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Education

University of California, Berkeley

BA Data Science and Economics, CGPA: 3.86

2018 – Present

Berkeley, CA

- › Data Structures, Structures & Interpretation of Programs, Principles & Techniques of Data Science, Applied Econometrics, Research & Data Analysis, Behavioral Economics, Probability for Data Science

Projects

COVID-19 Mental Health Analysis

Apr. 2021 – May. 2021

- › Estimated mental health impacts of COVID-19 on US demographics based on CDC data
- › Constructed *Classification Models* with *Random Forests* to enhance model accuracy up to 80%+
- › Dimensionality reduction with *Principal Component Analysis* to find significant factors affecting wellness

World Happiness Analysis

Dec. 2020 – Jan. 2021

- › Examined the relationship between country's happiness index and macroeconomic variables
- › Utilized *Spearman's rank correlation coefficient*, *Logistic Regression* for ordinal and binary variables
- › Positive associations for life expectancy, social support, gdp; negative for urban population proportion

Airfare Analysis

Jun. 2020 – Jul. 2020

- › Modelled the relationship between number of passengers, airfare, seasonal fixed effects, and more
- › Compared serial correlation treatments with *Cochrane–Orcutt*, *Prais–Winsten*, and *Newey–West estimators*
- › Utilized *Chow Test* to evaluate effectiveness of the current models

Social Media Analysis

Oct. 2019 – Dec. 2019

- › Examined the relationship between social media usage, extroversion, and depressive symptoms
- › Conducted multivariate regression analysis on R with the collection of *tidyverse* packages
- › Effect of extroversion on depressive symptoms, indicating the former as a moderator on social media usage

Research

Overconfidence in Amazon Rekognition

- › Utilizing *AWS Lambda* and *S3* with the *Rekognition API* to generate object labels for 1500+ images to test for overconfidence against MTurk reviewers

Overconfidence in Google Vision

- › Employed *Google Cloud's Vision API* to illustrate overconfidence displayed by 9000+ objects

Prior vs. Desires

- › Employed *K-Means Clustering* to understand how subjects behave against *Bayesian Belief Update*
- › Replicated *regression with analytic weights* and *clustered standard errors* by subjects

Skills

Tools Python, Java, SQL, R, Stata, Tableau, Excel VBA Macros, LaTeX, HTML5, CSS, JavaScript

Libraries Pandas, numpy, regex, tidyverse, scikit-learn, scipy, statsmodel, matplotlib, seaborn, plotly, d3

Languages English, Mandarin, Cantonese