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EDUCATION

MSc in Computer Science

Mar 2022 – Current

Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG)

GPA - 5.00 / 5.00

Supervised by Fabrício Benevenuto.

BSc in Computer Science

2017 - 2021

Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG)

GPA – 4.75 / 5.00

Eletronics Technician

2014 - 2016

Federal Center for Technological Education of Minas Gerais (CEFET-MG)

High School + technical course in Eletronics

EXPERIENCE

Research Intern, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Lausanne (EPFL) Jul 2023 – Sept 2023 Supervised by Paola Mejia and Vinitra Swamy in the Machine Learning for Education Laboratory

• Explainability within the context of clustering student behavior.

Research Intern, Max Planck Institute for Software Systems (MPI-SWS)

Aug 2022 – Jan 2023

Supervised by Adish Singla in the Machine Teaching Group

• Reinforcement Learning applied to the task of misinformation detection.

Undergraduate Research Assistant, Computer Science Department, UFMG

Jan 2021 – Feb 2022

Supervised by Fabrício Benevenuto

• Explainable Machine Learning for Fake News Detection.

Software Engineer Intern, Mobile Solution Technology

Oct 2020 – Sept 2021

• Development of an optical character recognition (OCR) software.

Undergraduate Research Assistant, Computer Science Department, UFMG

Apr 2018 – Jan 2021

Supervised by Gisele L. Pappa

- Analysis of the fitness landscape of automated machine learning problems.
- Projects involving Data Science and Machine Learning in collaboration with the Brazil Ministry of Health and the Public Ministry of Minas Gerais.

AWARDS

Best Late Breaking Results Award, AIED

July 2024

• Attributed to the publication "Interpret3C: Interpretable Student Clustering Through Individualized Feature Selection".

Google Latin America Research Award

Jan 2024

• Research grant structured as an unrestricted gift - 8,500 USD/42,000 BRL.

Outstanding Paper Honorable Mention, BRASNAM

July 2021

• Attributed to the publication "Viés de Gênero em Biografias da Wikipédia em Português".

PUBLICATIONS

- [1] I. Salles, P. Mejia-Domenzain, V. Swamy, J. Blackwell, T. Käser. "Interpret3C: Interpretable Student Clustering Through Individualized Feature Selection". In *International Conference on Artificial Intelligence in Education*, 2024.
- [2] JMM. Couto, I. Salles, B. Pimenta, S. Assis, L. Araújo, JCS. Reis, F. Benevenuto. "Detecção Automática de Desinformação Relacionada à Covid-19 no Brasil". In *Anais do XXXVII Simpósio Brasileiro de Bancos de Dados*, 2022.
- [3] I. Marques, I. Salles, JMM. Couto, BC. Pimenta, S. Assis, JCS. Reis, AP. da Silva, JM. de Almeida, F. Benevenuto. "A Comprehensive Dataset of Brazilian Fact-Checking Stories". In *Journal of Information and Data Management*, 2022.

- [4] E. A. Martins, I. Salles, F. Benevenuto, O. Goussevskaia. "Characterizing Sponsored Content in Facebook and Instagram". In Proceedings of the 33rd *ACM Conference on Hypertext and Social Media*, 2022.
- [5] I. A. Salles, G. L. Pappa. "Viés de Gênero em Biografias da Wikipédia em Português". In Proceedings of the 10th *Brazilian Workshop on Social Network Analysis and Mining (BRASNAM)*, 2021.

Languages Skills Portuguese (native language), English (advanced)