

CLTL : Meet and Greet 2022
List of participating students
Paper pitches

December, 1, 2022 3-5PM



Ajda Efendi

ABOUT ME

I am Ajda Efendi, and I am 25 years old. I graduated from Middle East Technical University- Teaching English as a Foreign Language. I worked as a teacher for 2 years in METU and a kindergarten. I always enjoyed learning about AI and I decided to combine my two favorite fields, Linguistics and Programming and change my teaching career for good; so I decided to study Text Mining. This year is my second year in the program and that's why I don't have much courses left so, I want to use this time and do an internship to learn more about my field in real-life project and improve my skills. In January, I have no classes so, I can start my internship starting from January onwards.

Hobbies

Since I moved to Amsterdam, my hobbies have changed. I used to practice painting, I was a folk dancer and I was working on a Conlang project but now I am trying to learn more about my field and practice programming as much as I can. I still paint and practice learning new languages as hobby but I don't take that much time for them as I have a busier and more planned life now.

Education

Middle East
Technical
University-TEFL
University-TEFL
2016-2021

Vrije
Universiteit
Amsterdam-
Linguistics [Text
Mining]
2021-2023

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Certificates

-High Honor Graduate from BA. English:C2
Turkish:Native
-MAG 2017-Assistant [Community Service]

-Canvas Network Online ContentBased Instruction
-Canvas Network Online- integrating Critical Thinking Skills into the Exploration of Culture in an EFL Setting.
-Research paper-approved by BAYEK-Benefits of out-of-class Activities in L2 Acquisition [the study conducted by me and my colleagues]

Languages

English:C2
Turkish:Native
French:A2

Interests

Machine Learning
-NLP
-Data Analysis
-Python

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Margriet Korteweg



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>>> education

- * currently: Master, track Text Mining, VU
- * translator's degree (English), ITV Hogeschool
- * university general arts programme ('algemene letteren'), consisting of courses in French linguistics, Italian language & literature, and PR/communication), VU
- * French language & literature (1st year ['propedeuse']), VU

>>> job experience

translator from English, French and Italian into Dutch for 20+ years –mainly medical texts. Experience with translation tools and machine translation/post-editing.

>>> languages (in order of fluency)

- * Dutch
- * English
- * French
- * Python (including NLP-relevant modules/packages)
- * Italian
- * German

>>> thesis project/internship

thesis project – relating to Dutch FrameNet – has already been arranged, but I am interested in discussing opportunities for a possible career switch

>>> interests in the field of NLP/machine learning

- * linguistic analysis of data
- * bias
- * machine translation (professional interest)
- * applications in the medical & humanitarian fields

>>> about me

- * accurate
- * modest
- * analytical
- * helpful
- * loyal

<CECILIA SCHRAMM>



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Strong proficiency in Linguistics and Python 3 thanks to a Minor in Linguistics, independent studying during the COVID-19 pandemic, and ongoing Text Mining Master at the VU. Extensive experience analyzing modern media through a variety of frameworks to draw conclusions about society. Would love to learn from and work on more complex NLP tasks in a hands-on environment!

<WORK EXPERIENCE>

ANY Lifestyle Marketing GmbH / Sales & Marketing Internship

Oct 2021 - Jun 2022, Hamburg & Frankfurt, Germany

Assistant of Head of Sales, organized schedules & meetings, created and oversaw the creation of marketing materials, including websites & presentations, in charge of Social Media channel

EVS Translations / Marketing Manager Assistant

Jan 2019 - Jun 2020, Atlanta, GA, USA

Assisted with capturing and analyzing social media metrics, tracked and analyzed web analytics to recommend proactive adjustments to strategies, wrote and localized website texts, powerpoints, and flyers for the US office

Noticeable Work

Programmed own, functional Tetris game, programmed own, functional Snake game, Dean's List Emory University (May 2017)

<LANGUAGES>

- German (native)
- English (fluent)
- Spanish (basic)

<EDUCATION>

MA in Text Mining

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
Amsterdam
2022-Present
Current average: 8.6/10

BA in Media Studies, Minor in Linguistics

Emory University
Atlanta, GA, USA
2014-2018
GPA: 3.9/4.0

<SKILLS & PROFICIENCIES>

- Programming in Python
- Experience with different toolkits
 - NLTK, spaCy, stanza, gensim, pandas, sci-kit learn, BeautifulSoup
- Word-embedding models
- LaTex
- Microsoft Office

<INTERESTS>

- Language phenomena across cultures
- Using technology to understand human society and vice versa
- Creating free and safe virtual spaces
- Ethical AI
- Personal: creative writing



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Objective

I am looking for internship starting April 2023. With this internship, I hope to gain hands-on experience on Natural Language Processing tasks, to enhance the knowledge I obtain from my courses, and to integrate this experience towards research and academic purposes.

Research interests:

- Sentiment analysis
- Named Entity Recognition
- Machine Translation
- Topic modelling

Education

MA in Linguistics, Text Mining 2022 - present

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, The Netherlands

- Programming in Python.
- NLP toolkits: NLTK, spaCy, Sci-kit learn, stanza, gensim, pandas, Tweepy, BeautifulSoup, Numpy.
- Machine learning: Linear Regression, Logistic Regression, Support Vector Machine, Word Embeddings.
- LaTeX.
- Microsoft Office.

