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EDUCATION

Jilin University, Changchun, China

09/2019-06/2024

- Bachelor of Medicine in Preventive Medicine; Minor in German Language
- GPA: 3.54/4.00 (Ranking: 9/104)
- Relevant Coursework: Calculus D, Linear Algebra D, Health Statistics A, Application of R Language in Medical Data Analysis, The Foundation of Python Programming, Epidemiology, etc.

Trine University (Online Courses; Obtained 7 Credits)

06/2023-08/2023

• Calculus II (Grade: A); Prob And Stats (Grade: A)

Rio Salado College (Online Courses; Obtained 4 Credits)

09/2023-10/2023

• Calc Analytic Geom III (Grade: A)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

A Pulsed Vaccine Strategy in the Prevention and Control of Mpox Epidemics

10/2023-present

Capstone Project, Jilin University

- Constructed the JYNNEOS Vaccine dynamic model based on impulsive differential equations and the SEIR model.
- Derived infection-free periodic solution.
- Performed numerical fitting on MATLAB; explored the effects of initiation time, pulse vaccination rate, and pulse interval on mpox epidemics control; determined the optimal vaccination strategy.

The Research of Mixed Vaccine Strategy on Epidemic Dynamics

01/2023-present

Research Assistant, Jilin University

- Established dynamic equations for mixed vaccine strategy; derived infection-free periodic solution.
- Obtained the linearized equations; added a small disturbance term to the periodic solution.
- Derived the time needed to reach the goal of ending TB for different initiation times of the mixed vaccine strategy.
- Simulated the pulse interval and pulse vaccination rate varying in a specific range; determined the effect of the variation of pulse interval and pulse vaccination rate on time towards the elimination of TB.

Cross-Sectional Study on Functional Constipation among Undergraduates and Analysis of Influencing Factors 11/2022-12/2022

Project Leader, Jilin University

- Adopted convenience sampling method for Chinese undergraduate students; collected 642 valid questionnaires.
- Used EpiData 3.1 for questionnaire creation, data entry, and administration.
- Performed the chi-square test and rank-sum test; identified factors with the significance of difference.
- Assigned values to single-factor indicators with the significance of difference; included them in a multinomial log--istic regression analysis; identified two risk factors and one protective factor for functional constipation in Chinese undergraduate students.

Mechanism of RSL3 Regulating EMT-Induced Glioma Stem Cell Differentiation by Inhibiting Tgm2 Second Team Leader, Jilin University 05/2022-05/2023

- Sequenced RSL3 separately for transcriptomics and proteomics; analyzed the sequencing results jointly; identified 12 altered genes at both levels.
- Screened the TCGA database; speculated Tgm2 as a target gene of the pathway related to RSL3.
- Screened the GEPIA database; found the expression of Tgm2 was significantly and positively correlated with a key inducible factor (Snail) in the EMT process.
- Achieved the visualization analysis with R.

A Program that can Realize Diabetes Data Mining and Diabetes Prediction Based on ANN

Second Team Leader, University of Cambridge (Online)

01/2022-02/2022

- Performed descriptive statistics and data visualization (scatter plot matrix, pair plot, and heat map) on the Pima Indians Diabetes Dataset in Python.
- Conducted data pre-processing; divided the Pima Indians Diabetes Dataset into a training set and a test set in a ratio of 4:1 randomly.
- Constructed the prediction model based on the artificial neural network (ANN) algorithm; incorporated eight input variables as the input layer of the ANN; incorporated the diagnosis of diabetes mellitus as the output variable.
- Brought training set into ANN algorithm; brought the test set into the model.
- Evaluated the prediction effect of the ANN model by calculating accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score, and AUC.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

The Second Norman Bethune Hospital of Jilin University

06/2022-08/2022 (Online)

Clinical Practice, Rotating through 10 departments

09/2022-10/2022 (Onsite)

- Assisted doctors in daily rounds of patients in each ward; observed and recorded patient data; organized clinical data sets for each department.
- Analyzed the development trends of each patient's disease through SPSS or Excel; provided references for further treatment methods and drug selection in clinical practice.

Clinical Practice, Department of Pathology

- Assisted in processing live tissue and making paraffin and frozen sections; learned histopathological diagnosis through an optical microscope.
- Assisted in recording various biopsies data; created a database of pathology cases.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Vice President, Sunshine Volunteer Association of Jilin University

10/2021-10/2022

- Organized a recycling campaign for used clothes.
- Arranged an online volunteer tutoring program for underprivileged high school students in Gansu Province.

Coach, Jilin University School of Public Health Debate Team

10/2021-present

- Participated as a judge in the 2022 Cham Cup Debate Competition.
- Mentored participants in the Matilda Critical Thinking Debate.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

• First Prize Scholarship of Jilin University	2022-2023 Academic Year
Outstanding Student of Jilin University	2022-2023 Academic Year
Second Prize Scholarship of Jilin University	2021-2022 Academic Year
Social Practice Scholarship of Jilin University	2021-2022 Academic Year
• Outstanding Student of the School of Public Health, Jilin University	2021-2022 Academic Year
Second Prize Scholarship of Jilin University	2020-2021 Academic Year
Social Practice Scholarship of Jilin University	2020-2021 Academic Year
Third Prize Scholarship of Jilin University	2019-2020 Academic Year

SKILLS

Languages: English (Fluent), Mandarin (Native), German (Basic)

Computer skills: Python (Proficient), R (Proficient), C (Moderate), SPSS (Proficient), MATLAB (Moderate), etc.