Asael Alonzo Matamoros

Bayesian Data Analyst/ Probabilistic Machine Learning/ Forecasting.



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EXPERIENCE

Contract: Evaluation of data visualization

ArviZ - Google Season of Docs | October 2022 - Current job.

Evaluated the effectiveness of Arviz's functions for posterior visualization, predictive checks, and MCMC diagnostics for correct Bayesian modeling. Skills: Python, Git, PyMC, Data Visualization.

Mentor, Google Summer of Code Bayesian ARIMA models in PyMC3 (2021). Mentored the project of implementing Bayesian ARIMA models for probabilistic forecasting in PyMC. Skills: Python, Github, PyMC, Time-series.

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Research contract

Finnish Center of Artificial Intelligence | October 2020 - October 2022. Studied the uncertainty of Cross-Validation methods when comparing probabilistic machine learning models. Skills: R, ML, Model Comparison, Data Visualization.

Assistant Professor, Statistics Department

Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Honduras (UNAH) | October 2017 – October 2020. Imparted Statistical Inference, Stochastic Processes, and Linear Models for the Department of Statistics.

Skills: Julia, STATA, Mathematics, Bayesian Statistics.

Data analyst

Instituto Hondureño de Transporte Público | January 2017 - April 2018. Skills: Simulation, Probability, Mathematical Modeling, Bayesian Statistics.

RELEVANT PROJECTS

Bayesian order identification of ARMA models with projection

predictive inference. McLatchie Y., Alonzo Matamoros A., Kohns D., Vehtari A. (2022) We proposed a novel method for automatic order selection of Bayesian ARIMA models with Projection predictive inference.

Skills: R, Model selection, Forecasting, time-series.

Uncertainty in Bayesian Leave One Out Cross-Validation model

comparison. T. Sivula, M. Magnusson, A. Alonzo Matamoros, A. Vehtari, (2022). I studied the uncertainty of Cross-Validation methods when comparing probabilistic machine-learning models. Skills: R, Data Visualization, Bayesian Statistics, ML.

Bayesforecast: An R package for Bayesian Time series analysis.

A. Alonzo Matamoros, A. vehtari (2021). I developed one of the first R packages for Bayesian time-series modeling and probabilistic forecasting. Skills: C++, Developer, Stan, Time-series.

NortsTest: Assessing normality of stationary processes.

A. Alonzo Matamoros, A. Nieto-Reyes (2021).

I developed an R package for normality tests for stationary processes. Skills: Developer, mathematics, R, Hypothesis testing.

SKILLS

PROGRAMMING

- R Python Julia Octave Git
- C++ Java SQL Matlab

STATISTICAL TOOLS

- SPSS Stata R Excel Stan PyMC.
- Tidyverse Tableau PowerBI.

WORK

- Multi-task,
- Independent,
- Time Management,
- Decision Making,
- Continuous Improvement,
- Focus,
- Proactive,
- Friendliness.

LANGUAGES

- Spanish (Native),
- English (Professional).
- Dutch (Beginner).

EDUCATION

Ph.D. candidate Computer Science

Aalto University | Espoo, Finlnad. October 2020 | Current study program.

M.Sc. Mathematics and Computation

Universidad de Cantabria | Santander, Spain. October 2019 – October 2020.

Certification in Probability

Society of Actuaries (SOA) | online, USA. November 2016.

B.Sc. Mathematics and Computer Science

UNAH | Francisco Morazan, Honduras January 2010 – January 2015.

REFERENCES

Cristian Cruz, Associate Professor, UNAH. cristian.cruz@unah.edu.hn

Alicia Nieto-Reyes, Associate Professor, Universidad de Cantabria. alicia.nieto@unican.es