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## ABOUT ME

Concluding my PhD in Computer Science, specialized in Machine Learning with a strong foundation in Deep Learning. Passionate about leveraging AI for innovation, with a research focus on self-supervised learning and generative modeling for time-series forecasting. Outside of work, I enjoy traveling, exploring diverse cultures, and competitive sports. In addition, I have fun with personal projects in my free time, combining creativity with technical expertise.

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#### WORK EXPERIENCE

# Amazon, Barcelona, Spain

Applied Scientist Intern

- Led the development of transit time estimation models for the EU road transportation network.
- Designed and implemented deep learning models for tabular data, leveraging architectures such as Transformers and ResNets to improve transit-time predictions with quantile distributions.
- Deployed models on AWS, ensuring scalable and efficient real-time inference (beta stage).
- Communicated results to the finance team through Streamlit visualization dashboards.
- Enhanced transportation efficiency and reduced promise delivery time variability, contributing to a € 100M business impact.

## University of Aveiro, Portugal

Sep 2019 - Sep 2020

Oct 2022 - Apr 2023

Research Fellow

- Built a flexible and low-cost localization and navigation system from scratch.
- Developed detection and decoding methods for static landmarks. Comparative analysis of deep learning-based object detectors processed on NVIDIA Jetson AGX Xavier.
- Used trilateration techniques for self-localization.

#### Renault, Aveiro, Portugal

Jul 2018 - Aug 2018

Electronics Engineer Intern (Computer Vision)

• Designed and implemented an artificial vision station for quality control in a production line, automating defect detection processes.

# **EDUCATION**

#### Örebro University, Sweden

Sep 2020 - May 2025

Ph.D. Candidate in Computer Science (Machine Learning) – WASP Program

• I have shown that semantic attributes enhance trajectory prediction.

- Studied self-supervised learning, generative modeling, and machine learning techniques.
- Wrote several scientific publications for international journals and conferences.

**Technical University of Munich (TUM), Germany** October 2024 - December 2024 Ph.D. Research stay at PercInS Chair focused on representation learning.

# University of Aveiro, Portugal

Sep 2014 - July 2019

M.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering - GPA: 16/20

- Masters in Robotics and Computer Vision applied to Autonomous Driving.
- Thesis (19/20): Developed a multi-camera and multi-algorithm ROS (C/C++) architecture for visual perception in autonomous systems.

#### **SPECIALIZATIONS**

Hugging Face

July 2025

• LLM Course

WASP PhD courses Oct 2020 - 2024

• Deep Learning and GANs

- Learning Feature Representations
- Mathematics and Machine Learning
- Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning
- Software Engineering and Cloud Computing

Amazon Web Services: AWS Technical Essentials

Nov 2022

CS50 from Harvard University: CS50x

Jun 2020

**NVIDIA:** Deepstream for video analytics on Jetson Nano

Mar 2020

Coursera Dec 2019 - Feb 2020

- Deep Learning Specialization
- Applied Machine Learning in Python Course
- Applied Plotting, Charting & Data Representation in Python
- Introduction to Data Science in Python
- TensorFlow in Practice Specialization

ROS Workshop: 25 hours learning Robot Operating System Feb 2019

Wall Street English: First Certificate in English - B2

Sep 2017 - Sep 2019

# **EXTRA**

Think Twice 40 hours programming (Python and $C/C++$ )	2020
Monitor at UA Summer School (Laboratory of Automation and Robotics)	2019
Sunset Hackathon Participation	2018, 2019
EBEC Participation	2018, 2019
4th. place in the ABC – 3D printing competition	2016