

# Ayoub EL HOUDRI

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## EDUCATION

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### CY Paris University, ENSEA and ETIS Lab

*MRes. Artificial Intelligence and Complex Systems (Specialization in Computational Neuroscience)*

Sept 2022 - 2023

*Cergy, France*

### CY Tech

*MEng. Applied Mathematics and Computer Science (Double Major)*

Sept 2020 - 2023

*Cergy, France*

### Classe Préparatoire of Lycée Jean Bart

*BSc. Mathematics, Physics and Computer Science*

Sept 2018 - 2020

*Dunkirk, France*

## EXPERIENCE

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### Karmen

*Data Scientist - Intern*

Jun 2022 - Sept 2022

*Paris, France*

I was part of the research and development team at Karmen. Our project involved creating an algorithm that could extract table data from scanned documents and keep the table structure intact. The algorithm used a combination of optical character recognition, image processing, and deep learning techniques.

### French National Centre for Scientific Research

*Research Assistant*

Jan 2022 - May 2022

*Cergy, France*

I conducted research on the impact of artificial intelligence on the labor market in France. I gathered data from companies in AI-related industries and used machine learning techniques to analyze the data and draw insights.

### Digimind Labs

*Research Engineer - Intern*

Jun 2021 - Sept 2021

*Berlin, Germany*

I contributed to the creation of a state-of-the-art deep learning model for reconstructing the shape of specific objects from a single RGB image, using 3D synthetic data for training.

## PROJECTS

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### Investigating the Remapping of Neural Coding for Navigation and Working Memory

This research project, conducted under the supervision of [Pr. Philippe Gaussier](#) at [ETIS Lab](#), consists of using computational neuroscience methods to investigate the relationship between visual place cells and path integration in order to understand the mechanisms behind place cells remapping in the hippocampus. The aim is to improve our understanding of how the hippocampus produces and maintains a coherent working memory over time.

### Electricity Price Modeling for Futures Contracts in France and Germany

This project was completed as part of a challenge organized by [ENS Ulm](#) and [Qube Research and Technologies](#). The aim was to explain the daily price variation of electricity futures contracts in France and Germany using weather measurements, energy, and commercial data for short-term contracts (24h). The performance was evaluated using Spearman's correlation.

### Compressed Sensing: A Mathematical Model for Signal Compression

In this project, we implement and compare some models of data compression which consists of reconstructing a signal from fewer samples that do not satisfy the Nyquist-Shannon sampling condition, a process called compressed sensing. The lower sampling rate makes storing and processing this data much more efficient.

## AWARDS

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**National Mathematical Olympiads** Ranked 10th in the National Olympiads of Mathematics in 2018

**Excellence Scholarship** A scholarship offered to the best high school students in the country to study abroad

## SKILLS

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### Software Skills

Python (NumPy, SciPy, Scikit-Learn, Pandas, NLTK, PyTorch, OpenCV, BeautifulSoup, Quantlib, NEURON) . R . C . SQL . Linux . HTML/CSS .  $\text{\LaTeX}$  . MATLAB . Git/GitHub . Docker . Azure

### Mathematical Skills

Time Series Forecasting . Dimensionality Reduction . Linear Algebra . Probability Theory . Markov Chains . Differential Equations . Advanced Statistics . Deep Learning . Mathematical Modeling . Optimization . Machine Learning . Graph Theory . Differential Geometry . Image Processing and Computer Vision . Data Augmentation . Topology

### Languages

English (Bilingual proficiency) . French (Native proficiency) . Spanish (Intermediate proficiency)