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Experience

2022 – Now	Mila - Quebec AI Institute & Polytechnique Montreal (Canada) <i>Postdoctoral Fellow</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Hardware-efficient deep neural networks.
2020	NVIDIA (Germany) <i>Research Intern</i> (4 months) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Compression of depth-wise separable convolutions in deep neural networks.
2018 – 2019	NVIDIA (Germany) <i>Research Intern</i> (6 months) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Compression of deep neural networks using Monte Carlo methods.
2016 – 2017	NOVA University Lisbon (Portugal) <i>Research Assistant</i> (1 year) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Automated discovery and quality assessment of user-generated content with machine learning.

Education

2017 – 2021	Hasso Plattner Institute (Germany) <i>Ph.D. in Artificial Intelligence</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Grade: Magna cum laudeThesis: Diversification, compression, and evaluation methods for generative adversarial networks.
2015 – 2017	NOVA University Lisbon (Portugal) <i>M.Sc. in Computer Science Engineering</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Grade: AThesis: Automated organization and quality analysis of user-generated audio content.
2012 – 2015	NOVA University Lisbon (Portugal) <i>B.Sc. in Computer Science Engineering</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Grade: A

Awards & Recognition

2021	Honors Ph.D. graduation. Hasso Plattner Institute
2020	Recognition award for "exceptional and outstanding contributions". NVIDIA
2015	Best bachelor's project. NOVA University Lisbon
2015	1st place hackathon. NOVA University Lisbon

Patents

2022	Incorporating a ternary matrix into a neural network. A. Keller, G. Mordido, M. Van keirsbilck. <i>US Patent App. 17/356,279</i>
2019	Representing a neural network utilizing paths within the network to improve a performance of the neural network. A. Keller, G. Mordido, N. Gamboa, M. Van keirsbilck. <i>US Patent App. 16/352,596</i>

Publications

- 2022 | **Deep learning on a healthy data diet: Finding important examples for fairness and performance.**
A. Zayed, P. Parthasarathi, G. Mordido, H. Palangi, S. Shabanian, S. Chandar. *Under review*
Sharpness-aware training for accurate inference on noisy DNN accelerators.
G. Mordido, S. Chandar, F. Leduc-Primeau. *CoLLAs 2022 workshop*
Improving meta-learning generalization with activation-based early-stopping.
S. Guiroy, C. Pal, G. Mordido, S. Chandar. *CoLLAs 2022*
MemSE: Fast MSE prediction for noisy memristor-based DNN accelerators.
J. Kern, S. Henwood, G. Mordido, E. Dupraz, A. Aissa-El-Bye, Y. Savaria, F. Leduc-Primeau. *AICAS 2022*
Tiny CNN for seizure prediction in wearable biomedical devices.
Y. Zhang, Y. Savaria, S. Zhao, G. Mordido, M. Sawan, F. Leduc-Primeau. *EMBC 2022*
- 2021 | **Compressing 1D time-channel separable convolutions using sparse random ternary matrices.**
G. Mordido, M. Keirsbilck, A. Keller. *INTERSPEECH 2021*
Evaluating post-training compression in GANs using locality-sensitive hashing.
G. Mordido, H. Yang, C. Meinel. *Preprint*
Assessing image and text generation with topological analysis and fuzzy logic.
G. Mordido*, J. Niedermeier*, C. Meinel. *WACV 2021*
- 2020 | **Mark-Evaluate: Assessing language generation using population estimation methods.**
G. Mordido, C. Meinel. *COLING 2020*
Best student forcing: A simple training mechanism in adversarial language generation.
J. Sauder*, T. Hu*, X. Che, G. Mordido, H. Yang and C. Meinel. *LREC 2020*
Monte Carlo gradient quantization.
G. Mordido, M. Keirsbilck, A. Keller. *CVPR 2020 EDLCV workshop*
Improving the evaluation of generative models with fuzzy logic.
J. Niedermeier*, G. Mordido* and C. Meinel. *AAAI 2020 Meta-Eval workshop*
microbatchGAN: Stimulating diversity with multi-adversarial discrimination.
G. Mordido, H. Yang, and C. Meinel. *WACV 2020*
- 2019 | **Instant quantization of neural networks using Monte Carlo methods.**
G. Mordido*, M. Keirsbilck*, A. Keller. *NeurIPS 2019 EMC2 workshop*
- 2018 | **Pseudo-ground-truth for adversarial text generation using reinforcement learning.**
J. Sauder, X. Che, G. Mordido, H. Yang and C. Meinel. *NeurIPS 2018 Deep RL workshop*
Dropout-GAN: Learning from a dynamic ensemble of discriminators.
G. Mordido, H. Yang, and C. Meinel. *KDD 2018 DL'Day*
- 2017 | **Automatic organisation, segmentation, and filtering of user-generated audio content.**
G. Mordido, J. Magalhaes, and S. Cavaco. *MMSP 2017*
Automatic organisation and quality analysis of user-generated content with audio fingerprinting.
G. Mordido, J. Magalhaes, and S. Cavaco. *EUSIPCO 2017*

