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Education

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Sept.2016 - Apr.2018

Master of Quantitative Finance and Risk Management

GPA: 3.818/4

- Course: Machine Learning(Python), Computer Programming for Scientists and Engineers(C++), Statistics for Financial Data, Computational Finance, Financial Mathematics, Stochastic Analysis for Finance.
- Active learner on online open courses concentrating on Machine Learning and Data Analysis.

Nanjing University, Nanjing, China

Sept.2012 - Jun.2016

• Bachelor of Economics in Financial Engineering

- Major GPA: 3.64/4
- Courses: Financial Econometrics(SAS), Financial System Simulation(Matlab), Financial Database and Data Analysis(SAS, R), Data Structure(C language), Financial Risk Management.
- Awards: Meritorious Winner in Mathematical Contest In Modeling (MCM) in 2015

Experience

Analyzing Stock Trading Strategy Using Extreme Learning Machine

Dec.2017

• Implemented a computational efficient functional link artificial neuron network that uses extreme learning machine to generate the trading decisions. Compared the model performance with SVM(Support Vector Machine), Decision Trees and KNN(K-Nearest Neighbors).

University of Michigan's Industrial and Operations Engineering, Ann Arbor, MI

May.2017-Dec.2017

Research Assistant

- Studied from research papers to generate innovate idea of deep learning application on financial market
- Extracted stock price and industry features from Bloomberg, prepared data using Excel for analysis
- Classified stocks using KNN, predicted moving direction of stock price using recurrent neural network

Comparison of Realized Covariance Forecasting Models Based on Volatility Timing Performance

Nov.2016

Second author, Chinese Journal of Management Science

• Empirically investigated the performance of volatility timing strategies based on several covariance matrix predicting models, including MIDAS and EWMA. Completed with MATLAB.

Order Liquidity and Stock Returns

Aug.2015

• Used SAS to analyze the illiquidity of China's security market and its effects on assets pricing based on M J.Brennan and T Chordia method (2012).

China Galaxy Securities Co., Ltd., Beijing, China

Jul. - Aug. 2015

Planning and Finance Intern

• Participated in accounting work in securities investment and margin trading.

Deloitte, Beijing, China

Jul. - Aug.2014

Audit Intern

• Carefully reviewed audit and financial material document from client and correspondingly collected additional support audit material to assist in mid-term audit work.

Skills

- Python: Pandas, Scikit-learn, Numpy
- Excel: Pivot, @Risk, PrecisionTree, Monte Carlo simulation, optimization, charting
- Machine Learning: Support Vector Machine, Neural Networks, Logistic Regression, Naïve Bayes and Decision Trees
- Programming Languages: C++, C, Matlab, SAS, R, SQL
- Languages: English Fluent, Mandarin Native speaker