# Martin Drozdík

Curriculum Vitae

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#### About me

I am a software developer from Slovakia. I am currently looking for C++/QTprojects in Vienna, Austria, preferably as a freelancer, but also as a full-time employee. I am immediately available.

#### Key skills

APPLIED Multi-objective optimization, evolutionary computation, computational geometry, MATHEMATICS algorithm design, graph algorithms, probability theory, statistics.

C++ 6 years active experience. Deep interest in best practices and C++11/14. Experience with high-performance code and parallelization.

QT 3 years active experience, especially in GUI design and implementation.

#### IT skills

Operating systems LINUX / WINDOWS

Programming TCL/TK, MATLAB/OCTAVE, SQL, R, C

Tools Mercurial/Git, Valgrind/Callgrind, Qmake

Web development JAVASCRIPT, HTML, CSS, SSL/TSL, TCP, UDP

## Languages

Fluent Intermediate Beginner **Native** Italian French Slovak English Czech Japanese German

## Professional experience

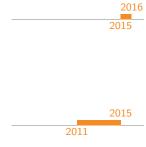
2016

Freelance programmer, freelancer.com, Vienna, Austria,

Development of a floating license system (C++14/QT 5/SSL).

Single-handedly implemented a client-server system according to client's specification. Used technologies:

- C++14, QT 5, CLANG, SSL/TLS, BOTAN
- Platform-independent LINUX/WINDOWS/OS X
- o SHA-256, RSA, Certificate pinning, Digital signature



Software developer, OM PARTNERS,

Antwerp, Belgium,

Developing and maintaining an advanced enterprise planning application. Key technologies: C++,  $Q_T$ , SQL, WINDOWS.

As a part of a 10 member team, using the *agile* methodology we maintained and developed in a shared code base of over 6 million lines of code.

Doctoral student, Tanaka-Hernan-Akimoto Laboratory,

Shinshu University, Nagano, Japan,

Multi-objective optimization using evolutionary computation.

- Developed a method to keep track of non-dominated individuals (NDI) in the population
  of an evolutionary multi-objective optimizer after each change to the population. This
  method performs up to 400 fewer comparisons than the brute force method and works
  up to 4 times faster than the state-of-the art divide and conquer algorithm (which
  cannot keep track of NDI at all times).
- Studied:
  - self-adaptation and learning within multi-objective evolutionary algorithms
  - rotational invariance of multi-objective optimizers.
- Oeveloped:
  - high-performance, multi-dimensional, geometric data structures (C++)
  - graphical application to analyze data from numerical experiments (QT)
  - a library of multi-objective evolutionary algorithms (C++).
- Peer reviewed at top journals and conferences (EJOR, IEEE TEVC, GECCO).



Researcher, DOLPHIN TEAM, INRIA, Lille, France,

Exploration of differential evolution parameters (C++/QT).

- Performed numeric experimentation using the Grid5000 cluster computer.
- Analyzed and interpreted tens of GB of data using a single laptop computer.



Programmer, ACCENTURE TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS, Vienna, Austria.

Administered IBM mainframe jobs (JCL, ISPF,  $\mathrm{DB2},\ \mathrm{PL/I}$ ) and wrote technical documentation.

Freelance programmer, MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT OF SLOVAKIA, Bratislava, Slovakia,

Digital archive of news articles.

- Implemented a data entry tool for teammates who classified the articles.
- $\circ$  Designed and implemented an application to browse >2000 pdf files (C++).

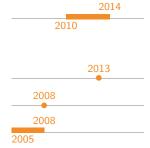


#### Freelance math tutor.

Teaching linear algebra and mathematical analysis, mostly in one on one lessons.

**Volunteer**, *Initiative to preserve environment in Bratislava old town*.

Helped save the park on Belopotockeho street from being replaced by an apartment building by collecting over 1000 valid petition signatures and participating in legal battles (park.estranky.sk).



### Awards and scholarships

**Monbukagakusho**, Scholarship of the Japanese Ministry of Education, Awarded to two research students from Slovakia annually. Selection based on research plan quality and recommendation from a prospective supervisor from the Japanese side.

IEEE Young Researcher Presentation Award, IEEE Session, Niigata.

**Erasmus**, Full scholarship and tuition for 5 months (University of Pisa).

**Dean's motivational scholarship**, top 10% of class, awarded 4 times.

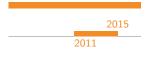
## Books that influenced me professionally

Robert C. Martin Clean Code

Scott Meyers

Effective C++, Effective Modern C++

Thomas H. Cormen et al. Introduction to Algorithms



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#### Formal education

Doctorate, Engineering (Computer Science),

Department of Mathematics and System Development, Shinshu University, Nagano, Japan.

Title of thesis: Improvements in Understanding and Performance of Multi-objective Differential Evolution

Master, APPLIED MATHEMATICS,

Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovakia,

Graduated with honors.

Title of thesis: Stochastic Processes in State Space Form and ML Estimation of Their **Parameters** 

Erasmus exchange student, MATHEMATICS AND ECONOMICS,

University of Pisa, Italy.

Bachelor, APPLIED MATHEMATICS,

Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovakia,

Graduated with honors.

Title of thesis: Strange Functions in Mathematical Analysis

## Major publications

M. Drozdik, H. Aguirre, Y. Akimoto, and K. Tanaka 2015

## Comparison of Parameter Control Mechanisms in

#### Multi-objective Differential Evolution

Presented at the Learning and Intelligent Optimization (LION9) conference, published in Lecture Notes in Computer Science, volume 8994.

M. Drozdik, H. Aguirre, Y. Akimoto, and K. Tanaka

**Computational Cost Reduction of** 

**Non-dominated Sorting Using M-front** 

In IEEE Transactions on Evolutionary Computation.

2014 M. Drozdik, K. Tanaka, H. Aguirre, S. Verel, A. Liefooghe, and B. Derbel

# An Analysis of Differential Evolution Parameters on

**Rotated Bi-objective Optimization Functions** 

Presented at the Simulated Evolution and Learning (SEAL2014) conference, published in Lecture Notes in Computer Science, volume 8886.

2013 M. Drozdik, H. Aguirre, and K. Tanaka

#### Attempt to Reduce the Computational Complexity in Multi-objective Differential Evolution Algorithms

Presented at the GECCO 2013 conference, published in Proceedings of the 15th Annual Conference on Genetic and Evolutionary Computation.