Bachelor in German Literature 2012- 2016

Universitas Padjadjaran, Indonesia

GPA 3.49 / 4.0

Work experience

Visa operation officer 2018 - 2019

VFS Global, Germany and Netherlands Embassy, Jakarta, Indonesia

Freelance German teacher 2017 - 2019

Jakarta, Indonesia

Languages

- Indonesian (mother tongue)
- English (level C1, British Council IELTS test, band score 7)
- German (level B1)
- Spanish (level A1)



Hasan Shahoud

Artificial Intelligence Student



About me

I'm a passionate, proactive Artificial Intelligence student. I have a background in web development and I love programming.

Career History

Full-stack developer

Amplify voices in crisis situations | 2018 to 2019

- Upinion can help you reach your target audience for qualitative.
- I worked extensively on building chatbots for several platforms (Facebook, sms and WhatsApp).

Front-end developer

Brokers Comparison | 2017 to 2018

- Assisted in the development of fashion designs for the women's wear division
- Conducted research on fashion trends and styling and production techniques

Skills & Competencies

Team work

Critical Thinking

Communication

Programming; Python, JS, Java, and R

Ontology Engineering

My Education

AI bachelor

Vrije Universiteit | 2019 to 2022

- Bachelor degree in Artificial Intelligence in Amsterdam.

Master

Vrije Universiteit | 2022-2023

- Text mining

Hobbies

- Reading: makes me calm and focused.
- Sport: Yoga, kung-fu and jogging.
- Volunteering: I love helping other people and facilitate the process for them.

Languages

- <Arabic level="native" />
- <English level="fluent" />
- <Dutch level="proficient" />

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Education

- **Master Text Mining**

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

- Extracurricular courses in Data Science

- **Bachelor Communication & Information Sciences**

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

- Major Linguistics
- Minor Digital Humanities & Social Analytics

Skills

- Python
- R
- LaTex
- Machine Learning
- NLP toolkits
- Analytical & curious mind
- Strong communication skills
- Fluent in English & Dutch

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SOPHIE VAN DUIN

Looking for an internship
starting march/april 2023

Experience

- **Student Consultant** (2022 - present) | Student Consultant
 - Data & business oriented projects
 - Current project: implementation and optimization of ERP system
- **Recruiter** (2020-2022) | SENSE Recruitment
 - Managed several portfolio companies, mainly large consultancies
 - Founder voluntary project to help Ukrainian refugees find a job in the Netherlands
- **Student assistant** (2019-2020) | Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
- **Intern Data Analysis** (2019) | CLARIAH
 - SERPENS project on automated annotation of historical texts

I am interested in several fields of NLP but also in AI and data analytics in a broader context. I would like to work as a fulltime intern within a dynamic environment.

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<p>About me</p> <hr/> <p>Starting from my youth of making simple IRC chatbots, multi-lingual Wikipedia scrapers, and text-based games in QBASIC, my interest in data and languages has spanned my whole life. Both are intertwined with an endless fascination with technology. Today, my passion and intuition for these subjects have led me to the field of Natural Language Processing. I continue to be very hands-on and eager to dive into the unknown, seeing every project not as a task to complete but as an opportunity to learn something new.</p> <p>I am seeking an internship starting April 2023. With an internship, I hope to find myself in an environment full of new challenges that push me to develop my skills, solve problems creatively, and teach me more about what human language technologies can do. In doing so, I aspire to create work that has real benefit for the lives of others.</p>			
<p>Education</p> <hr/> <p>MA Text Mining Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam Amsterdam 2022-present</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Current average: 9.4/10 * Coursework covers WordNet, Support Vector Machines, VADER, Spacy, BERT <p>BA Linguistics Universiteit van Amsterdam Amsterdam 2018-2022</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Graduated <i>cum laude</i>* * Average: 8.34/10 * Research-oriented training across all domains of linguistics * Coursework included Python, Praatscript and R * Portfolio focused on Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian * Thesis topic: Can a BERT variant recognise the gender of foreign named entities in Serbian? <p>Study abroad Leiden University Leiden 2018</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Classes focused on music, technology and linguistics * Research paper: A critique of open source ideology in music <p>Associate of Arts Seattle Central College Seattle 2013-2018</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Average: 3.7/4.0 * Included a year of Commercial Photography training 	<p>Work history</p> <hr/> <p>Freelance photographer sofi.pics Seattle; Amsterdam; Taipei 2015-present</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Clients include Vulcan, VICE Media, Hardly Art, Sound Publishing * Managed all aspects of photography and videography business * Produced and sold prints, organised gallery shows * Booked photoshoots and interacted with clients * Directed full sets on location and in studios * Trained assistants * Gave talks in front of an international audience at Droog Amsterdam and Klub Mama Zagreb * Worked as an assistant for award-winning architecture photographer, Lara Swimmer <p>Photographer Stichting De Vrolijkheid Rijswijk 2019-2021</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Assisted artists in residencies * Documented works created by artists during their residencies * Worked with refugee children from all over the world * Gave private photography lessons to refugee childrens 	<p>Selected works</p> <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Encoding Signs from the Past - A piece about what text encoding issues in Croatian and Slovene teach us about the past * Praat music synthesizer - Music synthesizer and score reader written in Praatscript * digicam.love - A worldwide photography community I founded with events and talks in eight countries. 	
<p>Skills</p> <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Python (BERT, nltk, scikit learn, Spacy, stanza, Pandas, BeautifulSoup) * UNIX systems, Bash shell and bash scripting * LaTeX, HTML, Markdown * Git * vim, Microsoft Office suite, Adobe Suite 	<p>Languages</p> <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * English (native) * Cantonese (mother) * Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian (conversant) * Dutch (basic) * French (basic) * Additional experience with Latin, Mandarin, Swedish and Lithuanian 	<p>Professional interests</p> <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Low-resource languages * Language modeling * AI applications for language students * Text prediction * Targeting biases * Automatic translation * Data categorisation (including image and music) 	<p>Personal interests</p> <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * GNU/Linux and open-source software * Retro-computing, retro-gaming * Lo-fi digital photography * World and independent cinema * Slavic languages * Underground and experimental music
<p>This document was written from scratch in HTML using vim running on Arch Linux. Source code available on github. ASCII art generated via this link.</p>			

