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EXPERIENCE

• Data Science Fellow. Insight Data Science (Minneapolis, MN)

09/2019 - present

- Deployed an html web app recommending best time to ride Paris metro based on air quality prediction.
- Utilized *Prophet* to predict hourly PM10 (pollutant) concentration, with an SMAPE error of 12%
- Forecast results are stored on AWS in PostgreSQL for web app queries via Flask.
- Identified predictors correlated to air quality by $R^2 = 0.96$ using *scikit-learn's random forest regressor*.
- Visualized results as Google Charts figures to provide intuitive information for health risks management.
- Postdoctoral Researcher. Inst. for Intelligent Systems and Robotics (Paris, France)

09/2018 - 08/2019

- Designed a system of helical markers that enabled the 3D tracking of intraoperative surgical tools from individual 2D X-ray images.
- Trained convolutional neural networks to successfully reconstruct deformable 3D shape and orientation at ~ 10 ms/frame (errors <1°) with medical (DICOM) images acquired from an operating room.
- PhD Intern. Sanofi (Bridgewater, NJ)

06/2017 - 08/2017

- Collaborated with pharmacologists and immunologists on adding a new module to existing computational model to simulate periostin (protein) in asthma formation and treatment.
- Wrote Matlab scripts to automate statistical tests and data visualization to expedite data analysis on 10k entries of clinical trial data.
- PhD Candidate. Northwestern University (Evanston, IL)

09/2012 - 08/2018

- Investigated interdisciplinarily the neural pathway of rat whiskers to understand human's sense of touch.
- Created a *MEMS*-sensor able to detect mechanical signals on a rat whisker of <200 μ m diameter.
- Initiated a multi-university collaboration that later won a \$1M NSF grant.
- Constructed static and dynamic models of tapered beams in *Matlab* and *Python* to quantify forces and moments on the whiskers when undergoing contact or airflow.
- Predicted the timing and magnitude of 4 categories of neural responses (R²=0.93) from 420 sets of 100-ms data sampled at 10kHz.
- Analyzed data of >500 rat whiskers and built predictive models of whisker geometry by whisker identity.

EDUCATION

 PhD. Northwestern University (Evanston, IL) Mechanical Engineering 	09/2012 - 08/2018
 Certificate. Kellogg School of Management (Evanston, IL) Management for Scientists and Engineers 	06/2016 - 08/2016
 BS. National Taiwan University (Taipei, Taiwan) Mechanical Engineering 	09/2008 - 06/2012

SKILLS

- Languages. Matlab, Python, SQL, LaTeX, HTML, Javascript
- Packages. Pandas, Flask, Numpy, Scipy, scikit-learn, statsmodels, BeautifulSoup, Prophet, PostgreSQL, SQLAlchemy, matplotlib, Google Developers Charts, Matlab regionprops, Matlab nftool
- Tools. Git, Github, Jupyter Notebook, AWS (RDS, EC2, Route 53), Linux, API, 3Dslicer