Tips from the pros

#6

Used a counter model with some evolution. Very weird.

Reaction on the #6

<https://www.kaggle.com/competitions/expedia-hotel-recommendations/discussion/21615>

child\_bin=[0,1] was a leading feature in my best models. The way I rationalize it is that hotels either do or do not accept children. If the hotel fills out some information form for Expedia, it would likely be a check box. If Expedia gathers data on their own, it would likely be a check box. The variance between allows children and does not allow children was strongest for my modeling.

#6 says: that's a brilliant feature, wish I would have thought of that!