Yeshan Wang

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EDUCATION

Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand

Jul. 2019 – Jul. 2022

- Bachelor of Science (Major in Data Science)

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Netherlands

Sep. 2022 –

- Master's degree (Major in Text Mining)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Text classification

Mar. 2022 – May. 2022

- build a baseline classification system (CNN) on Reuters dataset, then apply it on AG-News dataset.
- select the pretrained XLNet model and fine tune it on AG-News dataset.
- improved the model performance by using the mask-language-model(MLM) from RoBERTa model.

Emotion classification with chatbot

Sep. 2022 – Oct. 2022

- Create 6 emotion classification systems by combining 3 datasets with a chatbot.
- Preprocess data bias and remove noise.

Bilingual data analysis

Nov. 2022 – Dec. 2022

- Crawl bilingual data (Persian & English) from Twitter
- TF-IDF keyword extraction and k-means clustering.

Named entity recognition (NER)

Nov. 2022 – Dec. 2022

- Buildup NER systems by using 6 models (Logistics regression, Naive Bayes, Support Vector Machine, Conditional Random Fields, BERT).
- Feature engineering: extract features, feature representation, feature vectorization, feature ablation.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Data Analyst, Guangzhou TipDM Intelligent Technology Co.,Ltd.

May 2020 – Jun. 2020

- Real-time collection and processing of COVID-19 data using a web crawler developed in Python.
- Produced multiple visualisations of the COVID-19 data.

HONORS

Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand

Dec. 2021

- Included on the Dean's List for academic excellence.

SKILLS

Programming languages: proficient in Python & R



IRMA TUINENGA

PASSIONATE ABOUT KNOWLEDGE EXTRACTION

Knowledge is everywhere. An abundance of it is stored in a variety of text sources, however mostly hidden. Many companies face the challenge of retrieving this hidden knowledge for their specific business needs. I am currently working as a Product Information Manager, which has been the first step in my ambition to develop myself in the area of knowledge extraction, and my master's in Text Mining is the second. I am looking for a fulltime internship in Text Mining as of April 2023 for which I intend to take a break from my job. I am looking forward to applying my skills and experience to assist you in your quest to retrieve knowledge.

SKILLS

- Programming in Python
- Data Analysis with Pandas
- NLP toolkits
- Machine Learning toolkits
- LaTeX document editing
- Document management
- Version control
- Content writing for various audiences and output formats
- Single-sourcing of content
- Recruitment
- Leading international and asynchronous teams

WORK EXPERIENCE

PRODUCT INFORMATION MANAGER

ORTEC | 2018 - current

- Hire and lead a team of technical writers and product information specialists
- Apply the latest information management technologies to enable search engines and Context Sensitive Help to generate demand-based knowledge
- Co-lead a company-wide project on human knowledge enablement

SENIOR PRODUCT CONSULTANT

ORTEC | 2013 - 2018

- Sparring partner on document management and version control issues
- Develop templates for consistently modeling product information
- Create product information content

INTERESTS

- Conversational AI
- Content generation with AI
- AI-powered recruitment
- Dashboarding with AI
- Bias detection
- Opinion Mining
- Emotion detection
- Sentiment analysis

EDUCATION

MA LINGUISTICS, TEXT MINING

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam | 2022 - 2023
Current GPA 9.2/10

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PREMASTER LINGUISTICS

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam | 2021 - 2022
GPA 9.7/10

CHANGE MANAGEMENT

Yearth Academy | 2020

LEADING PROFESSIONALS

De Baak | 2018 - 2019



MERUYERT NURBERDIKHANOVA

OBJECTIVE

I am looking for an internship from April 2023 and on, with an opportunity to write my thesis based on this experience.

ABOUT MYSELF

I love to read fantasy and gothic horror in my free time. I crochet for fun and picked up knitting recently. Otherwise, you can find me trying to identify fungi and flora out in the wild.

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EXPERIENCE

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY IN BULGARIA

- 2017-2018
- Admission Office, Student Assistant

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE Utrecht | BA HONOURS

- 2019-2022
- Interdomain major in Psychology and Linguistics
- Minors in Methods & Statistics , Business Economics
- Utrecht Excellence Scholarship
- Cum Laude

VRIJE UNIVERSITEIT AMSTERDAM | MA

- 2019-2022
- Linguistics: Text Mining

SKILLS & ABILITIES

SOFTWARE

- Python, R, LaTeX
- SPSS, AMOS, NVIVO
- Microsoft Office

LANGUAGES

- Kazakh and Russian – native
- English – fluent
- Dutch – lower intermediate

LEADERSHIP

FUTURE LEADERS EXCHANGE (FLEX) PROGRAM

- 2015-2016, Oconee County, GA, USA

IDEAL WORKSHOP PROJECT

- Spring 2018 , Pristina, Kosovo

READING FOR WELLBEING

- Fall 2021, International School Utrecht

Noah- Manuel Michael

Linguist
Student MA Text Mining



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STUDIES

MA Linguistics Text Mining

VU Amsterdam
(current GPA 10.0)

2023
2022

BA Linguistics & Turcology

Johannes Gutenberg University
Mainz (GPA 10.0)

