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Education

University of Stuttgart

Stuttgart, Germany

Bachelor of Science in Simulation Technology

A bachelor program focusing on **excellent academic research** in the areas of *mathematics, physics, computer science*, applied and theoretical courses like Calculus I-IV numerical mathematics, machine learning and more, elected **focus** is on **AI** and **bioinformatics**

Projected grade 1.9 and 69 in UK

Scholarship Holder: German Scholarship Foundation

Germany

The Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes is Germany's top scholarship foundation, supporting outstanding students with funding and development programs.

- Two-week summer program in Switzerland, course work: "**Sustainable development in developing countries**", part of Program **visiting IFO** and **UN** at **Geneva**, reading and learning about new **economic policies** for developing countries
- Three-week **summer school in France (Montpellier)** learning **French**, living in host family and **experiencing** culture

School Exchange Australia (3 Months)

Perth, Australia

Christ Church Grammar School

2019

Schönbuch Gymnasium Holzgerlingen

Holzgerlingen, Germany

German High school diploma, graduated with prizes for excellent studies in STEM and economics

German grade 1.0, GPA 4.0

July 2022

Experience

Institute of Biochemistry and Technical Biochemistry

Stuttgart, Germany

Researching student

2023 – today

- Conduct research on **TEM-Lactamase** proteins using the **Python Enzyme Engineering Database (PyEED)**, a **specialized Python** package for protein analysis.
- Contribute to the **development** of PyEED, which leverages **Neo4J** to create complex **networks** for **proteins, DNA**, and ontologies.
- **Collaborate** with a research team under **Prof. Jürgen Pleiss** to advance bioinformatics methods for enzyme engineering.
- Focus on **integrating graph databases** and **vector embeddings** to enhance bioinformatics tools for protein and ontology analysis.
- **Programming LLMs** for vector embeddings in proteins and **ontologies**

Levigo solutions GmbH

Holzgerlingen, Germany

Student software engineer

April 2020 – Sept 2021

- **Setting** up docker **Kubernetes** cluster using **Elasticsearch**
- **Programming** custom plugins for various analytics for **docker** containers

Racing Team Fusion (Student competition "f1inschools")

Holzgerlingen, Germany

Aerodynamics engineer

Sept 2018 – Sept 2019

- Achieved **2nd place at the World Championship in Abu Dhabi 2019** (best place for Germany until then)
- Led vehicle development as the main responsibility in the **largest student engineering competition**, "f1inschools."
- **Coordinated** the engineering team, applying principles of **physics** and **mechanics** while developing testing

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methods and supporting the manufacturing process.

- Gained expertise in technical mechanics, test planning, **CAD** software design, **Ansys fluent aerodynamics**, mesh settings, and technical drawing creation.
- Collected 30 000€ in funding from **sponsoring** various Germany companies
- Developed foundational knowledge of various **manufacturing processes** while fostering effective communication and **teamwork**.

Leadership & Activities

KiSS e.V. (local sport courses for children)

Weil im Schönbuch, Germany

Climbing Trainer

July 2022 – today

- Climbing trainer for children twice a week, two groups with ten children ages 5-10 years

Member of Faculty committee at University Stuttgart

Stuttgart, Germany

Faculty member & Simulation Technology committee student speaker

August 2023 – today

- Voted member and **representing** for students of Simulation Technology

Competitions and Activities over years

Germany

- **Competing** at German national **Artificial Intelligence** competition for high school students May, 2019
- **Junior Science Academy**, course in technology and chemistry July, 2018
- **Leading and founding** roles in high school in **3D-Printing** and Science activities 2014-2022
- Jugend Forscht (Junior **Science competition** in physics,) **second place in state finals** 2017

Skills & Interests

Technical: python (expert), docker (advanced), java (advanced), C++(advanced), git (expert)

Language: German (native), Polish (native), Englisch (C1), French (B2)

Interests: reading (all non-fiction books I can find, except for Dune 😊), triathlon (next up is a 70.3 Ironman), climbing (indoor with friends), debating with friends about politics and economics

Publications

“Design and Realization of a Fast Optimal Transform”; as part of studies, at the Institute of Numerical Mechanics, supervised by Tom Könecke and Lennart Frie; University of Stuttgart; April 2024