Jing Liu (Ph.D.)

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SUMMARY

Two years experience working as a Data Scientist. Skilled in data analysis, data visualization, machine learning, and deep learning. Proficient in Pyspark, Pandas, Numpy, Matplotlib, Scikit-learn, and SQL. Equipped with basic knowledge in construction project management and experiences in working with construction companies.

STRENGTHS

Technical Skills: Machine Learning (scikit-learn), Deep Learning (TensorFlow, Pytorch), Graph Neural Network, Pyspark, Pandas, Numpy, Matplotlib, NLTK Programming Languages: Python, R, SQL, MATLAB

SELECTED EXPERIENCE

Senior Data Scientist Data Scientist

May. 2021 to Present Mar. 2020 to May 2021 Reston, VA, US

Walmart Labs Reston, VA, US
- Address availability issue for Walmart US stores by synthesizing and analyzing various sources of data, such as transaction data, supply chain data, and store operation data.

- Involved in day-to-day data analysis work using Pyspark on Google Cloud Platform (GCP), model development, and model performance monitor. Responsible for quarterly updates and adhoc reports to business partners
- Collaborated with Data Engineers to productionalize developed machine learning models in Walmart US stores

Research Assistant, Deep Learning and Machine Learning Area

Center for Secure Information Systems, George Mason University

Aug. 2018 to Aug. 2019

Fairfax, VA, US

- Social media data analysis with Graph Neural Networks (GNN)
 - Customized a bi-directional long short term memory (LSTM) network to embed tweet texts and integrated it with one state-of-the-art graph convolution neural network for predicting the severity of vulnerabilities
 - Proposed a node-edge co-convolution graph neural network architecture and demonstrated its effectiveness in predicting information diffusion (i.e., influence probability) over social networks
- Data augmentation with Generative Adversarial Networks (GAN)
 - Developed a GAN architecture to synthesize incomplete tabular data with two constraints that are maintaining column-wise statistical means and functional dependencies
 - Improved classification performance with synthesized data and outperformed various state-of-the-art data augmentation approaches
- $\bullet \ \ Modeling \ and \ accelerating \ large-scale \ optimization \ problems \ with \ TensorFlow$
 - Proposed a neural network to model non-linear 0-1 knapsack problem and devised an adaptive gradient ascent method to solve the network
 - Developed deep neural networks to model and maximize airline market share over air transportation network

Research Assistant, Construction Project Scheduling and Management Area

The Hole School of Construction Engineering, University of Alberta

Advisor: Dr. Ming Lu

Sep. 2014 to Jul. 2018

Edmonton, Canada

• Dual-Level Resource-Constrained Multi-Project Scheduling Framework for Prefabrication in Construction

EDUCATION

- Doctor of Philosophy, Civil Engineering, Jun. 2018 University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada
- Master of Engineering, Electronic Engineering, Jun. 2013 Tsinghua University, Beijing, China
- Bachelor of Engineering, Information Engineering, Jun. 2010 Southeast University, Nanjing, China

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- 1. **Jing Liu**, Yudi Chen, Duanshun Li, Noseong Park, Kisung Lee, and Dongwon Lee, "Predicting Influence Probabilities using Graph Convolutional Networks," the 2019 IEEE International Conference on Big Data (IEEE Big Data'19) (Regular paper, acceptance rate 106/550=19.3%)
- 2. Haipeng Chen, **Jing Liu**, Rui Liu, Noseong Park, and VS Subrahmanian. "VASE: A Twitter-based Vulnerability Analysis and Score Engine." the 19th International Conference on Data Mining (ICDM'19) (Short paper, acceptance rate 194/1046=18.5%)
- 3. Haipeng Chen, **Jing Liu**, Rui Liu, Noseong Park and V. S. Subrahmanian, "VEST: A System for Vulnerability Exploit Scoring & Timing," the 28th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI'19), demo track
- 4. Haipeng Chen, Sushil Jajodia, **Jing Liu**, Noseong Park, Vadim Sokolov, and V. S. Subrahmanian, "FakeTables: Using GANs to Generate Functional Dependency Preserving Tables with Bounded Real Data," the 28th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI'19) (Acceptance rate 850/4752=17.9%)
- Jing Liu and Ming Lu (2019) "Synchronized Optimization of Various Management-Function Schedules in a Multi-Project Environment: Case Study of Planning Steel Girder Fabrication Projects in Bridge Construction." Journal of Construction Engineering and Management (accepted, Oct 2019)
- Jing Liu and Ming Lu (2018) "Robust Dual-Level Optimization Framework for Resource-Constrained Multi-Project Scheduling for a Prefabrication Facility in Construction." Journal of Computing in Civil Engineering, 33(2). https://doi.org/10.1061/(ASCE)CP.1943-5487.0000816
- Jing Liu and Ming Lu (2018) "Constraint Programming Approach to Optimizing Project Schedules Under Materials Logistics and Crew Availability Constraints." Journal of Construction Engineering and Management, 144(7). 10.1061/(ASCE)CO.1943-7862.0001507
- 8. **Jing Liu** and Ming Lu (2017) "Optimization on Supply-Constrained Module Assembly Process." In: 25th Annual Conference of the International Group for Lean Construction Heraklion, Greece, 9-12 Jul 2017. pp 813-820. 10.24928/2017/0104

PATENTS

 Fei Qiao, Jing Liu, Qi Wei, Zhe Wu, and Huazhong Yang "A Novel Video Compression System Based on Underdetermined Blind Source Separation." National Patent of China, CN102413333A.

SELECTED AWARDS

• IJCAI'19 Demonstration Innovation Award Runner-up	2019
 Joseph D Thompson/Zurich Canada Graduate Award FGSR Graduate Student Travel Award 	2017 2017

SELECTED TALKS

Invited Talks at Universities and Companies

- Southeast University, Nanjing, China, Jul. 2019
- Supreme Group, Edmonton, Canada, Dec. 2017
- Southeast University, Nanjing, China, Dec. 2015

Presentations at Conferences

- The 28th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence(IJCAI-19), Macao, China, Aug. 2019
- Lean & Computing in Construction Congress (LC3) 2017, Heraklion, Greece, Jul. 2017
- Winter Simulation Conference 2016 (WSC), Arlington, VA, US, Dec. 2016
- The 7th FTRA International Conference on Multimedia and Ubiquitous Engineering, Seoul, South Korea, May 2013