ZHUOQUAN CHEN

Data Scientist | Machine Learning

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With an education in both computer science and data science, I believe that every problem has a solution and many more than one. With a graphic design background, I believe more in the power of imagination and creativity, because everything starts with imagination before it becomes reality. As a data scientist with a diverse background, I like to think from different perspectives and use data science methods and models to help people make more informed decisions.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Data Processing: data cleaning and data visualization, PCA, dimensionality reduction, feature engineering
- Machine Learning: classification model, regression model, clustering, NLP, Time Series Analysis, Neural Networks
- Methods: Statistical Distributions, Bayesian Analysis, p-Values, Hypothesis Testing
- Programming Languages / Environment: Python (Scikit-learn, Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Plotly), SQL, Java, Jupyter Lab, Google Colab, PySpark

PERSONAL PROJECTS

Sentiment Analysis & Classification

Skills: NLP / CountVectorizer / Sampling / Naive Bayes / Logistic Regression / GridSearchCV / Confusing Matrix

This project used NLP technology that can immediately judge a customer whether satisfy a product or not with their sentiment analysis. It can greatly reduce manual judgment, thus saving lots of time and money for enterprises.

- Visualized the phrases basis of key judgment results
- Naive Bayes Model with 91.7% accuracy for new data
- Logistic Regression Model with 94.7% accuracy for new data

Chest Disease Classification

Skills: Residual Neural Network / CNNs / Transfer Learning / Drop out / Data Visualization

This project used transfer learning on the pre-trained ResNet (Residual Neural Network) model to automatically diagnose different types of chest diseases such as healthy, covid-19, bacterial pneumonia, and viral pneumonia through chest X-ray images.

- Model training validation accuracy: 93.27% (50 epochs)
- Model testing validation accuracy: 80% (50 epochs)
- Model had weak performance at metric of precision for type 1 (covid-19) and recall for type 2 (bacterial pneumonia) respectively with 64% and 50% accuracy

EXPERIENCE

BMCC (Borough of Manhattan Community College), New York, NY

Oct 2017-Present

College Assistant (Financial Aid Department)

- Worked for data entry, tracking, and management of more than 100,000 financial aid applications each academic year
- Used Python to clean and filter duplicate data and to ensure the names of students will not repeating appear on the calling list.

EDUCATION

General Assembly | Data Science Immersive Course

Sep-Dec 2020

Brooklyn College | B.S. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Aug 2018-May 2020

Borough of Manhattan Community College | A.S. Associate of Science in Computer Science

Aug 2016-May 2018

EXTRACURRICULAR

• Deep Learning Team | BMCC

Sep 2019-Jan 2020

Joined Professor Tang's Deep Learning team researching in CNNs including Neural Network, Softmax, SVM, Regularization, and Fully-connected Neural Network.

• CUNY Hackathon 2019 | Baruch College

Dec 2020

My team's idea for this competition is to use CNNs to identify the distance and direction of nearby objects, so that blind people can know what is near them.