# **MOLIN LIU**

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## **EDUCATION**

## Shanghai Jiao Tong University (SJTU), Shanghai

2021.09 - 2024.03

- Currently pursuing a *master's degree* in Industrial Engineering and Management.
- Studied Advanced Operations Research, Advanced Statistics and Matrix Theory.
- Total GPA of **3.82/4.00**, ranking **6/44** (**Top 15%**).

## Centrale Supélec (CS) - Université Paris-Saclay, Paris

2019.08 - 2021.06

- Participated in the Sino-French 4+4 Program and went to CS as a **Double Diploma** student.
- Studied Optimization (A+), Machine Learning (A) and Economics of Innovation and Growth (A+).
- Successfully fulfilled the program requirements and anticipated graduation with an *engineering degree* in 2024.

## Shanghai Jiao Tong University (SJTU), Shanghai

2016.09 - 2021.06

- Received a bachelor's degree in Industrial Engineering and Management.
- Member of ZhiYuan Honors Program of Engineering, studied Mathematical Analysis (Honor) and Physics (Honor).
- Total GPA of **3.69/4.30**, ranking **71/469** (**Top15**%).

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

## **Accepted**

- Molin Liu, Yulu Zhou, Siyang Wang, Chunming Zhang, Shichang Du, Lifeng Xi. Machine-fixture-pallet constrained flexible job shop intelligent scheduling (*in Chinese*). *Science China Technological Sciences*, 2023.
- Xiaoxiao Shen, Jun Lv, Shichang Du, Yafei Deng, **Molin Liu**, Yulu Zhou. Integrated optimization of electric vehicles charging location and allocation for valet charging service. *Flexible Services and Manufacturing Journal*, 2023.

## In Process

• Molin Liu, Jun Lv, Shichang Du, Yafei Deng, Xiaoxiao Shen, Yulu Zhou. Multi-resource constrained flexible job shop scheduling problem with fixture-pallet combinatorial optimisation. *Computers & Industrial Engineering, under review*.

#### **Working Papers**

• Multi-objective optimization of flexible job shop scheduling problem with multi-AGV transportation constraints.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

## **Operations Research Internship at Alibaba Group**

2023.06 - 2023.09

- Investigated classic and frontier research methods in the field of **price optimisation**, covering economic modelling, causal inference, integer programming and robust optimization.
- Proposed a methodology to handle with the **multi-threshold incentive allocation** problem for takeaway riders, where a **robust integer programming** model was formulated with key parameters predicted by **causal inference**.
- Mitigated the shortage of riders in prominent space-time zones of various cities in China under limited incentive cost.

## **Intelligent Production Scheduling Program**

2021.07 - 2023.06

- Cooperated with a leading domestic engine manufacturer to develop a set of **intelligent production scheduling** algorithms for the advanced planning and scheduling system in its *New Product Development Center*.
- The algorithms realized: **pre-scheduling and order splitting** to meet resource constraints; **advanced static scheduling** suitable for highly flexible production scenarios; **dynamic scheduling** for various exceptional situations.
- · Workshop management efficiency was effectively improved and management costs were highly reduced.

## Flexible Job Shop Scheduling Problem (FJSP) with Fixture-pallet Constraints

- 2022.06 2023.02
- Formulated a **mixed integer programming** model to solve FJSP with multi-resource constraints, aiming to minimize makespan and find optimal fixture-pallet combination mode simultaneously.
- Proposed a **feasibility repair strategy** to address potential coupling conflicts between machines and fixtures and designed a **self-learning variable neighbourhood search** to further improve algorithm performance.
- Proved the effectiveness and efficiency of the proposed algorithms by cases derived from real production scenarios.

## **Operations Research Internship at Cardinal Operations**

2022.10 - 2023.01

- Participated in **Shanghai Metro Maintenance Scheduling Program**.
- Developed a heuristic algorithm for **overhaul scheduling of entire metro network**, which incorporated factors such as contractor's maintenance capacity, minimum operational requirements for each line, and maintenance interval.
- An optimal metro repair plan could be made within minutes, reducing the maintenance costs.

## **Airline Crew Scheduling Problem**

2021.09 - 2021.10

- Developed a **mixed integer programming** model, considering complex factors such as crew members' qualifications, crew member bases, flight assignments, flight duration, destinations, task dependencies, and other constraints.
- Utilized the *Gurobi solver* to perform modeling and optimization, and devised a heuristic algorithm based on **greedy** and depth-first search, whose efficiency and accuracy were validated through numerical experiments.
- Awarded the **Second Prize** (**Top 12.29**%) in the 18th "Huawei Cup" Graduate Mathematical Modeling Competition.

## **AWARDS AND HONORS**

- Samsung Scholarship (14 award places), Shanghai Jiao Tong University, 2022.
- Postgraduate Academic Scholarship (First class), Shanghai Jiao Tong University, 2022.
- Second Prize (Top 12.29%) in 18th China Graduate Mathematical Modeling Competition, 2021.
- Scholarship of China Scholarship Council (CSC), Centrale Supélec, 2019-2021.
- Zhiyuan Honors Scholarship (Top 10%, Four times), Shanghai Jiao Tong University, 2017&2018&2019&2020.

## SKILLS AND INTERESTS

## Programming

Skilled in *Python* and *Matlab*.

Familiar with mathematical solvers like Gurobi, CPLEX and COPT.

## Language

Chinese: Native language. English: IELTS 7.5. French: TFI B2.

• Interests

Calligraphy; Singing; Basketball.