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## Employment History

- 2017 – 2020      **PhD candidate.** IRIMAS, Université Haute Alsace, France.
- 2018 – 2019      **Lecturer.** ENSISA, Université Haute Alsace, France.
- 2017 – 2017      **Internship.** Data Services & Valorisation for Business, Orange Labs, France.
- 2016 – 2017      **Internship.** TICKET Lab, Université Antonine, Lebanon.
- 2016 – 2016      **Freelance.** Website development - [www.mradmcc.com](http://www.mradmcc.com).
- 2015 – 2015      **Internship.** Web application development, Dar El Handasah, Lebanon.

## Education

- 2017 – 2020      **Ph.D. Machine Learning, Université Haute Alsace, France**  
*Temporal data analysis with surgical data science application.*
- 2016 – 2017      **M.Sc. Computer Science, Université de Bourgogne, France**  
*Second Class Honours. Databases & Artificial Intelligence.*
- 2011 – 2017      **M.Sc. Software Engineering, Université Antonine, Lebanon**  
*Fourth Class Honours. Software & Telecommunications Engineering.*

## Research Publications

### Journal Articles (accepted)

- 1     **Ismail Fawaz, H., Forestier, G., Weber, J., Idoumghar, L., & Muller, P.-A. (2019a).** [Deep learning for time series classification: a review](#). *Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery*. Code is available on <https://github.com/hfawaz/dl-4-tsc/>.
- 2     Forestier, G., Petitjean, F., Senin, P., Despinoy, F., Huauilmé, A., **Ismail Fawaz, H., ... Jannin, P. (2018).** [Surgical motion analysis using discriminative interpretable patterns](#). *Artificial Intelligence in Medicine*, 91, 3–11.

### Conference Proceedings

- 1     **Ismail Fawaz, H., Forestier, G., Weber, J., Petitjean, F., Idoumghar, L., & Muller, P.-A. (2019).** [Automatic alignment of surgical videos using kinematic data](#). In *Artificial Intelligence in Medicine*. Acceptance rate is 21%. Code is available on <https://github.com/hfawaz/aime19>.
- 2     **Ismail Fawaz, H., Forestier, G., Weber, J., Idoumghar, L., & Muller, P.-A. (2019b).** [Deep Neural Network Ensembles for Time Series Classification](#). In *IEEE International Joint Conference on Neural Networks*. Code is available on <https://github.com/hfawaz/ijcnn19ensemble>.
- 3     **Ismail Fawaz, H., Forestier, G., Weber, J., Idoumghar, L., & Muller, P.-A. (2019c).** [Adversarial Attacks on Deep Neural Networks for Time Series Classification](#). In *IEEE International Joint Conference on Neural Networks*. Code is available on <https://github.com/hfawaz/ijcnn19attacks>.

- 4 **Ismail Fawaz, H., Forestier, G., Weber, J., Idoumghar, L., & Muller, P.-A. (2018a).** [Evaluating surgical skills from kinematic data using convolutional neural networks](#). In *Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention*. (Oral selection rate 4%). Code is available on <https://github.com/hfawaz/miccai18>.
- 5 **Ismail Fawaz, H., Forestier, G., Weber, J., Idoumghar, L., & Muller, P.-A. (2018c).** [Transfer learning for time series classification](#). In *IEEE International Conference On Big Data*. Selection rate 18.9%. Code is available on <https://github.com/hfawaz/bigdata18>.

## Workshops

- 1 **Ismail Fawaz, H., Forestier, G., Weber, J., Idoumghar, L., & Muller, P.-A. (2018b).** [Data augmentation using synthetic data for time series classification with deep residual networks](#). Code is available on <https://github.com/hfawaz/aaltd18>.

## Skills

Languages	■ English (TOEIC-955), French (B2), German (B1) & Arabic.
Development	■ Python, Java & Slurm Workload Manager.
Databases	■ MySQL, Neo4J, Protégé & Elasticsearch.
Web Dev	■ HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Apache Web Server & Tomcat Web Server.
Misc.	■ Academic research, teaching, L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X typesetting & publishing.

## Miscellaneous Experience

### Grants

- 2018 ■ Mésocentre of Strasbourg. [1.6 million GPU computing hours](#).
- 2017 ■ NVIDIA Corporation GPU Grant. [Quadro P6000](#).
- Coursera Financial Aid. [Deep learning speciality](#).

### Visiting researcher

- 2018 ■ Wayne State University. [Dr. Abhilash Pandya](#).

### Certifications

- 2018 ■ Volunteering. [IEEE International conference on Big Data](#).
- Participation. [International Summer School on Deep Learning](#).
- 2017 ■ Participation. Cisco CCNA 1, 2, 3 & 4.
- 2016 ■ Participation. Lebanese Collegiate Programming Contest.
- Participation. Advanced Programming & Algorithms Boot Camp.
- 2015 ■ Participation. Lebanese Collegiate Programming Contest.




### Awards

- 2018 ■ IEEE International Conference on Big Data. [Student Travel Award](#).
- 2016 ■ First place. Université Antonine Programming Competition.
- 2015 ■ Second place. Université Antonine Programming Competition.



## Miscellaneous Experience (continued)

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### Talks & presentations

- 2019     **TsDays**. Apprentissage par transfert pour la classification de séries temporelles.
- 2018     **French society of computer science**. What to do with your PhD ?
-  **GDR-MADICS**. Interpretable evaluation of surgical skills.

### Teaching

- 2019     **Web programming**. Engineering students in Computer Science - 24 hours.
- 2018     **Deep Learning**. M.Sc. students in Computer Science - 20 hours.





### Conference committee

- 2019     **ORASIS**. [Journées francophones des jeunes chercheurs en vision par ordinateur](#).
-  **AE**. [Biennial International Conference on Artificial Evolution](#).

### Workshop committee

- 2019     **AALTD**. [ECML/PKDD Workshop on Advanced Analytics & Learning on Temporal Data](#).

### Reviewer

- 2019     **IEEE TKDE**. [IEEE Transactions of Knowledge and Data Engineering](#).
-  **IEEE JBHI**. [Journal of Biomedical and Health Informatics](#).
-  **MICCAI**. [International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention](#).
-  **IEEE/CAA JAS**. [Journal of Automatica Sinica](#).