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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**BLIP**, *Associate Backend Developer* [↗](#)

Jun 2023 – present

- Implement and maintain the cashout functionality of Paddy Power and Betfair websites and applications.

**Technologies:** Java, Kafka, Spring Boot, Cougar, Jenkins, Splunk.

**BLIP**, *Backend Intern* [↗](#)

Sep 2022 – Jun 2023

• Build and maintain scalable, highly available services that communicate with various feed providers to update competitions and events from external providers.

• Implement and maintain the search engine of Paddy Power and Betfair websites and applications.

• Post-university experience, through a 9 months professional internship.

• **Technologies:** Java, Scala, Kafka, Spring Boot, Elastic Search, Jenkins, Splunk.

**Yari Labs**, *Software Engineering Intern* [↗](#)

Jul 2021 – Aug 2021

• Collaborated in open source project based on blockchain, rewarding users with cryptographic distributed tokens based on their performance.

• Built the project's graphical user interface by implementing a responsive website, which led to obtaining the "Excellent" grade [↗](#).

• **Technologies:** TypeScript, VueJs, TailwindCSS, CouchDB, Auth0, Agile, Netlify.

## EDUCATION

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**Integrated Masters in Informatics Engineering**, *University of Minho* [↗](#)

Sep 2017 – Dec 2022 | Braga, Portugal

• **Master's specializations:** Application Engineering and Intelligent Systems.

## PROJECTS

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**Roomie**, *Real Estate Availability Platform* [↗](#)

Apr 2021 – Jun 2021

• Developed a web platform that uses a rating system to help tenants and landlords through the process of renting an house.

• **Technologies:** Java, Spring Boot, Hibernate, PostgreSQL, Vue.js, NGINX, Docker, GCP.

**Bird Species Classifier** [↗](#)

Mar 2021 – Jun 2021

• Developed a Machine Learning model using CNN to classify bird species. Genetic Algorithms were then applied to optimize the hyperparameters and the loss function.

• **Technologies:** Python, Tensorflow, Keras, Jupyter Notebook.

**Educational Resources Providing Platform** [↗](#)

Oct 2020 – Dec 2020

• Built a platform that provides educational resources of various types: books, articles, reports. Designed and engineered APIs and the interface, as well as the NoSQL database system.

• **Technologies:** HTML & CSS, Pug, JavaScript, Node.js, Express, MongoDB.

## LANGUAGES

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Portuguese



English

