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## PUBLICATIONS

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Checkered Regression	preprint, 02/2022
Robustness via distributional dynamic programming	preprint, 12/2021
Weighted empirical risk minimization	ESANN, 10/2020
Dimensionality reduction and (bucket) ranking	ALT, 03/2019
Profitable bandits	ACML, 11/2018
Ranking data with continuous labels	NeurIPS, 12/2017
Max k-armed bandit: on ExtremeHunter and beyond	ECML-PKDD, 09/2017

## EXPERIENCE

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<b>Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona, Spain</b>	10/2020 - 10/2021
Postdoc researcher: distributional dynamic programming, safety	
<b>DeepMind, London, UK</b>	03/2019 - 07/2019
PhD internship: distributional (and deep) reinforcement learning, exploration	
<b>Inria, SequeL team, Villeneuve d'Ascq, France</b>	03/2015 - 07/2015
Research internship: multi-armed bandit, shortest path problem	

## EDUCATION

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<b>Télécom Paris, LTCI lab, Palaiseau, France</b>	2016 - 2020
PhD thesis: 'Ranking and Risk-Aware Reinforcement Learning'	
<b>École normale supérieure de Cachan, Cachan, France</b>	2015 - 2016
MSc 'MVA': machine learning	
<b>École polytechnique, Palaiseau, France</b>	2012 - 2015
MSc: applied mathematics, computer science	

## TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

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<b>Programming</b>	Python, TensorFlow
<b>Languages</b>	French (mother tongue), English (fluent), Spanish (intermediate)