TAO LIN

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SUMMARY

- Research Analyst / Data Scientist / Business Intelligence / Marketing Brand Manager with 6+ years' experience.
- Skillful R programmer with 4 years' experience. in data mining, manipulation, visualization, presentation, documentation, interactive product development, predictive modeling and optimization.
- Proficient in DB management, data ETL, BI product development and data visualization with Popular tools.
- Strong understanding in business strategy, marketing, management, information systems with outstanding analysis execution, management and communication skills;
- Self-motivated, detail-oriented and responsible. Good team player and fast-learner.

EDUCATION

M. S. in Management Information Systems, Texas A&M International University 08/2014 – 12/2015

B. Econ. in International Business and Economics, Zhongyuan University of Technology 08/2007 – 06/2011

EXPERIENCES

Misdemeanor Justice Project, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY

New York, NY 11/2016 - Present

Research Analyst, Technical Assistance to Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice

- Providing Technical Assistance for Mayor's office of Criminal Justice of NYC as required;
- Performing data cleaning and manipulation with complex and confidential datasets;
- Participating in criminal justice research with data mining, data visualization and analysis;
- Conducting quality assurance analysis on data from multiple agencies;
- Integrating records across multiple agencies using probabilistic matching algorithms;
- Producing cleaning code and data documentation for agencies;

Rang Tech Inc., Baanyan Software Service Inc.

Edison, NJ 12/2015 –10/2016

Intern, Data Scientist, Database Admin./ Business intelligence

- Performed as an SQL Server BI Developer and Data Analyst, with SQL Server and BI suits;
- Analysis BI insight with R & Tableau: Interactive data visualization, documentation and presentation, Stats app;
- Regression modeling development and optimization; Classification and clustering;
- Market basket analysis, Time Series analysis and forecasting.

Texas A&M International University

Laredo, TX

Research Assistant and Data analyst, Stats and Econ.

01/2015 - 12/2015

- Collected data and participated in survey designing and research theory building under professors' guide;
- Performed data mining and analysis for professor's research and successfully published;
- Built research with data gathering and mining, published and presented at conferences.

Pepsi Beverage West North-China Region

Zhengzhou, China 08/2011 – 08/2014

Regional Brand Executive (Market researcher, Brand specialist)

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- Participated then helped market research team on data collecting and analysis to support marketing strategy.
- Managed Henan, Shanxi, and Inner Mongolia provinces as 12 local market segments with budget of \$350MM;
- Managed brand assets, developed branding strategy, planned promotion project and pushing to achieve;

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Excellent Skill with data science languages: R & Python in
 - Data manipulation | Modeling and machine learning | Data visualization and product dev.
- Database management: SQL Server | Other: Tableau, Google Analytics
- Proficient in Microsoft Office suits:
 - Advanced skills of Excel (Lookups, Pivot table, Advance Functions, VBA Macro, Regression Analysis);
 - Advanced skills in presentation designing with PowerPoint & documentation with Word
 - Experience with other Microsoft productivity tools (Project, Visio, SharePoint);

RESEARCHES AND PROJECTS

Technical Assistance Project to the NSYC Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice

New York, NY 11/2016 - Present

Research Analyst

- Conducted quality assurance analysis on data from multiple agencies;
- Integrated records across multiple agencies using probabilistic matching algorithms;
- Produced cleaning code and data documentation for agencies:
- Developed and delivered a two-day data training to the MOCJ research staff.

Data Scientist internship program

Edison, NJ 11/2015 -05/2016

Intern at Rang Technology Inc.

- Advanced Stats tool skills training: concentrating in R, including:
 - Regression modeling development and optimization: Linear/Logistic Regression and optimizing methods such as stepwise regression and LASSO variable selection methods;
 - Applied Linear /LASSO regression on a CCAR analysis with the data provided by BNY-Mellon.
 - Classification and clustering: CART, Random Forest, knn Clustering etc.
 - Market basket analysis with Association rules and lift method, Time Series analysis and forecasting, social network analysis and simple text mining analysis;
 - Applied Market basket analysis to a local chained retail company for customer demographic/behavior research, weekly promo and item bundle program design.
 - Advanced and interactive data visualization with ggplot2 package;
 - Stats app development with Shiny App and Dashboard. Documenting with R markdown and R presentation.
- Other tools skills training: Tableau/ SQL Server / Python

Projects of M.S. IS. degree program with Data Science Concentration

Laredo, TX

Program Participant, Project leader at Texas A&M International Univ.

08/2014 -12/2015

- Certificated by < Data Science > Specialization Program provided by John Hopkins University at Coursera.org.
- Developed research for applying machine learning and neural network methods on DDoS attack detection, presented at Texas A&M University System Pathways Student Research Symposium.
- Developed research about apply data analysis on sport events outcome, built theory from data gathering through data modeling. Was invited and presented on Conference ABDA'15 in Las Vegas.
- Finished the course projects excellently, including:
 - <Click `n Dine, Business Analysis and Plan for an online food ordering app> for Project Mgt. and Design course, finished with a fully functional demo website, a detailed business plan and a high evaluation.
 - <Fitness Pal, a digitalizing development of TAMIU Rec center> and <IT management implementation for small business, a local family owned restaurant> for Information System Analysis course;
 - <Alcool, E-commerce project planning and analysis> for Management Information system course;
 - <Planning and implementing Information system for Local school district assets management> for Database Management & Design, finished with a fully functional demo system and well-designed project proposal.

2011-2013 Business Insight Analysis / Market Research Projects

Zhengzhou, China 08/2011 - 10/2013

Brand Manager, Project Manager at Pepsi Beverage West North-China Region • Extracted data from sales database and generate monthly report,

- Used Data visualization tools like Excel/ Tableau to discover the sales trend and market performance;
- Gathered branding criteria from various sources, analyzed growth potential for channels.

2012,2013 and 2014 Market Research and Pepsi Branding Programs

Zhengzhou, China 08/2011 - 08/2014

Brand Manager, Project Manager at Pepsi Beverage West North-China Region

- Developed and pushed to implement multiple marketing promotion programs:
- Both Brand index and sales for multiple brands had grown significantly during my service

ADDITIONAL

Leadership:

- Team leader and Brand manager at Pepsi Beverage West North-China Region
 - Led 3 people's branding team with outstanding performances.

Zhengzhou, China 09/2012 - 10/2014

• Representative of China in the 2015 US international education week events of TAMIU.

Laredo, TX 10/2015

Gave a talk at international students' conference and Interviewed by local TV.