

# Nikita Morozov

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## Research Interests

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Deep Learning, Probabilistic Modeling, Generative Modeling, Reinforcement Learning

## Education

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**HSE University** September 2022 – (expected) July 2024  
*Master's programme 'Math of Machine Learning', current GPA: 9.58/10* Moscow, Russia

**HSE University** September 2018 – July 2022  
*Bachelor's programme 'Applied Mathematics and Information Science', GPA: 9.65/10* Moscow, Russia

## Experience

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**HSE University, Centre of Deep Learning and Bayesian Methods** November 2021 – Present  
*Research Assistant* Moscow, Russia  
• Topic: Generative Flow Networks (GFlowNets), supervisor: [Dmitry Vetrov](#)

**HSE University** September 2022 – Present  
*Teaching Fellow* Moscow, Russia  
• Courses: Machine Learning, Introduction to Deep Learning

**AIRI** May 2023 – July 2023  
*Research Intern* Moscow, Russia  
• Research with [Aibek Alanov](#) on applying GFlowNet techniques to diffusion models

**HSE University** September 2019 – June 2022  
*Teaching Assistant* Moscow, Russia  
• Courses: Machine Learning, Algebra, Algorithms and Data Structures

**Yandex** July 2019 – November 2019  
*Software Engineer Intern* Moscow, Russia  
• Refining C++ API of distributed computing platform [YTsaurus](#)  
• Optimization of internal data exchange format parsers and writers

## Publications

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[Generative Flow Networks as Entropy-Regularized RL](#)  
Daniil Tiapkin\*, [Nikita Morozov\\*](#), Alexey Naumov, Dmitry Vetrov  
AISTATS 2024 (Oral)

[Differentiable Rendering with Reparameterized Volume Sampling](#)  
[Nikita Morozov](#), Denis Rakitin, Oleg Desheulin, Dmitry Vetrov, Kirill Struminsky  
AISTATS 2024, Short version of this paper appeared in ICLR 2023 Workshop on Neural Fields

[Weight Averaging Improves Knowledge Distillation under Domain Shift](#)  
Valeriy Berezovskiy, [Nikita Morozov](#)  
ICCV 2023 Workshop on Out-of-Distribution Generalization in Computer Vision

## Awards

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**International Collegiate Programming Contest (ICPC)**  
*21/276 place in Northern Eurasia Finals, advanced to World Finals* 2024

**Ilya Segalovich Scholarship**  
*HSE University & Yandex scholarship for outstanding achievements in study and research* 2021, 2023

**HSE Student Research Paper Competition**  
*Awardee in computer science category* 2022

## Skills

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**Programming Languages:** Python, C++, C  
**Deep Learning Frameworks:** PyTorch, JAX  
**Other Programming:** Git, Unix, Spark, CUDA (basic knowledge)

## Languages

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**English:** C1, **Russian:** Native, **French:** A1