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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

(2019 - present) Teaching Assistant, 02456 Deep Learning — DTU Compute

I work as a TA, create course material and am main supervisor to 40+ students for their final projects.

(2019 - present) Teaching Assistant, 02454 Introduction to Cognitive Science — DTU Compute

(2019) Machine Learning Summer Intern — raffle.ai

Development of a competitive text-to-SQL parser based on deep neural networks.

(2019 - present) Student Developer — Retune DSP

I help a team of engineers build and maintain deep learning pipelines for speech recognition systems.

(2016 - present) Lead Software Developer — Nordic Transition

Development and maintenance of an end-to-end data management platform for a career consultancy.

(2017 - 2019) Student Developer — Career Panorama

I helped build a startup seeking to disrupt the HR industry. Main contribution was prototyping.

EDUCATION

(2019 - present) M.Sc. Eng. stud. — Technical University of Denmark (DTU)

M.Sc. Mathematical Modelling & Computation student. Studies focus on advanced topics in machine learning and is supplemented by research on novel applications of deep learning. GPA: 10.2 (-3 to 12)

(2015 - 2018) B.Sc. Eng. — Technical University of Denmark (DTU)

B.Sc. Software Engineering. Studies focused on algorithms, machine learning, AI, cryptography and software engineering practices. GPA: 8.2 (-3 to 12)

(2018) Summer Schools on Autonomous Systems — Åbo Akademi & Tallinn Technical University

Participated in two summer schools on the development of high-assured autonomous systems.

(2017) Exchange — Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore

A semester devoted to computer vision, cryptography and large-scale software engineering.

HIGHLIGHTED PROJECTS

(2019) Raffle.ai — *From natural language questions to SQL queries*

Implementation of the modular SyntaxSQLNet for use in text-to-sql semantic parsing. Improved the reference model and increased accuracy significantly (from 37% to 49%) on the Spider dataset using less resources.

(2019) Distributed Deep Reinforcement Learning

Implementation of A3C for large-scale RL, extended in several ways to improve performance and scalability.

(2019) Playing Atari Games with REINFORCE & Deep Q-Networks

Implementation of the REINFORCE, DQN, DDQN and ActorCritic reinforcement learning algorithms with application to several classic Atari games. Public examination at AI Student Expo organised by Neural.

(2018) Retune DSP — *Voice Activity Detection in Noisy Environments*

Utilising novel deep learning techniques to increase robustness of low-complexity VAD in noisy environments.

(2018) Thesis: Rigshospitalet Glostrup — *Automatic Multi-Modal Detection of Autonomic Arousals in Sleep*

Multi-disciplinary study on the application of deep learning, digital signal processing and algorithms for automatic detection of biomarkers for sleep-related diseases in ECG and PPG signals.

(2017) SimCorp A/S — *Sentiment Analysis on Twitter For Stock Market Prediction*

TECHNICAL

Software Engineering

I am fluent in Python, C# and JavaScript, and I also have experience with C, C++, Matlab, R, SQL, Maple and Java among others. I use Git, Azure, Latex, Linux and HPC clusters on a daily basis.

I have a solid understanding of the design and analysis of advanced (sequential and parallel) algorithms and data structures and know how to develop efficient and maintainable software at scale.

Mathematical Modelling

I use PyTorch (Python) for deep learning but have experience with TensorFlow and Keras as well. For digital signal processing applications I use Python, Matlab, C and JavaScript.

LANGUAGES

Danish: mother tongue, *English*: fluent, *German*: conversational

References are given upon request