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EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA

Master of Urban Spatial Analytics

08/2025 - 05/2026

- Statistical and Data Mining Methods for Urban Data Analysis, Public Policy Analytics, Geospatial Data Science in Python; Thesis Topic: Developing an Interactive Tool Mapping Rental Subsidy

Southeast University

Nanjing, China

Bachelor of Engineering in Urban and Rural Planning

09/2020 - 06/2025

- Urban and Rural Infrastructure Planning, GIS in Urban Planning, C++ Computer Programming, Architectural Design; Thesis Topic: Functional Repair and Spatial Quality Enhancement in Built-up Urban Areas

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Guangdong Provincial Architectural Design Institute

Guangzhou, China

Urban Planning Intern

07/2024 - 10/2024

- Conducted urban diagnostics for Shanwei City using GIS, analyzing green spaces, building textures, land use ratios, and urban form.
- Participated in the full architectural design process for Huizhou Boluo Hospital, from site analysis to layout design and technical drawing preparation.

Key Contributions:

- Completed the Shanwei City Urban Diagnostic Report and Coastal Area Redevelopment Plan.

Southeast University

Nanjing, China

Research Assistant

10/2022 - 07/2025

Research Tittle: 'Individual Activity Pattern Analysis Using Mobile Signal Data: A case study in Nanjing'

- Developed GIS and Python algorithms for large-scale data processing, including data cleaning and POI data analysis.
- Identifying individual activity patterns by using processed mobile data and POI data set.
- Constructed behavior activity chains, sequence alignment and performed behavior pattern recognition.

Key Contributions:

- Completed Python programming and ArcGIS Pro geographic processing independently.
- Drafted the project paper, and submission is planned for the end of 2025.

Opal Jewelry

Hangzhou, China

Sales & Procurement Coordinator

11/2023 - Present

- Managed procurement and sales operations, ensuring product quality, availability, and revenue growth.
- Built and maintained strong client relationships, delivering personalized service to high-value customers.
- Negotiated supplier contracts and coordinated logistics to streamline inventory control.

Key Contributions:

- Secured a stable long-term supply chain and consistently achieved \$24,000 in monthly personal sales revenue, driving both business growth and customer loyalty.

SKILLS

- **Data & GIS Tools:** Python, R (Data Analysis & Visualization), C++, ArcGIS Pro, QGIS
- **Planning & Analytics:** Industrial Space Development, Data Analysis, Spatial Data Analysis
- **3D Modeling & Visualization:** Rhinoceros, SketchUp, AutoCAD
- **Design & Presentation:** Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign)
- **Business & Sales:** Jewelry Identification, Vendor Sourcing & Procurement, Contract Negotiation, Inventory Control
- **General:** Strong interpersonal communication, Cross-cultural collaboration, Customer-oriented problem solving
- **Language:** English(fluent), Cantonese(native), Chinese(native)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Individual Activity Pattern Analysis Using Mobile Signal Data:
A case study in Nanjing

Nanjing, China
10/2022 - 07/2025

The manuscript is currently being drafted, and submission is planned for end of 2025.

Utilizing Agent-Based Modeling on the GAMA Platform
to Enhance Computational Urban Design

Nanjing, China
10/2023 - 11/2024

Research Paper (Second Author)

Published at GAMA Days 2024 (DOI: [sciencesconf.org/gamadays2024:581778](https://sciencesconf.org/gamadays2024/581778))

- Conducted GIS and Python-based OD data processing for input into agent-based models simulating urban mobility patterns.

LEADERSHIP & ENGAGEMENT

Urban Inclusion Initiative (UII)

Nanjing, China
07/2021 - 09/2022

- Volunteer Team Leader
- Supported migrant worker inclusion by organizing vocational training, legal aid services, and community engagement activities.

“Spring of Architecture” Annual Gala

Nanjing, China
09/2020 - 12/2021

- Event Coordinator
- Organized and led a campus event attended by over 1,000 students and faculty.

Volunteer Service Association

Nanjing, China
10/2022 - 05/2023

- Project Coordinator
- Led 30 volunteers in community service projects, directly benefiting over 100 elderly residents.

Age-Friendly Community Renewal

Nanjing, China
07/2021 - 10/2021

- Team Leader
- Conducted field research on senior citizen behavior and residential patterns in Hongmiao Community.
 - Proposed targeted senior-living enhancements, including space integration, greenway planning, and slow-traffic system development.