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Employment and Experience

Optimized Markets, Inc.

Pittsburgh, PA

Director of Engineering

10/2015 - now

- Within the CMU spin-off, took responsibility for the R&D efforts in developing market-leading systems for advertising sales, scheduling, and pricing with optimization and machine learning tools
- Achieved 20-30% revenue lift in tests conducted for one of the largest U.S. cable companies
- Interacted with customers in gathering requirements, supporting and tracking project progress, and collecting feedback

Computer Science Dept., Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, PA

Research Associate

12/2013 - 09/2015

- Worked on NSF funded Accelerating Innovation Research project for developing electronic markets for TV and cross-media advertising. Meanwhile consulted for Optimized Markets
- Designed and incorporated the state-of-the-art in optimization and artificial intelligence technologies to achieve market clearing efficiency and allow expressive bidding languages

FedEx Services Memphis, TN

Senior Revenue Management Analyst

07/2013 - 11/2013

- Led the customer segmentation study for all customers in Asia-Pacific, to gain insight in their spending patterns and determine the automated individual pricing policy

Industrial&Operations Engineering, Univ. of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

Research Assistant

12/2009 - 05/2013

- Developed novel models and techniques for radiation therapy treatment plan optimization problems, taking into account the latest advancements in treatment equipment and tackling uncertainty during treatment
- Designed algorithms that achieved state-of-the-art plan quality while shortening the planning time for treatments, dramatically outperforming existing commercial systems Collaborated with teams engineers and scientists in UM and UC San Diego hospital systems

Schlumberger-Doll Research

Cambridge, MA

Math & Modeling Intern

06/2012 - 08/2012

- Performed exploratory research study for robust optimization methods
- Investigated optimization schemes applicable to a wide variety of problems in and out of oilfield production systems

ABB (China) Limited

Beijing, China

Supply Chain Management Intern

07/2007 - 09/2007

- Led individual Car Leasing Project involving all 25 branches in Mainland China
- Surveyed and evaluated qualifications and quotes of major car leasing companies. Recommended qualified leasing suppliers for each branch to the VP

Education

University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

Ph.D., Industrial and Operations Engineering (08/2013)

Beihang University

Beijing, China

B. Mgmt., Industrial Engineering (07/2008)

B. S. Minor, Applied Mathematics (07/2008)

Publications and Invited Presentations

Journal Articles / Refereed Conference Proceedings

- F. Peng, T. Sandholm. Optimal learning of large Bayesian network structure using integer programming. Working paper
- F. Peng, T. Sandholm. Scalable segment abstraction method for advertising campaign admission and inventory allocation optimization. In *Proceedings of the 25th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI)*, 2016.
- F. Peng, S. Jiang, H. E. Romeijn, and M. Epelman. VMATC: VMAT with Constant Gantry Speed and Dose Rate. *Physics in Medicine and Biology* 60 (2015), 2955-2979
- F. Peng, A. Cohn, O. Gusikhin, and D. Perner. Algorithms for the Hybrid Fleet Vehicle Routing Problem. In *Proceedings of the 1st International Conference on Vehicle* Technology and Intelligent Transport Systems (2015)
- Z. Tian, F. Peng, M. Folkerts, J. Tan, X. Jia, and S. Jiang. Multi-GPU implementation of a VMAT treatment plan optimization algorithm. *Medical Physics* 42, 2841 (2015)
- F. Peng, X. Jia, X. Gu, M. Epelman, H. E. Romeijn, and S. Jiang. A New Column Generation Based Algorithm for VMAT Treatment Plan Optimization. *Physics in Medicine and Biology* 57 (2012), 4569-4588

Book Chapters

- Z. Tian, Q. Gautier, X. Gu, C. Men, F. Peng, M. Zarepisheh, Y. J. Graves, A. Uribe-Sanchez, X. Jia, and S. B. Jiang. SCORE System for Online Adaptive Radiotherapy.
- F. Peng, Z. Tian, H. E. Romeijn, and C. Men. VMAT Treatment Plan Optimization. Chapters in: *Applications of GPU-based High Performance Computing in Radiation Therapy*, Xun Jia and Steve Jiang, editors. Taylor and Francis (2015)

Conference Presentations

- Oral presentations: IJCAI 2016; INFORMS 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012; SIAM Conference on Optimization 2011.
- Poster presentations: IJCAI 2016; INFORMS 2012.

Other

- Automated allocation of media campaign assets to time and program in digital media delivery, T. Sandholm, F. Peng, J. Dickerson, *U.S. Patent Allowed*, January 2016
- F. Peng, K. Rashid, and B. Couet, Robust optimization methods for oilfield problems under uncertainty. *Technical Report OFSR/2012/132/MMC*, Schlumberger-Doll Research

Technical/Programming Skills

- Programming languages and frameworks
 - Experienced: C, C++, Python; Ruby-on-Rails
 - Familiar: Java, Javascript, Ruby, SAS; Electron, AngularJS
- Machine learning tools: Tensorflow, Xgboost, Scikit-learn
- Technical computing software and solvers: AMPL, Coin-OR, Cplex, Gurobi, Matlab
- Parallel computing: CUDA, OpenMP
- Database query writing (SQL)
- Unix operating system and script writing

Fellowships and Awards

- IOE Bonder Fellowship for Applied Operations Research (sole winner with full fellowship), 2010 - 2011
- Gold Medalist among 46 teams, LINKS Global Supply Chain Management Simulation, 2012
- Engineering Graduate Symposium Technical Session Award (\$500), Nov 2010
- IOE Department Fellowship (full fellowship), Sep 2009 May 2010

Teaching

IOE Department, University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI F11 - F12, W13

Graduate Student Instructor

IOE441 Production and Inventory Control

IOE310 Introduction to Optimization Methods

Leadership and Activities

China Business Challenge, University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

Semi-finalist

10/2012 - 11/2012

- Contributed to the development of the business plan for an organic food store in China

Harvard National Model United Nations Conference

Boston, MA

University Delegation Advisor

11/2007 - 02/2008

- Managed the training contents and organized trip itineraries for the 20-person delegation
- Facilitated external communications with Harvard and other universities