BIOINFORMATICS EXPERIENCE

03.2023 - 12.2023: Intern/Visiting Researcher

EMBL-EBI, Pathogen Informatics and Modelling (bacpop) (Cambridge/UK)

- Statistical methods:
- o Analysed simulation models using Approximate Bayesian Computation
- Machine/Deep Learning methods:
- o Developed a multivariate regression Neural Network model using PyTorch (link)
- o Utilised fine-tuned LLM models from HuggingFace (link)
- Computation and Programming:
- o Developed a Wright-Fisher simulator in Python and ran on HPC.

07.2020 - 07.2022:Internship and Bioinformatician

Genomize, NGS genomics analysis company (Istanbul/TR)

- Computation and Programming:
- o Contribute to variant analysis and prioritisation pipeline.
- o Developed a 'gVCF to VCF' conversion program
- o Developed TMB calculation and integrated MSI tool for the cancer analysis pipeline.
- o Cloud: Utilised AWS and Minio Clients.
- o Contributed to **NextFlow** analysis pipelines
- Technical Skills:
- o Adopted Ubuntu, PyCharm, Docker, NextFlow, Git, Python3, Bash
- o Bioinformatics tools: freebayes, gatk HaplotypeCaller, samtools, etc.
- o Gained insight into databases: dbSNP, clinvar, ensembl, Mondo, OMIM...

MOLECULAR BIOLOGY EXPERIENCES

06.2019 – 07.2019: Volunteer Internship

<u>CECAD</u> - Cologne Cluster of Excellence, Schumacher Lab (Cologne/DE)

- Gel Electrophoreses, PCR, sample preparations
- Gained insight into the ageing research

02.2018 – 03.2019: Volunteer Internship

Boğaziçi University, Behavioural Neuroscience Laboratory (Istanbul/TR)

- Conducted **Immunohistochemistry** and experiment preparation
- Trained in behavioural experiments: Morris Water Maze, Open Field Test...
- Gained insight into the systems neuroscience

11.2016 – 03.2017: Volunteer Internship

Boğaziçi University, Sense (Fish) Laboratory (Istanbul/TR)

- First experience in a molecular biology lab
- Carried out Immunohistochemistry, PCR, cloning, and other essential wet lab techniques

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

08.2022 - 07.2023: Master of Science in BeIn Precision Medicine EMJM Program, High

Honours

University Grenoble Alpes (FR) and University of Barcelona (ES)

Grade: 16.032/20.000

Bachelor of Science in Molecular Biology and Genetics, High Honours 09.2015 - 03.2021: Boğaziçi University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences (Istanbul/TR) GPA: 3.54/4.00 **ERASMUS+ Student Mobility Program, Biology** 04.2019 - 09.2019: The University of Cologne, Natural and Mathematical Sciences (Cologne/DE) **09.2010 – 06.2015: High School Diploma, Honours** Cağaloğlu Anadolu High School (Istanbul/TR) Diploma Grade: 88.61 / 100.00 **PROGRAMMING SKILLS/TOOLS** Git Docker Bash/Shell Scripting Pandas / Numpy Python3 PyTorch R statistics SQL/MongoDB AWS/GCP/AZURE NextFlow **FOREIGN LANGUAGES** German (Moderate) – B2: DSD II Italian (Beginner) – A1: No certificate English (Fluent) - C1: IELTS **SELECTED PROJECTS & CERTIFICATES** ☐ Kaggle Certificates for *Machine Learning* (link) and *Time Series* (link) analyses courses (2024) □ Precision Oncology (PrOnc) and Computational Med(CompMed) Schools, European Scientific Institute (2022 - 2023) ☐ EMBL-EBI / Embassy of France in London Internships Fellowship(2023) (Proud moment) ☐ Erasmus Mundus Joint Master's Program Scholarship (EMJM) and Achievement Certificate (2022-2023) Sabancı Foundation Scholarship (2015 - 2021) □ COVID Data Analysis <u>Project</u>, Extrapolating data using machine learning methods (2020) □ Boğaziçi University IEEE Student Club, Synthetic Biology Platform Coordinator (2018-2019) ☐ iGEM (international Genetically Engineered Machine) Team Management (2017-2018) ☐ Boğaziçi University, BUDANCE Student Club, participated in stage shows(link). (2015-2018) Cağaloğlu Anadolu Lisesi, Deutsches Sprach Diplom II (DSD II) (2015) ☐ 'Umwelt-baut-Brücken (UbB)' environmental awareness project participation certificate (2015) **HOBBIES**

Cycling

Camping and travelling

Always up for learning something new!

REFERENCES

Available upon request.

Listening to music and playing the uke Going to concerts and musical shows