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EDUCATION

PhD in Mathematics of real-world systems | University of Warwick

September 2023 - Present

• Research: DeepFake detection using anomaly detection techniques, supervised by Prof. Victor Sanchez

MSc in Mathematics of real-world systems | University of Warwick

September 2022 - September 2023

- Graduated with distinction
- Research: Fairness in Multi-Objective Reinforcement Learning, supervised by Prof. Paolo Turrini and Ann Nowe

Master of Physics | The University of Manchester

September 2018 - June 2022

- Graduated with first-class honors
- Master's project: Applications of Statistical Physics to Epidemiology, supervised by Professor Tobias Galla

Summer Computational Physics Course | Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

June - September 2020

• Research: Simulating the wealth distribution in societies, supervised by Prof. Panos Argyrakis

EXPERIENCE

Graduate Teaching Assistant | University of Warwick

September 2023 - Present

• Taught modules: IB207-12 Mathematical Programming II

PROJECTS

Drift and Bias in AI Tools for GP Consultations | In collaboration with Spectra Analytics January - June 2023

- Investigated how model drift and bias can arise in AI tools used to prioritize online GP consultations
- Developed a mathematical model, that simulates the environment that such tools operate in and used it to infer bias and drift
- Proposed ways of reducing bias across different sensitive groups which were motivated by the results
- Simulated model drift and implemented different refitting strategies in order to mitigate performance deterioration

Elemental Fantasy V | GreatUniHack.com

November 2020

- Awarded 2^{nd} place in the Gamedev challenge
- Collaborated in a team of four people, under a strict deadline of 24 hours and developed a game using Object Oriented Programming and the Pygames library
- None of the team members had any prior experience with game developing

Fuzzy run Challenge | GreatUniHack.com

November 2020

- Won 1st place in the AI sponsor challenge organised by fuzzylabs.ai
- Analysed complex data in Python, to determine the winner of a three man race
- Gained experience with principal component analysis and the scikit-learn library

Non-Academic Activities

Secretary of the Student Staff Liaison Committee | University of Warwick

September 2022 - Present

- Gathered feedback and ideas from the student cohort, in order to improve student experience
- Collaborated with the department to design and promote departmental initiatives including module choices, events, reading groups and many more

Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu Athlete

2022 - Present

• Member of the Warwick Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu and Judo club

Rowing Athlete

2013 - 2022

• First place in the 82^{th} Pan-hellenic rowing championship - Junior men's eight

SKILLS

- 6 years of programming experience in Python, applied to a variety of research topics such as machine learning. Known libraries include: Pytorch, scikit-learn, Pandas, NumPy, Gym
- 2 years of programming experience in C++. 1 year of programming experience in Julia
- Languages spoken: Greek (native), English (proficient)