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#### WORK EXPERIENCES

Credimi S.p.A.

Oct. 2022 - Today

Head of Data

- · Overseeing Credimi's Data Team: 3 FTEs in charge of antifraud, credit scoring, pricing, data platform and quant risk;
- · Joint responsibilities of a product manager and an engineering manager: delivery, tech lead and people management;
- · Leader of a cross-functional team for the setup of a new Customer Data Platform, including the CMO and Head of Frontend;
- · In charge of the integration of PDS2 data (invoices and bank transactions) into Credimi's workflows (credit scoring antifraud);
- · Owner of Credimi's data lakehouse (Dremio) importing from various databases, Salesforce, our Kafka topics and structured docs.

Credimi S.p.A. Jan. 2022 - Oct. 2022

Data Team, Machine Learning Engineer

- · Ownership of Credimi's credit scoring model, pricing model and quant risk monitoring;
- · Design and implementation of the company's first data-driven credit scoring algorithm, using Dagster and Tensorflow;
- · Design and development of a backtesting platform using internal default data and scraped public data (rejected companies);
- · Automated Markov matrix analysis to monitor trends and extrapolate future scenarios given observed default and recovery rates;
- · Introduction of a data orchestration tool (Dagster) and a data quality tool (Great Expectations) to manage the team's assets.

#### Prometheus Technologies Inc.

Aug. 2020 - Today

Ethos and Portfolio Management, Investment Director

- · Fintech startup based in California, aimed at democratizing personalised asset-management;
- · Creation of a systematic platform to extract customers' values and generate portfolios based on those (direct indexing);
- · Design and implementation of cloud solutions (Google Cloud Platform) involving Kubernetes, Kafka and mobile integration;
- · Remote management of a diverse team of investment professionals and developers during the COVID pandemic;
- · Design and management of an event-driven portfolio management system supporting fractional assets and automated execution.

#### **Aberdeen Standard Investments**

Aug. 2018 - Aug. 2020

Investment Innovation, Investment Analyst

- · Scenario stress-tests, dimensionality analysis and risk hedging on multi-asset portfolios worth £200bn;
- · Data pipeline and automated execution for a suite of macro systematic machine-learning funds;
- · Design of retail and institutional multi-asset funds with market-leading financial performances and enhanced ESG properties;
- · Automated daily ESG screening on several equity and credit indices, a previously error-prone and labor intensive task;
- $\cdot$  Maintenance of an ecosystem of microservices within a Microsoft Azure cloud environment.

# **Aberdeen Standard Investments**

June 2018 - Aug. 2018

 $Investment\ Innovation,\ Intern$ 

· Monte-Carlo simulations on macro strategies, entropy-based portfolio diversification, multi-asset risk hedging;

Credimi Feb. 2018 - May 2018

Lending Team, Intern

- · Design and development of Credimi's Accounting Rating, estimating one year probability of default with ensembles of trees;
- · Systematic financial, anti-fraud and anti-money laundering analysis on small and medium enterprises.

# MIP Politecnico di Milano

Jan. 2017 - July 2017

ERP Project, Intern

Business analyst in the cross-functional project team in charge of implementing SAP S/4 HANA.

### **EDUCATION**

#### University of Edinburgh

Master of Science with Distinction, Artificial Intelligence

Sept. 2019 - Aug. 2021 *GPA: 81* 

- · Fully sponsored, obtained while working full time at Aberdeen Standard Investments and Prometheus;
- · Thesis on latent variables in neural activity (89/100), was described by moderator as "one of the best [they] ever read";
- · AI core topics: Deep Learning, Pattern Recognition, Reinforcement Learning, Autonomous Agents;
- · Complementary topics: Computational Cognitive Neuroscience, Neural Computation, Genetic and Evolutionary Algorithms.

#### Tsinghua University

Exchange Student, Economics & Management

Sept. 2017 - Feb. 2018

GPA: 3.9/4

· Team leader in four projects with international teams, touching different aspects of finance, management and operations.

#### Politecnico di Milano

Sept. 2015 - July 2018

Bachelor of Science, Management Engineering

110 cum laude/110

- · Awarded with the scholarship Best Freshmen of Academic Year 2015/2016;
- · Topics: Supply Chain Management, Manufacturing, Business Management, Project Management, IT Management.

#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

#### Create and Manage Cloud Resources

Sept. 2021

Google Cloud and Wikilabs

### Deploying with Netlify and Heroku

Aug. 2021

Codeacademy

### **Investment Management Certification**

Apr. 2019

CFA Institute UK

# LANGUAGES

Italian Native proficiency

English Full professional proficiency (C2)

Spanish Elementary proficiency (B1)

#### TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Strong Python, TensorFlow, GCP, AWS, SQL, Kubernetes, Dremio, Dagster, REST, GraphQL

Intermediate Kafka, PyTorch, MS Office, Neo4j, InfluxDB, Matlab, Redis, Great Expectations

Basic C#, TypeScript, CSS, R, Scala, Backstage, Terraform