Jan Szczekulski

Education

UC San Diego

Sept. 2023 - Present

San Diego, California

Master of Science in Computer Science

Sept. 2017 - May 2020

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Mathematics (joint degree)

Liverpool, UK

Relevant Coursework

University of Liverpool

- Robotics and Autonomous Systems
- Object Oriented Programming
- Intro to Programming
- Introduction to AI

- Advanced AI
- Probabilistic Reason&Learning
- Computer Vision I

Experience

The Hut Group

Dec. 2021 - Aug. 2023

Manchester, UK

Software Engineer

- I led the experimentable widgets project, which enabled the company to quickly and dynamically test changes to website's via A/B testing.
- As part of this project, I've made alterations to the larger internal architecture, including 4 core backends and 2 internal frontends. As of time of writing, this feature enabled 15 new A/B tests in only 2 months, all set up effortlessly via UI.
- Set up various CI/CD pipelines utilising shell, Jenkins, Docker & Kubernetes
- Mentored and led development of multiple juniors

The Hut Group

Sept. 2020 - Dec. 2021

Graduate Data Scientist

Manchester, UK

- Helped develop a company-wide ML algorithm and accuracy metrics for short-term demand forecasting
- I conducted 7 A/B/n tests, and performed thorough data analyses which resulted in £1million rise in sales year-on-year. Two of the A/B tests included forecasting time-series data utilising ML
- Improved and automated manual tools surrounding internal A/B testing platform such as duration estimation, results generation or metrics addition. Improved and set up acceptance and integration testing for multiple components, and improved robustness of CI/CD pipelines.
- Built data pipelines from scratch, including setting up virtual machines, Jenkins, and periodic scripts.

Lazarski University

June 2021 - Present

Research Assistant

Warsaw, Poland

- Worked on research concerning PWS birthmark malformation
- Conducted retrospective data analysis of the past treatments to determine the best treatment approach for PWS birtmarks
- Utilized CNNs and transfer learning to roughly predict the patient's treatment's results.

University of Liverpool

June 2020 - Aug 2020; Aug 2022 - Aug 2023

Research Assistant

Liverpool, UK

• Worked on finding ways to increase the efficiency of geometric reconstruction of nanowires through the application of Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs)

Projects

Monet-me-this web app | Javascript, React, Java, Python, PyTorch, Linux

November 2022

- I developed and launched a full-stack web application game where players must determine which images were generated by a famous painters and which by the AI.
- Implemented a Generative Adversarial Network (GAN) Artificial Intelligence (AI) model which can turn any photograph into a painting that closely resembles the style of the master painters such as Monet or Van Gogh.

AI application in tomography reconstruction | Python, Numpy, Tensorflow

August 2022

- I conducted a research study to improve 3D nanowire reconstruction using Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs).
- The CNNs were trained to determine optimal angles for accurate reconstructions, minimizing discrepancies between 2D polygons and their re-constructed 3D counterparts

Technical Skills

Languages: Python, SQL, Java, C++, Shell, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Prolog Frameworks: PyTorch, Tensorflow, Pandas, Numpy, Matplotlib, React, SpringBoot

Technologies/Tools: Git, GH actions, Docker, Jenkins, Kubernetes

Publications

Journal Articles

- Anna Mataczynska, Michal Paprocki, Jan Szczekulski and Bartlomiej Kwiek. Laser Therapy of Cutis Marmorata Telangiectatica Congenita Vascular Malformation. Dermato, volume 29 2023
- Jan Szczekulski, Michal Paprocki, Ryan Butler, Anna Mataczynska and Bartlomiej Kwiek. *Investigating the effectiveness of convolutional neural networks in predicting the efficacy rate of treating port-wine stain birthmark.*Journal of Investigative Dermatology, volume 143 2023
- Michal Paprocki, Anna Mataczynska, **Jan Szczekulski** and Bartlomiej Kwiek. *The effectiveness of cutis marmorata telangiectatica congenita laser therapy*. **Journal of Investigative Dermatology**, volume 143 2023

Conference Proceedings

• Michal Paprocki, Anna Mataczynska, **Jan Szczekulski**, and Bartlomiej Kwiek. *Long term treatment of pws might require a new dual therapy consisting of induction and maintenance*. In 41st ASLMS Annual Conference on Energy Based Medicine& Science, in San Diego California, USA.