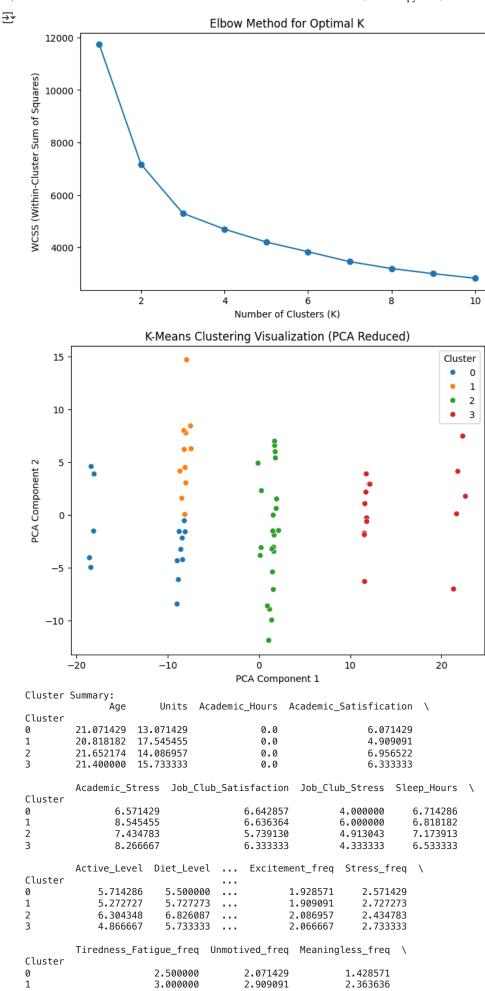
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import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from sklearn.cluster import KMeans
from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
# Load the newly provided CSV file
df = pd.read_csv('updated_responses.csv')
# Mapping academic hours to numerical values
hours_mapping = {
    "Less than 10 Hours": 5,
    "10-20 Hours": 15,
    "21-30 Hours": 25,
    "31-40 Hours": 35,
    "41-50 Hours": 45,
    "51-60 Hours": 55,
    "More than 60 Hours": 65
df["Academic_Hours"] = df["Academic_Hours"].map(hours_mapping)
# Selecting numerical columns for clustering
numerical_df = df.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).drop(columns=["Unnamed: 0"], errors='ignore')
# Ensuring no NaN values exist before clustering
numerical_df = numerical_df.fillna(0)
# Finding the optimal number of clusters using the Elbow Method
wcss = []
K_range = range(1, 11)
for k in K_range:
    kmeans = KMeans(n clusters=k, random state=42, n init=10)
    kmeans.fit(numerical_df)
    wcss.append(kmeans.inertia_)
# Plot the Elbow Method
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 5))
plt.plot(K_range, wcss, marker="o", linestyle="-")
plt.xlabel("Number of Clusters (K)")
plt.ylabel("WCSS (Within-Cluster Sum of Squares)")
plt.title("Elbow Method for Optimal K")
plt.show()
# Applying K-Means clustering with K=4
kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=4, random_state=42, n_init=10)
numerical_df["Cluster"] = kmeans.fit_predict(numerical_df)
# Reducing dimensions for visualization
pca = PCA(n_components=2, random_state=42)
numerical_df["PCA1"] = pca.fit_transform(numerical_df.drop(columns=["Cluster"]))[:, 0]
numerical_df["PCA2"] = pca.fit_transform(numerical_df.drop(columns=["Cluster"]))[:, 1]
# Scatter plot of clusters
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
sns.scatterplot(x="PCA1", y="PCA2", hue=numerical_df["Cluster"], palette="tab10", data=numerical_df)
plt.title("K-Means Clustering Visualization (PCA Reduced)")
plt.xlabel("PCA Component 1")
plt.ylabel("PCA Component 2")
plt.legend(title="Cluster")
plt.show()
# Summarizing the characteristics of each cluster
cluster_summary = numerical_df.groupby("Cluster").mean()
print("Cluster Summary:")
print(cluster_summary)
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2 3	2.478261 2.666667		2.000000 2.333333	1.521739 1.533333	
Cluster	Helpless_freq	Lonely_freq	Overwhelmed_freq	PCA1	PCA2
0	1.214286	1.500000		-12.064457	
1 2	2.272727 1.434783	2.181818 1.304348	2.727273 2.043478	-8.072114 1.319290	
3	1.466667	1.533333	2.600000	15.156798	0.577585

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