

# XIN CHENG

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## SKILLS

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**PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE:** Python, sql

**PACKAGES:** sklearn, matplotlib

**SUPERVISED ML:** Linear regression, Tree based methods, Ensemble methods

**UNSUPERVISED ML:** Natural language processing, Clustering

**DATA/CLOUD:** AWS, sql, MongoDB

**VISUALIZATION TOOLS:** Tableau

## EXPERIENCE

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**Metis**, *Data Scientist*, San Francisco, CA

Mar. 2020 - June 2020

- Metis is an ACCTE accredited 12 week immersive data science bootcamp focused on project oriented learning
- The core curriculum is centered around Python, statistics, supervised and unsupervised machine learning, exploratory data analysis, databases, and visualization techniques
- Completed five self designed data science projects from conception to presentation; including data collection, data management, exploratory data analysis, modeling, and visualizations

**Synthego**, *Production Scientist*, Redwood City, CA

Apr. 2019 - Current

- Analyzed cell line optimization data with pandas
- Finished over 10 advanced gene editing projects using CRISPR with automation

*Senior Research Associate*, Redwood City, CA

Nov. 2017 - Apr. 2019

- Designed and validated Hamilton liquid handling automation methods for production
- Helped build production team from ground up

**Applied Stemcell**, *Research Associate*, Milpitas, CA

July 2015 - July 2017

- Generated over 40 homozygous point mutation/deletion mammalian cell lines with CRISPR/Cas9.
- Overseeing teratoma projects as a project manager
- Transfected mouse embryo stem cells with electroporation
- Cultured hiPS cells

## PROJECTS

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**Natural Language Processing on COVID-19 Publications**

- Analyzed 10000 COVID-19 publications with Natural language processing, extracted topics with topic modeling, visualized topics with tSNE. This project simplified researcher's search for relevant publications

**Bank Marketing Classification**

- Analyzed bank marketing data, in order to classify which customer will sign up for term deposit, I did classification on an imbalanced dataset, compared XGBoost, random forest and linear regression to classify the target variable

## EDUCATION

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**University of Georgia**

Aug. 2011 - Dec. 2014

M.S. Biological Engineering 2014

**Hunan University**

Sept. 2009 - Sept. 2010

B.S. Biotechnology 2010