# **ELDIN SAHBAZ**

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#### **SUMMARY**

- Account Executive & Exploration/Development Data Science leader with **7+ years of experience**; driving AI/ML—based innovation within British Petroleum's (BP) upstream oil & gas division in the areas of seismic interpretation, reservoir characterization, production forecasting, and drilling & completions efficiency.
- Proven ability to generate quantifiable business results directing strategy and business development, stakeholder management, project management, and intellectual property development.
- Demonstrated proficiency in identifying and delivering innovative, **patent-pending**, Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning solutions.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Senior Data Scientist

British Petroleum (BP)

February 2023 – Present  $Denver,\ Colorado$ 

- · Acquired 31% of the internal AI/ML market for US onshore oil and gas Exploration and Development, accounting for 36% of the Data Science portfolio, via targeted consultative campaigns projecting a 17% increase in successful unconventional reservoir exploration and development via fit—for—purpose innovation.
- · Generated US\$10MM US\$20MM annually in value for a Business Unit's Reservoir Engineering team by delivering the ML Refracturing Estimator increasing confidence in analyses by up to 500%.
- · Founded the strategic partnership with Subsurface Technology and launched the joint Geophysics initiative to elucidate stratigraphic attributes from depth migrated seismic stack volumes expecting to generate US\$1.5MM annually in drilling & completions efficiency and increased oil & gas production.
- · Managed an intern's artificial lift predictive maintenance proof-of-concept aimed at minimizing production deferment in electric submersible pump (ESP) wells forecasting an 11% increase in operational savings.

## Data Scientist

**INFICON** 

 $\begin{array}{c} {\rm June~2018-February~2023} \\ {\it Syracuse,~New~York} \end{array}$ 

- Directed patent—pending advances for semiconductor sensor technologies and provisioned Neural Processing Units for next—generation sensors driving annual cost reductions forecasted in excess of US\$500k.
- · Invented the Bijective Neural Architecture for density estimation yielding a 95% increase in accuracy.
- · Led efforts defining mathematical foundations for signal processing algorithms and designed an A/B test using SciPy.stats and Nolds delivering a 21% increase in sensor fidelity using SciPy.optimize and Statsmodels.
- · Established KPIs and executed A/B tests with simulated chemical data via PySwarms, SciPy.optimize, SciPy.stats, and SciPy.integrate attaining 50% coverage across chemical detection/monitoring systems.

#### PATENTS & PUBLICATIONS

Method of Auto Tuning One or More Sensors

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

August 2022
Patent Pending

## INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Improving Mass Spectrometry Signal Accuracy INFICON Data Analytics Summit

November 2020

Automatic Text Summarization — Deep Learning & Classical Approaches April 2018

Syracuse University iSchool Poster Session

Characterizing Popularity Growth for Social Media Content

August 2017 Electrical Engineering & Computer Science REU Seminar

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Rock Core Workshop December 2023

UT Austin Bureau of Economic Geology

Advanced Power BI — Power Query and DAX April 2023

Havens Consulting

Power BI — Reporting and Model Building February 2023

Havens Consulting

Machine Learning for Model Predictive Control & Process Analytics June 2019

Dr. S. Joe Qin

HONORS & AWARDS

August 2017 - May 2018 Graduate Merit Scholarship

Syracuse University

Summa Cum Laude May 2017

Syracuse University

The Warren Semon Prize May 2017

Syracuse University

Dean's Leadership Grant September 2014

Syracuse University

Dean's List August 2014 – May 2017

Syracuse University

The Founders' Scholarship August 2014 - May 2017

Syracuse University

**EDUCATION** 

Syracuse University May 2018

Master of Science | Computer Science

Syracuse University May 2017

Bachelor of Science | Computer Science Summa Cum Laude

SKILLS & COMPETENCIES

AWS SageMaker, Linux, Git, Python, PyTorch, Scikit-learn, Statsmodels, Pandas, Software & Tools

SciPy, NumPy, NLTK, Gensim, OpenCV, Seaborn, Matplotlib, NetworkX

Competency Areas AI, Deep Learning, Machine Learning, Statistical Learning, Linear & Nonlinear

Modeling, Numerical Optimization, Regression, Classification, Statistics, Probability,

Time Series, Statistical Signal Processing, Data Analysis, Data Mining