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http://homepages.uc.edu/ zhuxr/ zhuxr@mail.uc.edu +1-814-321-6505 **EDUCATION Business Analytics** University of Cincinnati Ph.D. 2016-2021 M.Sc. **Finance** The Pennsylvania State University 2014-2015 o Passed CFA Level I exam o Honors: CFA Scholarship, Chancellor's Scholarship at Penn State M.Sc. **Applied Statistics Beijing University of Technology** 2012-2014. o Honors: Excellent Thesis of University B.S. Capital University of Economics and Business **Statistics** 2007-2011. o Honors: First level National Encouragement scholarship, Outstanding volunteer of Beijing Olympic Game, Excellent Students Awards **PUBLICATION** o "Stimulating Creativity in Online Learning Environments through Intelligent Fast Failure" (with KW Jablokow, JV Matson, Akshay Kakde), 2016 ASEE Annual Conference. o "Exploring the Diversity of Creative Prototyping Performance and Perceptions in a MOOC Environment" (with KW Jablokow, JV Matson, Akshay Kakde), Submitted. o "Adaptive Quasi-Maximum Likelihood Estimation of GARCH model with Student's t Likelihood" (with L., Xie), Communication in Statistics: Theory and Methods, 45(20), 6102-6111. REXPERIENCE 10/2016-Present Research Assistant University of Cincinnati, Carl. Lindner College of Business Supervisor: Dr. Michael Fry Data Analyst(Research Assistant) 12/2014-12/2015 The Pennsylvania State University, PA o Extracted raw data from database, cleaned variables by text mining in R o Combined students performance data with their demographical information o Analyzed data of about 1,955 students and worked out relationship between creativity and failure o Used SPSS to calculate statistical results such as correlation, p-value, t statistics or F statistics o Wrote over 50 R functions to analyze text, fitted logistic regression models to find students' behavior patterns Research Assistant 11/2012-11/2013 Supervisor: Professor Li Xie Worked with advisor to improve the estimation of complicated time-series GARCH model o For GARCH model with heavy-tailed innovation, we proposed a new adaptive procedure that works well by simulation comparison o Our method is applied in 6 daily stock market returns(S&P500, FTSE, NASDAQ, CAC40, DAX and HSI) 06/2011-03/2012 Statistician IMS Health Inc., Beijing o Applied statistical design and methodologies to meet marketing needs of clients (Pfizer, Merck, J&J etc.) o Conducted time-series models and logistic models to derive conclusions from USA marketing data o Wrote over 100 SAS programs for over 25 short-term or long-term projects to fit models and forecast Worked with consultants to obtain statistical results and provided analytical reports to clients **SKILLS** o **Skilled in:** R, SAS, SPSS, @Risk, eVal o **Others:** Python, Matlab, SQL, LATEX, Eviews

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## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

## Vice-President/Fundraiser/Director of Liaison Department

Student Union, the Capital University of Economy and Business

07/2009-07/2010

- o Conducted and led campus meeting to plan events, manage fund and connect with companies
- $\circ \ \ Collectively \ raised \ over \ \$5000 \ dollars \ through \ ''Exhibition \ of \ students' \ paintings''- \ Independently \ raised \ \$1750$

Volunteer 06/2008-10/2008

2008 Beijing Olympic Games

- o Supervised 22 volunteers during the 2008 Olympic Games and organized team activities
- o Led volunteers team to translate for athletes, guide and help them to attend games on time