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Education

University of Waterloo

Waterloo, ON, Canada

MASTER OF MATHEMATICS IN COMBINATORICS AND OPTIMIZATION

January 2023 - April 2025

September 2018 - June 2022

July 2022 - December 2022

Moscow, Sochi, Russia

- Grade: 95%; Research program under supervision of prof. Kanstantin Pashkovish
- Thesis topic: approximation bound on max-min greedy matching in bipartite graphs

Higher School of Economics

Moscow, Russia

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN APPLIED MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

- 3.32/4 GPA
- Major: Machine Learning and Applications

Skills_

Fields of interest LLM Research, Data Analysis

Discrete Optimization, Operations Research, Algorithms and Data Structures

Programming Languages C++ (9 years), Python (3 years), Java (2 years)

Other Pandas, Pytorch, CatBoost, Perf, Docker

Achievements

PERSONAL

Sep. 2018 **IOI Gold Medalist, 11th**, The most prestigious high school algorithmic programming competition

Oct. 2021 **3rd - IMC Coding Challenge**, Discrete optimization competition about market making

Feb. 2022 **Winner - Yandex Profi**, Deep Learning competition for university students (5000\$\$ first prize)

Online

Aug. 2021 **Winner - VK Cup**, The most prestigious algorithmic programming competition for CIS community

Online

TEAM COMPETITIONS

Apr. 2024 **ICPC WF silver, NA champion**, UWaterloo team leader and captain, the best result in 20 years

Apr. 2020 **6th - Google Hash Code**, Over 100,000 students and professionals in an optimization competition

Online

Work Experience_

Huawei Singapore Singapore

LLM Research Internship

May 2023 - July 2023

• Research on improving math reasoning of LLMs, based on generator/verifier idea of this paper

Yandex Delivery Moscow, Russia

Operations Research / SWE & Data Science

• Couriers allocation optimization problem, invented beam search in a novel setting (C++)

- Implementing and enhancing backtesting simulator for data analysis and hypotheses testing (Python)
- Increased main metric (batch rate) by 30%

Russian IOI Team Coach

PROBLEM SETTER AND LECTURER

November 2018 - June 2022

· Training top high school students from Russia to select and prepare IOI team. Giving lectures, preparing selection problems

• Cummulative team results 2019-2023: 17 gold medals, 3 silver medals

Projects

- **Bachelor's thesis** on fast algorithm for computing maximum matching without crossings in convex bipartite graphs, extending this paper (LIS, self-balancing trees, dynamic programming, tight bounds)
- Implementation of paper on dynamic maximum matching in convex bipartite graphs (matroid theory, bipartite matchings, self-balancing trees, divide and conquer technique)
- Created and conducted hard ICPC-style programming contest problem descriptions/solutions
- SSC 2022 EDA case study
- Member of jury of the Russian National Olympiad in Informatics (2019-2022)
- C++ library implementing and collecting algorithms for Theoretical Computer Science tasks