Francesco Sannicola — Machine Learning Engineer | Data Scientist

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Work Experience

Data Scientist II Machine Learning Engineer — Senior Consultant

 $Agile\ Lab$ — Sep 2025 – Present $Links\ M\mathcal{E}T$ — Jan 2025 – Aug 2025

• Built a multi-tenant IoT energy forecasting platform for 3 enterprise clients with genetic algorithm-optimized models, real-time dashboards, and **MLOps** (experiment tracking, model registry, versioned datasets, CI/CD, rollback); enabled per-tenant customization and reduced peak energy costs, overall consumption, and CO₂ emissions via demand forecasting.

Machine Learning Engineer — Consultant

Links M&T — Mar 2023 – Dec 2024

- Integrated browsing, crawling, and **GraphRAG** into a ReAct agent–powered **chatbot** to unify on-premise and online sources, accelerating reporting and reducing preparation time by 15–30 minutes per session.
- Designed an **ESG reporting** solution underpinned by RAG and GPT-40 for automated KPI extraction and contextual retrieval from fund reports, reducing compliance costs and improving decision-making efficiency.
- Developed an NLP web application powered by **encoder-only** transformer models for contextual content recommendations with sub-5s latency, including speech-to-text and text-to-speech.
- Engineered **predictive maintenance** and remaining useful life estimation for EV charging stations, reducing maintenance costs by 30% and preventing unexpected failures via degradation models.
- Built a loan **default prediction** model achieving 80% accuracy with <2% false positives, enabling proactive flagging of high-risk accounts 3–6 months before potential delays.
- Lecturer in software development, databases, and Python at Associazione Formazione, and in anomaly detection and time series analysis at Links Academy AI & ML, resulting in 7+ student job placements; practical lab materials on GitHub.

Artificial Intelligence and Data — Analyst

Deloitte — Oct 2022 − Feb 2023

• Developed an **ETL** workflow with automated visualization of employee KPIs from survey data, transforming static reports into real-time dashboards that enhanced engagement, retention, and satisfaction monitoring for leadership decisions.

AI Engineer and System Administrator — Intern

 ${\it Intesa~Sanpaolo} - {\rm Dec~2021-May~2022}$

• Implemented real-time **time series forecasting** and anomaly detection, evolving from statistical baselines to recurrent networks and autoencoders, reducing infrastructure failure response time from minutes to seconds.

Education

Master's Degree in Computer Science — AI University of Turin

GPA: 3.71/4 Jan 2020 – Apr 2022

- Coursework: Neural Networks; Machine Learning; Natural Language Technologies; Advanced Software Architectures.
- 200h collabs: web pages development for freshman orientation; study support for a student with disability.
- Thesis: real-time time series anomaly detection using stats, machine learning, and deep learning (thesis link).

Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science $University \ of \ Bari$

 $GPA: 4/4 \qquad Oct 2010$

- Coursework: Computer Architecture; Operating Systems; Algorithms; Databases; Software Engineering.
- Thesis: full-stack development of an indoor positioning system integrating a content-based recommender system.

Skills

Programming: Python, Java, SQL, Bash

ML/AI: TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, scikit-learn, RAG, ReAct agents, LangChain, LangGraph, Transformers

Data & Analytics: Pandas, MS Excel, Qlik Sense, Qlik NPrinting

Databases: PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Redis, Milvus

Cloud & DevOps: AWS (EC2, S3, Lambda, SageMaker, Transcribe, Polly, SQS, SNS, RDS, EventBridge), GCP, Docker,

Kubernetes, Git, GitLab CI/CD

Frameworks & Tools: FastAPI, Spring Boot, Flask, Bokeh, Keycloak

Certifications

AWS Certified Machine Learning

Apr 2024

Credentials: Credly profile

Courses: AWS ML Certification Preparation (Mar 2024), GCP Big Data and ML Fundamentals (May 2022), GCP Funda-

mentals: Core Infrastructure (Apr 2022)

Languages

Italian: Native | English: Professional Working Proficiency