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EDUCATION

- George Washington University** Jan 2021 - Jan 2024
Electrical and Computer Engineering Doctor Washington, D.C.
Reinforcement Learning on Aviation Management
- University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign(UIUC)** Aug 2019 - Jan 2021
Industrial Engineering Master ; GPA: 3.92 / 4.0 Champaign, USA
- Relevant Courses: IE529-Stats of Big Data and Clustering; IE411-Optimization of Large System; IE498-Online Learning and Decision Making; IE420-Financial Engineering; CS412-Introduction to Data Mining; IE510-Applied Nonlinear Programming; ECE449-Machine Learning; IE531-Algorithms for Data Analytics; ECE598 Interplay-Ctrl & Mchn Learning.
- Beihang University (BUAA)** Aug 2014 - Jul 2018
Automation Science and Control Engineering BEng ; GPA: 3.4 / 4.0 (Top 20%) Beijing, China
- Relevant Courses: Mathematical Analysis ; Automatic Control Theory; Control Systems Simulation; Flight Control System; Computer Control System ; Automatic Control Components ; Programming Language C
 - Beihang University Outstanding Graduate(Top 5%)
 - Honorable Mention in COMAP's Mathematical Contest in Modeling
 - Beihang University Top 10 Mentor(10/3000)
- Beihang University (BUAA)** Sep 2015 - Jul 2018
Business Management (Dual Degree) BBA ; GPA: 3.5 / 4.0 Beijing, China
- Relevant Courses: Fundamentals of Economics; Business Statistics ; Organization Management and Leadership; Financial Markets and Instruments ; Accounting; Production and Operations Management; Corporate Finance

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Federated learning optimization and application of autonomous driving** Jul 2020 - Dec 2020
Independent Study Champaign, IL
- Applied Adam, Adagrad, and BB methods to optimize the Federated Learning System, and explored the impact of different optimization models on Federated Learning.
 - Explore the application of federated learning in the field of autonomous vehicles.
- Matrix Completion for Recommendation System** Mar 2020 - May 2020
Course Project Under Guidance of Prof. Ruoyu Sun Champaign, IL
- Used common optimization methods including coordinate gradient descent (CGD), stochastic gradient descent (SGD) and some variants to solve the Recommendation System problem and then evaluated the performance of each method.
 - Designed the parallel computing algorithm for SGD to enhance the model's performance.
- Simulation of Traffic Flow With Automated Vehicles on NaSch Model** Jan 2017 - Jun 2017
Group Research With 3 researchers Beijing, China
Second Prize in 27th Beihang University Prestigious "Fengru Cup" Technology Competition (Top 5%)
- Simulated traffic flow efficiency with varying traffic densities and proportions of automated vehicles
 - Developed a statistic method to map NaSch mode's simulation results to U.S. freeway traffic data
 - Identified an optimal proportion of automated vehicles and evaluated its impact on traffic condition

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- UBIAI Technology Company** Mar 2019 - Jul 2019
Data Analysis Intern Beijing, China
- Designed Vehicle Maintenance Prediction Model based on weather conditions and customers' driving behavior.

- Applied Arima models to predict driving mileage of customers.

SKILLS

- **Python:** Proficiency in Numpy, Pytorch; extensive algorithms development experience: Clustering algorithms like AGNES and Spectral Clustering; Optimization Algorithm like GD, HB, SGD.
- **Other skills:** R, MATLAB, SQL, C++, Photoshop, Premiere Pro