# MIKITA SAZANOVICH

Personal Website GitHub Profile

#### SUMMARY

I have diverse experience in Software Engineering, Machine Learning, and Competitive Programming through multiple internships and competitions.

#### **EDUCATION**

### Saint Petersburg, Russia

**Higher School of Economics** 

Sep 2019-until Jun 2021

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### **PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES AND SOFTWARE**

- Languages: Python, JVM family (Java, Kotlin, Scala), C++, Haskell.
- Databases: SQLite, Google Colossus.
- Frameworks: PyTorch, TensorFlow.
- Libraries: NumPy, SciPy, Pandas, Scikit-learn, OpenCV, Mathplotlib.
- Tools: PyCharm/IntelliJ IDEA, Jupyter Notebook, TensorBoard, Anaconda, virtualenv, Docker.
- Platforms: AWS EC2.

#### **INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE**

### Zürich, Switzerland

## Google SWE Intern in Research

Dec 2019-Apr 2020 (4 months)

- Worked at the TensorFlow Ecosystem team, where I developed a large-scale (3.4 billion parameters) natural language understanding model in TensorFlow and Python. The model increased the overall metrics by 2% with some tasks reaching up to 20% improvement.
- Contributed to the design of the second version of the internal machine learning framework written in C++.

### Toronto, Canada

### Uber Research Intern

Jul 2019-Sep 2019 (3 months)

- As a part of the Advanced Technologies Group, I implemented an effective method of using simulated data for safe real-world machine learning in PyTorch and Python.
- Contributed to and co-authored a CVPR 2020 paper on LiDAR simulation.

## Los Angeles, United States

Google SWE Intern

Jun 2018-Sep 2018 (3 months)

- Developed the next iteration of debugging tools for Google Drive in Java. The tools are used by tens of engineers internally.
- Conducted interviews with engineers regarding wanted features, updated backend APIs, incorporated them into the debugging service and integrated with the frontend.

#### Zürich, Switzerland

Google SWE Intern Jul 2017-Sep 2017 (3 months)

- Designed and launched an experimental feature for scheduling services in Google Calendar.
- The project was implemented in Java, and involved product discussions and algorithm design.

#### **ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### **Competitive Programming**

- The 27th International Olympiad in Informatics, top 10%, silver medal, 2015.
- The 28th Belarusian National Olympiad in Informatics, absolute winner, 2015.
- The 27th Belarusian National Olympiad in Informatics, absolute winner, 2014.
- The 26th Belarusian National Olympiad in Informatics, gold medal, 2013.

### **Open Source Projects**

- Context Helper (2017-2018) developed and published a plugin for IntelliJ IDEA.
- <u>Blackout</u> (2016) implemented a game for Android with libGDX.
- Contribution to GHC (2016) resolved and committed a Glasgow Haskell Compiler request.