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CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Job intention

Postdoc Position

EDUCATION

1/2019 – 2/2020 visiting scholar in Nick Sahinidis's group for developing reviewer

recommendation system of Springer digital library,

Center for Advanced Process Systems Engineering (CAPD),

Carnegie Mellon University, USA.

9/2015 – present Ph.D. candidate in Logistics Optimization and Control,

Institute of Industrial Engineering and Logistics Optimization,

Northeastern University, China.

9/2013 - 7/2015 M.S. in Applied Statistics,

College of Science,

Northeastern University, China.

9/2009 – 7/2013 B.S. in Information and Computing Science,

College of Science,

Northeastern University, China.

B.S. in International Economic Law (Second degree),

College of Humanities and Law,

Northeastern University, China.

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RESEARCH AREAS

1. **Data Science** — High Dimensional Statistical Modeling; Probabilistic graphical models.

- 2. **Machine Learning** Deep learning; Data-driven Modeling.
- 3. **Optimization** Convex Programming & Optimization; Stochastic Optimization.

PERSONAL SKILLS

Academic research: Python/Matlab/R

Industrial project: C++/C#/SQL

Current interest: Linux

INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS

1. Project: Product quality prediction, control and optimization for process Industry

Cooperation: Baosteel Company (The most developed iron and steel company in China)

Role: Chief engineer and first executor

Research perspectives:

- 1) control reality with virtual; 2) controllability and interpretability; 3) operational optimization;
- 4) efficiency.

My Major Work and Workflow (2013-2018, 2020-now):

- 1) Survey and project preparation
- 2) methodology research
- 3) Team building (clarification of responsibilities and assignment of work)
- 4) online and offline model development
- 5) interface development
- 6) software development
- 7) communication configuration
- 8) debugging and online
- 9) patent application
- 10) project completion
- 11) paper writing and publication

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Representative works:

 Yang Y., Wu J., Song X.M., Wu D.R., Su L.J., Tang L.X., Data-driven Quasi-Convex Method for Hit Rate Optimization of Process Product Quality in Digital Twin, Journal of Industrial Information Integration. (under review, major revision finished)

 Demo: A demo software developed for the process product quality prediction, control and optimization in process Industry

Future work:

- 1) In the industrial field, promote completed research and applications.
- 2) In the academic field, break the boundaries of existing scientific research

2. Project: Feasibility Research of Deep Learning in Wind Power Forecasting

Cooperation: China Datang Corporation Renewable Power Co. Limited

Research perspectives:

1) Dynamic deep learning and optimization based on the ample efficiency, generalizability, model composition and incremental updating^[1].

Representative works:

1) Yang, Y., Lang, J., Wu, J., Zhang, Y., Su, L., Song, X. (2022). Wind speed forecasting with correlation network pruning and augmentation: A two-phase deep learning method. Renewable Energy, 198, 267-282.

3. Project: reviewer recommendation system of Springer digital library

Cooperation: Prof. Dr. Nick Sahinidis, Center for Advanced Process Systems Engineering (CAPD), Carnegie Mellon University, USA.

Research perspectives:

- 1) Multimodal Data Fusion
- 2) Unsupervised Text Classification and Clustering
- 3) Recommendation algorithm

Representative works:

1) Yang Y., Ploskas N., Sahinidis N., Multimodal Text Fusion and recommendation, IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering. (under review)

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RESEARCH PROPOSAL

Inheriting the 3 research topics at the PhD stage, I hope to continue my research in the following 3 directions:

- 1) Artificial intelligence serving advanced manufacturing systems.
- 2) Digital twin systems serving advanced manufacturing systems.
- Human-computer interaction systems serving smart manufacturing and production decision making.

Expected postdoctoral work includes:

- 1) To study composable neural networks with convex optimization, neural networks that can integrate physical information constraints, and their applications to distributed scheduling.
- To build impactful open source datasets and code bases in the field of industrial Internet or robotics or autonomous vehicles.
- 3) To publish relevant research results in top journals and conferences.