## Sandro Paradžik

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## Experience

Machine Learning Intern: ModelCat

San Francisco Bay Area (Remote), Aug – Present

Lecturer: Math School for Gifted Students

Sarajevo, 2022 – Present

- O Regularly deliver lectures and problem-solving sessions on advanced mathematics to prepare high-school and middle-school students for competitions; also serve as a lecturer during math camps held twice a year.
- O Organized by The Association of Mathematicians of Sarajevo Canton.

## Research Intern: Max Planck Institute for Biological Cybernetics

Tübingen, Jul – Sep 2024

- O Applied Dynamic Mode Decomposition (DMD) to analyze zebrafish calcium imaging data, discovering functional subnetworks and significant spatiotemporal patterns like oscillatory dynamics in the optic tectum.
- O Demonstrated DMD's superior capability in capturing coupled spatial and temporal neural dynamics compared to traditional methods (e.g., PCA, ICA), contributing to research in the RoLi Lab.
- O Selected for a highly competitive program with a 1.35% acceptance rate in 2024.

## **Education**

<b>BSc in Theoretical Computer Science</b> : University of Sarajevo	GPA 8.2/10, Oct 2021 – Sep 2025
Summer Schools	
Mediterranean Machine Learning Summer School	Split, 8-12 Sep 2025
Eastern European Machine Learning Summer School	Sarajevo, 21-26 Jul 2025
Selected awards from math competitions	
Mediterranean Mathematics Competition: Bronze, HM, Bronze	2021, 2019, 2018
Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina: Ranked 2nd, 1st, 3rd	2021, 2019, 2018
Skills	
Programming	
Python, Git	
Languages	
Bosnian (native), English (C1)	