2022
2018

EXPERIENCE

Student Assistant

Web Development,
WordPress, Microsoft Office

2022
2020

Flight Attendant

Fast-Paced Work
Environment, Teamwork

2022
2017

LANGUAGES

- German – Native
- English – C2
- Dutch – C1
- Spanish, French,
Turkish, Polish – B1

SKILLS

Python

NLP Tools

Machine Learning

Payam Fakhraei

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Education

TEXT MINING MASTER DEGREE | 2022-2023| VRIJE UNIVERSITEIT AMSTERDAM

Courses:

Programming in Python for Text

Machine Learning for NLP

Language as Data

Introduction Human Language Technology

RESEARCH MASTER DEGREE | 2018-2021| VRIJE UNIVERSITEIT AMSTERDAM

- Environmental Humanities

BACHELOR'S DEGREE | 2016-2018 | UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BERKELEY

English Literature

PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

Data analysis/processing

Sentiment Analysis

Emotion and humor detection

Multilingual NLP

Experiences

KINDERACTIVITEITEN | ASYLUM CENTER UTRECHT | 2020 - ONGOING

On a weekly basis, alongside a group of volunteers, we perform various activities which range from playing sportive game to making art crafts in order to help children to re-engage with their new home, interact more with each other, and make new friends.

IS FUTURE FANTASTIC | 2020 - ONGOING

ITFF is an Utrecht based community network which aims to foster a conversation between students, researchers, and residents of Utrecht by focusing on how technology is changing our daily lives.

SCHOLARSHIP READER | UC BERKELEY | 2018-ONGOING

As a part of scholarship review committee and a previous UCEAP alumni, I review scholarship applications from students who are looking for funds to pursue their study abroad.

BOARD MEMBER | ENVIRONMENTAL HUMANITIES CENTER | 2020-21

My responsibilities included scheduling, chairing and notetaking meetings, public engagement through social media channels, and finding suitable lectures for our monthly entanglement series.

BUSINESS OWNER | DIGITAL FINGERPRINTING | 2010 – 2013

I ran a small business for three years where I acquired valuable skills in business administration. As an owner-operator, my responsibilities ranged from developing business plan, accounting, marketing, safekeeping client's sensitive information to day-to-day interaction with my clients.



Class Merel_de_Groot:

```
def __init__(self):
    self.master={
        'MSc': 'Artificial Intelligence',
        'MA': 'Linguistics: Text Mining'}
    self.bachelor={
        'BSc': 'Artificial Intelligence'}
    self.availability='from April 2023'
    self.interests=[
        'Text based fraud detection',
        'AI in Health',
        'Robot communication',
        'Sarcasm detection and understanding']
```

```
def projects_(self):
    oldFavorites=[

        'Creating an interactive storyteller robot',
        'Linking entities in unstructured text to wikidata',
        'Gender inclusive robot interactions',
        'Training a gaming agent with evolutionary computing']

    personal='Solve all at home escape rooms'

    #TODO AI_thesis = 'Multilingual Travel Knowledge Extraction'
    #TODO Find_job = 'At your company?'
    #TODO TM_thesis = 'UNKNOWN'
```





```
def work_experience(self, function):
    if function == 'Teaching Assistant':
        databases=[2020, 2019]
        history_of_science=2018
        inleiding_modelleren_en_simuleren=2017
        location=['VU', 'Amsterdam']

    elif function == 'Treasurer':
        asv_dionysos=[2016-2017, 'Groningen']
        stichting_studiereizen_storm=[2017-2019, 'Amsterdam']
```

```
def contact_details(self):
    email=[
        'm.n.m.de.groot@student.vu.nl',
        'mnmddegroot1993@gmail.com']

    linkedin=
        'https://www.linkedin.com/in/m-n-m-merel-de-groot/'

    return 'Contact me'
```



Basje Maes



About me

I am looking for an internship starting in April 2023 in the field of Natural Language Processing or computational linguistics.

During my bachelor's degree in linguistics, I developed a strong affinity for computational linguistics. This led me to the master Text Mining, where I am currently learning how to process language using NLP and machine learning tools. I would love to expand and apply this knowledge by finding an internship in this field.

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Education

2019-2022: Bachelor Linguistics at Utrecht University

- Minor in Artificial Intelligence
- Graduated Cum Laude

Skills

- Python
- C#
- Latex
- MS office

Other interests & hobbies

- Language development
- Phonetics
- Language translation
- Learning new languages (currently studying French)
- Hiking
- Reading
- Making music



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SUMMARY

A motivated individual with pragmatic consulting, online publishing and customer service.

Passionate about seeking progression on productivity and work flow efficiency.

JOB EXPERIENCE

IT CONSULTANT

2020.08-2022.06 SIEMENS FACTORY AUTOMATION ENGINEERING LTD.(SFAE)

Two years of practice in soft business and technical skills, which includes SAP, Microsoft 365, Azure AD and others IT service-related responsibilities, such as:

- Managing and supporting all virtual system including development and production on Windows(1909-22H2) Pure Applications.
- Deploying installation and debugging system changes on computing devices.
- Trouble shoot IT problems and provide users with effective solutions.
- Hardware Support, such as docking, monitor and windows desktop.

COURSE DEVELOPER

2018.08-2020.03 BUBU ENGLISH (ONLINE PUBLISHER)

Specialized in CLIL lesson planning and context teaching.

