CHRISTOPHER MAINEY

Experienced NHS data scientist with interests in predictive modelling, machine learning, text mining, and teaching

My work focuses on modelling National Health Service (NHS) data, primarily using national Hospital Episode Statistics (HES). I work primarily in R and SQL Server, and have experience with statistical modelling and machine learning methods. I have recently submitted my PhD thesis, on modelling methods for NHS incident reporting data, to UCL.

I advise and train hospitals, commissioners, regulators and the private sector on using data to manage hospitals, monitor quality, performance, and mortality. I am an experienced trainer, presenter and post-grad teacher. I have built and released several R packages and am a keen contributor to the NHS-R Community. I lead a local R usergroup, and run a programme of R training courses for HED.

Key skills



EDUCATION

2019 (submitted) **University College London (UCL)**

PhD applied Statistics and Machine Learning

Q London, UK

Thesis: Statistical Methods for NHS incident reporting data

2014

University of Birmingham PGCert. Public Health

Pirmingham, UK

MPH programme, left partially unfinished due to commencing PhD, finished as PGCert instead.



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SUMMARY

Experienced NHS data scientist, working on benchmarking hospital data, indicator development, and training.

Significant experience with modelling HES data and standardised mortality methods.

Skilled in R, SQL, Regression Modelling, and Machine Learning

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Last updated on 2019-10-09.

CIPD / City College Coventry
CIPD Certificate in Training Practice ♥ Coventry, UK

University of Manchester
BSc Microbiology with Industrial Experience ♥ Birmingham, UK

Thesis: A model of Pseudomonas aeruginosa in the Cystic Fibrosis lung.
Placement: One-year with Arch Biocides

EXPERIENCE

2012

Intelligence Analyst

Healthcare Evaluation Data (HED), Health Informatics, University Hospitals Birmingham NHS FT

Pairmingham, UK

- Statistical lead and senior analyst, focussed on building predictive models in R and SAS, indicator design, SQL database infrastructure and processes, as well as quality assurance.
- Building online national benchmarking analysis tools: www.hed.nhs.uk.
- Highly involved in customer support, training and translating between analysts, business teams and users.
- Line management and team work planning, using Agile methods.
- Run local R usergroup, contributing to national NHS-Community, and established a commercial R training programme.

2012 | 2016

Data Manager (AIR Study)

Clinical Immunology (sub-contracted from UHB), University of Birmingham

Birmingham, UK

 Data extraction and outcome linkage for trial participants, from UHB attendance and clinical data systems.

2011 | 2012

Informatics Analyst

Health Informatics, University Hospitals Birmingham NHS FT

Pairmingham, UK

- Producing monthly reporting outputs for UHB clinical and performance management functions
- Specialist analysis, dashboard building, and information development for HIV service.

2010

Cancer Informatics Analyst

Arden Cancer Network

Oventry, UK

2011

- · Informatics support for network service improvement projects.
- Constructed cancer waiting times reporting system and various automated templates.

2009 | 2010

Information Office

West Midlands Cancer Intelligence Unit (WMCIU)

Birmingham, UK

- · Producing statistics for information requests.
- Investigative analysis, e.g. difference from nationally published figures and research data.
- Supervising/validating work of junior analysts.

TEACHING AND ASSESSMENT EXPERIENCE

2016 2018	•	Use of Evidence First year UCL medical school course on study design and statistics. Led a tutorial group over the course and delivered lectures to full		
		course group. ♥ London,	UK	
2016 2017	•	Statistical Methods in Epidemiology Teaching assistant on MSc Data Science for Health, UCL Farr Institute/LSHTM		
2011		♥ London,	UK	
2016 2017		Understanding the NHS Assessing first year medical student assignments on NHS structure, history, and current/future challenges.		
		Q London,	UK	
2016 2017		Research dissertations Second assessor on MSc Mental Health dissertations for students with quantitative studies.		
		♥ London,	UK	
		SELECTED PUBLICATIONS, POSTERS & TA	ALKS	
2019	•	Driving R adoption in an NHS information service: barriers and solutions Talk at Enterprise Applications of the R Language (EARL) conference		
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2019	Using funnel plots and CUSUM techniques to monitor			
		hospital-standardised mortality Talk at Royal Statistical Society Conference Mainey C Belfast,	UK	
2018	•	Modelling Incident Reporting in the NHS Poster for Royal Statistical Society Conference Mainey C, Freemantle N Cardiff,	UK	
2017	•	Can we build statistical models of incident reporting in the NHS? Poster for Patient Safety Congress Conference Manchester,		
2016	•	Mainey C Brief Report: Immunization of HIV-Infected Adults in the U With Haemophilus influenzae b/Meningococcal C Glycoconjugate and Pneumococcal Polysaccharide Vaccines J Acquir Immune Defic Syndr. 2016 Nov 1;73(3):287-293.		
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