

# MENG (MEGAN) LI

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## SUMMARY

- MS degree in Statistics (expected in August), bachelor degree with double major in Statistics and English
- Certified SAS 9 Base Programmer, practiced SAS since Jan'13
- Responsible, tenacious and organized person with motivation, drive and attention to detail
- Teach undergraduate Statistics class for 1.5 years; Statistical consultant for 6 months in academic field

## SKILLS, ABILITIES, AND ACHIEVEMENTS

### Organized, efficient, intellectually curious

- Can juggle priorities and manage busy schedule well: Besides my own graduate program study, I also teach 2 classes to 70 undergraduate students, 5 hours per week. I am in charge of teaching, preparing all the course materials, hosting office hours, grading homework/exams, and fulfilling 3-hour computer lab duty each week.
- Highly productive: At college, while the vast majority of my classmates studied only one major, I finished two in four years with good grades.
- Inquisitive: I studied elective courses of economics, finance and international trade in college to broaden my knowledge spectrum and cultivate my interest in finance and banking.

### Motivated, leader and volunteer

- Actively participated in extracurricular activities: Finished in 1<sup>st</sup> place of the 'Best Debaters Competition' at Zhengzhou University in 2008, won 2<sup>nd</sup> prize in 'National English Contest for College Students' in 2011, and published a paper on "College Students' Sports Shoes Consumption Study" in *Business China*, 2011.
- Managed 'Psychology Club' and acted as a 'Deputy Director' for 2 years in my college time, organized events and activities to provide opportunity and space for students to reduce and cope with stress.
- Volunteered at the 'Home for the Aged' program as I believe happiness lies in helping others in need.

### Hands-on and technical

- MS office tools: Word, PowerPoint, Access, Excel and Pivot table
- Statistical analysis tool/Language: SPSS, R, PC SAS (**Certified Base Programmer for SAS 9**)

## EXPERIENCE

### Graduate Student Consultant, Dept. of Statistics, Kansas State University

Sep'13 – present

- Serve as statistical consultant to internal clients
- Currently working with a PhD student in Geography on his paper 'Grazing Impact of Cattle and Bison on Stream Sediment': Discuss study objective, document meeting minutes, cleanse research data, run SAS procedures (PROC MIXED, PROC GLIMMIX) to look at treatment impact, and help prepare reports and presentation material

### Graduate Teaching Assistant, Dept. of Statistics, Kansas State University

Aug'12 – present

- Teach undergraduate course 'Intro to Statistics', 2 classes per semester
- Primary responsibilities: prepare course slides, grade homework and examination, host office hours for tutoring, lead lab discussion, and provide consultation to students on statistical concepts and report writing

## EDUCATION

### Master of Science in Statistics

Expected August 2014

Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS

- Related course work: Applied Linear Statistical Models, Design of Experiments, Categorical Data Analysis, R Computing, Theory of Statistical I & II, and Applied Managerial Computing (concentrating in Excel & Access)

### Bachelor of Science, double major in Statistics and English

August 2008 - June 2012

Zhengzhou University, Zhengzhou, China

- GPAs: Statistics 3.4/4.0, English 4.0/4.0