- Language teaching research
- Innovative ESL project plan& design
- Curriculum development
- Transcript editing and refining

SKILLS

Customer Service

Organizing and Planning

Technical Support

Problem-solving

EDUCATION

2012.09-2016.07 CHIZHOU UNIVERSITY (BA DEGREE, MAJOR NETWORK ENGINEERING)

2022.10-NOW VRIJE UNIVERSITEIT (MA DEGREE, TEXT MINING TRACK)



CHRISTINA EMMANOUELA KOSTARA

TEXT MINING STUDENT

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A BIT FOR MYSELF

My friends and family call me Emma. I am 28 years old and I am currently enrolled in the Text Mining MA program. I am interested in starting an internship in April 2023 and I am currently in search of one. I completed my BA studies in English Language and Literature in November 2017 while I have also obtained a MA degree in English Literature (Letterkunde) at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam in August 2022.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Foreign Language Teacher
English, Spanish, Greek and Italian to both adult and young learners in schools in Italy and Greece as well as online
- Translator, text editor and teaching material designer working as a freelancer
- Radio Producer
- Hospitality Management

COURSES & PROJECTS

As a foreign language teacher, languages have always been the centre of my interests. Currently my academic focal point has shifted towards the interactions between human language and computers. NLP is giving computers the ability to understand text and spoken words in much the same way human beings do, which is something that I find fascinating.

Courses I've followed so far:

- Machine Learning
- Language as Data
- Programming in Python
- Human Language Technology

Projects:

- Emotion Classification Analysis of human dialogue
- Project examining whether the Twitter platform can be perceived as an honest channel of public opinion by retrieving and analysing Dutch and American Tweets regarding the controversial topic of abortion
- Named Entity Recognition and Extraction

INTERESTS & GOALS

Sentiment Analysis is an area of NLP that really interests me while I am also looking forward to working and gaining more insight on Machine Translation. By following an internship, I hope to gain some hands-on working experience in my field of study and delve into more applied aspects of Text Mining and NLP.

HOBBIES

When I am not busy with academic or work projects, I love to travel, watch movies and read literary books. Other hobbies of mine include roller-skating and hiking.



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Hobbies:

Music, languages, modern dance, reading, cooking

I am looking for an internship starting in April 2023. With my background in general linguistics and a broader interest in digital humanities, I want to learn how to retrieve and analyze (textual) data using linguistic information. I am open to any internship that will provide me with practical insight into some of the current Natural Language Processing tasks and methods.

EDUCATION

2022 – present:

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam – MA Linguistics: Text Mining

2019 – 2022

University of Amsterdam – BA Linguistics

- specialization Syntax & Semantics
- BA thesis: Negative Concord in language contact scenarios
- electives in digital humanities

SKILLS

Python, R, Microsoft Office, NLP toolkits

Languages:

- Polish – native
- English – fluent
- Dutch – intermediate
- German – intermediate
- Norwegian – basic
- Swedish – basic

Sezen Tuvay

Looking for an internship
starting from February 2023

Background

Bachelor: Artificial Intelligence (VU)
Minor: Technology, Law and Ethics (VU)
Master: Text Mining (VU)



Skills

Python, ML, NLP Toolkits, HTML5, CSS, Javascript, Pandas, XML, JSON,
Matlab

Languages

Dutch, English, Turkish

Interests

Fraud Detection, Cybersecurity, Multilingual Data, Natural Language, Emotion Detection, Social Media Data, Data Analysis.

Hobbies

Cooking, art, traveling, cultures, languages

Looking forward to applying my programming skills to conquer complex goals in a company. Eager to work for an aspirational company with a higher purpose.

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Professional Summary

I am committed, ardent, and proficient English to Indonesian translator with 7 years of progressive working experience. I am currently enrolled in **Linguistics: Text Mining** program where I obtained a wide depth of knowledge and competence in programming and NLP both from the program as well as self-study the past few years. My latest working experience is id_ID Language Expert with responsibility to provide localization needs for global financial company.

I am seeking for internship possibilities in the NLP sector where I may hone my abilities and contribute to the growth of the company's language modeling or NLP system starting in **April 2023**.

Siti Nurhalimah	Working Experience 08/2022 - Present Pactera Edge, Malaysia Indonesian Language Expert Indonesian Language Expert As part of a team working on localization for one of global financial technologies in APAC market, my tasks include performing translation, editing and/or review tasks providing quality in customer-facing content. Defining voice and tone, terminology, quality standards, and improvements for product and marketing content. Performing Root Cause Analysis and escalation of problems found to improve target language quality 05/2020 - 05/2021 Saassy, Indonesia Data Analyst & Scientist As a junior data scientist, my tasks include data analysis and marketing strategies research to integrate AI and Machine Learning into the software system. Analytics tools installation and documentation such as Facebook Pixel, Google Tag Manager, LinkedIn Insight Tag and Google Analytic. 09/2020 - 01/2021 Supertype, Indonesia Data Analyst Student I was assigned to a unit that was in charge of producing visualization on text reviews using several Python libraries such as Altair, Plotly, and Matplotlib. 2/2019 - 11/2019 Tomato, Vietnam Translator I worked as a full-time translator where I was responsible to translate K-Pop news from English to Indonesian in daily basis for Indonesian K-Pop fans. The translation products were uploaded on official V Today V Apps site by Naver.
Hobbies <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Baking and cooking• Biking	Education 08/2011 - 12/2014 State University of Malang, Malang 09/2022 - Present Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam



SWARUPA HARDIKAR

TEXT MINING STUDENT

PROFILE

Looking for an internship starting April 2023 within the NLP domain to supplement the knowledge I gain during my master's. Owing to my previous education in English and experience in content editing, my interests lie in working to build language-enhancement tools. Narrower Interests: Sentiment/emotion analysis, chatbots, machine translation
Broader Interests: Accessibility of language learning and improvement for all

