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Education

2018 **Data Science Master's Degree**, *Université Paris-Saclay*, Saclay. Specialization in machine learning and deep learning.

2014–2018 **Engineering degree in Applied Mathematics**, *ENSTA ParisTech*, Palaiseau. Major in convex optimization.

2012–2014 Classe Préparatoire aux Grandes Écoles (CPGE), Lycée Saint-Louis, Paris. Two years of training for the selective "Grandes Écoles" competition exams.

Work Experience

Since December PhD, EDF R&D, Institut de Mathématiques de Marseille, Palaiseau, Marseille, France.

2018 Textual Data for Time Series Forecasting.

♦ Leveraging of text documents for the forecasting of the electricity consumption.

Since September Teacher assistant, ENSAE & ENSTA Paris, Palaiseau, France.

2018 Statistics, machine learning and optimization classes.

April - September **End-of-studies internship**, *EDF R&D*, Palaiseau, France.

2018 Prediction of electric vehicle charge with neural networks.

March - August Gap year internship, Technion - Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, Israel.

2017 Short-term forecasting of wind power production with neural networks.

Sept. 2016 - **Gap year intership**, *EDF R&D*, Palaiseau, France.

March 2017 Forecasting of the net electric consumption with generalized additive models (GAM) and coding of an interactive web app for the Centre d'Ingénierie Hydraulique (CIH)

May-August 2016 **Research internship**, *DTU - Technical University of Denmark*, Lyngby, Denmark. Distributed learning for high-dimensional wind energy production forecasting.

Publications

2020 B. Sommer, P. Pinson, J.Messner, D. Obst, *Online distributed learning in wind power forecasting.* International Journal of Forecasting.

2019 D. Obst, B. Ghattas, S. Claudel, J. Cugliari, Y. Goude, G. Oppenheim, *Textual Data for Time Series Forecasting*.

Skills

Computer Science

Programming Python, R, Matlab Libraries Scikit-learn, Keras, Pytorch, MGCV

Office softwares Word, Excel Others LATEX, Shiny R

Languages

FrenchMother tongueEnglishAdvancedGermanSecond mother tongueSpanishBeginner

Extracurricular Activity

2015-2016 Organization of seminars and courses for European students with the organization B.E.S.T. (Board of European Students of Technology).