

# ABOUT THE AUTHORS



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Scott currently leads the Gnip Data Science team at Twitter. He has a deep interest in discovering patterns, creating useful models and sharing a deeper understanding of how people can leverage social data from publishers like Twitter. Prior to Gnip, Scott worked with startups focused on data analysis, machine learning, data visualization and data-centric strategy projects.



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