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EDUCATION

Worcester Polytechnic Institute

Bachelor of Science in Data Science & Mathematical Sciences

May 2024

Minor in Computer Science

Relevant Coursework: Machine Learning, Algorithms, Principles of Real Analysis, Linear Algebra, Combinatorics, Probability Theory, Mathematical Statistics, Artificial Intelligence, Big Data, Business Intelligence

Awards: Pi Mu Epsilon (U.S. Mathematics Honors Society)

Admitted: April 2023

EXPERIENCE

Schneider Electric

Boston, MA

Data Science Intern

2023.06 - 2023.09

- Constructed a predictive model using Python (PySpark) and random forest regression for quantitative analysis, achieving 91% accuracy in forecasting battery percentages for a UPS Phase 1 sensor.
- Uncovered insights into UPS battery aging patterns over time, battery chemistry, and energy conservation aspects.

United Solutions

Leominster, MA

Business Analytics Intern

2022.06 - 2022.09

- Designed and implemented Power BI dashboards with dynamic DAX formulas, reducing report generation time by 30% and enhancing data visualization. This improvement facilitated quicker and more informed decision-making based on key trends.
- Implemented daily IQMS Reports using Python, reducing report generation time and providing critical insights into labor productivity trends.

Clora

Boston, MA

Business Analytics Intern

2021.06 - 2022.08

- Analyzed payroll administration of healthcare consultants and ensured accuracy and completeness of their contracts.
- Prepared monthly operational and financial reports that were used to improve budgeting efficiency.

PROJECTS

Sentiment Analysis in Financial Markets

<https://github.com/EthanFalcao/Sentiment-Analysis-in-Financial-Markets>

2024.01

- Utilized NLP techniques, including sentiment analysis and topic modeling, to analyze 10,000+ web-scraped CNBC financial articles, achieving a model accuracy of 85% in predicting stock trends from market sentiment.

Full Stack - Spotify Recommendation Algorithm

https://github.com/EthanFalcao/Spotify_Recommendation_Algorithm

2023.09

- Developed a playlist recommendation algorithm using extracted song data from the Spotify API(Spotipy). Utilized random forest algorithms and cosine similarity to create personalized playlist recommendations based on the user-input playlist, with an 90% accuracy.

Yelp Dataset Challenge: Detecting Fake reviews and Business Attributes

https://ethanfalcao.github.io/Yelp_dataset_Challenge

2023.05

- Predicted business attributes with 86% accuracy, offering insights into business profiles. Implemented fraud detection, flagging 20% of fake reviews for enhanced data integrity.

LEADERSHIP

Data Science Club Treasurer

Worcester, MA

WPI

2023.01 - Present

- Informed the exec board of all the financial activities.
- Implemented a new record-keeping system that improved transparency and accuracy of financial transactions.

IT Volunteer

Worcester, MA

Catholic Charities

2022.06 - 2022.09

- Managed and executed the database migration to Salesforce.
- Maintained and repaired hardware and software.

SKILLS

- **Languages** - Python (PySpark, Pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Sklearn, Tensorflow, Or-tools), R, SQL, Java, MATLAB
- **Analysis Techniques** - Logistic Regressions, Decision Trees, Random Forests, Cosine Similarity, Data Pipelines
- **Tools** - VSCode, Databricks, Power BI, Kaggle, Jupyter, PyCharm, RStudio, Azure, Salesforce, Excel, Git