

# Julien Soulé

3rd year PhD student working in Multi-Agent Systems for Cyberdefense







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# **EDUCATION**

# Grenoble Alpes University (UGA)

PhD - "On the Organization of a Cyberdefence Multi-Agent System (AICA)"

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)
  - o 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

**JAN 2023** 

Created a Proof-Of-Concept framework designed to integrate organizational concepts—such as roles, missions, and goals—into the learning process. By embedding these structures directly into standard MARL algorithms, MOISE+MARL enables more interpretable, efficient coordination among agents, helping them discover and follow well-defined organizational patterns while still adapting to complex or dynamic environments.

#### COMMUNICATIONS

#### **International Conferences**

- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P. Traonouez, L.-M. Towards a Multi-Agent Simulation of Cyber-attackers and Cyber-defenders Battles. IEEE SMC 2023.
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., Traonouez, L.-M. A MARL-based Approach for Easing MAS Organization Engineering. AIAI 2024.
- J. Soule, J.-P. Jamont, M. Occello, L.-M. Traonouez, and P. Théron. An organizationally-oriented approach to enhancing
  explainability and control in multi-agent reinforcement learning. Proc. of the 24th Int. Conf. on Autonomous Agents and
  Multiagent Systems (AAMAS), 2025.

#### **National Conferences**

- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., Traonouez, L.-M. De l'Organisation des Systèmes Multi-Agents de Cyberdefense. RESSI 2023.
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., Traonouez, L.-M. De l'Organisation des Systèmes Multi-Agents de Cyberdefense. RJCIA 2023.
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., Traonouez, L.-M. Un Outil pour la Conception de SMA par Apprentissage par Renforcement et Modélisation Organisationnelle. JFSMA 2024
- Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., Traonouez, L.-M. Une Approche basée sur l'Apprentissage par Renforcement pour l'Ingénierie Organisationelle d'un SMA. JFSMA 2024

#### **Poster Presentations**

• Soulé, J., Jamont, J.-P., Occello, M., Théron, P., Traonouez, L.-M. De l'Organisation des Systèmes Multi-Agents de Cyberdefense. JFSMA 2023.

#### **Oral Presentations**

- Talk for the CybAIR NATO Chair. École de l'air et de l'espace. MAR 2023
  - o Presentation of my PhD topic and discussions

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

# Treasurer of the <u>Autonomous Intelligent Cyberdefence Agent International Work Group</u>

MAY 2023 - PRESENT

- International financial coordination & transparency
- Global networking & collaborative project development (NATO)

# **TEACHING EXPERIENCES**

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

JAN 2023 - MAR 2023

• Tutorials and Labs in Basics of system administration

MAR 2023 - APR 2023

Tutorials and Labs in Basics of Operating Systems and Process Management

SEPT 2024 - DEC 2024

• Tutorials and Labs in Operating Systems and Systems Programming

# **SKILLS**

French English Japanese

Basic

Native • Professional (910 TOEIC)