Industry Projects

	NuData Security, A MasterCard Company Vancouver, Canada	2017 May - Now
• **Data evaluation** on billions of data records for clients from giant banks, e-commerce companies and financial institutions, to understand fraud detection requirements and provide suggestions for later model development. • **Research** on academic papers and industry competitors, to creatively provide solutions for fraud detection, including feature generation, model building & evaluation. • **Feature generation** has contributed 50+% important features successfully deployed onto production, leading to 70+% AUC and 70+% AVP in multiple fraud detection projects. • **Model development** using statistics or machine learning methods with thorough experiments and project specific evaluation metrics, operating on millions of data records on average. • **Software development** in data science pipeline building, including feature generation pipelines, machine learning pipelines and statistical model pipelines. Participating in frequent code refactor and code review. • **Data visualization** for customer reports, model performance analysis, data science pipeline monitoring, etc. • **Cross team collaboration** to deploy data science models to production successfully and bridge the understanding cross teams. • Filed multiple **patents** about fraud detection through team & individual projects. **Skills & Tools** • Business Understanding, Information Collection • Data Preprocessing, Feature Engineering, Machine Learning, Model Evaluation - PSQL, Python • Data Analysis - PSQL, Python • Data Visualization - Tableau, Python • Software Development - Python		

	Vancity Savings and Credit Union Vancouver, Canada	2016 May - 2016 Dec.
• **Interviewed** business experts in business loans, individual loans, credit card groups and gained valuable knowledge about Vancity business, in order to provide data science suggestions. • **Model development** for **Individual Loan Payback Prediction** with supervised machine learning methods, experimenting on 100+ billion data records, reaching to 96+% balanced accuracy. • **Model development** for **Mortgage Loan Purpose Understanding** with Natural Language Processing (NLP) methods to help business experts understand main reasons for clients to borrow mortgage loans. • **Model development** for Customer Complaints Auto Processing in **Vancity System Immigration Project**, to help Vancity decision makers quickly understand daily customer complaints when Vancity was immigrating to a new financial system. • **Model development** for **Merchant Search Engine Project** to help Vancity clients search for preferred merchants with customized neural network searching ranking system. • **Data engineering and research** support to bridge Vancity and Simon Fraser University (SFU) data mining lab on **Merchant Entity Recognition Project**. • **Data preprocessing** on daily **Fair & Fast Loan Reports**, merging data from 30+ tables stored in 3 data warehouses with 10+ billion records, achieved 100% merging accuracy. • **Tools assessment** on Azure and open source machine learning tools, to provide suggestions to the data science team. **Skills & Tools** • Customer Requirements Collection • Data Collection - SQL • Data Preprocessing - SQL, Python, R • Data Analysis - SQL, Python, R • Feature Engineering, Machine Learning, Model Evaluation - R, Python, Spark • Data Visualization - Python, R, PowerBI • Software Development - Python, Spark		

• Collected business background and requirements on HP financial systems from HP internal 5+ departments • Understanding on new HP internal financial systems changes and provide training to 200+ HP internal employees • Plan making on multiple training design, training delivery timeline • Frequent communication with business contacts, stakeholders, technical experts and customer representatives **Skills** • Customer Requirements Collection • Business Understanding • Project management • Training Design, Story Telling, Presentation	**HP** Shanghai, China	2015 Mar. - 2015 Aug.
• Got familiar with all the **PowerBI v1 products** and attended Power Pivot Language M development • Designed & Implemented **SQL intelligent spinning system**, to allow SQL Server automatically kill and wake up jobs based on system resources usage, improved system efficiency 25+% • **Data Engineering** work on **Hadoop** System, such as **ETL** work between SQL Server and Hadoop HDFS, **advanced Hive Query** on big data analysis • Collaborated with data scientist and data architects on Microsoft servers **anomalies detection**, implemented **automatic anomalies detection logic** in Hive and applied on **3TB+/day** data, found 2 anomalies over 3000+ servers • Implemented **automatic data rescue system**, prevented the customer from losing 3TB+ data when servers were down • Implemented Windows 8.1 digital app with **real time data visualization** on teams' performance and data analysis on products usage report, providing decision makers with insights on product marketing campaign and teams' sprint plans **Skills & Tools** • Customer Requirements Collection and Analysis • Relational Database - SQL, Azure Storage, TFS • Big Data & Machine Learning - Hadoop, Hive • Software Development - C#, PowerShell • Production Deployment • Data Visualization - C#, XAML, PowerBI	**Microsoft** Redmond, US	2013 Jul. - 2015 Jan.

