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Data Scientist with extensive experience in research, optimization, and numerical modeling.

EXPERIENCE

- **shmyak.ai**

Data scientist

2020-Now

AI driven cryptocurrency trading on the spot market.

- I have developed and deployed several spot market cryptocurrency trading bots. There is a demonstration bot available: (<https://medium.com/@yakubov.sha/reinforcement-learning-cryptocurrency-trading-bot-proof-of-concept-fda6b5c821a0>). The different implementations are based on various reinforcement learning algorithms.
- To explore the ability of reinforcement learning algorithms to be constructors, I have developed a custom Toy-Bridge builder environment in Unity. A short summary is here: <https://github.com/shmyak-ai/construction-unity-environments>.
- Other projects include implementations of custom reinforcement learning training loops for fine grained learning control.

- **Helmholtz-Zentrum**

Geesthacht, Germany

Researcher

2017 - 2020

I have studied North Sea ecosystems using supervised and unsupervised machine learning: Published 4 peer-reviewed articles, 2 preprints, and 2 interactive jupyter notebook studies.

- Conducted several optimization studies. Example: https://github.com/limash/Alkalinity_in_the_Wadden_Sea. The research involved developing a model that predicts the ocean's ability to absorb carbon dioxide.
- Processed and analyzed geospatial data using Pandas, Numpy, Matplotlib, etc. Performed Exploratory data analysis in Jupyter notebooks.

- **Institute of Oceanology**

Moscow, Russia

Research engineer

2014 - 2017

I was part of a team developing numerical models and performing signal processing. Published 5 peer-reviewed articles.

- Conducted a signal processing study. It proposed a method to predict 'Freak waves' based on wave parameters. The study used unsupervised learning to categorize waves into groups and Fourier with Wavelet analysis to study properties and features of these groups.
- Introduced CMake build system and refactored Fortran90 code to modern object-oriented Fortran in multiple numerical projects, introduced dynamic data i/o into several Fortran projects.
- Developed a diffusion-advection model of solutes and particulates transport in the ocean.
- Processed, analyzed and visualized waves data in MatLab using Signal Processing Toolbox and Wavelet Toolbox.

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

- Python: Tensorflow, Keras, PyTorch, Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Ray, RLlib, tf-agents
- Fortran, C#, MatLab
- Git, Unity, Unity-ML, Linux, bash, gdb, Jupyter Notebook, AWS, GCP, CMake, Docker

MACHINE LEARNING AWARDS

- **Top 2% solution in the Featured Simulation Kaggle Competition "Lux AI"**: Ranked 19th out of 1186 teams as a solo participant: team shmyak <https://www.kaggle.com/c/lux-ai-2021/leaderboard>. The solution is based on imitation and reinforcement learning.

PUBLICATIONS

- https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=en&user=72diaAiPvoYC&view_op=list_works&sortby=pubdate

EDUCATION

- **Moscow State University**

Moscow, Russia

Specialist, Oceanography

2003 - 2008

Online courses: [Deep Learning specialization](#), [Machine Learning](#), [Bayesian Statistics](#).