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# **EDUCATION**

#### MS in Management Information Systems, University at Buffalo, STEM Designated, 3.83/4.0

June 2019 (Expected)

• Coursework: Database Management Systems, Distributed Computing and Big Data Technologies, Data Visualization using Tableau, Predictive Analytics, Web Analytics for E-Commerce, Systems Analysis and Design, Management of IT Projects

# Bachelor of Technology in Information Technology, Jaypee Institute of Information Technology, India

May 2015

Coursework: Machine Learning and Big Data Analytics, Database Systems, Data Mining, Information Systems

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS & CERTIFICATIONS**

- Programming Languages & Databases: Python, SQL, SQL Server, Oracle 11g
- Tools: Informatica, SSIS, Google Analytics, Microsoft Power BI, Tableau, MS Excel, IBM Watson, MicroStrategy, SAS Enterprise Miner, SAS Studio
- Libraries and Frameworks: NumPy, Pandas, Matlplotlib, Scikit-learn, Seaborn, Keras, OpenCV, TensorFlow
- Machine Learning & Statistics: Pattern Recognition and Predictive Modeling using Classification, Regression, Clustering, Linear Regression, Logistic Regression, Decision Trees, Random Forest, Association Rule Mining, Naive Bayes, Neural Network, K-Nearest Neighbors, Recommendation Systems, Support Vector Machines, Gradient Descent, Hypothesis Testing, Exploratory Data Analysis
- Hadoop Ecosystem: HDFS, MapReduce
- Certifications: AWS Certified Solutions Architect (Pursuing), SAS Base Programmer 9 (Pursuing), Tableau Desktop Specialist, Querying Microsoft SQL Server 2012/2014 (70-461), Data Warehousing for Business Intelligence, University of Colorado, Coursera, Machine Learning A-Z ™- Hands on Python in Data Science, Udemy

# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

# Senior Data Analyst, CDK Global, India

Mar 2018 - Jul 2018

- Analyzed and optimized sql gueries and stored procedures, improving effectiveness by 20%.
- Wrote functions and stored procedures, and updated existing ETL to reduce overall running time of a report from 2 hours to 3 minutes.

# Data Analyst, MAQ Software, India

Aug 2015 - Jan 2018

- Centralized data pull for more than 15 upstream sources by creating an automated data refresh application through SSIS (ETL).
- Processed data collected at data staging layer by writing stored procedure and storing data as facts and dimensions in SQL Data Warehouse.
- Created OLAP Multidimensional Cube (SSAS) to assist business clients in Sales Trend Analysis through Metrics such as MoM, YoY etc.
- Interacted with clients to gather business requirements, modeled them into user stories and negotiated sprint plan for structured delivery process.
- Provided knowledge transition to new hires; prepared and conducted training on project specific practices.

# ACADEMIC PROJECTS

# Facial Recognition and Transaction Processing System for Delaware North, New York

Jan 2019 - Present

- Developing a facial recognition and transaction processing system for point of sale (POS) kiosks.
- Identifying the impact of privacy, consent, ownership and management of identities, security and legal implications.

Utilized: Deep Learning, Python, OpenCV, Dlib, TensorFlow and Keras

# Air Quality Prediction based on Relative Humidity (RH)

Dec 2018

- Predicted the relative humidity at a given point in time based on the all other attributes affecting the change in RH.
- Split the data into test and train sets and applied linear regression, decision tree, random forest and support vector machine for designing the model for predicting RH.
- Predicted the RMSE (Root Mean Square Error) for the various algorithms and concluded that the random forest algorithm is the best choice.

Utilized: Machine Learning, Python, Numpy, Pandas, Seaborn, Matplotlib, Jupyter Notebook

#### **Exploratory Data Analysis and Reporting**

Oct 2018

- Created an employment dataset from the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.
- Exported the dataset created to Tableau to create a dashboard (Civilian Labour Force Reporting) to understand the overall employment scenario.
- Performed region, gender, age and race wise analysis, created time series visualizations and did forecasting using Tableau to understand the dynamics of people contributing to the growth.

Utilized: Tableau, Tableau Prep, MS Excel