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## Education

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### Télécom Paris

PH.D. 'INTERNAL METHODS FOR IMAGE INPAINTING AND GENERATION'

Under the supervision of Alasdair Newson, Yann Gousseau, and Andrés Almansa

[Paris, France](#)

2020 - 2024

### ENS Paris-Saclay

MSC IN MATHEMATICS, COMPUTER VISION AND MACHINE LEARNING (MVA) - *Graduated with high honors*

Courses: Object Recognition and Computer Vision, Probabilistic Graphical Models, Graphs, Kernel Methods

[Paris, France](#)

2017 - 2018

### Télécom Paris

MSC IN COMPUTER SCIENCE AND APPLIED MATHEMATICS - *GPA: 3.99/4.0*

Courses: Statistics, Optimization, Machine Learning Algorithms, Distributed Systems, Databases

[Paris, France](#)

2014 - 2018

## Experience

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### Adobe

RESEARCH SCIENTIST INTERN

Patch-based methods on surfaces

[Paris, France](#)

Jun. 2022 - Aug. 2022

### Télécom Paris

RESEARCH ENGINEER

- Implemented state-of-the-art video inpainting algorithm
- Wrote a literature review on video inpainting

[Paris, France](#)

Mar. 2020 - Oct. 2020

### Smiths Detection

RESEARCH ENGINEER

- Worked on object detection in X-ray cargo imaging
- Successfully implemented and applied state-of-the-art domain adaptation methods

[Paris, France](#)

Nov. 2019 - Feb. 2019

### Gleamer

MACHINE LEARNING ENGINEER

- Developed deep learning models to detect fractures in X-ray images
- Took many architectural and algorithmic decisions as the main machine learning engineer
- Reached significant improvement in helping radiologists for the task (clinically tested)

[Paris, France](#)

Apr. 2018 - Sep. 2019

### Cornell Tech

RESEARCH ENGINEER INTERN

- Improved the data pipeline for predicting bird migrations using Spark, R, and Amazon Web Services
- Reduced cloud computing costs by 80% accounting for \$200k saved annually

[New York, United States](#)

Apr. 2017 - Sep. 2017

### Microsoft

SOFTWARE ENGINEER INTERN

- Investigated the cold start problem for music recommendation in *Groove Music*
- Wrote production code in C++ for a software with millions of users

[Paris, France](#)

Jul. 2016 - Feb. 2017

## Skills

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### Programming Languages

Python, C++, Shell, Matlab, Java

### Libraries

PyTorch, CUDA, Numpy, TensorFlow, scikit-learn, Pandas

### Misc.

Git, GNU/Linux, Spark, Hadoop, SQL,  $\LaTeX$

### Languages

French (native), English (fluent)

## Publications

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### Patch-Based Stochastic Attention for Image Editing

Nicolas Cherel, Andrés Almansa, Yann Gousseau, Alasdair Newson

*Computer Vision and Image Understanding* 238 (Jan. 2024) p. 103866. 2024. URL: <https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S1077314223002461>

### Infusion: Internal Diffusion for Video Inpainting

Nicolas Cherel, Andrés Almansa, Yann Gousseau, Alasdair Newson

In preparation, 2023. URL: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2311.01090>

### A Patch-Based Algorithm for Diverse and High Fidelity Single Image Generation

Nicolas Cherel, Andrés Almansa, Yann Gousseau, Alasdair Newson

2022 *IEEE International Conference on Image Processing (ICIP)*, 2022. URL: <https://hal.science/hal-03822204/>

### Assessment of an AI Aid in Detection of Adult Appendicular Skeletal Fractures by Emergency Physicians and Radiologists: A Multi-center Cross-sectional Diagnostic Study

Loïc Duron, Alexis Ducarouge, André Gillibert, Julia Lainé, Christian Allouche, Nicolas Cherel, Zekun Zhang, Nicolas Nitche, Elise Lacave, Aloïs Pourchot, Adrien Felter, Louis Lassalle, Nor-Eddine Regnard, Antoine Feydy

*Radiology* 300.1 (July 2021) pp. 120–129. 2021

## Teaching

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### TEACHING ASSISTANT

Labs and projects supervision in machine learning, deep learning, computer vision, and image processing for courses at Télécom Paris, MVA, M2 Data Science

- 2022-2023: 64h
- 2021-2022: 64h
- 2020-2021: 32h