

# Thomas Guilmeau

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I am a PhD student interested in the study and design of sampling-based schemes in computational statistics and global optimization. I do so using ideas from information geometry and non-Euclidean optimization schemes. I have also been working on topics related to biological models.

## EDUCATION

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**PhD in applied mathematics**, *Université Paris-Saclay, INRIA, CentraleSupélec*      October 2021 - present  
Stochastic algorithms for global optimization. Part of the project ERC MAJORIS. Under the supervision of E. Chouzenoux and V. Elvira.

**MSc in applied mathematics**, *Université Paris-Saclay*      2018 - 2020  
M2 Optimization: optimal control, continuous optimization (theoretical and numerical aspects), stochastic optimization, game theory, calculus of variations, and tropical algebra.

**Engineering degree**, *ENSTA Paris, Institut Polytechnique de Paris*      2017 - 2020  
Major in applied mathematics: discrete and continuous optimization, control theory, statistics, probability, dynamical systems, and partial differential equations.

## EXPERIENCES

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**Research engineer**, *OPIS team (INRIA), Palaiseau, France*      December 2020 - September 2021  
Stochastic algorithms for global optimization. Part of the project ERC MAJORIS. Under the supervision of E. Chouzenoux and V. Elvira.

**Research engineer**, *LBE (INRAE), Narbonne, France*      October 2020 - November 2020  
Development of a Matlab code to simulate metabolic transitions in microbial populations. Part of the projects HME 3BCAR and ANR JANUS.

**Master thesis**, *INRAE, Montpellier, France*      April 2020 - September 2020  
Optimal periodic control, with applications to the chemostat model and water bioremediation processes. Under the direction of A. Rapaport.

**Research intern**, *UTFSM, Valparaíso, Chile*      May 2019 - August 2019  
Continuity properties and sensitivity analysis of the set of sustainable thresholds for a discrete time controlled system. Under the direction of C. Hermosilla.

## TEACHING AND OUTREACH

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**Teaching assistant**, *Optimization - CentraleSupélec*      Spring 2020 and Spring 2021  
A 4th year course covering linear and convex optimization, integer programming, and introducing some iterative algorithms.

**Scientific diffusion mission**, *INRIA Saclay*      2022  
Talks in high schools about research. Université Paris-Saclay science fair. RJMI (a research-based outreach event directed towards high school girls). Coordination of the writing and the filming of interviews about AI.

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Journal paper

T. Guilmeau and A. Rapaport. **"Singular arcs in optimal periodic control problems with scalar dynamics and integral input constraint"**. *Journal of Optimization Theory and Applications*, vol. 195, pp. 953-975, 2022.

### Conference papers

T. Guilmeau, E. Chouzenoux and V. Elvira. **"Proximal-based adaptive simulated annealing for global optimization"**. *Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing (ICASSP)*, 2022.

F. Dupeuble, A. Rapaport, T. Guilmeau, J. Tchouanti, B. Enjalbert, C. Bideaux, J.-P. Steyer, A. Feddaoui-Papin, J. Harmand. **"Deterministic models to decipher the lag phase duration during diauxie"**. *IFAC-PapersOnLine*, vol. 55, issue 20, pp. 481-486, 2022.

T. Guilmeau, E. Chouzenoux and V. Elvira. **"Simulated annealing: a review and a new scheme"**. *Proceedings of the IEEE Statistical Signal Processing Workshop (SSP)*, 2021.

### Preprints

T. Guilmeau and A. Rapaport. **"Multiplicity of periodic orbits with coexistence in the chemostat subject to periodic removal rate"**. <https://hal.science/hal-03982233v1>, 2023.

T. Guilmeau, E. Chouzenoux and V. Elvira. **"Regularized Rényi divergence minimization through Bregman proximal gradient algorithms"**. <https://hal.science/hal-03927834v1>, 2022.

## LANGUAGES

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**French:** Native speaker

**English:** Fluent (TOEIC: 990/990)

**Spanish:** Intermediate level

## CODING SKILLS

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**Advanced:** Julia, Matlab, Python,  $\text{\LaTeX}$

**Basic level:** C, C++, HTML, CSS