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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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CURRENT POSITION

2016-2020 PhD Student, Institut Curie/École Nationale Supérieure
des Mines de Paris/Paris Science et Lettres — Paris

PSL Applied deep/machine learning spanning two bioimage projects in high
content analysis. Thesis title: Adversarial methods for computational
phenotyping in cell-based assays
Reference: Dr. Thomas WALTER · +33 649 987 208 · thomas.walter@curie.fr

WORK EXPERIENCE

Feb-Jul 2015 Master Thesis Student, CERN — Geneva

CERN Application of machine learning techniques for metadata extraction of PDF
articles in the INSPIRE-HEP digital library (cds.cern.ch/record/2039361).
Reference: Dr. Gilles LOUPPE · +41 779 953 433 · g.louppe@uliege.be

Jul-Sep 2014 Summer Intern, United Nations International
Computing Centre — Geneva

UNICC Survey, design and configuration of management “dashboard” using business
intelligence (BI) softwares.
Reference: Mr. Djamel KACEL · +41 229 292 573 · kacel@unicc.org

2010-2013 Graduate Mathematician, AECOM — Brisbane

AECOM Programmer and analyst for discrete-event simulation models of rail, shipping,
and other supply chain systems at *Fortune 500* consultancy firm. Key Projects
included Port of Gladstone Capacity Analysis for Gladstone Port Corporation
(GPC) (2010-2013), Gold Coast Commonwealth Games Demand Forecasting
Study for Queensland Government Department of Transport and Main Roads
(TMR) (2012), Surat Basin Rail (SBR) Early Contractor Involvement (ECI) review
(2012). Extra-curricular: organised, presented a series of “Excel Excellence”
seminars.
Reference: Dr. Paul CORRY · +61 731 385 195 · p.corry@qut.edu.au

EDUCATION

2013-2015 MSc Computer Science, École Polytechnique
Fédérale de Lausanne — Lausanne

EPFL GPA: 5.43 (6)
Thesis: *Automatic Metadata Extraction – The High Energy Physics Use Case*
Description: Completed range of core computer science courses with a leaning
towards subjects relating to data science. Graduated October 3, 2015.
Advisor: Dr. Martin RAJMAN · +41 216 938 162 · martin.rajman@epfl.ch

2007-2010 BSc Maths/IT, Queensland University of
Technology — Brisbane

PUBLICATIONS

- Boyd, J., Gouveia, Z., Perez, F., & Walter, T. (2020, April). Experimentally-generated ground truth for detecting lymphocytes in an image-based immunotherapy screen. In 2020 IEEE 17th International Symposium on Biomedical Imaging (ISBI 2020). IEEE.
- Boyd, J. C., Pinheiro, A., Del Nery, E., Reyal, F., & Walter, T. (2019). [Domain-invariant features for mechanism of action prediction in a multi-cell-line drug screen](#). Bioinformatics.
- Naylor, P., Boyd, J., Lae, M., Reyal, F., Walter, T. (2019, April). [Predicting Residual Cancer Burden in a Triple Negative Breast Cancer cohort](#). In 2019 IEEE 16th International Symposium on Biomedical Imaging (ISBI 2019). IEEE.
- Khalifaoui, B., Boyd, J., & Vert, J. P. (2019). [Adaptive structured noise injection for shallow and deep neural networks](#).
- Boyd, J., Pinheiro, A., Del Nery, E., Reyal, F., & Walter, T. (2018, April). [Analysing double-strand breaks in cultured cells for drug screening applications by causal inference](#). In 2018 IEEE 15th International Symposium on Biomedical Imaging (ISBI 2018) (pp. 445-448). IEEE.
- Boyd, J. (2015). [Automatic Metadata Extraction-The High Energy Physics Use Case](#) (Masters dissertation, Ecole Polytechnique, Lausanne).

TEACHING

- (Nov, 2018) I presented the introductory workshop at MINES ParisTech course [Deep Learning For Image Analysis](#)
- (Mar, 2018) I was teaching assistant during the workshops of [Large-Scale Machine Learning and Data Mining](#) at MINES ParisTech. I also created the [workshop on stochastic gradient descent](#).
- (Oct, 2017-Jan, 2018) I was teaching assistant for course [Introduction to Machine Learning](#) at CentraleSupélec in Autumn, 2017. Solved versions of labs I was responsible for creating are [Intro/PCA](#), [Convex Optimisation](#), and [Support Vector Machines](#).

SKILLS

Computing	PYTHON, C++, MATLAB
Language	English (native), French (intermediate)

INTERESTS

I enjoy reading and writing about topics in computer science and mathematics. I also enjoy learning new technologies. Samples of my tinkering can be seen on [my GitHub profile](#). I am a strong amateur chess player—challenge me at [lichess.org/@/cruesli](#).