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Skills

Programming: Python, R, SQL, MATLAB, Bash

Tools: Hadoop, Spark, Hive, ArcGIS, D3.js, Tableau

Techniques: Regression, Reduction, KNN, K-Means, Neural Network, Decision Tree, Random Forest, XGBoost, Time Series

Education

MS in Urban Informatics, New York University, New York, NY

Sept 2018

PhD in Civil Engineering, Tongji University, Shanghai, China

Dec 2015

- PhD research: Intelligent Systems, joint PhD at Purdue University

BS in Civil Engineering, Tongji University, Shanghai, China

July 2009

Relevant Coursework

Applied data science, Machine learning, Big data analytics, Data visualization, Spatial analytics, Text as data, Probability and Statistics, Linear Algebra, Introduction to Database, Optimization, Stochastic Processes

Experience

Cityglobe

New York, NY

Data Science Intern

Apr 2018 – Sept 2018

- Performed data quality assessment; applied ML methods for imputation of economic indicators and demographic data.
- Conducted clustering analysis and PCA on growth in 50+ industries of 545 top urban economies.
- Designed methodology with evaluated ML models to predict best store locations based on demographic data and business density in NYC with Google places API, Python sklearn.

NYU Urban Observatory & Arcadis

New York, NY

Graduate Research Assistant

May 2018 – July 2018

- Applied image processing using multi-dimensional WorldView-2 satellite image data of 18 sites along Chicago River.
- Completed unsupervised segmentation based on clustering to examine vegetation health using satellite images with GDAL, NumPy, SciPy, scikit-learn.

Advanced Research in Government Operations

Los Angeles, CA

Civic Data Marketplace Intern

Dec 2017 – Jan 2018

- Developed a program (R Shiny) to quickly estimate water bills applicable to 200+ water agencies across California under the California Data Collaborative ("CaDC") project.
- Tool allows users to put in address, mapping to agency with address, calculate and visualize water bill/usage by tiers.
- Hosted the bill calculator tool using AWS EC2 server.

Purdue University IISL Lab

West Lafayette, IN

Visiting Researcher

Aug 2011 – Aug 2013

- Processed and analyzed 100+ GB of high dimensional noisy sensor data in time and frequency domain for statistical analysis and model updating.
- Developed a real-time hybrid simulation platform for structural dynamic testing using host-target PC solution.
- Developed a new semi-active control algorithm to optimize coupled building vibration under earthquake input.

Selected Projects

Hadoop based stock prediction using sentiment analysis in Chinese A-share market

- Performed ETL and profiling on Sina Weibo feeds and stock prices data using Hadoop MapReduce and HDFS.
- Trained Random Forest model based on stock prices and sentiment score using PySpark to predict stock movement.
- Results show that by incorporating public sentiment information can enhance prediction of stock movement (by 6%).

Vulnerability analysis for transportation networks (Sponsor: Lockheed Martin Advanced Technology Lab)

- Built a directed, weighted network with 390 nodes and 2274 edges to model London subway system using over 600,000 trip records of Oyster card with Python NetworkX, Pandas, GeoPandas.
- Created two metrics to measure impacts of different level of disruptions and identified most vulnerable stations.
- Discovered hidden pairs of stations that have huge impacts when shutting down simultaneously considering topology.