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#### **EDUCATION**

# **University of California Berkeley**

MS Civil Engineering December 2017

Emphasis on Sustainable Transportation, City Planning, Transportation Policy

BA Operations Research & Management Science

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

# **Samsung Electronics**

Seoul, South Korea

May 2013

Regional Product Manager Hong Kong and Turkey

June 2013 - June 2016

- · Launch MX7 A3 and C30 copier in Hong Kong; tasks include managing partnership and servicing plans
- Manage B2B tender deals in SEHK accounting for \$3M sales
- Oversee supply plan (sets and consumables) for B2C \$7M HK and \$200M Turkey printer markets
- Improve placement for retail products in SEC Turkey by shifting from single channel to multi-channel distribution; Tasks
  included site visits and analysis of printer and secondary consumables market

**Product Marketing Associate** 

- Lead initiative to resolve parallel importation (PI) between countries by working with different subsidiaries on data acquisition from distributers; decreased occurrences of PI by 30%
- Engage in product planning and training activities for in-house analysis software used by 300+ sales and strategy personnel Global HQ Intern
- Create data pipeline process using Oracle SQL and the Python Pandas library to integrate product usage and logistics datasets to improve channel visibility; reduce labor by 30+ hours a month

Levi Strauss

San Francisco, California

Global Supply Planning

June 2012 – September 2012

- Optimize global process workflow using VBA to connect Excel, MS Access and SAP ERP software for use by the supply planning team- new processes reduced labor by 15+ hours a month
- Mapping supply chain organizational structure to provide strategy recommendations on capacity, PO issuance and reorganization issues to leadership team

#### **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

# Transportation Sustainability Research Center

Berkeley, California

Researcher for Professor Susan Shaheen

Jan 2017 - present

- Publish policy white paper on global stationless bikesharing and provide framework for civic engagement between private operators and city municipalities in the United States
- · Model wireless charging for fleets of shared electric vehicles and formulate strategy to optimize the fleet and power grid

### **Urban Analytics Lab**

Lab Contributor with Professor Paul Waddell

Jan 2017 – May 2017

• Design web scrapping tool and front end visualization of craigslist home prices and accessibility measurements for San Francisco, New York and Los Angeles metropolitan areas; project link: cktong.github.io/city bytes

### **Sutardja Center for Engineering Entrepreneurship**

**Graduate Student Instructor** 

Aug 2016 – Dec 2016

 Head design thinking exercises, mentor teams, and lead industry panels for undergraduate course on Designing for Developing Communities; Projects incubated: Olive tea for Syrian refugees; Electricity generating bicycles in Ghana

### **RELEVANT SKILLS**

- Creative: Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign; SketchUp; GIS
- Technical: Python, PostGres, PostGIS, SciKit Learn, Spatial Querying; Linux/ Ubuntu Server
- Portfolio: cktong.github.io

### **FOREIGN LANGUAGES**

• Cantonese – Native ; Mandarin – Business ; Korean – Conversational