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SKILLS (RELEVANT & IRRELEVANT)

- Python
- + NLP toolkits and ML toolkits
- Latex
- MS Office
- Basic Illustration
- Content editing/proofreading

EDUCATION

MA LINGUISTICS: TEXT MINING

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

2022 - 2023 (Expected)

BA (HONS) ENGLISH

GRADE: 9.49

MIT World Peace University

2018 - 2021

EXPERIENCE

CONTENT EDITOR

- Proofread and edited various documents, including academic papers, job applications, business copies, and fiction works.
- Provided suggestions, reviews, and modifications to such documents wherever required.
- Received training in working on various referencing styles, including APA, MLA, and CMOS.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE MENTOR

- Worked with a visually impaired mentee in enhancing his English communication skills
- Collaborated with fellow mentors to improve the resource bank for other such mentees

CERTIFICATES

PYTHON DATA STRUCTURES

-University of Michigan via Coursera

PROGRAMMING FOR EVERYBODY

-University of Michigan via Coursera

LANGUAGES

- English (Fluent)
- Marathi (Native)
- Hindi (Fluent)
- German (Elementary)

CECILIA KUAN

TEXT MINING MA STUDENT

OBJECTIVE

An internship with valuable experience on hands-on projects, practical applications, and research topic integration.

EDUCATION

Current,
**MA in Linguistics, Text
Mining,**
Vrije University,
Expected completion date:
June 2023

BA in Architecture,
University of California,
Berkeley
USA

INTERESTS

Research Interests:

- Gender Bias
- Bias Mitigation
- Multilingualism in NLP
- Diversity Analysis

Personal Interests:

- Travel
- Painting
- Learning new languages

EXPERIENCE

**Relevant skills from past
experience,**

- organizational skills
- self-starter and goal oriented planning
- corporate teamwork, inter-communications and partnership

Director, Store Design, Gap Inc.,
New York, USA

Associate Project Manager,
Gensler,
San Francisco, USA

SKILLS

- Programming in Python
- Packages / Libraries: NLTK, spaCy, sci-kit learn, stanza, gensim, pandas, Tweepy, BeautifulSoup, NumPy, Seaborn,
- Machine Learning: Linear Regression, Logistic Regression, Naive Bayes, Support Vector Machine, word-embeddings, hyper-parameter tuning
- LaTex
- Microsoft Office

Languages:

- English (native)
- Chinese (native)
- French (B2)
- Japanese (basic)
- Dutch (basic)

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SALONI SINGH

Text Mining NLP

Hi! I am 25 year old Master's student looking for an internship for my thesis term in my NLP oriented degree.

I am looking forward to networking with professionals in my field the most! I also hope to get an opportunity to put the knowledge I am learning in this degree into practice. I want to give myself an edge in the job market by developing and refining my skills. Doing a thesis in a field that also interests me in a research capacity (listed below) would be a great bonus!

PAST EXPERIENCE

- MSc in **Mathematics** (4 years)
- **Data Scientist** career track with R programming -online course with DATACAMP
- **Data analyst** with Ralph Lauren (2 years)
- **Business analyst specialist** with Ralph Lauren (0.5 years)
- Built a data scraper for pdfs
- **Topic modelling** for product review tracking Internship project
- **User profiling** data analytics internship
- Image processing (edge detection) study project

INTERESTS, OTHER SKILLS

- Natural Language generation
- Story generation
- Transformers
- Conversational AI
- Text to image models
- Arts and crafts (I recently picked up crocheting and digital art)
- Python / R programming / SQL / AWS / Agile /Jira / Tableau / SSIS
- Experience in retail domain
- Startup experience

Looking for an internship starting latest by - April 1, 2023. Willing to start work from March if required.

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HISHAM ALKAED

1st year TM Master Student

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Best works:

[Book Recommender](#)

[20 Questions game within noisy environments](#)

ABOUT ME (OBJECTIVE)

I am looking for an internship in the field of NLP starting from March/April. More specifically I would like to participate in some research in the field of Knowledge Graphs and NLP.

LANGUAGES

English: Fluent **Dutch:** Fluent **Arabic:** Fluent

INTERESTS

Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, Neural Networks, Mechanical Engineering, Robotics, Deep Learning, Automated Driving and Multi-agent Systems.

WORK EXPERIENCE (RELEVANT)

- Vrije Universiteit -- Teaching Assistant (intro to Data Science & Intelligent Systems) Sep 2022 - Now
- Nationale Nederlanders — Operational management assistant August 2021 – November 2021
- Marketing Impulse, The Hague, Rijswijk —Marketing advisor Nov 2019 - March 2020

EDUCATION

- Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Amsterdam, The Netherlands — Artificial Intelligence WO Bachelor Sep 2019 - Sep 2022 (GPA 8.8)
- Technische Universiteit Delft, Delft, The Netherlands — Computer Science WO Bachelor Sep 2018 – May 2019

SKILLS

- Working with numbers & Using mechanical abilities & Time-management & The urge to expedite & Native communicator & Analytical thinking & Creativeness
- Programming skills: Python, SQL, SPARQL, Processing, Prolog, GOAL, React, R, JS, CSS, HTML

HOBBIES

Fitness, Cooking, Ping-Pong, Reading, Travel



Natalia Khaidanova

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About me:

Looking for an internship starting April 1, 2023.

