# MRP - Project

# Design, Development and Evaluation of Domain-Specific Topic Models and Classifiers for Public Health Using Big Social Data

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#### **Collection for Data**

```
In [2]:
         #!pip install praw
         import praw
         import pandas as pd
         from datetime import datetime
         # Acessing the reddit api
         reddit = praw.Reddit(client id = 'zMDhIYLH8MvxtA',
                              client_secret = 'a-uC9UvzWZouvMvM0fOunIH2dk4SWg',
                              user_agent = 'MRP_Learning',
                              username = 'Kumara-stu',
                              password = 'T@shi2021')
                                                         # your reddit password
        Version 7.2.0 of praw is outdated. Version 7.4.0 was released Friday July 30,
        2021.
In [4]:
         print("My username on Reddit:", reddit.user.me())
```

My username on Reddit: Kumara-stu

#### Collecting the data from subreddits via Reddit API

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In [6]:
         # make a list of subreddits you want to scrape the data from
         sub = ['worldnews','vaxxhappened','VACCINES', 'VaccineDiscussion', 'Vaccine',
               'vaccinationpics', 'VaccinatedLansing', 'TrueAntiVaccination',
               'toronto', 'reddit.com', 'Quebec', 'pregnant',
               'ontario', 'medicine', 'Health', 'epidemic',
               'DebateVaccine', 'CovidVaccine', 'CovidVaccinatedUncut',
               'covidlonghaulers', 'CovIdiots', 'COVID19positive',
               'COVID19_support', 'coronavirusme',
               'CoronavirusCanada', 'conspiracy', 'CanadaCoronavirus',
               'Canada' 1
         # Chosing the subreddit
         print("List of Subreddits:")
         for s in sub:
             print("Subreddit:", s)
             subreddit = reddit.subreddit(s)
         #Creating dictionary to store the data which will be converted to a dataframe
         # Scraping is done using a search with following keyword
             query = ['COVID','COVID-19', 'Corona','Corona virus', 'corona','corona vi
                      'Covaxin','covishield', 'UK Variant', 'indian Variant', 'vaccine
                      'Moderna vaccine', 'AstraZeneca', 'BioNTech vaccine', 'Johnson &
             for item in query:
                 post dict = {
                     "title" : [],
                     "score" : [],
                     "id" : [],
                     "url" : [],
                     "comms num": [],
                     "created" : [],
                     "body" : [],
                     "author": [],
                     "upvote_ratio":[],
                     "permalink":[],
                     "subreddit_id":[],
                 for submission in subreddit.search(item,sort = "top",limit = 10000):
                     post dict["title"].append(submission.title)
                     post dict["score"].append(submission.score)
                     post dict["id"].append(submission.id)
                     post_dict["url"].append(submission.url)
                     post dict["comms num"].append(submission.num comments)
                     post dict["created"].append(datetime.fromtimestamp(submission.cre
                     post dict["body"].append(submission.selftext)
                     post dict["author"].append(submission.author)
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post_dict["upvote_ratio"].append(submission.upvote_ratio)
post_dict["permalink"].append(submission.permalink)
post_dict["subreddit_id"].append(submission.subreddit_id)

post_data = pd.DataFrame(post_dict)
post_data.to_csv(s+"_"+ item +"df_subreddit_MRP.csv")
#print(post_data)
```

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Subreddit: vaxxhappened
Subreddit: VACCINES
Subreddit: VaccineDiscussion
Subreddit: Vaccine
Subreddit: vaccinationpics
Subreddit: VaccinatedLansing
Subreddit: TrueAntiVaccination
Subreddit: toronto
Subreddit: reddit.com
Subreddit: Quebec
Subreddit: pregnant
Subreddit: ontario
Subreddit: medicine
Subreddit: Health
Subreddit: epidemic
Subreddit: DebateVaccine
Subreddit: CovidVaccine
Subreddit: CovidVaccinatedUncut
Subreddit: covidlonghaulers
Subreddit: CovIdiots
Subreddit: COVID19positive
Subreddit: COVID19 support
Subreddit: coronavirusme
Subreddit: CoronavirusCanada
Subreddit: conpiracy
Subreddit: CanadaCoronavirus
Subreddit: Canada
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Subreddit: worldnews

### Combining the data from all the subreddits

