Mani Bayani Curriculum Vitae

PERSONAL DETAILS

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics 2016-present

City University of New York, The Graduate Center

Fields: Econometrics and Machine Learning, High-Dimensional Models, Policy Analysis Dissertation: "Essays on Machine Learning Methods in Economics"

M.Sc. Applied Mathematics

2020-present

2020-2021

2020-present

Columbia University in the City of New York

M.Sc. Analytics 2018-present

Georgia Institute of Technology Computational Data Analytics Track

M.Sc. Computer Science 2018-2021

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Concentration: Machine Learning

M.A. Economics 2011-2014

University of Tehran, Iran

Thesis title: "The implementation of hidden Markov models for estimating CO2 emissions"

B.Sc. Computer Science 2006-2010

Sheikh Bahaei University, Iran

Data Science Institute Scholar

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Columbia University

Research on broadband funding with Professor Henning Schulzrinne

Data Science Fellow

City University of New York, Baruch College

Analysis of Baruch students' academic performance with Professor Sonali Hazarika

Research Assistant 2020-present

City University of New York, The Graduate Center

Research on using artificial intelligence to analyze complex and highly dimensional economic models with Professor Lilia Maliar

Adjunct Instructor 2017-present

Brooklyn College, City University of New York Math for Economist (Econ 3410)

Adjunct Instructor

2018-present

The Gabelli School of Business, Fordham University Statistical Decision Making (Econ 2142) Statistics 1 (Econ 2140)

Teaching Assistant

2017-2018

Columbia University

Statistics and Econometrics, For Professor Homa Zarghamee

Teaching Assistant

2019-present

Georgia Institute of Technology

High-Dimensional Data Analytics , For Professor Kamran Paynabar

WORKING EXPERIENCE

Software Test Developer

2009-2011

Metaco Holding Isfahan,Iran

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Doctoral Student Research Grant

2020-2021

The Graduate Center of the City University of New York

The Advanced Research Collaborative Fellowship

2018-2019

The Graduate Center of the City University of New York

Graduate Center Fellowship

2016-2020

The Graduate Center of the City University of New York

Graduate Fellowship

2015-2016

Western Michigan University

WORK IN PROGRESS

- Robust Synthetic Control Model https://arxiv.org/abs/2108.12542
- The Contribution of the Minimum Wage to US Wage Inequality: A Penalized Spline Approach

https://mbayani.github.io/The-Contribution-of-the-Minimum-Wage-to-US-Wage-Inequality/

• Company Specific Disruptive News and Continuity Detector https://github.com/mbayani/Company-Specific-Disruptive-News-and-Continuity-Detector

SKILLS

Languages Persian (native)

English (fluent)

 $Software \hspace{1cm} \textbf{Python,R, Matlab,Tableau,SQLite,} \textbf{LATEX}$

REFERENCES

Available upon request