Mentoring

- 2022 – Now | **Students at Mila - Quebec AI Institute.** Simon Guiroy (Ph.D.), Abdelrahman Zayed (Ph.D.), Pranshu Malviya (Ph.D.), Selim Gilon (Master's), Kaushik Moudgalya (Master's), Charmi Chokshi (Master's)
Students at Polytechnique Montreal. Sébastien Henwood (Ph.D.), Jonathan Kern (Ph.D.), Yang Zhang (Ph.D.), Batoul Sayegh (Ph.D.), Kamran Chitsaz (Master's)
- 2018 – 2021 | **Students at Hasso Plattner Institute.** Philipp Hildebrandt (Master's, 2021), Cornelius Hagmeister (Master's, 2020), Julian Niedermeier (Master's, 2019), Jonathan Sauder (intern, 2018)

Presentations

- 2022 | **Paper presentation.** *CoLLAs 2022 workshop*
Invited talk: Sharpness-aware training for accurate inference on noisy DNN accelerators. *CRL Symposium*
- 2021 | **Invited talk:** Compression methods for neural networks. *MIT*
Invited talk: 1x1-Convolutions by random ternary matrices. *GTC 2021*
Paper presentations. *INTERSPEECH 2021, WACV 2021*
- 2020 | **Paper presentations.** *COLING 2020, CVPR 2020 workshop, WACV 2020, AAAI 2020 workshop*
- 2019 | **Paper presentation.** *NeurIPS 2019 workshop*
- 2018 | **Paper presentation.** *KDD 2018 workshop*
- 2017 | **Invited talk:** Dialogue generation with generative adversarial networks. *SAP TechEd 2017*
Paper presentation. *EUSIPCO 2017*

Academic service

- 2022 | **Co-organizer.** *Hardware-Aware Efficient Training (HAET) workshop at ICML 2022, 1st Conference on Lifelong Learning Agents (CoLLAs 2022), Chandar Research Lab (CRL) 2022 symposium at Mila - Quebec AI Institute*
- 2017 – 2021 | **Reviewer.** *EMNLP 2021, EACL 2021, CVPR 2021, Knowledge-Based Systems (2021), ACL 2020, EMNLP 2020, WACV 2020, ICIS 2019, Neural Computing and Applications (2019), IEEE Access (2018), IEEE Big Data 2017*

Teaching

- 2022 | **Machine Learning** (graduate course, INF8245E, Polytechnique Montreal)
Teaching Assistant
Neural networks: Architectures and applications (graduate course, ELE6307, Polytechnique Montreal)
Guest Lecturer & Assignment Editor
- 2021 | **Clean-IT: Towards sustainable digital technologies** (MOOC, openHPI)
Guest Lecturer
- 2020 | **Practical applications of deep learning** (graduate course, Hasso Plattner Institute)
Teaching Assistant
- 2019 | **Machine intelligence with deep learning** (graduate course, Hasso Plattner Institute)
Teaching Assistant
- 2018 | **Competitive problem solving with deep learning** (graduate course, Hasso Plattner Institute)
Teaching Assistant
- 2017 | **Machine intelligence with deep learning** (graduate course, Hasso Plattner Institute)
Teaching Assistant
Natural language generation using GANs (graduate project, Hasso Plattner Institute)
Teaching Assistant