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EDUCATION

Université de Montréal Montréal, Canada

M.Sc. in Applied Mathematics

Intended Graduation 2025

- Research interests: Machine Learning Applications to Finance
- Supervisor: Dr. M. Augustyniak
- Machine Learning (Mila): Fundamentals of Machine Learning, Deep Learning
- Applied Mathematics (UdeM): Bayesian Statistics, Mathematical Finance (Arbitrage Theory)

Université du Québec à Montréal

Montréal, Canada

B.Sc. in Actuarial Mathematics

Sept 2019 - May 2022

• Courses: Probability, Statistics, Linear Algebra, Data Science, Predictive Analytics, Real Analysis, Discrete Mathematics, Linear Modelling, Financial Mathematics

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Tools/Technologies: Python, R, SQL, LaTeX

Libraries/Frameworks: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Scikit-Learn, Pandas, NumPy, BeautifulSoup, Matplotlib

Languages: Native in English & French

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

IVADO Fin-ML CREATE Research Scholarship

\$7,500

• Research scholarship for exceptional students

Telus HEALTH Scholarship

\$3,000

• Academic excellence award for student in mathematics and statistics

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

University of Montreal

Montréal, Canada

Teaching Assistant – Intro to Financial Mathematics

Sep 2023 – Dec 2023

- Held weekly recitations and 1-on-1 meetings to help understand concepts to approximately 100 students
- Coordinated with team of TAs and professor and led discussions on potential course improvements

Telus HEALTH Montréal, Canada

Senior Actuarial Analyst – Pension & Investment Consulting

Jan 2022 – Aug 2023

- Designed Python mortality prediction model for small-size pension funds, deployed company-wide and used to adjust mortality assumptions for actuarial valuations, improving mortality accuracy by 15% over baseline tables
- Conducted company-wide trainings on data cleaning, analysis, and best practices to new and advanced employees
- Performed over 20 general stochastic modelling of assets and liabilities of clients' pension plans

Desjardins Financial Toronto, Canada

Actuarial Intern – Group Insurance

May 2021 – Aug 2021

• Identified key drivers of length of contract with Desjardins using regression-based analysis with R, presented results to department executives

GRADUATE COURSEWORK PROJECT

Classification of Extreme Weather Events (github)

- Utilized Python and relevant data science libraries (NumPy, Pandas, scikit-learn) for data analysis and modeling
- Explored multiple classification models, such as Logistic Regression, Random Forest and XGBoost, among others
- Conducted ample feature engineering (geographical, time-based, meta features) on dataset to enhance performance