Anas Abdelhakmi

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EDUCATION

National University of Singapore

Singapore

Ph.D candidate in Operations Research (GPA 4.8/5.0)

08/2021 - Present

- Advisors: Andrew Lim, Jussi Keppo
- Thesis: Robust Data-Driven Multi-Period Decision Making

University Mohammed VI Polytechnic (UM6P)

Benguerir, Morocco

MSc and BSc in Industrial Engineering & Management, with minor in Supply Chain Management (GPA 4.0/4.0)

09/2018 - 09/2021

• Coursework includes: Operations Research, Advanced Probabilities, Statistics, Economics.

University Mohammed VI Polytechnic (UM6P)

Benguerir, Morocco

Classes préparatoires: Mathematics, Physics, Computer Science (GPA 4.0/4.0)

09/2016 - 07/2018

- Intensive undergraduate programme with focus on advanced mathematics, physics, and computer science
- Rank: 1st /22

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Methodologies: Data-driven Sequential Decision-making, Dynamic Robust Optimization, Stochastic Control. **Applications:** Sequential Search, Financial Engineering, Inventory Management, Recommendation Systems.

PAPERS

Published or Forthcoming Journal Papers

1. Dynamic Black-Litterman with Andrew Lim

Accepted in Operations Research

Under Revision or Working Papers

1. Dynamic Factor Models with Forward-Looking Views with Andrew Lim.

Under review in Management Science

- 2. When Worst-Case Isn't Robust: On the Limitations of Distributionally Robust Formulations in Secretary **Problems** with Andrew Lim. In preparation for submission to *Management Science*
- Brownian Bridge From Noisy Observations with Andrew Lim Working paper
- 4. **Personalized Learning in Partially Observable Environments** with Jussi Keppo and Hong Ming Tan Ongoing work (with industry partner)

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

J.P. Morgan	Singapore
Quant Research Mentorship Programme	Summer 2024
Singapore Airlines (SIA)–NUS Corp Lab Lead for Recommendation Systems Modeling	Singapore 01/2022 - Present
OCP Group	Casablanca, Morocco
Consultant Intern	03/2021 - 08/2021

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, Undergraduate core module, 58 Students

Predictive Analytics in Business - NUS DBA3803 01/2024 - 05/2024

Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate core module

Stochastic Processes - NUS BDC6112 08/2022 - 12/2022

Teaching Assistant, PhD Core Module

SELECTED TALKS

When Worst-Case Isn't Robust: On The Limitations of Distributionally Robust Optimization in Secretary Problems

- INFORMS International Meeting, July 2025, Singapore
- INFORMS Applied Probability Society, July 2025, Atlanta, US
- MSOM Conference, June 2025, London, UK

Dynamic Factor Models with Forward-Looking Views

- Quantitative Finance Workshop at Singapore Management University, July 2025, Singapore
- INFORMS International Meeting, July 2025, Singapore
- INFORMS Annual Meeting, October 2024, Seattle, US

Dynamic Black-Litterman

- INFORMS APS Market Showcases, October 2024, Seattle, US
- Quantitative Finance Workshop at Singapore Management University, July 2024, Singapore
- Mathematics & Decision Conference at UM6P, December 2023, Benguerir, Morocco
- IRIS Seminar at UM6P, December 2023, Benguerir, Morocco
- INFORMS, Applied Probability Society, June 2023, Nancy, France

Personalized Learning in Partially Observable Environments

• INFORMS Annual Meeting, October 2023, Phoenix, Arizona, US

SKILLS

Languages: Fluent: English. Native: French, Arabic.

Programming: Python, Java, JavaScript, C / C++, SQL PHP, HTML, CSS.

Software Tools: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Gurobi, Flask.

OUTSIDE ACTIVITIES

Beach Volleyball, Diving, Biking.

REFERENCES

Professor Andrew Lim

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Professor Jussi Keppo

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