Juan José Díaz Baquero

Award winning Industrial engineer with masters from top-tier Latin American university and experience in data analysis and consulting

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EXPERIENCE

Simulation Engineer (November 2017 – June 2018)

- Xynergy Consulting, Bogotá D.C.
- Single project consulting job to build a simulation model of the production processes for a bouquet assembler
- Identified improvement opportunities and evaluated their impact in the model, the company gained knowledge of efficient use of personnel in high season of demand with potential savings of 30% in some processes

Data Analyst (June 2017 - August 2017)

- Upside consulting SAS, Bogotá D.C.
- Single project consulting to create a large data base to support corporate strategy of an energy sector company
- Created a large data base and used interactive visualizations to identify attractive investment opportunities
- Gained knowledge of energy consume market in Latin-America

Graduated Teaching assistant (June 2015 – June 2018)

- Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá D.C.
- Courses: Stochastic processes and Advanced techniques in computer simulation
- Design real-life case studies and later guide students to follow six sigma methodology to solved the case
- Give reinforcement classes, create web-tutorials, grade activities and courses logistics

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

INFORMS OR & ANALYTICS Student Team Competition Second Place Winner (April 2018)

- 8 finalists presented in 2018 INFORMS Conference on Business Analytics & Operations Research
- Solving portfolio optimization problem under non-linear and computing time constraints
- Worked in a 6 person team, we applied state-of-the-art optimization techniques with metaheuristics
- Created a visualization tool to explore results and give insight of the portfolio performance through time

Master's Thesis (August 2016 - May 2018)

- aiRe Making Air Quality Data Analysis Simple, Accessible and Repeatable through R Web-Based Applications
- Create data-based visualizations to support communication capabilities from environmental authorities

Simio Student Competition Second Place Winner (May 2017)

- For modeling Pulp and paper optimization of logistics problem with simulation
- Participation included 220 teams and 624 students from 11 countries

Simio Student Competition Third Place Winner (December 2016)

- For modeling Warehouse distribution problem with simulation-optimization
- Participation included 250 teams and 868 students from 14 countries

Simio Student Competition Second Place Winner (December 2015)

- For modeling Urgent care center problem with simulation-optimization
- Participation included 142 teams and 460 students

ACADEMIC FORMATION

Master in Industrial engineering (August 2016 – May 2018)

- Emphasis in business analytics and finance
- Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá D. C.
- GPA: 4.59/5

Bachelor degree in Software and Computing Engineering (June 2012 – December 2017)

- Emphasis in business intelligence
- Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá D. C.

Bachelor degree in Industrial Engineering (January 2012 – June 2016)

- Emphasis in simulation and statistics
- Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá D. C.

SKILLS

Programming languages:

- R: advanced proficiency
- Python: advanced proficiency
- Java: advanced proficiency

Relevant courses:

- Big data analytics
- Visual Analytics
- Business Intelligence
- Advanced techniques in computer simulation
- Management of financial risk

Languages:

- Spanish: native proficiency
- English: Advanced proficiency
- German: Intermediate proficiency

REFERENCES

Ivan Mura, Ph.D.

- Associate Professor
- Director of the Analytics M.Sc. program
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