ADITYA KISHOR RANADE

Ames, IA | 6195345954 | adityaranade08@gmail.com | LinkedIn | GitHub | Website

EDUCATION

Iowa State University, Ames, IAongoingDoctor of Philosophy (Statistics)GPA: 3.72San Diego State University, San Diego, CASpring 19

Master of Science (Statistics)

GPA: 3.65

SKILLS: MATLAB, Prophet, Python, JMP, R, LaTeX, SPSS, SQL, Excel (Advanced functions), problem solving, pattern and trend identification, Data science research methods, Experimental designs, Quantitative Methods, Data Visualization, data manipulation.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Iowa State University Aug 19 – present

Instructor

- STAT226 Introduction to Business Statistics I (Fall 2021, Spring 2022 and Fall 2022)
- STAT326 Introduction to Business Statistics II (Summer 2022)
- Teaching excellence award in Spring 2022
- Mentored an undergraduate student in research project in Spring 2022

San Diego State University Jan 18 – May 19

Teaching Associate

- STAT250 Statistical Principles and Practices: Lab Instructor (Fall 2018 and Spring 2019)
- STAT596 R Programming and Data Science: Teaching Assistant (Spring 2018)

Birla Sun Life Insurance, Mumbai, India

Apr 16 - Apr 17

Actuarial Analyst (Actuarial Valuation Team)

- Database management and manipulation of monthly new business of health, group and individual type of policies.
- Valuation of Group reinsurance premium, Group, Health and Rider claims. Analyzing the claims recovery trends.
- Preparation of various forms for annual submission to Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI).

Nielsen India Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai, India

May 14 - Jan 15

Research Associate (Social Sciences Research Team)

- Development and pilot testing questionnaire and with research team of the client (World Bank) to be used for surveys.
- Development of checks to minimize the data collection errors and training the survey personnel with the methodology.
- Training the survey personnel with the methodology and computer program of survey. Monitoring field visits.

CONSULTATION WORK

• Helped a small restaurant increase profits by around 10% by cutting down on wastage by employing ABC analysis (inventory categorization technique) on the past two years data of raw materials, demand and profit margin on each category of food.

ACADEMIC PROJECTS

Predictive Modeling and Analysis | Data Science [Report Link Project 1 | Report Link Project 2]

- Project 1: Predictive model to predict future expenditure of two municipalities in the same location of New York.
- Project 2: Built Analysis of Covariance model to distinguish between 3 different categories of product according to quality.

Classification Modeling and Analysis | Data Science [Report Link Project 1 | Report Link Project 2]

- **Project 1**: Built a classifier model with 73% accuracy on Ohio state university prostate cancer dataset to determine the chances of developing cancer based on baseline measurements collected during routine checkup.
- Project 2: Use and evaluation of classification algorithms to determine applications popularity in google play store.

Machine learning in Sports | Machine Learning [Report Link]

Built and compared three predictive models (Lasso, Bagging and Regression) to predict the salary for baseball players.

Mixed Models | Data Science [Report Link Project 1 | Report Link Project 2]

- Project 1: Mixed effects model to predict the number of points at the end of the season for a team in German Soccer league
- Project 2: A mixed effects model identifying the impact of factors on mortality due to Influenza and Pneumonia in US.

ACTUARIAL QUALIFICATION EXAMS:

Exam CT1: Financial Mathematics (Institute and Faculty of Actuaries),

Exam CT3: Probability and Mathematical Statistics (Institute of Actuaries of India)

Exam CT9: Business Awareness (Institute of Actuaries of India)