

# Matei Ignat

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## SUMMARY

I am a fourth-year Computer Science student with a strong passion for technology. I am dedicated, organized, and driven to excel in both my academic and extracurricular pursuits.

## EXPERIENCE

### Smarttech Cybersecurity

*Cybersecurity Analyst*

June 2025 – Present

## AWARDS

### 2025 IMC Challenge — Huawei

[imc25.kattis.com/contests/imc25-1/teams/806093](https://imc25.kattis.com/contests/imc25-1/teams/806093)

July – Sept 2025

Ranked in the **top 30 teams worldwide** in Huawei's *IMC Challenge 2025*, a month-long algorithmic and optimization competition focused on high-speed signal simulation and equalization. Designed and implemented optimized algorithms to model, simulate, and stabilize signal behavior under real-world noise and bandwidth constraints. Applied numerical methods, data optimization, and systems analysis to achieve high accuracy and computational efficiency.

## EDUCATION

### Faculty of Automatic Control and Computer Science

*Computer Science Undergraduate*

2022 – Present

### Gheorghe Moisil National College

*Mathematics and Informatics — High School Degree*

2018 – 2022

## PROJECTS

### CompanyClassifier — [github.com/ignatmatei/companyClassifier](https://github.com/ignatmatei/companyClassifier)

Building a robust company classifier for a new insurance taxonomy using heuristic labeling and deep learning for accurate classification.

### CPU — [github.com/ignatmatei/cpu](https://github.com/ignatmatei/cpu)

A Verilog implementation for a configurable 16-bit CPU (Nexys A7 board).

### Trading Engine — [github.com/ignatmatei/tradingEngine](https://github.com/ignatmatei/tradingEngine)

Neural network that predicts stock movements on the Bucharest Stock Exchange.

### LAN Party — [lanparty.lsacbucuresti.ro](https://lanparty.lsacbucuresti.ro)

Developed the frontend landing page and backend logic for team registration using the MERN stack.

### XenCV — [github.com/ignatmatei/winning-team](https://github.com/ignatmatei/winning-team)

Hackathon project: Retrieval-Augmented Generation AI model using Pinecone for vector storage, LlamaIndex for processing, and GPT-4-Turbo as the LLM.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

*Politehnica University of Bucharest*

Teaching object-oriented programming in Java.

Sept 2024 – Present

## VOLUNTEERING

### LSAC București

*Senior Volunteer — IT Department Member*

2022 – Present

## SKILLS

C/C++, Python, Java, JavaScript, Go

## LANGUAGES

English — C2