

# Farach Hamza

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I am currently pursuing my **Master's degree in Computer Science** at Keio University, Japan, where I conduct research in the Ohtsuki Laboratory under the supervision of Professor Tomoaki Ohtsuki. My work focuses on deep learning for human pose estimation.

## EXPERIENCE

### Graduate Researcher

Keio University

09/2025 – Present  
Tokyo, Japan

- I am currently conducting research in **computer vision** and generative AI, working on **3D deep learning techniques for LiDAR point cloud data** to improve **3D human pose estimation** in the context of human activity recognition (HAR).

### Computer Vision Research Intern

Interdigital R&D France

04/2025 – 09/2025  
Rennes, France

- Developed **FGA-ANN**, an attention-based deep learning model achieving state-of-the-art performance for normative film grain analysis. In parallel, designed the **first deep learning-based similarity metric** specifically tailored to film grain characteristics.
- Contributed to **two invention patents**, a **conference paper (under submission)** and a **film grain database**.

### Student Research Project

Centre Hospitalier Universitaire de Nantes

10/2024 – 03/2025  
Nantes, France

- Construction of graphs based on a public EEG database.
- Implementation of a graph learning method inspired by the Graph-in-Graph neural network approach for the prediction of Mental motor imagery Performance fusing EEG and clinical data, implemented in **PyTorch**.

## EDUCATION

### Keio University

M.Eng in Computer Science

09/2025 – Present  
Tokyo, Japan

- Research master's degree combining advanced courses in computer science and mathematics (**computer vision, NLP...**) (~20%) with research work in an academic laboratory (~80%). Currently conducting research in computer vision, focusing on deep learning for 3D human pose estimation in the context of human activity recognition (HAR).

### Ecole Centrale de Nantes

Engineering degree - Specialization in "AI for Image and Signal processing"

09/2023 – Present  
Nantes, France

An engineering education from one of France's leading engineering schools, providing strong foundations in computer science, applied mathematics, and scientific research.

- 1st year:** General engineering curriculum (Statistics, Optimization, Linear Algebra, Computer Science, Physics, and Electronics), completed with a Bachelor's degree. **GPA: 3.55/4.**
- 2nd year:** Specialization in AI for Image and Signal processing, covering **Mathematical Optimization**, Probability theory and Statistics, Deep Learning, Image processing, Signal processing, Time series and Forecasting, Graphs (GNN, GCN...). Equivalent to the first year of a Master program **GPA: 4.0/4.**

### Lycée Louis Le Grand

Preparatory classes : MPSI-MP

09/2020 – 07/2023  
Paris, France

- Two years of highly selective and intensive preparatory studies in Mathematics, Physics, and Computer Science for the national competitive entrance examinations to France's top engineering schools. Equivalent to the first two years of a Bachelor's degree.

## LANGUAGES

**English** — Fluent

**French** — Native

**Arabic** — Native

**Spanish** — Intermediate

**CODING SKILLS**

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**Python** (Numpy, PyTorch...), **C**, **C++**, **SQL**, **MATLAB**