```
import os
import pandas as pd
cwd = os.path.abspath('/Users/kumaraprasannajayaraju/MRP_DataSet/Prazzy/Raw_F
files = os.listdir(cwd)

In [5]:
cwd
Out[5]: '/Users/kumaraprasannajayaraju/MRP_DataSet/Prazzy/Raw_Files'
```

```
In [6]:
           df = pd.DataFrame()
           for file in files:
                df = df.append(pd.read_csv(cwd+'/'+file, index_col=0), ignore_index = Fal
 In [7]:
           df.head()
Out[7]:
                       title score
                                        id
                                                                                      url comms_num
              UK nearing it's
                highest ever
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                 strain in UK
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                 #58: SARS-
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                                             https://www.reddit.com/r/medicine/comments/lba...
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              CoV-2/COVID-
              19. Month of ...
                 You've had
                   both your
                                             https://www.reddit.com/r/medicine/comments/lh3...
                                                                                                    25
                                    lh3gzk
              Moderna/Pfizer
                Covid vacc...
 In [8]:
           df.shape
          (30694, 11)
Out[8]:
In [9]:
           df.reset index(drop=True, inplace=True)
          Exploratory Data Analysis
In [10]:
           df.isnull().sum()
```

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Out[10]: title
                                   0
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           score
           id
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           url
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           comms num
           created
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           body
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           author
                                   0
                                   0
           upvote ratio
           permalink
                                   0
                                   0
           subreddit id
           dtype: int64
In [11]:
            df = df.drop(df[df['body'].isnull()].index.tolist())
In [12]:
            df.head()
                        title score
                                         id
                                                                                        url comms_num
Out[12]:
               UK nearing it's
                 highest ever
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                 Megathread
                 #58: SARS-
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                   both your
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                                              https://www.reddit.com/r/medicine/comments/lh3...
                                                                                                       25
              Moderna/Pfizer
                Covid vacc...
In [13]:
            df.isnull().sum()
```

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Out[13]: title
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          id
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          url
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         comms_num
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         body
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          author
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         upvote_ratio
         permalink
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          subreddit_id
                           0
          dtype: int64
In [14]:
          df.count()
Out[14]: title
                           14089
          score
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          id
                           14089
          url
                           14089
         comms_num
                           14089
         created
                           14089
         body
                           14089
         author
                           14089
         upvote_ratio
                           14089
         permalink
                           14089
          subreddit_id
                           14089
         dtype: int64
In [ ]:
In [15]:
          df.head()
```

Out[15]:		title	score	id	url	comms_num
	0	UK nearing it's highest ever COVID-19 infectio	459	oogbz7	https://www.reddit.com/r/medicine/comments/oog	175
	1	New Covid-19 strain in UK	106	kgzi9m	https://www.reddit.com/r/medicine/comments/kgz	30
	2	Delta Variant	35	ob80cz	https://www.reddit.com/r/medicine/comments/ob8	18
	3	Megathread #58: SARS- CoV-2/COVID- 19. Month of	32	lbaesm	https://www.reddit.com/r/medicine/comments/lba	185
	4	You've had both your Moderna/Pfizer Covid vacc	9	lh3gzk	https://www.reddit.com/r/medicine/comments/lh3	25

## **Feature Engineering**

