Eunki Chung

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EDUCATION

University of Washington, Seattle, WA

Master of Science in Computational Finance and Risk Management

Sept 2022 – Present

Coursework: Monte Carlo Simulation, Financial Data Science, Quantitative Risk Management, Investment Science, Optimization Methods, Options and Derivatives, Asset Allocation, High-Performance Scientific Computing (C++)

Yonsei University, Seoul, South Korea

Bachelor of Arts in Economics, Minor in Applied Statistics

Mar 2015 - Aug 2021

Coursework: Mathematical Statistics, Time Series Analysis, Quantitative Macroeconomics, Financial Engineering, Financial Econometrics, Bayesian Statistics, Monetary Finance, Real Estate Finance, Corporate Finance

University of California, Santa Barbara, CA

Exchange Student Program

Jan 2020 - June 2020

Coursework: Stochastic Processes, Mathematical Statistics, Machine Learning, Econometrics, International Finance (Dean's Honors, Winter 2020 - Spring 2020)

COMPUTER PROGRAMMING SKILLS, INDUSTRY TOOLS

- Expert in: Python, R
- Proficient with: C++, SQL, Git, Docker, LaTex
- Microsoft Office Suite, Google Workspace

WORK EXPERIENCE

KC Machine Learning Lab, Seoul, South Korea

Mar 2022 - Aug 2022

Research Resident

- Built training environment for solving two-sided matching problems with ordinal preference
- Utilized neural combinatorial optimization methods with graph neural networks to find stable matching combination from graph representation of underlying matching market structure

KC Machine Learning Lab, Seoul, South Korea

Jan 2021 – Mar 2021

Research Intern

- Developed training environment for multi-agent reinforcement learning with sparse rewards
- Trained multiple agents that outperform human in both competitive and cooperative settings; Modified Distributed Proximal Policy Optimization using centralized critic and decentralized actors with graph convolution layers
- Authored a tutorial on multi-agent reinforcement learning and organized a machine learning competition

Winkstone Partners, Seoul, South Korea

June 2020 - Aug 2020

Research Intern

- Developed simulation environment to back-test automated investment strategy under synthetic market transitions with random parameters that are estimated from real-world data; Visualized simulated cashflows of multiple market scenarios on interactive 3D plots and conducted comparison analysis with the firm's current portfolio
- Collected market data of Korean Peer-to-peer lending industry and analyzed product characteristics including maturity, interest rate, and default risk based on their loan type

ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS

- President and Team Leader, Do It Yourself AI, Student Club, Mar 2019 Feb 2022
 Led projects on Natural Language Processing and Reinforcement Learning
- Volunteer Mentor, Yon-In Mentoring Program, Mar 2015 Jun 2015
 Taught local high school students of low-socioeconomic status

AWARDS

Undergraduate Scholarship Holder, Hajung Scholarship Foundation, Sept 2019 - Feb 2020

ADDITIONAL LANGUAGES

Korean (native), English (fluent; TOEFL iBT 109/120)