

# Julien Soulé

3rd year PhD student

working in Multi-Agent

Systems for Cyberdefense

LA RUCHE THALES





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Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning, Multi-Agent Systems, Autonomous Intelligent Cyberdefense Agent, Assisted-Design

#### **EDUCATION**

## Grenoble Alpes University (UGA)

 $\mbox{PhD}$  - "On the Organization of a Cyberdefence Multi-Agent System"

JUL 2022 - PRESENT

- Laboratoire de Conception Intégration des Systèmes (LCIS)
- Supervisors: Jean-Paul Jamont (professor, UGA), Michel Occello (professor, UGA), Louis-Marie Traonouez (Thales La Ruche, Land Air Systems), Paul Théron (AICA IWG)
- **Keywords**: Multi-Agent Systems Organizations, Cyberdefense, Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning, Software Architecture

## Ecole de Technologie Supérieur, Montréal (Canada)

One study semester in Computer Engineering JAN 2019 - MAY 2019

## Institut National des Sciences Appliquées (INSA), Rennes

Master's degree in Computer Engineering

2015 - 2020

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Thales (La Ruche), Rennes — Research Engineer

DEC 2021 - JUN 2022

• Study on multi-agent aspects and integration within *La Ruche* (*Thales, Land Air Systems*) context in order to explore modeling cyber environments and anomaly detections.

### **Atos, Toulouse** — Software Engineer

AUG 2020 - SEP 2021

• Continuation of ISIS project developments with more interactions with the CNES.

## **Atos, Toulouse** — Software Engineer Internship

JAN 2020 - JUL 2020

- Worked on development of the ISIS project for the CNES (Centre National d'Etude Spatial).
- Product line to handle launching and monitoring of new satellites from Control and Command centers.
- Tools: Python / Bash, KVM, Grafana, Django...

#### **SQLI, Toulouse** — Mid Software Engineer Internship

MAY 2019 - JUL 2019

Airbus Helicopter projects within different aspects: security, maintenance, development...

### ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCES

#### BattleCode (Sopra Steria), Rennes

Meet several coding challenges in teams MAR 2017

#### **PROJECTS**

#### **MOISE+MARL** — Academic Contribution

Created a Proof-Of-Concept framework designed to integrate organizational concepts such as roles, missions, and goals in MARL.

## **CybMASDE** — Academic/Industrial Contribution

Created a Proof-Of-Concept research platform to develop Multi-Agent Systems combining MARL and organizational specifications.

#### COMMUNICATIONS

#### **Journals**

Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Traonouez, L.-M., & Théron, P. (2025). Assisting Multi-Agent System Design with MOISE+ and MARL: The MAMAD Method. In Journal of Autonomous Agents and Multi-Agent Systems (JAAMAS) (2025). Under revision.

#### **International Conferences**

- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Traonouez, L.-M., & Théron, P. (2025). Streamlining Resilient Kubernetes Autoscaling with Multi-Agent Systems via an Automated Online Design Framework. In Proceedings of the 18th IEEE International Conference on Cloud Computing (CLOUD 2025), Helsinki, Finland, July 2025.
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Traonouez, L.-M., & Théron, P. (2025). An Organizationally-Oriented Approach to Enhancing Explainability and Control in Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning. In Proceedings of the 24th International Conference on Autonomous Agents and Multiagent Systems (AAMAS 2025).
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., & Traonouez, L.-M. (2024). A MARL-based Approach for Easing MAS Organization Engineering. In Proceedings of the 20th International Conference on Artificial Intelligence Applications and Innovations (AIAI 2024).
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., & Traonouez, L.-M. (2023). Towards a Multi-Agent Simulation of Cyber-Attackers and Cyber-Defenders Battles. In Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Systems, Man, and Cybernetics (SMC 2023).

#### **National Conferences**

- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., & Traonouez, L.-M. (2024). Une approche organisationnelle pour améliorer l'explicabilité et le contrôle dans l'apprentissage par renforcement multi-agent. In Proceedings of the Journées Francophones sur les Systèmes Multi-Agents (JFSMA 2025). (Best paper award)
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., & Traonouez, L.-M. (2024). Une Approche basée sur l'Apprentissage par Renforcement pour l'Ingénierie Organisationnelle d'un SMA. In Proceedings of the Journées Francophones sur les Systèmes Multi-Agents (JFSMA 2024).
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., & Traonouez, L.-M. (2024). Un Outil pour la Conception de SMA par Apprentissage par Renforcement et Modélisation Organisationnelle. In Proceedings of the Journées Francophones sur les Systèmes Multi-Agents (JFSMA 2024).
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., & Traonouez, L.-M. (2023). De l'Organisation des Systèmes Multi-Agents de Cyberdéfense. In Proceedings of the Rencontres des Jeunes Chercheurs en Intelligence Artificielle (RJCIA 2023).
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., & Traonouez, L.-M. (2023). De l'Organisation des Systèmes Multi-Agents de Cyberdéfense. In Proceedings of the Conférence sur la Recherche en Sécurité des Systèmes d'Information (RESSI 2023).

## **Poster Presentations**

Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., & Traonouez, L.-M. (2023). De l'Organisation des Systèmes Multi-Agents de Cyberdéfense. Poster presented at Journées Francophones sur les Systèmes Multi-Agents (JFSMA 2023).

#### Oral Presentations

Talk for the CybAIR NATO Chair. École de l'air et de l'espace. MAR 2023

## **RESPONSIBILITIES**

#### Treasurer of the Autonomous Intelligent Cyberdefence Agent International Work Group MAY 2023 - PRESENT

### TEACHING EXPERIENCES

#### Teaching Assistant, Valence (Engineering school and Technical Institute)

SEPT 2024 - DEC 2024, JAN 2023 - APR 2023, SEPT 2025 - DEC 2025

- Supervised student teams on industry-driven projects in Cyberdefense
- Tutorials and Labs in Basics of Operating Systems, Systems Programming/Administration, and Process Management

#### SKILLS

#### French **English** Japanese Basic

 Professional (910 TOEIC) Native