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Summary

- 4 years of experience in implementation of Machine Learning and analytical projects
- 5 years of experience in software engineering
- Solid mathematical background

Work Experience

2017-present SAS Institute, CI&Retail department, Russia

Responsibilities: Analytical data-mart development, Data Analysis, Implementation Machine Learning models, A/B testing, Business consulting

- Banking, Internal Fraud. Business consultant.
 - Scope: Creation of fraud rules according to bank's business processes and needs
- Retail, Promo Optimization. Analyst in team of 5.
 Scope: Sales analysis, products segmentation, elasticity calculation. Building data-marts for analytics and reporting. Optimization of promo-activities
- Retail, Demand Forecasting. Different projects including international ones in teams up to 10. Scope: Time series analysis. Development data-marts. Building and tuning statistical models (ARIMA, ETS). Implementation of machine learning models (RandomForest, GradientBoosting)
- Banking, Customer Intelligence. Lead analyst in team up to 2, business consultant. Scope: Segmentation of the customer base. Text analysis for categorization of payment descriptions. Development of the PTB models for bank products recommendation. Successful launch marketing campaigns for A/B testing ML

2014-2015 UbiqMobile, .NET developer

- Responsibilities: Server-side services development, assistance in ASP.NET MVC project
- Results: Implemented service for the corporate parking system, Integrated SQL Server in existed services using Entity Framework

2013-2014 UbiqMobile, J2ME developer

- Responsibilities: Engineering J2ME client with unique client-server communication with limited internet
- Results: Light-weight J2ME client with map, positioning and ssl support over 3G internet connection

2010-2013 Student research and development start-up (SPSU based enterprise)

• Results: expanded to UbiqMobile - innovation platform for mobile services, Grant by Microsoft Seed Fund

Education & Academics

09/2015-07/2017 European University at St. Petersburg, Department of Economics | Russia

- Master's degree in Economics
- Thesis: Performance Indicators of Investment Projects and Property Characterization

09/2015-07/2017 St. Petersburg State University, Department of Computer Science | Russia

• PhD Student in Computer Science

09/2008-07/2014 St. Petersburg State University, Department of Applied Mathematics / Russia

- Specialist's degree in Mathematics and Computer Science
- Thesis: Distributed servers architecture in UbiqMobile innovation platform for mobile services

Honors & Awards

09/2015-07/2017 Full Fee Waiver Scholarship, European University at St. Petersburg

2013 Grant for product extension supervised by the U.S. Civilian Research & Development Foundation

Activities & Trainings

2016-2017 Research projects supervised by European University at St. Petersburg

- Web scraping using Python;
- Term structure analysis of the government bond yields using R (Nelson-Sigel model)

2016 Working practice at Market Risk Analysis Department of The Bank St. Petersburg

• Value at Risk calculation with Monte Carlo simulation method by using R

2016,2017 Participation in school on Risk Management, Insurance and Finance

• School included in qualification system guild of actuaries

2011-2012 Education in business school supervised by Department of Economics St. Petersburg State University

- Learning economics theory (Macro/Microeconomics, Finance Management, Marketing, Accounting)
- Thesis: Foreign Exchange Market: Risks, structure and tools

2010-2011 Research and development activities during practical course supervised by Exigen Services

• Learning J2EE in one of the top IT Services Firm in Russia

Skills

- Base knowledge of Linux administration, advanced user Windows
- Main Programming: SAS (EG, EM, FS, Viya, VDMML), Python, SQL
- Team-work software: MS Teams, JIRA, Git
- English advanced, Russian native