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# Fabio Barbero

# Résumé

Creative Problem Solver with experience in Data Science and Artificial Intelligence, aiming to help build a more sustainable and human future.

# Education

Master in Data Science for Decision Making, Maastricht University, 2022-ongoing Maastricht.

Bachelor in Data Science and Artificial Intelligence, Maastricht University, 2018–2021

Maastricht, Honours Student (Cum Laude).

Erasmus exchange, IT University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen.
 European Baccalaureate, European School of Brussels 1, Brussels, 89.36/100.
 2020–2021
 2011–2018

# Experience

Work

Al intern, Sportboost Al, Internship as part of my Master's curriculum,	2024-ongoing
Computer vision for extracting athlete's metrics.	
Software Developer, Odoo, Full time Python and Javascript developer.	2021-2022
Student Ambassador, Maastricht University.	2019-2021

**Student Ambassador**, *Maastricht University*. **Internship**, *Seed Factory*, Website development, web communication.

2016

2019

#### Research

Research Student, *Maastricht University*, Developed a data-driven framework 2019–2020 in Python to simulate maritime ports and their agents [3].

#### **Associations**

MSV Incognito, Head of Educational Committee.	2019–2020
Comité des Elèves EEB1, Head of IT Committee.	2016–2018

### **Projects**

Isolating Cross-Platform Coordinated Information Campaigns, Building Multi-Modal Embeddings on different social media platforms to identify such	2022–2022
campaigns, [2].  Minimum Coverage by Convex Polygons, Maastricht University, Working on the CG:SHOP 2023 competition to solve this hard Computational Geometry problem., https://github.com/fbarbe00/CG-SHOP-2023.	2022-2023
Bachelor Thesis, Digital Ludeme Project, Agents for Fast Game Evaluation.	2020-2021
Pyseidon - Maritime Port Simulation Framework.	2019-2021

Graph Colouring, Maastricht University. 2018–2019

Mathematical Simulation of the Solar System, Maastricht University.

# Competitions

Google Hashcode, *online*, Second place in Maastricht Hub.

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LJE Belgium (Young Entrepreneurs), Brussels, Launched a 'Social box' startup for 2017

phones to make reunions more sociable.

**European Schools Science Symposium**, European School of Brussels 1, Luxembourg, 2017

Second place with LaciCloud, an FTP-based cloud service..

# Languages

Italian: Mother tongue Full proficiency

French: Mother tongue Full proficiency

**English**: C2 Professional working proficiency

**Spanish**: B2 Listening: C1, Speaking: B2, Writing: B1

**German**: B1 Current language goal

# Computer skills

**Proficient** 

Python: Pandas, NumPy, Sci-kit, Matplotlib, PyTorch

**Javascript**: jQuery

Java: swing

Office: Office/LibreOffice suite, LATEX, HTML, Markdown

Familiar

C/C++: parallelisation, optimisation
 Bash: scripting
 Linux: remote server access
 R: differential privacy, visualisation
 SQL: MySQL, SQLite, MongoDB
 Julia: mathematical programming

Matlab/Octave: vectorisation PHP: server setup

#### Interests

**Music**: Completed 10 years of classical piano, 5 of jazz piano, 5 of alto and barytone saxophone and played in multiple orchestras and bands. Lucky enough to have perfect pitch.

**Open Source**: Contributor of multiple Open Source project, such as Wikipedia and Open-StreetMap. Active participation and volunteering in events such as FOSDEM, and advocating for software freedom.

**Healthy lifestyle**: Meditate and do Yoga. I follow a mostly plant-based diet. I love bouldering, roundnet and running. Participated in multiple editions of the 20km of Brussels and other trails/races.

## References

Professional and academic references available upon request

#### **Publications**

- [1] Cameron Browne and Fabio Barbero. Heuristic sampling for fast plausible playouts. *IEEE CoG*, 2021. Available at https://ieee-cog.org/2021/assets/papers/paper\_313.pdf.
- [2] Fabio Barbero et al. Multi-modal embeddings for isolating cross-platform coordinated information campaigns on social media. *CoRR*, abs/2309.12764, 2023. Available at https://cris.maastrichtuniversity.nl/ws/portalfiles/portal/142709356/CoG\_2021\_Heuristic\_Sampling.pdf.
- [3] Paulius Skaisgiris, Walter Simoncini, Fabio Barbero, Amir Ahangi, and Rico Mockel. Pyseidon a maritime port simulation framework. *ICCMS*, 2021. Available at https://dl.acm.org/doi/10.1145/3474963.3474986.

# Note

More updated information can be found on my website, https://fabiobarbero.eu