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#### About Me

I am Abdullah Veli Özcan, a Data Scientist with a B.Sc. in Software Engineering and one year of industry experience. Committed to continuous learning, I stay close to cutting-edge AI research and put new ideas to the test in global data-science competitions. These challenges expose me to the full machine-learning spectrum and drive me to design practical, dependable solutions to real-world problems.

## Experience

## **BTS Group**

Data Scientist & Associate Data Engineer

- Serving as technical lead for an end-to-end RCA platform, integrating LLM-based analysis.
- Developed and optimized clustering algorithms to analyze and identify communities within complex network structures, and designed data-driven grouping methods for network events, enabling event analysis 84% faster and 71% more accurate than legacy solutions.
- Built and deployed a production-grade parser LLM for structured information extraction, achieving 93% precision and eliminating manual parsing bottlenecks.

## Publications

An Efficient Federated Learning–Based Digital Twin Edge Network: A Case Study for Industry 4.0 IEEE WCNC, 2025, Milan, Italy. DOI: 10.1109/WCNC61545.2025.10978750

## Competitions

Teknofest Turkish Natural Language Processing Competition — Finalist

- Tackled the problem of entity-based sentiment analysis by creating a coreference resolution-aware system for Turkish, addressing a significant gap in the field, continuing to refine this solution to fully meet the challenge.
- iyzico Datathon 2nd / 328
  - Forecasted the net transaction counts for various businesses in the last quarter of the year, based on the monthly recorded transaction numbers from the beginning of the year. https://www.kaggle.com/competitions/iyzico-datathon/leaderboard
- Datathon: Job PredictaThon 2nd
  - Recommending new job listings based on applicants' previous applications. https://www.kaggle.com/competitions/datathonjob-predictathon/leaderboard

#### Projects

- Sound Recognition
  - Application captures audio from the user's microphone and records it on the device. It then performs voice and emotion predictions based on this recording. https://github.com/veliozcancbu/Sound-Recognition
- The Scikit-Learn User Guide's explanation in Turkish
  - Explaining the scikit-learn user guide in Turkish with illustrations, mathematical explanations, and code examples

https://github.com/veliozcancbu/scikit-learn-user-guide-explanation-in-Turkish

02/2024

02/2024 - Ongoing

08/2024

02/2024

## Voluntary Contributions

## Researcher

SDxRG (Software Defined Everything Research Group)

Active member of the research group, focusing on topics like Software-Defined Networks, Blockchain, and IoT.
<a href="https://sdxrg.mcbu.edu.tr/">https://sdxrg.mcbu.edu.tr/</a>

## Education

## Software Engineering BSc.

Manisa Celal Bayar University

## **Technical Skills**

• Python • Machine Learning • Deep Learning SQL sklearn • Git AutoML Tools • PyTorch Tensorflow & Keras NLP & LLM • Hugging Face NetworkX • Graph Transformers • OpenCV Docker Grafana MongoDB Tableau Power BI Matplotlib & Seaborn

## Languages

- Turkish: Native
- English: Professional Working Proficiency

## Certifications

- Natural Language Processing Specialization DeepLearning.AI, 2024
- IBM Data Science Professional Certificate, 2023
- Google Advanced Data Analytics Professional Certificate, 2023
- Deep Learning Specialization DeepLearning.AI, 2023
- Machine Learning Specialization DeepLearning.AI, 2023

Latest Update: 06/2025

09/2023 - Ongoing

06/2024