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Education

2019 – Now	PhD, Jagiellonian University, Kraków Doctoral School of Exact and Natural Sciences, Computer Science
2017 – 2019	MSc, Jagiellonian University, Kraków (rector's scholarship) Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science Computer Science, specialization in machine learning
2014 – 2017	BSc, Jagiellonian University, Kraków (rector's scholarship) Faculty of Physics, Astronomy and Computer Science Computer Science

Research experience in the industry

III 2021 – X 2021 Lyft/Woven Planet Level 5

Internship in autonomous vehicles research team. Developing new solutions and implementing them in a real-world production setting.

VI 2017 – IX 2017 Samsung R&D

Internship in Natural Language Processing team

Research experience in academia

III 2022 - VI 2022	Internship at ETH Zurich with prof. João Sacramento Investigating performance hypernetworks in meta reinforcement-learning and fast recall in continual learning
XI 2019 – Now	FNP grant, Bio-inspired artificial neural networks Stipendist, investigating intersections of neuroscience and ML
X 2018 – III 2020	NCN grant, Efficient unsupervised learning with applications in deep learning Stipendist, investigating generative models
X 2018 – Now	Group of Machine Learning Research, Jagiellonian University PhD student, teacher assistant, server administrator

Science popularization

VII 2022	Workshop on Dynamic Neural Networks, ICML 2022 Member of Program Committee
VII 2022	ML2Mind Summer School Co-organizer
VII 2020	Eastern Europe Machine Learning Summer School Co-organizer

Selected publications

XII 2022 NeurlPS 2022

Disentangling Transfer in Continual Reinforcement LearningFirst co-author. We study transfer in continual reinforcement learning

and provide recommendations, highlighting replay and exploration.

VII 2022 ICML 2022

Continual Learning with Guarantees via Weight Interval

Constraints

First co-author. We propose a continual learning approach based on

interval arithmetics that provides guarantees on forgetting.

V 2022 ICRA 2022

SafetyNet: Safe Planning for Real-World Self-Driving Vehicles

Using Machine Learned Policies

Co-author. We combine machine learning policy for autonomous

vehicles with rule-based safety constraints.

II 2022 AAAI 2022

PluGeN: Multi-Label Conditional Generation From Pre-Trained

Models

First co-author. We propose a method to adapt pre-trained generative

models for conditional multi-label sample generation.

XII 2021 NeurlPS 2021

Continual World: A Robotic Benchmark For Continual

Reinforcement Learning

First co-author. We introduce a benchmark for continual reinforcement

learning and perform an analysis of the problem.

XII 2021 NeurlPS 2021

Zero Time Waste: Recycling Predictions in Early Exit Neural

Networks

First co-author. We accelerate neural networks and reduce

computation waste through efficient early exits.

X 2021 CoRL 2021

Urban Driver: Learning to Drive from Real-world Demonstrations

Using Policy Gradients

Co-author. We train imitation learning-based planning methods for

autonomous vehicles and test them in the real world.

VIII 2020 IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems

SeGMA: Semi-Supervised Gaussian Mixture Auto-Encoder Co-author. We combine generative models and semi-supervised learning by modeling the latent space as a mixture of Gaussians.

Other

Technical skills PyTorch, TensorFlow, Python, Bash, Linux, Git, Docker, Slurm

Reviewer at (* denotes highlighted reviewer)

ICML 2021*, NeurIPS 2021, ICLR 2022*, ICML 2022*, NeurIPS 2022

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