Personal Statement

Enthusiastic Software Engineer interested in the Space Sector. Enjoys writing code and solving complex problems. Currently working as a Software Engineer, with a focus on AI and development, for Starion Group, in Frascati, Italy.

Employment History

02/2025-Present Al Software Engineer

Starion Group (former Rhea Group), Italy

STARION

- Designing, developing and implementing AI models
- Collecting and pre-processing data
- Designing and implementing supporting tools and libraries
- Analyzing data and statistics
- Participating in bidding processes

Software Engineer for a Web Application 05/2024-Present

Starion Group (former Rhea Group), Italy

STARION

- Maintaining and enhancing a Spring Boot web application by adding new features, fixing bugs and improving functionality
- Managing application configurations and environment-specific properties for various deployment environments
- □ Following Agile methodologies, including participating in sprint planning and daily stand-ups

05/2023-05/2024 Software Engineer for a Digital Twin Prototype

Starion Group (former Rhea Group), Italy

STARION

- Designing, testing and developing software
- Modelling, building, and testing AI software
- Collecting and pre-processing data
- Analyzing data and statistics
- Participating in bidding process

09/2022-11/2024 Copernicus Service Software Engineer

Starion Group (former Rhea Group), Italy

STARION

- Supporting the implementation and maintenance and design of complex, critical applications
- Verifying and validating SW applications
- Designing and implementing supporting tools and libraries
- Supporting and designing IVV activities and carrying out investigations in case of operational problems and open anomalies
- Developing applications
- Participating in bidding processes

06-08/2017 <u>Summer Intern</u>

Athens Water Supply and Sewerage Company S.A.

Division for Public Sector & Large Clients

Marianna Kanellaki

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Academic Qualifications

2014 – 2022 National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece



Major in Informatics and Telecommunications

Specialization in Data and Knowledge Management Certificate of Pedagogical and Didactic Competence

Grade: Very Good

Thesis: Convolutional Neural Networks and their Application in Cancer Diagnosis

based on RNA-Sequencing (Grade: 10/10)

2015 – 2018 Deree – The American College of Greece



Minor from Frances Rich School of Fine and Performing Arts in Visual Arts

Classes: Photoshop, Drawing, Painting, Color and Design II, Video Art and Editing,

History of Western Architecture

Grade: 3.3/4

2007 – 2014 **Othisi School**

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Seminars

12/2023-02/2024 Complete TensorFlow 2 and Keras Deep Learning Bootcamp

Online Seminar in Udemy: Python for Deep Learning with Google's latest

TensorFlow 2 library and Keras

09/2022-01/2023 Data Science School by Workearly

Online seminar: Reporting & data visualization (Power BI and Tableau),

Databases (SQL), Python and applications in Data Science

06-08/2022 Machine Learning with AWS

Online seminar on Udemy: Learning to build Computer Vision and NLP apps using

AWS

05/2019 Rails Girls Athens v4

Two-day Workshop: Designing, Prototyping and Coding with Ruby

01-05/2017 Deree – The American College of Greece

Course: Learning to code with C# and Unity. For the final project a survival FPS

game was developed

Projects

04/2022 Naïve Bayes Implementation C++

A custom implementation of the Naïve Bayes algorithm in C++ on an imdb dataset.

10/2021-02/2022 Convolutional Neural Networks and their Application in Cancer Diagnosis

based on RNA-Sequencing Python, Tensorflow, Keras, R

BSc thesis in Deep Learning for diagnosing and classifying cancer types, using RNA-

sequences converted into 2D images

04/2021-05/2021 Compilers Project Java, JFlex, Java CUP

Custom minijava compiler, performing semantics checks and translation to LLVM

11/2020 Database Management Systems C

A DBMS that uses block files. There are three implementations:

heap file organization

hash table organization

hash table organization with primary key (id) and secondary key (surname)

11/2020 Algorithm Project Python

This project consists of 3 parts:

- a bottleneck autoencoder for image compression
- heuristic or approximate search for KNN images using Manhattan Distance
- heuristic search of the 10 NN images using Earth Mover's Distance

10/2020 **Autoencoder** Python, Tensorflow, Keras

This project trains an autoencoder model to encode and reconstruct images

03/2020-06/2020 **Disease Monitor** C/C++, bash script

Q/A application that monitors diseases, stores patient records and executes commands regarding disease statistics. Includes:

• Version 1: Hand-written data structures (Linked List, Hash Table, AVL

Tree, Max Heap, Priority Queue)

- Version 2: Child processes using forks to divide the records and the commands
- Version 3: A multi-threaded server and a client

04-05/2020 Machine Learning Project Python

- Experimental Project for binary classification on youtube comments
- Experimentation on optimizations with SVM, Random Forests & Naïve Bayes
- Experimental Project for classifying news articles based on subject, using SVM, Random Forests and Naïve Bayes

03/2020 **Data Mining Project** Python

Data Mining Project on a BnB dataset to extract information about prices,

neighborhoods and other relevant data

01/2020 Card Game C++

A simplified version of the Legend of The Five Rings game without graphics

Publications

Convolutional Neural Networks and their Application in Cancer Diagnosis based on RNA-Sequencing:

BSc thesis in Deep Learning for diagnosing and classifying cancer types, using RNA-sequencing data, converted into 2D images

https://pergamos.lib.uoa.gr/uoa/dl/frontend/en/browse/2976042#contents

Computer Skills

Programming Languages: C, C++, Python, Java, Bash, C#, R, Assembly

Development Tools and Environments: Git, TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, Android Studio, Visual

Studio, JetBrains Tools, Vim

DevOps Tools: Docker, Kubernetes **Operating Systems:** Linux, Windows

Web development: HTML, CSS, Javascript, Spring Boot, PHP

DBMS: MySQL, PostgreSQL, PostGIS

EO tools: QGIS, GDAL

General: Microsoft Office[™] tools

Design: Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Adobe Premier

Reporting: Power BI, Tableau

Languages

English:

11/2011 Certificate of Proficiency in English Michigan (ECPE), Grade: B

05/2010 Lower Certificate in English (LCE) Cambridge, Grade: A

Italian:

Very fluent, no certification, but living in Italy since August 2022

French:

12/2012 Sorbonne C1, Grade: Très Bien 05/2012 Sorbonne B2, Grade: Bien 05/2010 DELF B1, Grade: 61/100 05/2009 DELF A2, Grade: 72/100 05/2008 DELF A1, Grade: 90/100

Personal Details

Nationality: Greek

Interests: Shooting, Painting, Travelling, Gaming

References – Available upon request