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## EDUCATION

**PhD**  
**Human-Computer Interaction**  
University of Stuttgart  
2020-present

**M.Sc**  
**Web Science**  
University of Koblenz-Landau  
2016-2019

**B.Sc**  
**Software Engineering**  
Azad University of Mashhad  
2009-2012

## SKILLS

Web & Software Development  
Scientific Research,  
HCI, Machine Learning  
Scrum, Agile  
C++, PHP, Python, Java,  
TypeScript, JavaScript, Node.js  
VueJs, AngularJS,  
HTML5, CSS3, jQuery  
Pytorch, Sklearn  
SQL, NoSQL,  
Postgre, MySQL, MongoDB  
Django, Express, Drupal, and Slim

## RECENT EXPERIENCE

### September 2021 - present, Founder & CTO

Semanux GmbH  
Semanux makes the digital world more inclusive by enabling people with disabilities to control the computer via their individual capabilities.

### April 2020 - Present, Scientific Researcher

Analytic computing department, University of Stuttgart  
My research focus is on Multimodal interaction combining eye tracking with other modalities e.g., non-verbal voice interactions, AI, and accessibility.

### Aug 2016 - Mar 2020, Senior Full-stack Web Developer

Union Betriebs-GmbH  
Developed a rules proposal and version control system that is used by Bundestag, the German federal parliament.

### Jun 2015 - Mar 2016, Senior Back-end Developer

Bliksund AS  
Developed a RESTful web service for the Bliksund app used by the majority of hospitals in Norway. Bliksund is a leading provider in the digital transformation of emergency services.

## TEACHING

**2020** Tutor in Machine learning (Awarded for the 3rd best course of the year)  
**2021** Tutor in Human-Computer interaction and Information Retrieval

## AWARDS

**2013** Web application Security, Ferdowsi University of Mashhad

## SELECTED SOFTWARE PROJECTS

**Semanux Access.** A software tool designed to assist individuals with motor impairments by enabling hands-free control of computers.

**MICME.** A BMWi funded project with the aim of providing multimodal hands-free interactions for surgeons in medical environments.

**Antragswesen.** A rules proposal and version control system I have implemented for the German government.

**Angela Merkel's Personal Website.** I've been entrusted with the task of implementing the personal website of Chancellor of Germany, Angela Merkel.

**Bliksund Native Application.** The Bliksund project contains many functionalities, mainly facilitating the communication between hospitals and ambulances.

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

R.Hedeshy, C. Kumar, M. Lauer, S. Staab

**All Birds Must Fly:** The Experience of Multimodal Hands-free Gaming with Gaze and Nonverbal Voice Synchronization.

R. Hedeshy, C. Kumar, R. Menges, S. Staab

**Hummer:** Text Entry by Gaze and Hum. "CHI '21, Yokohama, Japan"

R. Hedeshy, C. Kumar, R. Menges, S. Staab

**GIUPlayer:** A Gaze Immersive YouTube Player Enabling Eye Control and Attention Analysis." ETRA '20"

C. Kumar, R.Hedeshy, R. Menges, S. Staab

**TAGSwipe:** Touch Assisted Gaze Swipe for Text Entry. "CHI '20, Honolulu, HI, USA"



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