



# Paul Berg

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## About

I am a researcher currently looking for an opportunity to solve challenging problems.

I have experiences designing theoretical computer vision systems as well as carrying out more applied projects in remote sensing or medical imaging.

## Education

### Engineering Degree in Computer Science (Data Science minor)

Université de Technologie de Compiègne (UTC), Compiègne  
Sep. 2016 - Aug. 2021

### Erasmus Semester in Software Engineering

Technische Universität (TU), Graz, Austria  
Feb. 2018 - June. 2018

## Skills

Python	Pytorch, matplotlib, Polars, numpy
JuliaLang	Pluto, Enzyme
JavaScript	React, node, Typescript
Web Compilers	HTML, Tailwind MLIR, C++
Others	Git, Rust, Zig, bash, slurm, linux

## Languages

French	Native
English	Fluent, 980/990 TOEIC
German	Basic, A2

## Experiences

### Postdoctoral Researcher

Bern University of Applied Sciences (BFH), Biel/Bienne, Switzerland  
Since Jan. 2025

Researching the use of geostationary satellite images for short-term forecasting of weather data using machine learning methods. The main application is being able to predict the production of solar farms at very short lead times.

### PhD in Representation Learning for Remote Sensing

IRISA, Université de Bretagne Sud, Vannes  
Nov. 2021 - Dec. 2024

Studied the field of representation learning with applications to remote sensing images supervised by [Minh-Tan Pham](#) and [Nicolas Courty](#). Researched applications of optimal transport theory for self-supervised learning. Results were published in international conferences and journals.

Teaching assistant in a master course in Deep Learning with [Nicolas Courty](#) and [Olivier Grisel](#) and taught practicals in SQL databases.

### JuliaLang Open Source Contributor

Online  
Since Sep. 2020

Maintaining and developing core features to the notebook system [Pluto.jl](#). I also contributed bug fixes and features to core packages of the ecosystem. I was a mentor during [GSOC 2022](#), which resulted in the development of a new package which has been successfully adopted in the ecosystem.

Also contributing to the development of the ML compiler driven library [Reactant.jl](#) and [Enzyme](#).

### Computer Vision Research Intern

IRISA, Université de Bretagne Sud, Vannes  
Feb. 2021 - Aug. 2021

Joined an ongoing [research project](#) and developed a weakly supervised method for marine mammal detection which has since been published.

### Freelance Web Developer

Freelance, Compiègne  
Sep. 2018 - Feb. 2020

Developed a custom solution for an online catalog and bill estimator for a local artisan. Developed new custom features for a Drupal site used by >1k members.

## Publications

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### Multi-Prototype Hyperbolic Learning Guided by Class Hierarchy

Paul Berg, Léo Buecher, Björn Michele, Minh-Tan Pham, Laetitia Chapel and Nicolas Courty.  
International Journal of Computer Vision (IJCV), 2025.

### Horospherical Learning with Smart Prototypes

Paul Berg, Björn Michele, Minh-Tan Pham, Laetitia Chapel and Nicolas Courty.  
British Machine Vision Conference (BMVC), 2024.

### Box for Mask and Mask for Box: weak losses for multi-task partially supervised learning

Hoàng-ÂN Lê, Paul Berg and Minh-Tan Pham.  
British Machine Vision Conference (BMVC), 2024.

### Multimodal Supervised Contrastive Learning in Remote Sensing Downstream Tasks

Paul Berg, Baki Uzun, Minh-Tan Pham and Nicolas Courty.  
IEEE GRSL, 2024.

### Joint multi-modal Self-Supervised pre-training in Remote Sensing: Application to Methane Source Classification

Paul Berg, Minh-Tan Pham and Nicolas Courty.  
IEEE IGARSS, 2023.

### Automatic part segmentation of facial anatomies using geometric deep learning toward a computer-aided facial rehabilitation

Duc-Phong Nguyen, Paul Berg, Bilel Debbabi, Tan-Nhu Nguyen, Vi-Do Tran, Ho-Quang Nguyen, Stéphanie Dakpé, Tien Dao.  
Engineering Applications of Artificial Intelligence, 2023.

### Spherical Sliced-Wasserstein

Clément Bonet, Paul Berg, Nicolas Courty, François Septier, Lucas Drumetz and Minh-Tan Pham.  
International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2023.

### Self-supervised learning for scene classification in remote sensing: Current state of the art and perspectives

Paul Berg, Minh-Tan Pham and Nicolas Courty.  
Remote Sensing, 2023.

### Weakly supervised detection of marine animals in high resolution aerial images

Paul Berg, Deise Santana Maia, Minh-Tan Pham and Sébastien Lefèvre.  
Remote Sensing, 2022.

## Other Research Activities

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### Reviews

I have reviewed for the following conferences and journals: GRSL, TGRS, BMVC, ECML PKDD, JuliaCon Local and GRETSI.

### Talks/Posters

02/10/2025 Presentation of Reactant.jl, JuliaCon Local, Paris.  
13/12/2024 PhD Defense, Vannes.  
26/08/2024 Team Seminar, Île d'Arz.  
10/07/2024 Coil.jl - Lifting Julia array operations to MLIR, JuliaCon, Eindhoven.  
02/07/2024 RFIAP, Lilles.  
25/06/2024 Department Day, Rennes.  
01/12/2023 A macro-view of Reactivity in Pluto.jl, JuliaCon Local, Eindhoven.  
16/07/2023 IGARSS, Pasadena.  
07/07/2023 Department Day, Rennes.  
06/10/2022 Team Seminar, Vannes.  
08/04/2021 Automated Bindings & Metaprogramming, PlutoCon, Online.