STACY LEE

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Languages Proficient: Python, R, SQL Basic: Scala, HTML/CSS/JavaScript, C++

Data Tools Spark, Tableau, Superset, Google BigQuery, AWS, Airflow, Jenkins, Hive, Azure, UNIX, Gitlab

Experience Nielsen

Senior Data Scientist Nielsen Marketing Cloud Team

June 2021 - Present

- Lead the model evaluation methodology of Nielsen's identity graph for audience segments
- Build varying model iterations of the identity graph for research & experimentation
- Deploy automated dashboards for monitoring segmentation model performance
- o Implement core metrics & identify areas for monitoring discrepancies in data pipeline
- o Collaborate cross-functionally with product & operations teams to align on implementation

Dentsu New York, NY

Data Scientist Marketing Effectiveness Team

Sept 2019 - June 2021

New York, NY

- Led the strategy for creating a new composite scoring metric using principal component analysis, selecting test & control market pairs to measure advertising impact, & creating cost estimates to generate baselines of significant sample sizes for Fortune 100 clients
- Built additive time series model using over 50 variables for causal impact analysis to estimate incremental lift with results that received positive client feedback
- Oversaw end-to-end research & development of XGBoost model for production forecasting
- Improved online ad performance by over 20% through optimal frequency & A/B testing
- Developed automation code & data flows using APIs for presenting daily or weekly reports
- Created data visuals to investigate discrepancies and gain deeper insights on media trends
- o Collaborated across teams to ensure proper tag taxonomy for Facebook & Twitter ads

Ameren Champaign, IL

Data Science Innovation Intern Innovation Team

lan 2018 - Dec 2018

- Led a 5-person team project for identifying individuals out of 1.4 million customers with high propensities of enrolling & saving in energy savings programs using demographic data of 150+ features to create a target list of recipients who will receive the promotional bill insert
 - Built custom tools for exploratory data analysis to gain insights & formulate a data strategy
 - Implemented random forest for 1% imbalanced class ratio and improved recall by 90%
 - Applied Bayesian statistics with logistic regression for targeted marketing deliverables
- Researched methods to replace the traditional utility pole health assessment process
 - Utilized clustering methods to find patterns in pole health based on movement
- Assisted with recommender system to estimate solar PV adoption for distribution planning
- o Mentored team members on machine learning, statistics, and programming in Python or R
- o Created & documented code to extract large datasets from AWS S3 for team efficiency

Education University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

M.S. in Statistics Data Science & Analytics Concentration

Dec 2018

Relevant Courses: Machine Learning, Computational Statistics, Data Mining

B.S. in Civil Engineering Systems Engineering Concentration

May 2017

Projects

Machine Learning & Computational Statistics Projects [stacy-lee.github.io/ds/projects.html]

- Monte Carlo method to identify Weibull PDF in Traffic Volume Counts 2012 NYC Open Data
- o Time series with fourier seasonality on Walmart sales data achieved WMAE less than 1630
- Logistic regression for movie review analysis with NLP achieved AUC greater than 0.95

Algorithms (Written From Scratch) Random Forest, k-NN, Lasso Regression, Apriori