Chun (Gene) Yu

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Education

Imperial College London, UK

Sep. 2023 - Sep. 2024

MSc in Computing, with Distinction

- Coursework: Software Systems Engineering, Machine Learning, Computational Finance, Distributed Systems
- Master Thesis: "Robust Time Series Causal Discovery for Agent-Based Model Validation"

National Tsing Hua University, Taiwan

Sep. 2018 - Jun. 2022

BS in Interdisciplinary Program of Engineering, (Top 4%, Dean's List 2x)

- Specialised in Electrical Engineering and Power Mechanical Engineering with a focus on Electrical Control
- Awards: 2nd Place, College of EECS Project Competition

Experience

Summer Intern, Academia Sinica – Taipei, Taiwan

Jul. 2022 - Aug. 2022

Natural Language Processing and Sentiment Analysis Lab

• Collaborated with a research team on an AI-Automated Training System for Figure Skating, concentrating on improving temporal video alignment by incorporating posture features

Research Intern, National Tsing Hua University – Hsinchu, Taiwan

Jan. 2021 - Jan. 2022

Laboratory for Reliable Computing

- Led the design and execution of a comprehensive motion analysis system utilizing Inertial Measurement Units (IMUs) for instep kicking motions, demonstrating high accuracy and low error in position and velocity
- Developed a motion analysis system based on a 6-axis IMU to reconstruct the trajectory of a football kick, achieving low RMS errors in velocity and position analysis
- Authored the peer-reviewed publication: **Yu, C.**; Huang, T. Y.; Ma, H. P. Motion Analysis of Football Kick Based on an IMU Sensor. Sensors 2022, 22, 6244.

Projects

Robust Time Series Causal Discovery for Agent-Based Model Validation

May 2024 – Sep. 2024

- Developed a Robust Cross-Validation (RCV) framework to improve causal discovery accuracy in Agent-Based Model (ABM) validation, addressing noise and complexity challenges
- Introduced RCV-VarLiNGAM and RCV-PCMCI extensions to enhance causal structure learning, achieving more reliable results with high-dimensional, time-dependent data
- Validated approach robustness and reliability across synthetic and fMRI datasets

FoodHub Web Application (Software System Engineering)

Feb. 2023 - Mar. 2023

- Architected microservices using Azure and Supabase for scalability and database solutions
- Streamlined CI/CD pipelines to automate deployment processes across environments
- Developed Food Finder feature with secure user onboarding and recipe discovery APIs

Technical Skills

Programming: Python, C++, Java, JavaScript/HTML/CSS, React, Git, Verilog HDL

Cloud & DevOps: AWS (EC2, S3, Lambda), Azure, CI/CD, Docker

Development Tools & Analysis: MATLAB, Data Analysis, Project Management

Professional Development: AWS DevOps Specialization, Meta Front-End Developer Certificate (Coursera)

Extracurricular Activities

Exchange Student, Tel Aviv University – Israel

Feb. 2022 - Jun. 2022

• Conceptualised a pedestrian safety route app at 2022 Ignites International Hackathon

Tanzania Volunteer Team, Curriculum Planning Section – Taiwan

Nov. 2019 - Nov. 2020

• Organized software teaching lessons for kids and raised 120+ second-hand computers from businesses.