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**EDUCATION** University of California, Berkeley

> Doctor of Philosophy Industrial Engineering & Operations Research 2020 - Present

Advisor: Alper Atamtürk

University of Toronto

Bachelor of Applied Science in Engineering Science, Machine Intelligence 2016 - 2020

Graduation with High Honours

Advisor: Merve Bodur

Research Fair and Accurate Regression: Strong Formulations and Algorithms

A. Deza, A. Gómez, A. Atamtürk. To Be Submitted

Logic Rules and Chordal Graphs for Sparse Learning

A. Deza, A. Gómez, A. Atamtürk. To Be Submitted

Sum of Squares Submodularity

A. Deza, G. Hall. Under Preparation

Safe Screening for Logistic Regression with  $\ell_0 - \ell_2$  Regularization

A. Deza, A. Atamtürk. KDIR, 2022. (Won Best Paper Award)

Simulating Polyculture Farming to Learn Automation Policies for Plant Diversity and **Precision Irrigation** 

Y. Avigal, W. Wong, M. Presten, M. Theis, S. Aeron, A. Deza, S. Sharma, R. Parikh, S. Oehme, S. Carpin, J. Viers, S. Vougioukas, K. Goldberg. IEEE T-ASE, 2022

Learning Seed Placements and Automation Policies for Polyculture Farming with Companion Plants

Y. Avigal, A. Deza, W. Wong, S. Oehme, M. Presten, M. Theis, J. Chui, P. Shao, H. Huang, A. Kotani, S. Sharma, R. Parikh, M. Luo, S. Mukherjee, S. Carpin, J. Viers, S. Vougioukas, K. Goldberg. ICRA, 2021

Distance Between Vertices of Lattice Polytopes

A. Deza, A. Deza, Z. Guan, L. Pournin. Optimization Letters, 2020

ACADEMIC Presentations

INFORMS Annual Meeting, Seattle	October 2024
ISMP, Montréal	July 2024
MIP Poster Competition, Lexington	June 2024
AI4OPT Poster Competition, Berkeley	April 2024
INFORMS Annual Meeting, Phoenix	October 2023
Workshop on Recent Advances in Optimization, Fields Institute, Toronto	December 2022
KDIR 2022, Valletta (Virtual)	October 2022
INFORMS Annual Meeting, Indianapolis	October 2022
AI4OPT Institute, Virtual	September 2022
MIP Poster Competition, Rutgers	May 2022

	CORS Annual Conference, Virtual INFORMS Annual Meeting, Virtual	June 2021 November 2020
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	NSF AI Institute for Advances in Optimization University of California, Berkeley	Spring 2022 — Present
	Host: Alper Atamtürk  AUTOLAB  University of California, Berkeley  Host: Ken Goldberg	Summer 2020
	CEAR Lab Technion - Israel Institute of Technology Host: Amir Degani	Summer 2019
	Discrete Optimization Team RIKEN Advanced Intelligence Project, Tokyo Host: Takanori Maehara	Summer 2018
	Laboratoire de Recherche en Informatique Université Paris-Sud Host: Yannis Manoussakis	Summer 2017
Teaching Experience	Graduate Student Instructor: IEOR262A: Mathematical Programming Graduate Student Instructor: IEOR142: Introduction to Machine Lear	
Honors and Awards	KDIR 2022 Best Paper Award MIP 2022 Best Poster Award UC Berkeley IEOR Department Fellowship INFORMS Undergraduate Operations Research Prize Finalist MITACS Globalink Research Award ESROP - Global Award Engineering Science Chair's Scholarship Exceptional Opportunity Award Dean's Merit Award Dean's Honor List	2022 2022 2020 2020 2019 2019 2018 2017 2017
SKILLS	Languages: English, French, Hebrew Computational: Python, Julia, Gurobi, Mosek	
SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP	AI4OPT Student Leadership Council Co-Chair and UC Berkeley Representative IEOR First Year PhD Mentorship Mentor INFORMS UC Berkeley Student Chapter Organizer and Member Society of Women Engineers Invited Speaker Berkeley Undergrad Research Program Mentor University of Toronto Women in Science & Engineering (WISE) Mentor & Speaker University of Toronto NSight Student Mentorship Program Chair & Mentor	2022 - Present $2023 - Present$ $2023 - 2024$ $2021 - 2022$ $2021 - 2022$ $2018 - 2022$ $2018 - 2020$