DAVID FANG

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Education

University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, GPA: 4.00

M.S. in Statistics, Board of Trustees Tuition and Fee Scholarship

Exp. 2025

June 2023

Wolfson College, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, United Kingdom

M.A.St in Pure Mathematics, with Honors and Distinction in Thesis

Columbia College, Columbia University, New York, NY, GPA: 3.72

May 2022

B.A. in Mathematics, Concentration in Art History with Departmental Honors in Mathematics

Skills

- **Programming and Computer Science** | Python, Java, MATLAB, R, Excel, SAS, PyTorch, GraphPad Prism, SQL, Amazon Redshift, AWS, Shiny, Tableau, C, Pandas, NumPy, Mathematica, Julia, LaTeX
- Languages | Proficient in Mandarin, Elementary skills in Japanese and Spanish
- **Mathematics** | Mathematical Proof Writing and Research, Mathematics and Theoretic Foundations of Machine Learning

Experience

Reading Hospital, Remote Data Analyst, West Reading, PA

Oct. 2024 - Present

- Collaborating with Professor Ping-Shou Zhong of UIC and Dr. Adrian Ong of Reading Hospital to analyze trauma center data in R/SAS
- Working to determine whether rib fracture location in geriatric patients adds prognostic value to current rib fracture metrics, specifically RibScore

University of Illinois Chicago, Research Assistant, Chicago, IL

June 2024 - Present

- Researching optimal subdata selection algorithms for Mixture-of-Experts (MoE) machine learning models under Professor Min Yang
- Proved 3 Theorems on the asymptotic efficiency of the IBOSS selection algorithm for Clusterwise Linear Regression Models with general gate function
- Currently working on proving results for when clusters are classification models, specifically logistic regression

Northwestern University, Research Assistant, Evanston, IL

Aug. 2023 - Present

- Applied mathematical models to PDX tumor growth data in order to predict oncological metrics such as mitosis rate and apoptosis rate under Professors Wenan Qiang and Emma Turian
- Built programs and web applications in Python, R, and Shiny to automate data cleanup and analysis from microplate arrays
- Assisting in analyzing drug response data to screen the efficacy of various inorganic cancer drugs.
- Prepared data and visuals for publication using MatPlotLib and Prism.

Blue Bottle Coffee, Barista, Rockefeller Center, New York, NY

May 2022 - Aug. 2022

- Completed the Bloom, a comprehensive training course in specialty coffee, ranging from espresso, pour-over technique, milk steaming, latte art, as well as coffee processing and roasting
- Worked in a customer service environment at the heart of a New York City tourist hotspot serving coffee, espresso, teas, and pastries

Wolpert Lab at Zuckerman Mind Brain Behavior Institute, Research Assistant, New York, NY June 2019 - Aug. 2019

- Spearheaded my own project investigating the links between how the brain perceives ambiguous visual information and motor adaptation
- Presented recent breakthroughs in computational neuroscience to members of the lab as part of Journal Club
- Analyzed sensorimotor learning time-series data using MATLAB and Psychtoolbox

Extracurricular Activities, Clubs and Programs

Columbia University Louis Armstrong Jazz Performance Program, Saxophonist, New York, NY Sept. 2018 - May 2020

- Auditioned and was selected for a top combo; performing at venues around NYC and being mentored by 5-time GRAMMY winner Don Sickler
- Lead and perform in educational workshops in jazz music, history, and practice for HUMA 1123 Masterpieces of Western Music classes

Coursework

- Statistics and Probability | Probability Theory, Applied Statistical Methods, Statistical Theory
- Computer Science | Data Structures and Algorithms, Discrete Math, Java Programming
- Mathematics | Real Analysis, Measure Theory, Group Theory, Galois Theory, Knot Theory, Algebraic Topology, Algebraic Geometry, Lie Algebras, Commutative Rings, Differential Geometry