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I'm a motivated and curious person, always ready to learn more. With a fast changing landscape it is important to keep up with new skills and trends. Being flexible and open to change are my most treasured skills. I have a passion for entrepreneurship, technology, and the inner workings of humans and animals.

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RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Sep 2019 - Present

Graduate Research Intern | Shanghai
New York University Shanghai (NYUSH)

The Erlich Lab (www.erlichlab.org) - Part of the Behavioral and Experimental Economics Laboratory.

Performing research with Prof. Dr. Jeffrey Erlich and Dr. Evgeniya Lukinova about Risky Economic Decision-making.

Usage of the following tools:
- *Programming Languages:* Python, R, and Matlab
- *Database Management:* MySQL
- *Operating Systems:* Linux Ubuntu and Windows 10
- *DevOps Platform:* Gitlab
- *Academic Writing:* LaTeX
- *Others:* FSLeyes, GIMP and G Suite

Jan 2019 - Present

Research Assistent - Master Thesis | Ghent
University of Ghent (UGent)

The Verguts Lab (www.cogcomneurosci.com) at the Department of Experimental Psychology.

Performing Computational Modeling with Prof. Dr. Tom Verguts and Dr. Mehdi Senoussi about Cognitive Control.

Usage of the following tools:
- *Programming Languages:* Python and R
- *Operating System:* Linux Ubuntu
- *DevOps Platform:* Github
- *Others:* G Suite

Feb 2016 - Oct 2016

Undergraduate Research Assistent | Ghent
University of Ghent (UGent)

The Psychopathology and Affective Neuroscience Lab (PANLab) at the Department of Experimental Clinical and Health Psychology.

Helping Prof. Dr. Sven Müler with research about neural correlates of exclusion (from a group) in transgenders.

Usage of the following tools:
- *Statistics Program:* SPSS
- *Operating Systems:* Linux Ubuntu and Windows 7
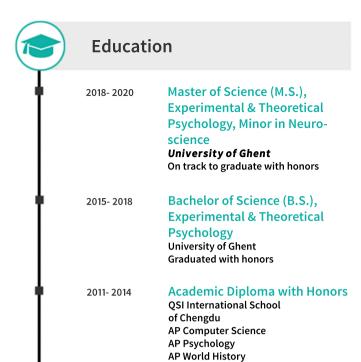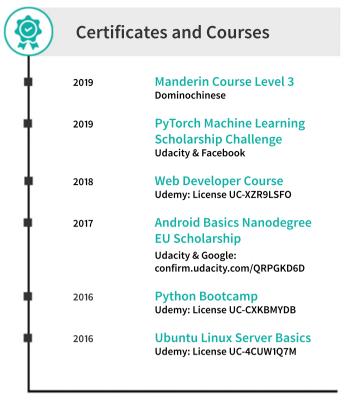
WORK EXPERIENCE

Apr 2016 - Mar 2018

Co-founder, Management & IT | Ghent
Startup | Deducation

We built a co-creation exercise platform, used by 2000 university students . We also gave workshops using the World Economic Forum's Future of Skills Framework.

Education

2018- 2020 **Master of Science (M.S.), Experimental & Theoretical Psychology, Minor in Neuro-science**
University of Ghent
On track to graduate with honors

2015- 2018 **Bachelor of Science (B.S.), Experimental & Theoretical Psychology**
University of Ghent
Graduated with honors

2011- 2014 **Academic Diploma with Honors**
QSI International School of Chengdu
AP Computer Science
AP Psychology
AP World History
AP Physics

Certificates and Courses

2019 **Manderin Course Level 3**
Dominochinese

2019 **PyTorch Machine Learning Scholarship Challenge**
Udacity & Facebook

2018 **Web Developer Course**
Udemy: License UC-XZR9LSFO

2017 **Android Basics Nanodegree EU Scholarship**
Udacity & Google: confirm.udacity.com/QRPGKD6D

2016 **Python Bootcamp**
Udemy: License UC-CXKBMYDB

2016 **Ubuntu Linux Server Basics**
Udemy: License UC-4CUW1Q7M

Computer & Digital Skills

Python	Advanced
R	Advanced
MS Office / Google Suite	Advanced
Matlab	Intermediate
Linux	Intermediate
Photoshop / GIMP	Intermediate
Gitlab / Github	Intermediate
MySQL	Intermediate

Awards

2018 **Youth Leadership Awards, Winning Team**
Rotary Belux

Interests

Languages (CEF Levels)

Dutch	C2
English	C2
Chinese	A2
French	A1