

# Maksim Bolonkin

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## EDUCATION

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### Dartmouth College

September, 2015 — September, 2021

*Ph.D. in Computer Science*

- Thesis: “Exploiting Group Structures to Infer Social Interactions From Videos”
- Advisor: Prof. V.S. Subrahmanian

### Saint-Petersburg State University, Russia

September, 2013 — June, 2015

*M.Sc. in Computer Science, Diploma with distinction*

- Thesis: “Application of image registration to superresolution problem”
- Advisor: Dr. Alexander Vakhitov

### Moscow State University, Russia

September, 2006 — June, 2010

*B.Sc. in Applied Mathematics and Computer Science, Diploma with distinction*

## EXPERIENCE

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### PhD Engineering Internship at Facebook

June—August, 2019

*Instagram Well-Being Research Team*

- Built pipelines for data collection and preprocessing.
- Developed a model for analyzing end-user video content.

### Research Internship

June—August, 2018

*University of Maryland*

- Researched social group dynamics analysis (deception and dominance) from multi-person videos.

### Visiting Lecturer

2018 — 2020

*Lomonosov Moscow State University, Tashkent branch, Uzbekistan*

- Designed and taught a course on “Optimization and numerical tools” for Master students.

### Software Engineer and Junior Researcher

2008 — 2012

*“Akademdevice” scientific production association, Tashkent, Uzbekistan*

- Software engineer integrating sensors for scientific equipment development.

## PUBLICATIONS

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- Chongyang Bai, Maksim Bolonkin, Viney Regunath, VS Subrahmanian, **Predicting Dyadic Impressions in Group Interaction Videos**, submitted to ACM Transactions on Multimedia Computing, Communications, and Applications
- Chongyang Bai, Maksim Bolonkin, Judee Burgoon, Dongkai Chen, Norah Dunbar, Viney Regunath, VS Subrahmanian, **Predicting Relative Nervousness from Group Interaction Videos**, submitted to IEEE International Conference on Automatic Face and Gesture Recognition 2021
- Lezi Wang, Chongyang Bai, Maksim Bolonkin, Judee K Burgoon, Norah E Dunbar, VS Subrahmanian, Dimitris Metaxas, **Attention-based facial behavior analytics in social communication**, chapter in Detecting Trust and Deception in Group Interaction, Springer 2021
- Chongyang Bai, Maksim Bolonkin, Srijan Kumar, Jure Leskovec, Judee Burgoon, Norah Dunbar, and V. S. Subrahmanian, **Predicting dominance in multi-person videos**. IJCAI’19 The 28th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence.
- Chongyang Bai, Maksim Bolonkin, Judee Burgoon, Chao Chen, Norah Dunbar, Bharat Singh, V. S. Subrahmanian, Zhe Wu, **Automatic Long-Term Deception Detection in Group Interaction Videos**. ICME’19 The 2019 IEEE Conference on Multimedia Expo (main track and demo track)
- Lauren Tilton, Taylor Arnold, Thomas Smits, Melvin Wevers, Mark Williams, Lorenzo Torresani, Maksim Bolonkin, John Bell, Dimitrios Latsis, **Computer Vision in DH** (Panel at Digital Humanities 2018 Conference, June 2018, Mexico)
- Du Tran, Maksim Bolonkin, Manohar Paluri, Lorenzo Torresani, **VideoMCC: a New Benchmark for Video Comprehension**, 2016 (on arXiv)

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**ML/DL Frameworks:** PyTorch, Torch7, Caffe, Keras, `scikit-learn`

**Data Science Frameworks:** Pandas, Hive, SQL

**Programming Languages:** Python, Matlab, C/C++

**Computer Vision Frameworks:** OpenCV, `scikit-image`