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QUALIFICATIONS

With education background in mathematics (modeling), computer science (big data) and finance (risk management), and work experience as an analyst and a quant developer, Yu Xiang is well ready for a new challenge as a quant or data scientist.

EDUCATION

Exchange Student in Msc. Mathematical Modeling

Sorbonne Université(ex UPMC, Paris 4 & 6)

Non-Degree Student in Msc. Big Data

Telecom ParisTech & École Polytechnique

MSc. Mathematics and Scientific Computing

Ruprecht-Karls-Universität Heidelberg

MSc. Financial Risk Management

Duisenberg School of Finance(DSF)

Currently the Duisenberg Honors Program at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

B.S. Information and Computing

North China Electric Power University(NCEPU)

Sep 2008–Jul 2012

Sep 2018–Present

Sep 2018–Present

Oct 2017-Present

Heidelberg, Germany

Amsterdam, the Netherlands

Aug 2012-Jul 2014

Paris, France

Paris, France

Beijing, China

WORK EXPERIENCE

Quantitative Analyst

Sep 2014-Sep 2017

KYOS Energy Consulting

Haarlem, the Netherlands

KYOS is a Dutch-based energy consultancy and software firm providing services to support decisions in energy trading, investments and risk management.

- Market and data analysis, customer support
- Designed and developed quantitative energy models:
 - * Forward curve building: an arbitrage-free curve on monthly, daily, hourly and half-hourly granularity, following historical shapes.
 - * Monte Carlo simulation of commodities prices: a hybrid approach including time-varying volatility, correlations, co-integration, mean-reversion, jumps and regime-switches etc.
 - * Power market fundamentals modelling: the optimal dispatch of power stations.
 - ★ Value at risk(VaR) and portfolio management: including all exposures from various energy assets with the methods based on variance-co-variance matrix and/or Monte Carlo simulation.

Trainee Aug 2013–Aug 2014

APG Asset Management

Amsterdam, the Netherlands

APG is one of the largest (pension fund) asset management companies in the world.

- Priced Credit Default Swaps and estimated counterparties default probabilities and loss given default
- Bootstrapped zero rate curve from financial instruments (deposits, forward rate agreements, futures and interest rate swaps), multi-curve construction and dual curve pricing of interest rate swaps and FX (foreign exchange) derivatives
- Built and validated interest rate models and FX multi-currency models, simulated interest and exchange rates

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Volunteer Teacher, Beijing, China

2009

Taught math and English for one semester in Haiqing Primary School, a school for the children of migrant workers

Tour Guide and Translator, Various cities in China

Summer of 2010, 2012

Guided for four Norwegian rock music bands during their tours in China(14 cities, 50 days), arranged the rehearsals and performances, advertised online.

Capitan of the mathematics department football team Vice president of Mathematics Modeling Association

2010-2012

2010-2011

North China Electric Power University

Beijing, China

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Languages Chinese Mandarin (Native), English (Fluent), French (Basic)

Dutch(Basic)

Software Python, MATLAB, SQL, Git, PySpark, LATEX, Excel/VBA

Interest Reading, History and Arts, Sports(Football, Badminton, Swimming

Running(used to be a Marathon runner), etc.), Travelling

AWARDS AND CERTIFICATES

Scholarship Scholarship for excellent academic performance, NCEPU, 2009-2010

Scholarship for excellent sports performance, NCEPU, 2011

Merit-based Scholarship, DSF, 2012

Exchange Scholarship, Heidelberg University, 2018

Certificate Certified Financial Risk Manager(GARP)

Certified Microsoft Technology Associate(Database)