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## EDUCATION

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- Expected 12/23 **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY** New York, NY  
**The Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences**  
**M.S. in Mathematics in Finance**
- **Expected Coursework:** stochastic calculus, Brownian motion, Fama-French, Black-Scholes, portfolio management and risk management, risk neutral valuation, lognormal hypothesis
- 09/19 - 05/22 **STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY** Long Island, NY  
**B.S. in Applied Mathematics and Statistics**
- **Coursework:** one-way analysis of variance, regression analysis, algebra of expectations, discrete and continuous probability distributions, multivariate distributions, linear algebra, differential equations, descriptive statistics

## EXPERIENCE

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- 09/21 - 12/21 **STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY** Long Island, NY  
**Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, Data Analysis Course (RStudio)**
- Taught class of 50 students online and in person
  - Designed different levels of exercises according to students' learning abilities
  - Corrected exams and assignments in collaboration with professor
  - Summarized students' most important takeaways and questions for discussion with professor
- 01/22 - 02/22 **Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, Laboratory Statistical Course (RStudio, SAS)**
- Prepared for course with professor; taught over 20 college students online and in person
  - Guided students to think about abstract questions and summarize their takeaways

## PROJECTS

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- 3/21 - 04/21 **STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY** Long Island, NY  
**Data Analysis Coursework (R)**
- Analyzed 15 beauty product conglomerates' sales statistics
  - Produced industry trend reports with R analysis
- 11/21 - 11/21 **HD EDUCATION**  
**Financial Markets and Portfolio Management Coursework**  
(Provides training to Chinese students at 40 US universities) Shenzhen, China and New York, NY (remote)
- Analyzed stocks using Markowitz and index models; identified optimal investment portfolios
  - Calculated and compared yield and standard deviation of each portfolio under the two models
  - Used data solver in Excel to arrive at maximum Sharpe ratio points
  - Completed data visualization and drew diagrams; provided feasible investment suggestions for ordinary as well as risk-averse investors

## COMPUTATIONAL SKILLS / OTHER

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**Programming Languages:** Java, Python, R, Excel

**Languages:** English (fluent), Mandarin (native)