Shuyang Li

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EDUCATION

University of California, San Diego, San Diego, CA (PhD)

Exp. 2023

Area: Computer Science and Engineering, Machine Learning

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ (BSE)

Major: Operations Research and Financial Engineering GPA: 3.71

Certificates: Applications of Computing; Statistics and Machine Learning

Thesis: Exploring Rich Features for Sentiment Analysis with Various Machine Learning Models

RESEARCH AND WORKING EXPERIENCE

University of California San Diego, AI Lab

September 2018-Present

June 2016

Graduate Student Researcher

- Create 15M+ row user/item interaction dataset for online recipe aggregators
- Researching models for human health behavior and recommender systems for public health under Professor Julian McAuley

Bloomberg, Structured Products Waterfall

June 2017-September 2018

Senior Software Engineer

- Designed and helped implement a Spark-based infrastructure for high bandwidth data processing jobs.
- Modeled time series data for 2.5 million asset-backed securities.
- Designed and helped implement anomaly detection for mortgage-backed securities data passing through our ETL and analytics pipelines.

Goldman Sachs, Operations Automation and Analytics Technology

July 2016-June 2017

Technology Analyst

- Helped build an application to consume, parse, & standardize market messages for fixed income instruments.
- Worked with a team to design and build a machine learning platform to generate and recommend metrics and predictive models for datasets in the Operations space.

Princeton University, Senior Thesis Research

September 2015-May 2016

Senior Thesis Research

- Investigated SVMs, Naïve Bayes, and ensemble methods for binary sentiment analysis on movie reviews.
- Generated rich feature set with semantic features to capture sentence ordering patterns in human writing.
- Created a manually labeled corpus from 2004 Cornell IMDB data for subjective and summary sentences.

Goldman Sachs, Operations Analytics Strategies

June 2015-August 2015

Summer Analyst

- Led team working on automated invoice recognition using Tesseract and Python to process and automate template matching with noisy and tilted images containing structured and semi-structured text.
- Optimized workflow assignments through linear programming in R to streamline managerial processes.

Princeton Laboratory for Energy Systems Analysis / CASTLE Lab

June 2014-August 2014

Summer Research Intern

- Created simulator in Java for the unit allocation problem of introduction of wind energy to the power grid.
- Analyzed the role and performance of different classes of learning rates in reinforcement learning.

PUBLICATIONS

Li, S. (2016). Exploring Rich Features for Sentiment Analysis with Various Machine Learning Models. Poster presentation at: 2016 IEEE MIT Undergraduate Research Technology Conference; Nov 5-6 2016, Boston, MA

Huang, D., Li, S., Dhaka, A., Story, G.M. and Cao, Y.Q., 2012. Expression of the transient receptor potential channels TRPV1, TRPA1 and TRPM8 in mouse trigeminal primary afferent neurons innervating the dura. *Molecular pain*, 8 (1), 66-85.