• **Data Collection and ETL** on Amazon merchants and products data • Backend development on merchants and products **search feature**, reduced searching time from 20+ minutes to less then 5 minutes • Frontend development on merchants and products search feature **Skills & Tools** • Relational Database - SQL • Software Development - Java, Javascript	**Amazon** Seattle, US	2012 May - 2012 Aug.

Research Projects

• Implemented & published SFU Comment Extractor, a **web scraping** tool • Modified & published the code of **sentiment analysis** tool SO-CAL • Web Scraping & built **large scale text corpus** from 10,000+ News Articles and 4+ million News Comments • Research & Development to find best solutions for **web mining, automatic web searching** • Research on **Natural Language Processing (NLP)** tools • Attended weekly meetings to **discuss NLP research** papers • Participated **crowd sourcing** work • **Presentation** on Spark and NLP **Skills & Tools** • Web Scraping - Python, Open Sources such as Scrapy, Gigya, Selenium, etc. • Web Searching - Google CSE, Bing, XGoogle, Yahoo! Query Language, pygoogle, etc. • Research & Development • NLP - Stanford Core NLP, NLTK, Spacy, etc. • Presentation - Spark Cluster **Published Open Source** • **SFU Comment Extractor**: http://bit.ly/2pESH6V • **SO-CAL Sentiment Analysis**: http://bit.ly/2BGx9bR	**SFU** **Web Scraping** Burnaby, Canada	2016 Oct. - 2017 Apr.

• Developed the front-end for both **Desktop** version and **Mobile** version Lie Detection test • Captured real time user **keyboard typing, mouse movement** data, and preprocessed the data **Skills & Tools** • Front-End development - jQuery, jQuery Mobile • Biometrics Data Capture - C# • Data Preprocessing - Java	**University of Arizona** **Human Computer Interaction** Seattle, US	2013 Mar. - 2013 Jun.
• Executed UW Ollie and Reverb on millions of comments to extract relational nouns, paralyzed phrases and N-ary • Generated summarized reports • Attended weekly meeting to learn AI in **NLP** **Skills & Tools** • Software Development - Java	**University of Washington** **Development in NLP** Seattle, US	2013 Apr. - 2013 Jun.
• **Web Scraping** billions of Mid-East web forums to help detect potential terrorism comments **Skills & Tools** • Software Development - Java, SQL	**University of Arizona** **Web Scraping** Tucson, US	2011 Oct. 2012 May

Academic Projects

Detect Underrated StackOverflow Answers Automatically. • **Web Scraping** to extract Questions, Answers and Comments from 2000+ posts that has 3+ answers, **found API vulnerability** that will leak private data • **Data Preprocessing and Feature Generation** on extracted data, applied **program analysis** methods on the code pieces in Questions, Answers and Comments • **Machine Learning** to predict underrated answers using both supervised methods and unsupervised methods, achieved 90%+ accuracy **Skills & Tools** • Web Scraping - Python • Data Preprocessing - Python, R • Program Analysis - Radon, Pylint • Sentiment Analysis - Stanford Core NLP • Feature Engineering & Machine Learning - R **Project Link** http://bit.ly/2DWrNuh	**SFU** **OS, Program Analysis & Cyber Security** Burnaby, Canada	2017 Mar. - 2017 Apr.

