

Nathan Cornille

Curriculum Vitae

Academic output

Presentations

- November 2020 **Poster and flashtalk**, *From Neuroscience to Artificially Intelligent Systems*, Virtual.
DIRT: Distributed Internal Regression Transformer
- December 2019 **Oral and poster presentation**, *3rd Human Brain Project Curriculum Workshop on Cognitive Systems*, Glasgow.
Improving Language Understanding in Machines through Anticipation

Dissertations

- June 2019 **Master thesis**, *KULeuven*, Leuven, 17/20.
Analysis and Improvement of Named Entity Recognition for Biomedical Articles

Education

- 2019–current (planned 2023) **PhD computer science**, *Language Intelligence & Information Retrieval lab, KULeuven*, Leuven.
Natural Language Understanding, Deep Learning, Neuromorphic Computing
- 2017–2019 **Master computer science**, *KULeuven*, Leuven, 85.27% (Top 3% of 96 students).
Option Artificial Intelligence
- Fall of 2018 **Exchange semester**, *Tsinghua University*, Beijing, 92.33% - 3.8 GPA.
- 2014–2017 **Bachelor engineering sciences**, *KULeuven*, Leuven, 79.22% (Top 10% of 326 students).
Option Mechanics - Computer Science
- 2008–2014 **Secondary education**, *Sint-Michielscollege Brasschaat*, Brasschaat, 88.7%.
Option Ancient Greek - Mathematics

Working Experience

- Summer of 2019 **Associate Consultant Intern**, *Bain & Company*, Brussels.
Working on a European pricing strategy for a large consumer-goods company
- Summer of 2018 **Blockchain intern**, *IntellectEU*, New York City.
Doing research into methods for privacy in permissioned blockchains and automating financial message mapping
- Spring of 2018 & 2019 **Teaching assistant**, *KU Leuven*, Leuven.
Teaching exercise session for the first-year course 'Methodology of informatics'.

- 2016 - 2018 **Tutor**, *Sagio vzw*, Leuven.
Tutoring students for mathematics.
- Summer of **Software developer**, *Irex Consulting*, Brussels.
2017 Developing an Android application and a website.
- Summer of **Fundraiser**, *ONG Conseil*, Antwerp.
2015 Asking people in the street to become supporters for Oxfam Solidarity.
- 2012–2014 **Waiter**, *Melkerij Peerdsbos BVBA*, Brasschaat.
First job, learnt to work long days without complaining

Languages

Dutch	Very good	<i>Native language</i>
English	Very good	<i>Can hold complicated conversations without problems</i>
French	Good	<i>Can hold conversations</i>
German	Limited	<i>Can understand if spoken slowly/make myself somewhat clear</i>
Spanish	Limited	<i>Can understand if spoken slowly/make myself somewhat clear</i>

Computer skills

Machine learning	Tensorflow, PyTorch, keras, scikit	Procedural programming	Python, Bash
Numerical computing	Matlab, MuPad	Typesetting	LateX
Object-Oriented Programming	Java, C Sharp	Office tools	Word, Excel, Powerpoint
Version Control	Git	Databases	SQL
Functional programming	Prolog, Haskell	Modelling	IDP, Rodin

Interests

- Music Playing the guitar and singing
- Sports Basketball, football, frisbeeing, tabletennis

Student association engagements

- BEST Board Of European Students of Technology: An organisation that provides complementary education abroad for technology students, as well as organising engineering and other competitions. I was the co-Main Organiser of the 2019 Summer Course, and was the treasurer in 2017-2018.