### József Mezei

**PERSONALS** Mezei, József Name

> Male Gender

18-01-1985, Cegléd, Hungary Born

Citizenship Hungarian Married Marital status Date of writing the CV 17-01-2017

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#### **EDUCATION** Åbo Akademi University, Turku, Finland

Department of Information Technologies

Doctor of Science in Business Administration and Economics (major: Information Systems), December 2011

- Dissertation Title: "A quantitative view on fuzzy numbers"
- Supervisor: Christer Carlsson and Robert Fullér
- Final evaluation: Laudatur (with honors) (2011)

Docent in Information Systems (Soft Computing and Decision Analytics) 01-07-2013 - present

### Lappeenranta University of Technology, Lappeenranta, Finland

School of Business and Management

Docent in Finance (Real option valuation and mathematical modeling in finance) 01-07-2013 present

## Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, Hungary

Department of Probability Theory and Statistics

MSc in mathematics, July 2008

- Thesis Title: "Estimations of failure probabilities in insurance"
- Supervisor: Miklós Arató
- Final evaluation: With Distinction

## OTHER TRAINING, **Q**UALIFICATIONS AND SKILLS

- Statistical, Optimization and Mathematical Software: R, SPSS Statistics, LATEX.
- Database management and programming skills; basic knowledge of SQL, Python and Java

LINGUISTIC SKILLS Hungarian mother tongue

English fluent

#### CURRENT POSITION

School of Business and Management, Lappeenranta University of Technology, Lappeenranta,

Finland

Post-doctoral Researcher August, 2016 -

The position consists of research related tasks (70%) and teaching tasks (30%).

# **PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL** APPOINTMENTS AND CAREER BREAKS

Faculty of Social Sciences, Business and Economics, Abo Akademi University, Turku, Finland

Post-doctoral Researcher August, 2013 - August, 2016 Position with mainly research related task with teaching (3 courses yearly) and supervisory (on

Master level) tasks.

RiskLab Finland, Department of Business Management and Analytics, Arcada University of Applied Sciences, Helsinki, Finland

Researcher

March, 2015 - August, 2016

A part-time researcher position with focus on applying computational intelligence methods in systemic risk analytics.

# Institute for Advanced Management Systems Research, Department of Information Technologies, Åbo Akademi University, Turku, Finland

Post-doctoral Researcher

January, 2012 - July, 2013

Team member in different projects

- DYSCOTEC: knowledge management technologies based on ontologies for smart phones with the involvement of major Finnish companies, January 2011 to June 2012
- Data 2 Intelligence: the aim of the program was to develop intelligent tools and methods for managing, refining and utilizing diverse data with more than 25 Finnish companies involved, July 2012- July 2013.

# Institute for Advanced Management Systems Research, Department of Information Technologies, Turku Centre for Computer Science, Åbo Akademi University, Turku, Finland

Graduate Student

September, 2008 - December, 2011

Includes Ph.D. research, Ph.D. and Masters level coursework and research/consulting projects.

- Assesgrid: project focused on grid computing, based on statistics and optimization, September 2008 to December 2008
- Knowledge mobilisation: knowledge management technologies based on ontologies for smart phones with the involvement of major Finnish companies, January 2009 to December 2010

SUPERVISION

Institute for Advanced Management Systems Research, Department of Information Technologies, Åbo Akademi University, Turku, Finland Supervisor for doctoral students

Robin Wikström (fuzzy ontologies for decision support) July, 2013 - May, 2014 (second supervisor)

Supervisor for graduate students

• 10 supervised and finished Master's thesis, 7 in progress, September, 2014 -

MAJOR TEACHING DUTIES AND PEDAGOGICAL COMPETENCE Institute for Advanced Management Systems Research, Department of Information Technologies, Åbo Akademi University, Turku, Finland

Lecturer and Instructor

September, 2008 - August, 2016

Co-taught graduate level courses for different Master programs. Shared responsibility for lectures, exams, homework assignments, and grades.

Courses

Management Science and Inventory Analysis; Multi-criteria Decision Making; Computational Intelligence and Management; Big Data Analytics and Management; Analytics and Soft Computing; IT & Management; Decision & Business Analytics; Introduction to Analytics and Optimization

Teaching Interests

Business analytics, management science, quantitative methods in management, statistical methods in information systems research.

OTHER SCIENTIFIC
OR ACADEMIC
MERITS AND
ACTIVITIES

#### Referee for international journals

 Abstract and Applied Analysis, Advances in Fuzzy Systems, Annals of Operations Research, Applied Soft Computing, Clinical Therapeutics, Computer Methods and Programs in Biomedicine, Entropy, Experts Systems with Applications, Fuzzy Sets and Systems, Group Decision and Negotiation, IEEE Transactions on Fuzzy Systems, Information Sciences, International Journal of Advanced Manufacturing Technology, International Journal of Computational Intelligence Systems, International Journal of Fuzzy Systems, International Journal of Mathematics in Operations Research, International Journal of Production Economics, Iranian Journal of Fuzzy Systems, Journal of Applied Mathematics and Decision Sciences, Journal of Applied Operational Research, Journal of Intelligent Manufacturing, Knowledge-Based Systems, Omega, Operational Research: An International Journal, Soft Computing, Swarm and Evolutionary Computation

### Scientific program committee

- International Conference on Applied Operational Research, 2010, Turku, Finland.
- FORS40 Finnish Operations Research 40th Anniversary Workshop, 2013, Lappeenranta, Finland.
- NSAIS'16 Workshop on Adaptive and Intelligent Systems, 2016, Lappeenranta, Finland.
- Minitrack co-chair on "Machine learning and network analytics in finance", Annual Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS-50), Hawaii, USA.

SCIENTIFIC AND SOCIETAL IMPACT OF RESEARCH

#### **Publications**

- 23 articles published in peer-reviewed journals
- 37 articles in peer-reviewed conferences
- 6 peer-reviewed book chapters
- H-index in Scopus: 8 (in Google Scholar: 10)
- Number of citations in Scopus: 234 (in Google Scholar: 549)

#### Research Interests

Analytics, fuzzy sets, multicriteria-decision analysis, decision making under uncertainty, management information systems, consumer behaviour, configurational theories.