

About Me

Birth Date: 1991/03/07

Current Location: Glasgow - UK **Nationality:** Italian/Australian

Spoken Languages:

• <u>Italian</u>: native speaker

• English: full professional proficiency

Research Interests

Current Research: Conversational AI, Multi-modal and Contrastive Learning, Music Information Retrieval

Others: Reinforcement Learning, NLP, ML Foundations

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Technical Skills

Programming Languages: Python, C/C++, JS, Java, SQL

Libraries:

Pytorch, Keras, gRPC, protobuf, Numpy, TorchAudio

Developer Tools:

Docker, AWS DynamoDB, AWS CloudWatch, Alexa SDK

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TL;DR

I am a PhD student at the University of Glasgow. I work with MultiModal Systems. I won the Alexa Prize TaskBot Challenge and the Fujitsu AI-NLP Challenge.

EDUCATION

- [Oct-2019/Present] <u>PhD in Computer Science</u> ConvAl Supervised by Jeff Dalton. University of Glasgow UK
- [Sept-2017/Sept-2019] <u>Msc Computer Science</u> Al Curriculum GPA: 30/30, Grade: 110/110 Cum Laude. University of Pisa - IT
 - Studies abroad: 1 year in Germany [Erasmus+]
- [Sept-2013/Dec-2016] <u>Bsc Computer Science</u> GPA: 26.6/30, Grade: 107/110. University of Padua - IT

WORK EXPERIENCE

- [Feb-2019/Aug-2019] <u>Master Thesis</u> (Python) Memory Augmented Neural Networks in Reinforcement Learning. Collaboration with Dr. A. Melnik and Dr. D. Bacciu
- [Jan-2017/Jun-2017] <u>Software Developer</u> (C#-Js-Java)
 Maintenance and development of banking software. Lynx spa, Padua - IT
- [Jul-2016/Oct-2016] <u>College Internship</u> (C) Development of a speech engine using Natural Language Processing and Machine Learning tools. Mivog srl, Padua IT

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Winner of the <u>Alexa TaskBot Challenge 2021/2022</u>. Deputy Team Lead for the GRILL team. Created GRILL-Bot, a multimodal task-oriented virtual assistant
- Winner of the <u>Fujitsu AI-NLP Challenge 2018</u>. Created a state-ofthe-art Answer Sentence Selection system together with 2 fellow Master's students
- Stage-it 2016 Award Finalist
- Bronze medal in the National Math Olympics 2009 and 2011
- 1° place in the "Alpe Adria" Math Competition 2010

PUBLICATIONS

- "GRILLBot: An Assistant for Real-World Tasks with Neural Semantic Parsing and Graph-Based Representations" (Alexa Proceedings 2022) [Link]
- "Relevance Transformer: Generating Concise Code Snippets with Relevance Feedback" (SIGIR 2020) [Link]
- "A Comparative Study of Models for Answer Sentence Selection" (CLiC-it 2019) [Link]
- "Cross Attention for Selection-based Question Answering" (NL4AI Workshop 2018) [Link]
- "MusicBERT learning multi-modal representations for music and text" (NLP4MUSA 2020) [Link]