

Education

PhD Ethics of Artificial Intelligence

West University of Timisoara

Oct 2020 – Present Timisoara, Romania

- Defining an approach to evaluate the ethics inherent in a Natural Language Processing model using trolley problems and dynamic checklists; coded in Python
- Developing a website where people can vote whether GPT3 passes an ethical version of the Turing test
- Published 2 academic papers with 2 more awaiting publishing and 1 under peer-review
- Participated at 10 conferences
- Taught 3 undergraduate courses: introduction to philosophy, axiology, intercultural philosophy

MSc Philosophical Counseling and Consultancy

Oct 2016 - Jun 2018

West University of Timisoara

Timisoara, Romania

- Top of my class
- In my second year, was teaching assistant in philosophical counseling for my juniors

BSc Economics and International Affairs

Oct 2013 - Jun 2016

West University of Timisoara

Timisoara, Romania

- Best Dissertation of my class (97%)
- Was awarded multiple prizes at economic paper competitions including 1st place in the Finance and Monetary Paper Competition organized by the National Bank of Romania

BSc Visual Effects

Oct 2012 - Jul 2013

Bradford University

Bradford, UK

- Finalized the year with first (72%)
- Renounced as I realized that I do not want to pursue a career in this domain

Mathematics and Computer Science

Sep 2008 - Jul 2012

Nikolaus Lenau

Timisoara, Romania

- Graduated with double degrees: German Abitur and Romanian Baccalaureate
- Was awarded multiple prizes at local IT competition, Noi Info
- Participated in multiple international programs including Model UN and Model European Parliament





Work Experience

Senior Staff Engineer (Quality Assurance)

Nov 2019 - Present Remote

Nagarro

- Developing an AI/ML testing accelerator for ethical Natural Language Processing testing
- Leading R&D effort into AI testing and implementation strategies part of our findings were published paper In German Testing Magazine
- Working on a book on Emerging Technology testing together with two of the company's Directors (expected to be finalized next year)
- Developing the Test Automation Framework of a client; C#
- Worked in C# with Selenium, used SSMS and Postman and managed the projects through Azure DevOps

Freelance Developer

Nov 2021 – Feb 2022

Self Employed

Remote

- For Morningstar Developed Research Tool based on a Python Google Search library
- for BMW Germany's marketing team:
 - Developing Tableau CRM reports, worked in SOQL
 - Creating Datasets in Tableau CRM with Recipes
 - Developed an ETL to handle unstandardized data (experimented with random forest), worked in Python

Salesforce Analyst

Nokia

May 2017 – Nov 2019

Timisoara, Romania

- Transforming Nokia Europe Monthly Business Review by transitioning to Einstein Analytics (current Tableau CRM)
- Transforming processes so that they can be automated
- Engaged in change management and digital evangelism with the aim of transitioning Nokia Sales Operations Europe into Ops. 4.0

Research Analyst

Oct 2015 – May 2017

Timisoara, Romania

The Smart Cube

- Conducted tailored research at a micro- and macroeconomic level pertaining to client requirements
- Assisting Category Managers and C-level executives by providing key decision-making insights
- Work encompassed:
 - Market analysis (competitive landscape; market trends; market size, growth and forecast; PESTEL analysis; industry best practices; and case studies)
 - Company profiles (financial and strategy analysis; stock performance; main competitors; key metrics; and SWOT analysis)
 - Supply-chain analytics (sourcing strategies and best practices, supplier risk and contract pricing arrangement)



Courses and Certifications

Google Cloud Machine Learning Certification

Oct 2022 - Present

Google

Remote

• Aiming to become a certified to implement ML solutions on google cloud platform

Consulting Masterclass

May 2022 - Dec 2022

Nagarro

Remote

- Learned Wicked Problem Solving and Design Thinking approaches to collaborative problem solving
- Developed consulting methodology using the above for innovation consulting
- Developed deliverables, timeline, resources, ROI, and cost estimation for engagement

Machine Learning: Algorithms in the Real-World

Sep 2020 - Dec 2020

University of Alberta

Remote

 Specialization included 4 courses, which covered ML software development life cycle, Supervised Learning Algorithms using scikit learn, Feature Engineering using numpy and pandas, and corporate communication around ML

Machine Learning

May 2020 – Sep 2020

University of Washington

Remote

 4 course specialization covering both Supervised and Unsupervised learning with a focus on Linear and Logarithmic Regressions, Decision Trees, Boosting, K-mean, and Latent Dirichlet Allocation

CS50's Introduction to AI with Python

May 2020 – Jun 2020

Harvard

Remote

• 10 module course that goes through graph search algorithms, classification, optimization, reinforcement learning and other AI topics

STAT110x: Introduction to Probability

Jun 2020 - Jun 2020

Harvard

Remote

• 7 Module course that provided a overview into probability by covering randomness and uncertainty, random variables, probability distribution and problem solving

Computational Thinking using Python

May 2020 – Jun 2020

MIT

Remote

• 2 course specialization covering data structures, computational thinking, data science, and algorithms