

## QIANG HA

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### EDUCATION

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#### TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY, SCHWARZMAN COLLEGE

*Master of Global Affairs*

Beijing, China

Aug 2019 - Jul 2020

- Fully-funded leadership program modelled on Rhodes Scholarship -- 3.75% acceptance rate

#### LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICAL SCIENCE

*Masters of Science (MSc), Data Science*

London, UK

Sep 2018 - Aug 2019

- Courses: Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Distributed Computing, Social Network, Text Analysis

#### UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE, QUEENS' COLLEGE

*Bachelor of Art (BA), Mathematics*

Cambridge, UK

Oct 2015 - Jun 2018

- Queens' College Foundation Scholar Award for Academic Excellence
- 1<sup>st</sup> Class for Year 1 and 2, 2:1 Class for Year 3
- Courses: Statistics, Linear Algebra, Numerical Analysis, Optimisation and Control, Probability

### DATA ANALYTICS EXPERIENCE

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#### London School of Economics Department of Methodology

*Fake News Study, Research Assistant*

London, UK

Jan 2019 – Present

- Analyzed user, network and linguistic characteristics of fake news on Twitter using 1TB Json files
- Conducted analysis using *Tensorflow*, *Pyspark SQL* and *Mllib* on Google Cloud clusters
- Aim to produce a Wisdom of Crowd approach for real time fake news detection

#### OXFORD ASSET MANAGEMENT – a market-neutral quantitative hedge fund

*Quantitative Modelling, Summer Intern*

Oxford, UK

Jul 2018 – Aug 2018

- Worked on accurate peer group identification for 20,000 US companies using *Python*
- Identified peers with 2% more Residual Return and Fundamental Variable Correlation than industry groups

#### CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY STATISTICAL LABORATORY

*Undergraduate Research Assistant*

Cambridge, UK

Jun 2017 – Sep 2017

- Proved the optimality of Thompson Sampling Algorithm to solve Stochastic Multi-armed Bandits is robust
- Designed and implemented experiments to verify results using *Python* in a Linux environment
- Published a paper, 'A study of Thompson Sampling with Parameter h', at <http://arxiv.org/abs/1710.02174>

### OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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#### EEQU - a peer to peer education platform that provides tailored education for children

*Intern*

Sussex, UK

May 2019

- Visualised employee contribution across different areas of business by analyzing chat logs
- Designed UX frames for website that increased number of visits

#### Harry Specters - a social enterprise selling delicious chocolate

*Volunteering Consultant*

Cambridge, UK

Feb 2016 – Apr 2016

- Interviewed managers in local firms to understand CSR practices
- Proposed marketing strategies, working in a team of 4, recommendation accepted

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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- Advanced in Python and R, Proficient in TensorFlow, Spark, Hadoop, Matlab, Latex, Bash
- Chief Sponsorship Officer for Cambridge New Year Trust (a fundraising arm for a Charity Based in China)
- English (Advanced), Mandarin (Native), Japanese (Basic)
- Played Basketball for 10 years, watched animations for 4 years, cooked for 1 year. Enjoy acting.