# Jonáš Kulhánek

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## **EDUCATION**

## **Charles University**

MSc in Artificial Intelligence

Expected Jun 2021

Faculty of Mathematics and Physics

Cum. GPA: 4.00 / 4.00 Major GPA: 4.00 / 4.00

## **Czech Technical University**

### **BSC IN COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Jun 2019

Faculty of Electrical Engineering

Summa cum laude

Cum. GPA: 3.64 / 4.00

Major GPA: 3.74 / 4.00

Final exam grade: A

## Sungkyunkwan University

Dec 2017

College of Sciences and Engineering One semester visiting student Cum. GPA: 4.00 / 4.00

## LINKS

Github://jkulhanek LinkedIn://jonaskulhanek Twitter://jonaskulhanek StackOverflow://kulhanek Google Scholar://Jonáš Kulhánek Research Gate://Jonas Kulhanek

## TEACHING

## Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

Teaching assistant | Summer 2020 zero-sum games, CSP, MDP, EA, ... FEL, Czech Technical University

## SKILLS

### **PROGRAMMING**

Over 50 000 lines:

C# • Python • JavaScript • C++

Java • React • PyTorch • LATEX

Over 5 000 lines:

Haskell • Scheme • SQL

Bash • TensorFlow

Familiar:

TypeScript • YAML • Lua • Docker

## LANGUAGES

English C1
French B1
Czech native

## **EXPERIENCE**

## CIIRC | RESEARCHER

Jul 2019 - Now

- Visual navigation using deep reinforcement learning (DRL)
- Implementing SoTA DRL algorithms including Rainbow, PAAC, AlphaZero
- Publishing an open-source 3D environment simulator to train DRL agents
- Working with **Tomas Mikolov** on cellular automata applied on NLP
- Researching task-based dialogue systems
- Running large distributed GPU trainings
- Achieving **3rd place** in the DSTC9 dialogue state tracking shared task
- PyTorch, Slurm, Numpy, ROS, ...

## TU DELFT | RESEARCHER

Jan 2019 - Nov 2019

- Visual navigation using deep reinforcement learning (DRL)
- Working under Prof. dr. Robert Babuska at 3me
- Publishing open-source DRL PyTorch library
- Evaluating navigation algorithms on real mobile robots
- PyTorch, TensorFlow, ROS, Numpy, ...

#### VALATRON | BACKEND DEVELOPER

Jun 2018 – Jan 2019

- Architecturing Node.js API backend and .NET Core backend
- Working on SPA frontend (React.js)
- Creating Azure Functions
- Node.js, .NET Core, Azure Functions, React.js, ...

#### **CENTER FOR MACHINE PERCEPTION** | RESEARCHER

Feb 2018 - Jun 2018

- Building object detectors using fully convolutional neural networks
- Implementing RetinaNet, FasterRCNN, MaskNet (SoTA at that time)
- Preparing object detection datasets and data pipelines
- TensorFlow, Numpy, OpenCV, ...

complete list at https://jkulhanek.github.io/#resume.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

## Visual Navigation in Real-World Indoor Environments Using End-to-End Deep Reinforcement Learning

Oct 2020

Jonáš Kulhánek and Erik Derner and Robert Babuška, Designing DRL agent with auxiliary tasks for real-world navigation. Transfering policy pretrained on custom 3D simulator to the real world. arXiv preprint arXiv:2010.10903

## Vision-based navigation using Deep Reinforcement Learning Sep 2019

Jonáš Kulhánek and Erik Derner and Tim de Bruin and Robert Babuška, Extending PAAC with auxiliary tasks designed for visual navigation. Evaluating on Al2THOR, House3D, DeepMind Lab environments 2019 European Conference on Mobile Robots (ECMR), 2019, p.1-8

## Visual Navigation using Deep Reinforcement Learning

May 2019 Jonáš Kulhánek, Bachelor thesis