# PEDRO TABACOF

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**EDUCATION** 

PhD, Computer Engineering 2017-present

RECOD lab., University of Campinas (Unicamp), Brazil

Master's, Computer Engineering 2015-2017

RECOD lab., University of Campinas (Unicamp), Brazil

GPA: 4.0/4.0

Exploring Adversarial Images in Deep Neural Networks

 $\it 24\ academic\ and\ \it 2\ media\ citations$ 

Bachelor of Science, Computer Engineering 2008-2013

Unicamp, Brazil

Graduated with distinction (top 10% of the class)

International experience

University exchange student Bishop's University, QC, Canada 2010 High school exchange student Coon Rapids High School, MN, USA 2006

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Researcher Motorola Mobility 2017-present

Smartphone bug detection and classification. Bug retrieval using vector-space models. Interpretability of machine learning models.

Co-founder Datart Data Science 2016-present

Data science consulting startup company. Predictive modeling for e-commerces, including predicting conversion rates, churn, and customer value.

**R&D engineer** I.Systems Industrial Automation 2013-2016

Principal investigator at FAPESP grant, managing two researchers. Responsible for three research interns. Researched and developed modules for predictive models for industrial data, stochastic process control, and advanced regulatory control. Embedded a Lua based scripting language to a control system software. Worked on a government sponsored project (FINEP) on industrial data visualization. Participated to advanced control deployments.

Internship I.Systems Industrial Automation 2012-2013

Developed a dynamic simulator of industrial processes using system identification and optimization.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Academic internship ČVUT v Praze, Czech Republic 2012

Non-profit activities at the department of electrotechnology. Developed a photovoltaic cell simulator with a graphical user interface in Python.

Undergraduate research LSC, IC, Unicamp 2010-2011

Worked on a multi-core cryptographic microprocessor under supervision of prof. Guido Araújo. Project funded by Facti.

Teaching assistant IC, Unicamp

2016 2009-2010

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Pedro Tabacof, Julia Tavares, and Eduardo Valle. "Adversarial images for variational autoencoders". NIPS Workshop on Adversarial Training, 2016. Spotlight presentation.

Ramon Oliveira\*, Pedro Tabacof\*, and Eduardo Valle. "Known Unknowns: Uncertainty Quality in Bayesian Neural Networks". NIPS Workshop on Bayesian Deep Learning, 2016.

Alan Godoy, Pedro Tabacof, and Fernando J. Von Zuben. "The role of the interaction network in the emergence of diversity of behavior". *PloS one 12.2*, 2017.

Pedro Tabacof and Eduardo Valle. "Exploring the space of adversarial images". *IEEE International Joint Conference on Neural Networks*, 2016.

Pedro Tabacof, Tim Busbice, and Stephen D. Larson. "Beyond the connectome hairball: Rational visualizations and analysis of the C. elegans connectome as a network graph using hive plots". Frontiers in Neuroinformatics, 20:55–65, 2013.

### **CERTIFICATIONS**

Deep Learning Summer School (1/3 acceptance rate), Université de Montréal, 2016.

World Congress on Computational Intelligence, Vancouver, 2016. Received IEEE-CIS travel grant.

Machine Learning Summer School, UT Austin, 2015.

Green Belt Six Sigma, EDTI Campinas, 2014.

Graduate studies on Automation and Intelligent Systems, FEEC, 2013.

### COMPUTER SKILLS

Languages: Python, C/C++, Lua, MATLAB, R, SQL, JavaScript, Scala Frameworks: Scikit-learn, Lasagne, Theano, Torch7, Stan, CUDA, D3.js

Miscellaneous: Git, Excel, LATEX

# LANGUAGES

Native: Portuguese Fluent: English Beginner: French

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