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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, Minneapolis, MN

Candidate for Master of Science in Business Analytics (Carlson School of Management)

May 2020

MINZU UNIVERSITY OF CHINA, Beijing, China

Bachelor of Science (Honors) in Financial Management

June 2019

• Exchange student, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis (Fall 2017)

WORK EXPERIENCE

CARLSON ANALYTICS LAB, Minneapolis, MN

Data Science Student Consultant

July 2019 - May 2020

Client: Fortune 10 Healthcare Company (Deep Learning)

- Generated tabular synthetic data that retains statistical similarity and model compatibility using cutting-edge GAN model in Python, which is a breakthrough that enables confidential clinical data sharing and analysis safely and more efficiently.
- Tailored metrics for statistical similarity evaluation using KL-divergence and data reduction techniques such as Auto-encoder neural network, PCA, and t-SNE for visualization, which proved clinical data from GAN algorithms has over 95% similarity.
- Designed roadmap and project plans using Jira, communicated weekly within the team and all stakeholders as an Engagement Manager, and led the team to win a recognition as top 1-2% project among all ELP projects.

Client: Leading Hospitality and Entertainment Business (Unsupervised Learning)

- Evaluated the effectiveness of ~\\$1.2B worth coupons and segmented customer using clustering method in Python.
- Optimized coupon allocation using Association Rules, the result of which potentially increased 128k+ headcounts.
- Created a dashboard in Power BI, presented to all stakeholders, and won the second place among 24 submissions.

Client: Mall of America (Exploratory Analytics)

- Created a dynamic geo-dashboard in Tableau and transformed data into a compelling visual story that reports hourly hotspots.
- Conducted exploratory analysis on 34K+ call logs in R to uncover calling patterns and factors affecting number of calls.
- Presented insights and recommendation to business stakeholders, which increased the efficiency of decision making by 60%.

IOIYI, Beijing, China

Data Analyst, User Growth Department (Media Industry)

December 2018 - April 2019

- Collected user data distributed among 30+ major mobile channels in MySQL and crafted periodic reports in Power BI.
- Assessed and adjusted data gap between local and cloud databases and increased the database quality and integrity by 40%.
- Created prototype of user segmentation and retention analysis in Python on 100M+ user data for product and marketing team.
- Managed 15+ data projects and explained analytical data preparation and results with cross-functional stakeholders.

DELOITTE, Beijing, China

Risk Analyst (Consulting Industry)

April 2018 - July 2018

- Explored descriptive analysis on 20k+ industry-level investment data and time series forecasting using ARIMA model in R.
- Evaluated indicators that potentially increase cyber security compliance risk using univariate statistical hypothesis testing in R.
- Designed Tableau dashboard and translated analytical findings to project directors and non-technical senior stakeholders.

INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BACK OF CHINA, Beijing, China

Financial Analyst (Finance Industry)

June 2017 - August 2017

- Manipulated 10K+ personal loan data using SQL and created descriptive reports on demography and performance in Python.
- Created prototype on data integration and data engineering for credit fraud detection, which reduced project duration by 40%.

DATA SCIENCE PROJECTS

Inferential Experiment (A/B testing): Collected 500+ survey data and designed a causal inference experiment in R using randomization to analyze whether people are more likely watch a Netflix show where the thumbnail includes a person of their race.

Time Series Forecasting (ML): Conducted feature engineering and built Seq2Seq model with LSTM on 296K+ training visit records to forecast the number of visitors on specific dates for 150 Restaurants, the result of which ranked in top 20% on Kaggle.

Ad Click Prediction (Big Data): Performed batch processing and Random Forest modeling with Spark SQL and MLlib on AWS EMR to predict Ads click-through rate on 100 GB relational dataset, then built visualization dashboard using QuickSight.

SKILLS

Tools: Python, R, MySQL, Hadoop, Hive, Spark, Tableau, Power BI, AWS, MS Excel, CPLEX, Jira, Stata, SPSS **Techniques:** Machine Learning, NLP, Data Warehousing, A/B Testing, Descriptive Analysis, Big Data, Data Visualization