Study a group of conversational data miners and provide solutions for online education programs. • **Data Collection** through face-to-face interviews • Using **social science** and **qualitative analysis** methods to analyze the collected data and **extract information** as well as **hidden requirements** • **Provide solutions** based on extracted information **Skills & Tools** • Research - qualitative analysis • Face-to-face interview, information collection, hidden requirements analysis • User Experience Design **Research Paper Link** http://bit.ly/2lez5Bn	**SFU** **Human Computer Interaction** Burnaby, Canada	2017 Feb. - 2017 Apr.
Analyze Vancouver crime data through visualization. **Skills & Tools** • Visual Design Principles • Data Preprocessing - Python • Data Visualization - Tableau **Visualization Link** http://tabsoft.co/2pBjhOc	**SFU** **Data Visualization** Burnaby, Canada	2017 Feb. - 2017 Mar.
Applied NLP, Web Mining, Search & Ranking, Data Visualization methods in traveling service. • **Web Mining social media** such as Instagram, Flickr, Twitter to generate traveling trends, real popular tourism spots and real time traveling topics • Applied search & ranking and NLP methods to build a **traveling focused search engine** with **neural network real time ranking** adjustment, **optimized BST, PageRank performance** with Spark GraphFrame • **Data Visualization** on traveling photo post trends **Skills & Tools** • Web Mining - Python, SQLite • Search Engine Creation- Spark, graph algorithms • Traveling features development - Spark Cluster • Data Visualization - d3 **Project Link** http://bit.ly/2zBvVg3	**SFU** **Applied Big Data Science II** Burnaby, Canada	2016 Mar. - 2016 Apr.

Implemented a new e-commerce recommendation systems based on daily news text mining. • **Web Mining** daily news to collect and preprocess text data, **generated features** for later **machine learning** analysis • **Evaluated** multiple **machine learning methods** that good for text classification, and implemented Non-negative Matrix Factorization (NMF), fisher classifier based on better statistical evidence **Skills & Tools** • Web Mining, Text Mining - Python, MySQL • Data Preprocessing - Python • Machine Learning & Statistics - Python **Project Link** http://bit.ly/2zBKPCN	**SFU** **Applied Big Data Science I** Burnaby, Canada	2015 Dec.
Video movement detection by using LSTM (Long Short-Term Memory) with changed classifier. • Replaced the last layer classifier of LSTM with Random Forests, reaching to accuracy 82% and improved the accuracy 15% • Experimented on using **unsupervised learning** to create clusters as a new feature in **supervised learning**, reaching to accuracy 85% • Evaluated multiple classifiers such as SVM, neural network, KNN, decision tree, etc. **Skills & Tools** • Data Preprocessing - R, Python • Feature Engineering & Machine Learning - R **Project Link** http://bit.ly/2CebsAQ	**SFU** **Machine Learning** Burnaby, Canada	2015 Dec.
Apply machine learning in hiking trails recommendation system. • **Web Mining** from hiking websites and social media to collect 15+ features for recommendation system • Implemented **Jaccard Similarity** to recommend hiking trails based on weather, location, user's preference, etc. 15+ features **Skills & Tools** • Data Collection & Data Preprocessing - SQL • Machine Learning - Java	**University of Arizona** **Data Mining** Tucson, US	2012 Apr. - 2012 May