I would like to combine the knowledge I have gained both in translation/ interpretation and NLP. Therefore, machine translation is the main task I am interested in. I aim to make machine translation perform as well as human translators and make it able to recognize humor and cultural differences. However, I would also love to have an internship in an organization that focuses on other issues as I am fond of coding and learning new skills.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

01/09/2022 - CURRENT

MA Text Mining

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, the Netherlands

01/09/2016 - 30/06/2021

Specialist's Degree (5 years), Linguist - Translator/Interpreter;

Specialization: Linguistic Support in Interstate Relations (English).

Linguistics University of Nizhny Novgorod, Russia

02/2019 - 07/2019

Exchange Student

University of Innsbruck, Austria

WORK EXPERIENCE

09/2021 - 04/2022

Technical Writer

Wrote technical communication

09/2020 - 06/2021

Translator

Translated and edited texts concerning different topics, worked with English-Russian language pairs

06/2019 - 06/2020

English Tutor

DIGITAL SKILLS

Python for text analysis | NLP toolkits (NLTK, spaCy, stanza, genism) | Word-embedding models | Machine Learning toolkits (scikit-learn) | Web Scraping with BeautifulSoup

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Russian (native speaker), English (C2), German (C1)

TAKEN AND PLANNED COURSES

Introduction Human Language Technology | Programming in Python for Text Analysis | Machine Learning for NLP | Language as Data | Applied Text Mining 1: Methods | Applied Text Mining 2: Domains | Advanced NLP

MOJCA KLOOS

HUMAN LANGUAGE
TECHNOLOGY - YEAR 2



ABOUT ME

Language has always been my passion. The HLT program has given me the opportunity to combine this passion with my fascination for the current technological advances that are being made in Machine Learning.

I find it important that the models we employ are explainable and interpretable, and that we think about the processes behind the numbers. My excitement so far has been sparked in the areas of Argument Mining and Medical NLP, but I am open to many more fields within Natural Language Processing.

What I hope to gain from an internship is to discover the more data-science part of NLP, gaining skills in for example SQL. In addition, I hope to be able to learn from, and contribute to a team of people from different backgrounds.

EXPERIENCE & EDUCATION

RMa Human Language Technology | 2021 - 2023
VU Amsterdam

Focus on (research skills in) Natural Language Processing and Machine Learning.

Teaching Assistant | September 2022 - Current
Computational Linguistics & Text Mining Lab, VU Amsterdam
Assisting first year MA students in practical lab sessions, grading assignments.

Student Assistant | May - September 2022
Computational Linguistics & Text Mining Lab, VU Amsterdam
Assisting in the development of Dutch Framenet.

BA English Language and Culture | 2017 - 2021
Utrecht University
Focus on formal linguistics.
Artificial Intelligence (minor)

CONTACT

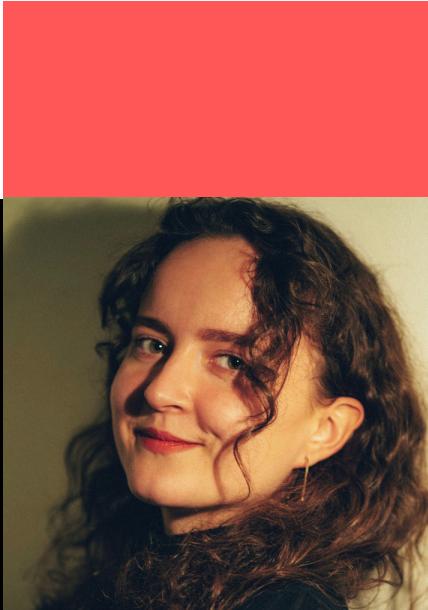
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SKILLS

- PROGRAMMING: PYTHON
- LATEX
- PROGRAMMING: C#

INTERESTS

- ROWING
- ROAD CYCLING
- READING
- GARDENING
- BAKING BREAD



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AGNIESZKA KLUSKA

COMPUTATIONAL LINGUIST

RMA student specialising in NLP with a strong background in Linguistics, passionate about all-things-language, ethics of NLP, and social change

Education

RMA Human Language Technology (year 2)

Vrije Universiteit
2021-2023

Linguistics

University of Amsterdam
2018-2021
• graduated Cum Laude

Languages

Polish (native)	██████████
English	██████████
Italian	██████

Hobbies



Experience

Teaching Assistant

2022 | Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam
Programming in Python for Text Analysis

Team Member

2021 | ELLIS-Big-Bench, Amsterdam
Creating a collaborative benchmark intended to probe large language models for Google's Beyond the Imitation Game Benchmark (Big Bench) challenge; paper: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2206.04615>

Internship

- Looking for an internship starting in February 2022
- Would love to work on a topic related to voice technology, bias in NLP, social innovation

Expertise



Paper Pitch



Rorick Terlou

Human Language Technology
Research Master - Year 2

Skills

Programming (Python)	2+ yrs
Programming (R)	1+ yrs
Latex	2+ yrs.

Interests

- ▶ Bouldering
- ▶ Martial Arts
- ▶ Reading
- ▶ Mountain biking

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About me

Language can be incredibly messy! Even though text mining systems learn via pattern recognition, they do surprisingly well in extracting information from text. I am fascinated by the how and why of this process, especially when it comes to subjective interpretations.

I enjoy developing and maintaining efficient Text Mining models in my work with NLP. I like to spend time creating usable and understandable code. I enjoy learning how we can benefit from the knowledge of large language models while implementing them in low-resource environments. I also like to experiment with combining various resources to fulfill NLP tasks in a non-standard way.

During my internship, I hope to expand my knowledge of Natural Language Generation and perhaps learn more about conversational agents.

