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Data, AI, Robotics | Product development

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Passionate about data, AI and robotics, with a knack for management and bringing new ideas to life. I help companies develop client-centric products and make strategic decisions based on data.



Work Experience

Rapyuta Robotics, Tokyo, JP

Engineering Lead

Jun 2021 - Present

- **Lead** a team of engineers using **agile** methodologies
- Spearhead initiatives to improve team **productivity** and **adoption** of AI technologies
- Design and implement major features, bug triage and resolution
- Identify and propose methods to remove obstacles to increase ROI



Cross Compass, Tokyo, JP

Al Engineering Manager

Apr 2020 - Jun 2021

- Manage consulting and product teams
- Oversee and coordinate production, budgeting, quality control and testing
- Initiate and lead the transition from one-time projects to products
- Optimize operations by implementing office automation

Al Group Leader

Jul 2019 - Apr 2020

- Optimize resources to ensure high productivity and progression for projects
- **Design and implement** a robot navigation platform
- Lead scientific **research** and implementation on image classification, robot grasping and fleet navigation

AI Consultant

Sep 2018 – Jul 2019

- Image and video recognition with deep learning
- System modelling and optimization with machine learning



HI Iberia, Madrid, ES

Data Analyst

Apr 2016 - Sep 2018

- ETL and data processing for big data using Hadoop, Hive and Oozie
- KPI and dashboard data visualization with **Tableau**



Flyster, Madrid, ES

Co-founder

May 2015 - Dec 2015

- Start-up building a travel recommendation platform based on user preferences
- Apply **NLP** to power searches using Apache Solr



Indra, Madrid, ES

Development Engineer

Aug 2014 – May 2015

Develop automated reports integrated with Microsoft and Oracle SQL



Hanscan Id. Manage, Madrid, ES

Embedded Software Engineer

Dec 2012 - Jul 2014



• Develop biometric applications for desktop and ARM embedded systems



Education

Quantic School Of Business And Technology

MBA Apr 2020 – Apr 2021



Self-driving Car Nanodegree Sep 2017 – May 2018

Complutense University, Madrid, ES

BSE + MS: Computer Science Engineering Sep 2007 – Aug 2012



Patents

2019-234419 (Pending)

PCT/JP2019/31945 (Pending)

PCT/JP2019/31946 (Pending)

PCT/JP2019/31947 (Pending)



Software

Python, C++, Linux, Tensorflow, Scikit-learn, Keras, SQL, Tableau, Java, Unity



Languages

English, Full Professional Proficiency, CAE, CEFR level C1

Spanish, Native

Chinese, Elementary Proficiency, HSK 2, CEFR level A2

Japanese, Basic