researcher* Chicago, USA

- Developed a  software infrastructure for detector calibration.
- Increased the yield of data by 3% and data quality by 4%.
- Derived calibration constants into the production database.
-  Analysed complex datasets on a computing grid.
- Supported the data acquisition as an on-call (24/7) computing expert.
- Liaised with engineers and safety officers to ensure a smooth operation of the experiment.

2015 **Paul Scherrer Institute**, *Trainee* Villigen, Switzerland

- Assisted in setting of a computing analysis cluster.
- Worked as part of a team of hardware and software experts to ensure continuous data taking.

2014 **University College London**, *Research Intern* London, UK

- Developed a QR-coded online database for research equipment.
- Produced a software solution for detector testing with Raspberry Pi.

Projects

2015–2016 **Research Project**

- Developed a hardware solution using an Arduino-controlled servomotor, SiPM and Sr-90 source to test the efficiency of detectors.
- Produced a simulation model of the developed set-up for verification.

2015 **Group Project**

- Led a group of nine students to successfully build an electrostatic radon detector using a PIN diode and a 7 L steel vessel.
- Chaired monthly meetings and managed the group's budget.

Education

2016–2020 **PhD** in Experimental Particle Physics **University College London**
(expected) Thesis work focused on detector optimisation and big-data analysis.

Courses: Statistical Data Analysis, Entrepreneurial Skills, Data Science:

- ML theory and techniques for big-data analysis, cloud computing
- Logistic regression, SVMs, random forests, unsupervised learning

2012–2016 **MSci** in Physics with *First Class Honours* **University College London**

Courses: Scientific OOP (Java), Statistical Physics, Electronics

Qualifications

2019 – Now **Certificate in Advanced Machine Learning** Coursera

- Deep learning on Google Colab using TPUs and GPUs
- Bayesian methods for ML, CNN, NLP, reinforcement learning

Awards

2018 **Visiting Scholar Award (\$15,000)** Universities Research Association

Based on the evaluation of a research and budget plan