Telmo Cunha

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EDUCATION

University of Lisbon - Instituto Superior Técnico (IST)

Lisbon, Portugal

Master's in Applied Mathematics and Computation - Current GPA: 17/20

2020 - 2024

Currently working on my master's thesis in the topics of Nonlinear Wave Equations and Mathematical Relativity with Profs. João Costa and Pedro Girão.

Courses: Foundations of Topology and Real Analysis; Groups, Rings and Modules; Ordinary Differential Equations; Partial Differential Equations; Differential Topology; Riemannian Geometry; Geometric Mechanics; Mathematics for Machine Learning; Nonlinear Optimization; Reinforcement Learning; Research Project in Geometric Quantization; Seminar course in Statistical Learning Theory and the Neural Tangent Kernel.

École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL)

Lausanne, Switzerland

Swiss-European Mobility Programme in Theoretical Physics

2016 - 2017

University of Lisbon - Instituto Superior Técnico (IST)

Lisbon, Portugal

Bachelor's in Engineering Physics - GPA: 15/20

2012 - 2018

EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant at Aalto University

Helsinki, Finland

Studying equivariant properties of graph neural networks under the guidance of Prof. Vikas Garg. April 2023 - September 2023

Altice Foundation - Khan Academy

Lisbon, Portugal

Translation of mathematical content on Khan Academy from English to Portuguese.

December 2019 - April 2020

Summer Research Internship at Instituto Gulbenkian de Ciência (IGC)

Oeiras, Portugal

Modeling the evolution of cells with varying centriole numbers in cancer.

June 2016 - August 2016

Extracurricular

Summer School - LxMLS22

Lisbon, Portugal

Lisbon Machine Learning Summer School.

2022

MOOC - DeepLearning.AI Course

Coursera 2022

Neural Networks and Deep Learning.

edX

MOOC - MIT 6.0001 Course Introduction to Computer Science and Programming Using Python.

2021

Summer School - University of Würzburg

Würzburg, Germany

Aerospace Information Technology.

Author at PULSAR Magazine

Lisbon, Portugal 2014 - 2015

Writer for the physics student magazine at IST.

SKILLS SUMMARY

- Languages: Portuguese (Native); English (Fluent); French/Spanish (Basic reading).
- Programming Languages: Python (Pytorch/Numpy/Scikit-learn/Pandas); C/C++; R.
- Tools: Mathematica; LATEX.

Academic Projects

- Mathematical Foundations of Machine Learning: Wrote a set of notes exploring the basics of Learning Theory, Machine Learning and Kernel Methods, see [mathematical foundations of deep learning].
- Manifold Learning: Two projects for the courses in mathematics for machine leaning and nonlinear optimization on manifold learning, see [manifold learning].
- Feature Selection: A project for the course in mathematics for machine leaning on feature selection via information theoretic considerations, see [feature selection].
- Collaborative Filtering: A project for the course in mathematics for machine leaning on collaborative filtering for a movie recommendation system based on matrix factorization methods, see [collaborative filtering].
- Geometric Quantization: A research project exploring the basic mathematical setup for geometric quantization, see [geometric quantization].