Experience

Working Student NLP Engineer Underlined ('s-Hertogenbosch)	03/2022 - present
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Developing and maintaining Text Mining models for customer service insights. Mainly focused on BERT/RoBERTa-like Topic Modeling/Classification and Sentiment Analysis

Human Language Technology (M.Sc.) Vrije Universiteit (Amsterdam) <i>NLP ▪ Machine Learning</i>	09/2021 - present
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Internship Phonology University of Amsterdam <i>Experimental Modeling of Phonological Language Inventory</i>	02/2021 - 04/2021
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Linguistics (B.A.) University of Amsterdam <i>Linguistics ▪ Modeling & Simulation (minor)</i>	09/2018 - 06/2021
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Other

- BA Thesis: Phonetic category emergence and adaptation in a bidirectional phonological and phonetic neural network;
<https://www.fon.hum.uva.nl/archive/2021/2021-BA-RorickTerlou.pdf>
- Thesis Popular Paper (video):
<https://youtu.be/YDts5SGCG84>



Vicky Kyrmanidi

Looking for an internship in Natural Language Processing (NLP) starting in 2023

I am eager to solidify and expand my knowledge by working with NLP applications across different domains. In my work, I apply my research skills and intuition to approach tasks in an inquisitive manner, identify goals and problems, and work systematically towards solutions. My personal goal is to help bridging the gap between Humanities and STEM making technological applications more accessible, inclusive, natural and humane.

EDUCATION :

- **Humanities Research Master in Human Language Technology**
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Netherlands | Anticipated July 2023
Current GPA: 8.3/10
- **Bachelor in English Linguistics and Literature**
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece | 2020
GPA: 8.37/10

EXPERIENCE:

- **University Teaching Assistant in Machine Learning, NLP Technology, Text Mining, Digital Humanities**
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
Amsterdam, Netherlands | March 2022 - Present
- **LOT Winter School Assistant Organizer**
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
Amsterdam, Netherlands | December 2021 – January 2022
- **EFL Teacher**
Alexander Language School
Thessaloniki, Greece | September 2017 – June 2018
- **Activity Organizer**
FOA Tennis School
Lamia, Greece | June 2015 – July 2016

EXTRACURRICULARS:

- **Member of the Faculty of Humanities Educational Committee**
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam | October 2022 - Present
- **Student Ambassador**
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam | October 2021 - Present
- **Student Representative in the LOT Educational Board**
Landelijke Onderzoekschool Taalwetenschap (LOT) | 2021-2022



BAS DIENDER

INTERESTS

- ▶ Deep learning
- ▶ Interpretability of language models
- ▶ NLP for low-resource languages

SKILLS

- ▶ Python
(including various NLP & machine learning toolkits)
- ▶ R
(including tidyverse packages and quanteda)
- ▶ LaTeX

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EDUCATION

MSc Artificial Intelligence
VU Amsterdam
September 2021 — present

MA Human Language Technology
VU Amsterdam
September 2020 — present

BA Linguistics
Utrecht University
September 2016 — July 2020

EXPERIENCE

TAT Zetwerk
Typesetting · TeX
June 2019 — present

National police
Internship · Text-mining · Webcare research
February 2020 — July 2020

Utrecht Data School
Topic modeling · Sentiment analysis
September 2019 — January 2020



Dorien Renting

I am in my second year of Human Language Technology. I am looking for an internship to start in February 2023. I am most interested in the variation there is in language, and how social aspects influence that.

Experience 2022 - present
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam *Teaching Assistant Language as Data*

2022
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam *Teaching Assistant Python*

2021
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam *Student Assistant Dutch Framenet*

Education 2021 - present
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam *MA Human Language Technology*

2020 - 2021
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam *Minor Digital Humanities and Social Analytics*

2017 – 2021
Universiteit van Amsterdam *BA English Language and Culture*

Skills

- Python
- R
- NLP toolkits
- Latex
- Dutch (native)
- English

Interested in

- Hate speech detection
- Sociolinguistics
- Social media data
- Deep learning

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LOOKING FOR

Internship or a job for one day in the week.

INTERESTS

Debiasing
Fairness and robustness
Argument mining
Stance detection
Computational history

HOBBIES

Reading (non-fiction, historical fiction)
Drawing
Writing

LANGUAGES

Fluently: English, Dutch
OK: Western Frisian, German

MARIJE BRANDSMA

EXPERIENCE

Teacher Assistant

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
2022 - currently
I assist(ed) teachers in the following courses: *Introduction to Python for Humanities and Social Sciences (BA)*, *Programming in Python for Text Analysis (MA)*, *Interpreting Information in Text by Humans and Machines (BA)*, *Machine Learning (MA)*.

Co-founder and secretary

Studievereniging SCIO
2019-2020
I helped found the student association for the BA degree Cognition, Language and Communication. Besides that I served as the secretary on the first board.

Teacher Assistant

Universiteit van Amsterdam
2018-2020
I assisted teachers as a general TA, by helping develop new courses and assisting in existing ones, such as in the courses *Human Cognition, Cognition & Communication* and *Statistics in R*. Besides that I regularly gave presentations about diverse topics at high schools, universities and companies.

EDUCATION

RMa Human Language Technology

Vrije universiteit
2021 – currently

BSc Cognition, Language & Communication

Universiteit van Amsterdam
2017-2021
Specializations in Artificial Intelligence and Linguistics

SKILLS

Programming: C, Python, R, SQL, HTML, CSS} | Various NLP methods |
Presenting | Professional writing in English and Dutch | Research