Design and implement a call center system with software design patterns. • **Designed a call center system** with automatic customer services, customer queuing and caller assignment features • Applied 5+ **software design patterns** and implemented the call center successfully, the design patterns include Abstract Factory, Prototype, Singleton, Factory Method, etc. **Skills & Tools** • System Design • Software Development & Design Patterns - Java	**University of Arizona** **Software Design Patterns** Tucson, US	2012 Nov. - 2012 Dec.
Provide database solutions for a primary school in Tucson, help them manage students information. • Back and forth **customer communication** to understand the school's current system and database design, **digging out** the **hidden customer requirements** • Redesigned and implemented the database system by connecting separated tables into relational database **Skills & Tools** • Customer Communication & Information Collection • Business Requirements Understanding • System Design • Relational Database - SQL • Story Telling & Presentation	**University of Arizona** **Database Systems** Tucson, US	2011 Nov. - 2011 Nov.
Provide business solutions to 20+ 2011-2012 business cases in industry with professional story telling and business presentation. Face-to-face customer communication and provide business solutions for 2 network companies. **Skills** • Customer Communication & Information Collection • Business Requirements Understanding • System Design • Story Telling & Presentation	**University of Arizona** **Business Communication** Tucson, US	2011 Sep. 2012 Dec.
• Presentation & Lead Discussion • Machine Learning • Data Visualization • Natural Language Processing (NLP) • Data Visualization • Human Computer Interaction • Cyber Security & Program Analysis	**Data Science Presentations** http://bit.ly/2BO1KUZ	2015 Dec. - 2017 Apr.

Data Science Side Projects

• Statistical Data Preprocessing • Feature Engineering, Dimensional Reduction • Applied Machine Learning Algorithms in detail • Advanced Machine Learning Tools • Multiple Languages - R, Python, Java • Multiple Data Sources	**Data Preprocessing & Machine Learning** http://bit.ly/2C0NTi4	2015 Aug. - Now
• Time Series • Stock Prediction • Natural Language Processing & Neural Network	**Sequential Analysis** http://bit.ly/2C2f8sH	2015 Aug. - Now
• Digit Recognition • Image Classification • Audio Classification • Neural Network Architect • Deep Learning Learning Notes	**Deep Learning & Neural Network** http://bit.ly/2Cfqy9e	2015 Aug. - Now
• Web Mining • Text Preprocessing • Search & Rank • Information Retrieval • Sentiment Analysis • Topic Modeling • Entity Extraction • Research & Open Source	**Natural Language Processing (NLP)** http://bit.ly/2zDVIEu	2015 Aug. - Now
• I mined all the social media you have heard of • NLP & Machine Learning • Business Decision Support • Data Visualization	**Mining Social Media** http://bit.ly/2zFLPpv	2015 Aug. - Now
• Core Python RDD & DataFrame • Spark Machine Learning	**Spark** http://bit.ly/2llrzVp	2015 Aug. - Now
MapReduce in Java: http://bit.ly/2BN4SAa NoSQL HBase: http://bit.ly/2BLh6t8	**Hadoop MapReduce & Hadoop HBase**	2015 Aug. - 2016 Jan.
• Detailed notes & urls in Statistics, Data Preprocessing, Feature Engineering, Machine Learning, Model Evaluation, Data Visualization, etc. Resource 1: http://bit.ly/2Dmvk4b Resource 2: http://bit.ly/2liPpAU	**Data Science Resources**	2015 Aug. - Now

• Implemented supervised & unsupervised learning algorithms such as Collaborative Filtering, KNN, Neural Network, K-Means, Decision Tree, etc. • Implemented optimization methods such as Genetic Algorithm, Simulated Annealing, etc. • Applied to Recommendation System, Search Engine, Optimization Problems, etc.	**Machine Learning Algorithms Implementation** http://bit.ly/ 2BMX5ST	2015 Aug. - Now

Other Experience

Help kids with cancer to have a wish come true. • **Public Speaking** to 300+ people in Space Needle, University Washington, recruited 10+ new volunteers and raised $2000+ donation • Visit sick kids to understand their wishes • **Design and organize wish events**	**Make-A-Wish Volunteer work** Seattle, US	2013 Mar. - 2013 Jul.
• **Face-to-face present** Karaoke discounts and events to 100+ customers per day • **Understand customer requirements** and suggest suitable Karaoke activities	**Nanjing Melody KTV** **Sales Promotion** Nanjing, China	2010 Dec. - 2011 Feb.
• Familiar with all the prices, pros & cons of different clothing brands such as CK, Levis, etc. • **Recommend customers** with suitable clothing collocation	**Nanjing Laidi Shopping Mall** **Sales Promotion** Nanjing, China	2009 Dec. - 2009 Dec.

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