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EDUCATION

Emory University Atlanta, GA

BSc, Economics Aug 2017 – Aug 2021

• Coursework: Econometrics, Financial Econometrics, Mathematical Statistics, Advanced Statistics, Abstract Vector Spaces, Linear Algebra, Linear Optimization, Nonlinear Optimization, Empirical Methods & Machine Learning

Professional Experience

Crime Lab, University of Chicago

Chicago, IL

Data Analytics Associate

Jul 2022 - Present

- Conduct statistical analysis of randomized controlled trials that implement and evaluate violence intervention initiatives at the University of Chicago
 - * Finalized study findings for Youth Advocate Programs, namely analyzing engagement quality measures by subgroup and identifying heterogeneous treatment effects from instrumental variables regression
 - * Designed modular pipelines in Python that process public policing data—tens of millions in observations across 20+ cities—to determine violent police districts for recruitment into the Policing Leadership Academy (PLA)
- Develop experimental designs to address research questions in collaboration with all levels of internal staff
- Maintain GitLab codebases and engage in peer code review for replicability and compliance with data privacy regulations
- · Mentor a summer-fall intern by managing workstreams and setting weekly check-ins to foster professional development
- Wrote and deployed a web scraper in Python that autonomously scraped 150,000+ observations across 5000 pages from a public database to inform PLA programming

Personal Projects

Geospatial Analysis of Chicago Neighborhoods (Python, SQL)

Fall 2023

- Built an **ETL pipeline** by sourcing; pre-processing; & harmonizing administrative datasets from the US Census Bureau API and Chicago Data Portal into a **local database**.
- Queried tables for interactive **visualization** of neighborhood-level statistics of Chicago, including robbery rates (population adjusted) in the past five years.

Song Genre Prediction (Python)

Spring 2020

• Leveraged tree-based methods to predict song genres based on their audio features, culminating in a random forest model with 70% accuracy among nine possible genres.

Undergraduate Experience

Emory Office of Advancement and Alumni Engagement	Atlanta, GA
User Experience Coordinator	Sept $2020 - Apr 2021$
Emory Division of Pediatric Infectious Diseases	Atlanta, GA
Image Analyst (Melikian Lab)	Sept $2019 - Dec 2019$
Atlanta Department of Watershed Management	Atlanta, GA
Safety and Security Intern	May 2019 - Aug 2019
Emory Clinical Cardiovascular Research Institute	Atlanta, GA
Research Assistant	Sept $2018 - Apr 2019$

Additional Info

Languages: Filipino, English Software: Python, R, PostgreSQL

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