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# **EDUCATION**

2008 - 2010	<b>ESSEC Business School</b> , MBA Specialization: Finance. Scholarship: Bourse d'excellence Eiffel.	Paris, FR.
2006 - 2008	<b>Virginia Tech,</b> Master of Science Industrial and Systems Engineering, Specialization: Applied Mathematics and Operations Research	Blacksburg, USA.
2002 - 2006	Anna University, Bachelor of Engineering, Specialization: Mechatronics Best outgoing Student	Chennai, IN.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Dec 2020	<b>Tableau for Business Users: A Hands-on perspective,</b> Enable business users to be autonomous and efficient in their Interpretation, Analysis and Visualization of Data. (Ed. Amazon Media EU).	
2007	A design on experiment-based procedure for real-time forecasting, International Journal of Industrial and Systems Engineering (IJISE Vol.2 No.1)	
2007	<b>Development of efficient combinatorial auction mechanism for airport slot allocation,</b> International Journal of Services and Operations Management (IJSOM Vol.3 No.4)	

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2020 – Today. E-Commerce: Head of Data Analytics (Consulting), FR.

• Strategic support and guidance in the construction of Kering's Data Warehouse from the ground up as part of the internalization of e-commerce activities.



- Kering
- Setup Data Analytics and visualization tools to evangelize and democratize access to Data across all business departments and stakeholders.
- Developed Key performance Indicators to help the stakeholders strategically steer their ecommerce activities (Online and offline)
- Technical Environment: AWS (EMR, Athena, Aurora, S3), Google Bigquery, Python, Pandas, SQL, Tableau.

# 2017 - 2020 Chief Data Scientist & Co-Founder, Paris, FR.

- Engineered and built the technical platform from the ground-up and scaled the startup.
- New York Times featured JetPack Data as a GroundBreaker under the category AI.



JetPack Data

- Jetpackdata.com instantly transforms your data into Analysis and Dashboards. Just drag and drop
  your data source and let JetPack's machine learning algorithms do the rest and help you in your
  analysis.
- Major Clients: Natixis, IPSEN, Groupon, Schneider Electric, AG2R La Mondiale, etc...
- **Technical Environment**: Python (Flask, Numpy, Scipy, TensorFlow, Pandas), Javascript (Angular 9, AngularJS, D3)
- 2012–2016 Head of Data Science EMEA (24 pays), Paris, FR.
  - Development of Predictive mathematical Models to optimize sales & finance performance.



Groupon

- Development & automation of a software to import & analyse competitors data.
- Technical Environment: SQL, Teradata, Spark, Hadoop, VBA, Access, Python (Pandas, Beautifulsoup, Numpy, Dask), Javascript (Angular, Selenium, D3), Tableau, PowerBI, Microstrategy
- 2011–2012 **Business Intelligence Analyst**, Paris, FR.



Apple

- Statistical Analysis & modeling to optimize the performance across Apple Stores.
- Development of Mathematical models to improve the performance of the Ipad 2 Supply Chain.
- Technical Environment: MySQL, PostgreSQL, Python, Excel VBA
- 2010- 2011 **Fixed Income Analyst**, Paris, FR.
  - Financial risk analysis on a portfolio of securitized assets and SPVs.
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BNP

- Financial model development to automate the management of clients' securities portfolio.
- Technical Environment: SQL, Excel VBA, Access
- 2008 Operations Research Analyst, Chicago, US.



TTX

- Development of Mathematical Models to match supply and demand across the railroad network in North America
- Winner of the Go-Rail Contest: Lobbied for the Railroads in the US House of Representatives.
- Technical Environment: IBM IloG CPLEX, SQL, Linear Optimization

# **LANGUAGES**

**English:** Mother tongue **French**: Bilingual

**Programming:** Python (Flask, Scikit, Numpy, Pandas, Tensorflow, Spark), JavaScript (D3, Angular 8+), SQL, Excel VBA.

Cloud Environment: AWS, GCP et Microsoft Azure.