

# Yassine Laguel

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## Education

- 2018–2021 **Phd in Optimization and Machine Learning**, Supervised by Jérôme Malick, Université Grenoble Alpes, Grenoble.
- 2017–2018 **Master of Sciences in Industrial and Applied Mathematics (MSIAM)**, Master 2, track Statistics, Grenoble.
- 2015–2018 **Ecole Nationale Supérieure de l'Informatique et des Mathématiques Appliquée (ENSIMAG)**, Engineering School, track Financial Engineering, Grenoble.
- 2012–2015 **Classes Préparatoires MPSI-MP\***, Lycée Blaise Pascal, Orsay, Option Computer Science.
- 2012 **Baccalauréat Option Sciences**, Lycée Blaise Pascal, Orsay, High honors.

## Scientific publications

- 2020 **On transconcavity and probability constraints**, Wim Van Ackooij, Yassine Laguel, Jérôme Malick, Guilherme Matiussi Ramalho, Wellington De Oliveira. Submitted
- 2020 **Superquantile Minimization : Oracles and First-order Algorithms**, Yassine Laguel, Jérôme Malick, Zaid Harchaoui, Journal of Mathematical Analysis and Applications. Submitted
- 2020 **Randomized Progressive Hedging methods for Multi-stage Stochastic Programming**, Gilles Bareilles, Yassine Laguel, Dmitry Grishchenko, Franck Iutzeler, Jerome Malick. Submitted
- 2020 **Device Heterogeneity in Federated Learning : A Superquantile Approach**, Yassine Laguel, Krishna Pillutla, Jérôme Malick, Zaid Harchaoui. Submitted

## Scientific Talks and Poster

- 2019 **1<sup>st</sup> Order Methods for Minimization of Superquantile-based Risk Measures**, Talk, ICSP 2019. Trondheim, Norway
- 2019 **On the interplay between generalized concavity and chance constraints**, Talk, IC-COPT 2019. Berlin, Germany
- 2019 **Sur l'usage de la transconcavité pour les problèmes avec contraintes en probabilités**, Talk, Journées annuelles du GDR MOA 2019. Rennes, France
- 2020 **Practical Minimization of CVar-based Risk functions**, Talk, ROADEF. Montpellier, France
- 2020 **Handling Device Heterogeneity in Federated Learning**, Poster, Optimization for Machine Learning. Marseille, France

## Teaching Activities

- 2019-2020 **Convex and Distributed Optimization**, *Université Grenoble Alpes*, M2 MSIAM, Lecture Hall and Practical Work.
- 2019 **Introduction à Python**, *Université Grenoble Alpes*, M1 SSD, Lectures and Practical Work.
- 2019 **Optimization Numérique**, *ENSIMAG*, 2<sup>nd</sup> Year, Directed Studies and Practical Work.
- 2019 **MAP 201, Introduction à R**, *Université Grenoble Alpes*, L1, Practical Work.
- 2015-2017 **Mentor of undergraduate students in Mathematics**, *Université Joseph Fourier - CPP Grenoble*, Grenoble.

## Work Experience

- 2018 **Research Internship**, *University of Washington*, Seattle.  
First order methods for Superquantile Regression
- 2017 **Research Internship**, *EDF R&D*, Saclay.  
On transconcavity and eventual convexity of Chance constrained problems.
- 2017 **Conception and implementation of a transport management algorithm for an international firm**, *Consulting for a french company*.  
Realization of an optimized algorithm for a transport network consisting of hundreds of sites and thousands of trucks.
- 2016 **Research Internship**, *WeSave, Financial Startup*, Paris.  
Research Internship in mathematical Finance, on the establishment of quantitative criterium based on correlations matrices to anticipate crises
- 2013 **Member of the Jury**, *ITYM*, IASI, Roumanie.  
Member of the Jury at the International Tournament of Young Mathematicians (ITYM).

## Prizes

- 2012 **Finalist of the french tournament of young mathematicians (TFJM)** ,  
*Saclay*, France.  
Rank : 1<sup>st</sup> ex-aequo
- 2012 **Finalist of the International Tournament of Young Mathematicians (ITYM)** ,  
*Orsay*, France.  
Rank : 3<sup>rd</sup>

## Computer Skills

Languages PYTHON, JULIA, JAVA, C/C++, ADA, R, SQL, HTML/CSS, JAVASCRIPT, BASH, OCAML, LATEX

Operating Systems Mac OS/X, Windows, Linux

## Languages

French Mother tongue

English Advanced. Score TOEFL IBT : 93

## Hobbies

- Olympic Mathematics, Music, Hiking