Oleg Tsarkov

Education

2011 – 2013 Yandex School of Data Analysis.

2009 - 2014 Specialist (equivalent to Master's degree) in Mathematics, Moscow State University, Moscow, Russia, GPA - 5.0 / 5.

Work experience

May 2018 - Google Switzerland, Software engineer, Google Shopping, Bidding Team.

now o Working on cutting edge bidding solutions, which account for significant chunk of Google Shopping revenue.

- $\circ \ \ Understanding \ Google \ bidding \ solutions, \ reading \ a \ lot \ of \ source \ code \ with \ no \ initial \ knowledge \ of \ how \ they \ work.$
- o Detected several major bugs in the implementation, fixes of which statistically significantly improved the quality of traffic.
- o Implemented new bidding strategies and solutions, which did not exist in Google Shopping before.
- o Working on using Recurrent Neural Networks for session-based optimizations.
- Aug 2017 Yandex, Team Leader, Senior Software Engineer, Advertising Services, Autobudget Team.
- March 2018 The main focus is on supporting and improving backend of automatic bidder for Yandex Direct.
 - o Introducing new ideas and algorithms to be implemented in automatic bidder.
 - Managing an organized work of the team.
 - Jul 2016 Yandex, Senior Software Engineer, Advertising Services, Projects Management Team.
 - Aug 2017 Help in coordination of department-spread projects.
- Jun 2015 Yandex, Software Engineer, Advertising Services, Projects Management Team.
 - Jul 2016 o The main task was to support automatic advertisement bidder, available for Yandex Direct users.
 - o Managing related projects in other teams.
- Sep 2012 Yandex, Software Engineer, Advertising Services, Algorithms of Fraud Detection.
 - Jun 2015 o Developing new fraud traffic filtration algorithms.
 - o Developing automatic Anomalies Detection system, which is able to notify users on anomalies in advertisement traffic.
 - o Integrating Anomalies Detection system with Anomalies Analyzer system, that is, anomalies in advertisement traffic, which are found by Anomalies Detection system, are passed to be analyzed to Anomalies Analyzer service.
- Jul 2012 Yandex, Software Engineer Intern, Advertising Services.
- Sep 2012 $\,\circ\,$ Developing of backend of eventually consistent consensus system.
 - o Developing of Anomalies Analyzer service, which helps to find the reasoning slice of anomalies in advertisement traffic.

Skills

Programming Proficiency level: C++, Python, Perl, R, JavaScript (with JQuery), html, SQL

languages Intermediate level: Scala.

ML tools Pandas, NumPy, SciPy, scikit-learn, matplotlib, Apache Spark, Vowpal Wabbit, word2vec.

Other tools linux, git, svn, deb packages, gdb, pdb, vim, flask, nginx, mongodb, mac os.

Languages Russian (native), English (proficiency).

Publications

- May 2015 **Journal of Mathematical Sciences**, Extension of Endomorphisms of the Subsemigroup $GE_2 + (R)$ to Endomorphisms of $GE_2 + (R[x])$, Where R is a Partially-Ordered Commutative Ring Without Zero Divisors, Volume 206, lssue 6, pp 711-733 https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007%2Fs10958-015-2348-y.
- Sep 2014 **Journal of Mathematical Sciences**, Endomorphisms of the Semigroup $G_2(R)$ Over Partially Ordered Commutative Rings Without Zero Divisors and with 1/2, Volume 201, Issue 4, pp 534-551 https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s10958-014-2010-0.
 - Fundamental and Applicable Mathematics, Extension of endomorphisms of the semigroup $\mathrm{GE}_2+(R)$ to endomorphisms of $\mathrm{GE}_2+(R[x])$ for the lattice-ordered commutative ring R with a unit and without zero divisors., no. 4, pp 155-184 http://www.ams.org/mathscinet-getitem?mr=3431839.

Projects

2017 - now RAST - a highly distributed database, https://github.com/olegtsts/RAST, https://github.com/

- o Project is in the designing state.
- o Involves methods of constructing fault-tolerant service.
- o Includes:
 - high-level multithreading technique
 - exception-safe design techniques

olegtsts/parallel_programming.

- safe memory release techniques
- o See the example of code here: https://github.com/olegtsts/parallel_programming/blob/master/lock-free-queue-with-olegts-ref-counting.cpp
- 2015 2016 **Graph Analyzer Utility**, *Mentoring project in Higher School of Economics*, https://github.com/ilyshnikova/graph-analyzer.
 - o Server-based program, which accepts time series points and detects anomalies on data series.
 - \circ Works online with complexity $\underline{O}(1)$ on point submission.
 - o Includes human html interface for controlling algorithms, which work on time series.
 - Source code: https://github.com/ilyshnikova/graph-analyzer

Git repository: https://github.com/olegtsts/

Olympiads

- 2011 International Mathematics Competition for University Students, Prize winner (third prize).
- 2011 Students Olympiad of Higher Algebra, Prize winner (second prize).
- 2010 Students Olympiad of Higher Algebra, Prize winner (third prize).
- Apr 2009 All-Russian Olympiad of Mathematics, Prize winner (second prize).
- Apr 2009 Moscow State Olympiad of Mathematics, Prize winner (first prize).
- Jul 2008, Geometrical Olympiad in Honor of I.F.Sharygin, Prize winner (first prize), three times.

2007, 2006

- Apr 2008 All-Russian Olympiad of Mathematics, Prize winner (first prize).
- Mar 2008 Moscow State Olympiad of Mathematics, Prize winner (third prize).
- Apr 2007 All-Russian Olympiad of Mathematics, Prize winner (second prize).
- Apr 2006 All-Russian Olympiad of Mathematics, Prize winner (third prize).
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