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#### **EDUCATION**

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Information School, Seattle, WA (Student ID: 1527713)

Anticipated: Jun 2017

- Master of Science in Information Management Data Science (GPA 3.66/4)
- Coursework: [Data Scaling & Applications, Machine Learning & Econometrics, Data Analytics], [Business Intelligence Systems, Analytical Methods, Strategic Business Intelligence], [Android App Development, Information Architecture]

UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI, K J Somaiya College of Engineering, Mumbai, India

Jun 2015

- Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering with First Class Honors (GPA 3.78/4)
- Coursework: Object Oriented Software Engineering, Data Structures & Files, Web Engineering, Data Warehousing & Mining, Data Management System, Distributed Systems, Computer Networks, Artificial Intelligence, Operating Systems

#### **SKILLS**

- Languages: Python, Java, SQL, R, D3.js, Bash (UNIX), XML, HTML, CSS3, Bootstrap, PHP, JavaScript, Groovy, C++
- Tools: AWS, MongoDB, SQL Server, MySQL, Git, Gerrit, Visio, Visual Studio, Tableau, Cassandra, Titan, Gradle, Jira
- Frameworks and IDEs: Android Studio, IntelliJ, Spring MVC, Spark, Jupyter (IPython), R Studio, Netbeans, Eclipse

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

CYANOGEN INC., Seattle, WA

Jun 2016 - Present

Software Engineering Intern (Data Cloud) - Full Time

- Driving the data-cloud team in their first-ever user-knowledge graph for the unreleased flagship product by
  - o Data Scraping (AWS) and manipulation (Cleaning and Filtering) for building a Titan graph-database instance
  - o Using this for 2 projects at once Feeds ranking and Recommendation engine (The latter being my brain-child)
- Migrated the back-end repo of a software from SQL to MongoDB for better scaling, ensuring integrity of the front-end
- Solely coded and pitched a full-stack software to be integrated with the automation server, that
  - o Accesses and manipulates data using REST APIs in Python and stores outputs on a NoSQL database server
  - O Generates online interactive dashboard with multiple filters in D3.js on client-browser for pattern-recognition

#### LARSEN & TOUBRO TECHNOLOGY SERVICES LIMITED, Navi Mumbai, India

Jun 2014 - Aug 2014

Web development Intern - Full Time

- Implemented the GUI using HTML, CSS3 and JavaScript (JS) with focus on user-friendliness and ease of navigation
- Managed JS data caching and optimized the website by refactoring the JS code, deducting its size by almost 45%

#### RAJ INFORMATION SYSTEMS PRIVATE LIMITED, Mumbai, India

Aug 2013 - Nov 2013, Dec 2012 - Mar 2013

Software Development Intern - Part Time

Delivered an effective SQL querying for managing large databases at the client-side using SQL and TeamViewer 7

### **PROJECTS**

CHASE IT! (https://github.com/27rohan/Chase it)

Apr - Jun 2016

- Built an addictive Android game with Android Studio using Java on back-end and XML on front-end
- Features Multiplayer mode (Wi-Fi direct), touch screen and motion sensor recognition, local leaderboard

# PET PROJECTS IN DATA SCIENCE (http://27rohan.github.io)

Dec 2015 - May 2016

- Performed web scraping on the course catalog data of IIT in CSV format using Beautiful Soup & pushed as SQL to AWS
- Achieved store-sales forecasting (ranked in top 10%) for 45 Walmart stores as part of a Kaggle competition
- Implemented modern techniques in machine-learning and econometrics using the IPython notebook environment
  - o Algorithms: Regression (Linear & Logistic), kNN, k-fold CV, PCA, Naïve Bayes, Decision Trees
  - o Datasets: Rotten Tomatoes ratings, Boston housing prices, Progresa program in Mexico (1999-2000)

## END-TO-END BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE SYSTEM (https://github.com/27rohan/DataMart)

Jan - Mar 2016

- Created customized ETL packages and built a data warehouse to analyze sales figures and increase profitability
- Came up with a business strategy of increasing the cost of the one product predicted to be most popular by \$1
- Tools used: Microsoft Business Intelligence Suite (SQL Server, SSIS, SSAS), Visio, Visual Studio, Tableau

### COLORME - DUBHACKS SEATTLE (https://github.com/27rohan/ColorMe)

17 - 18 Oct 2015

Co-developed a native Android app that allows users to capture an image and displays the dominant color in that image

### PAGE INTEREST ESTIMATION - WEB USAGE MINING (https://github.com/27rohan/SpiderMonkey) A

Aug 2014 - May 2015

- Planned the agile execution of the LAMP-stack software and discussed its required features with the project committee
- Expedited web-crawling by almost 25% and worked on the PHP scripts that connect the back-end and front-end servers