```
In [16]:
           ## working on created(Date and Time) column.
In [17]:
          weekDays = ["Monday", "Tuesday", "Wednesday", "Thursday", "Friday", "Saturday
In [18]:
          df['Month'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(df['created']).month
          df['DayOfWeek'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(df['created']).dayofweek
          df['HourofDay'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(df['created']).hour
          df['Day'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(df['created']).day
          df['Year'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(df['created']).year
In [19]:
          #Adding Columns ['coder1_label', 'description1', 'coder2_label', 'description
          df = df.assign(coder1_label='', description1= '', coder2_label='', description1= '', coder2_label='', description1= ''
                           consensus='', reaction='')
In [20]:
          df.columns
```

### Data export and Import

## Exploration of the cleaned dataset

```
In [24]: df.head()
```

Out[24]:		created	Day	Month	Year	HourofDay	DayOfWeek	body
	0	2021- 07-20 21:55:47	20	7	2021	21	1	It feels like the sub is done with COVID- 19, a
	1	2020- 12-20 13:41:32	20	12	2020	13	6	https://www.cnn.com/2020/12/20/uk/uk- coronavir
	2	2021- 06-30 18:18:52	30	6	2021	18	2	Why do we think that the delta variant is mor
	3	2021- 02-02 18:59:58	2	2	2021	18	1	COVID-19 Megathread #58\n\nThis is a megathrea
	4	2021- 02-10 15:49:05	10	2	2021	15	2	I think the title says it all but here it is,

5 rows × 21 columns

In [25]:

df.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Int64Index: 14089 entries, 0 to 30691
Data columns (total 21 columns):

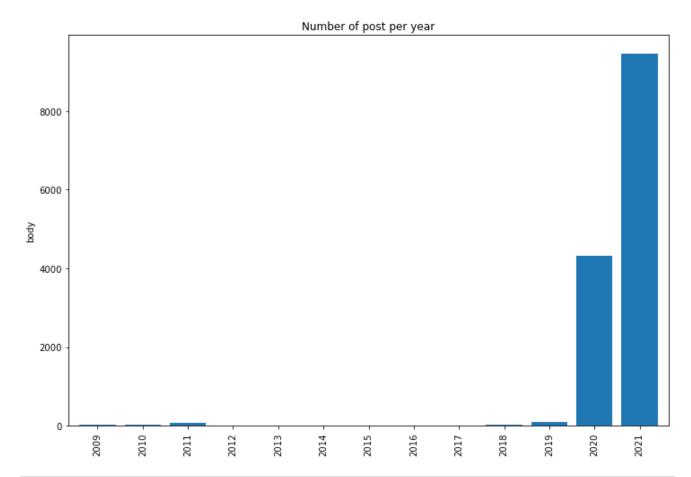
#	Column	Non-Nu	ill Count	Dtype			
0	created	14089	non-null	object			
1	Day	14089	non-null	int64			
2	Month	14089	non-null	int64			
3	Year	14089	non-null	int64			
4	HourofDay	14089	non-null	int64			
5	DayOfWeek	14089	non-null	int64			
6	body	14089	non-null	object			
7	coder1 label	14089	non-null	object			
8	description1	14089	non-null	object			
9	coder2 label	14089	non-null	object			
10	description2	14089	non-null	object			
11	consensus	14089	non-null	object			
12	reaction	14089	non-null	object			
13	score	14089	non-null	int64			
14	id	14089	non-null	object			
15	url	14089	non-null	object			
16	comms_num	14089	non-null	int64			
17	author	14089	non-null	object			
18	upvote_ratio	14089	non-null	float64			
19	permalink		non-null	object			
20	subreddit id	14089	non-null	object			
dtypes: float $64(1)$ , int $64(7)$ , object $(13)$							
memory usage: 2.4+ MB							

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In [26]:
          df["created"] = pd.to datetime(df["created"])
In [27]:
          max(df['created'])
Out[27]: Timestamp('2021-08-25 12:01:38')
In [28]:
          min(df['created'])
Out[28]: Timestamp('2009-07-09 02:02:41')
In [29]:
          df.count()
Out[29]: created
                          14089
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         Month
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         Year
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         HourofDay
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         DayOfWeek
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         body
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         coder1 label
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         description1
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         coder2_label
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         description2
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         consensus
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         reaction
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         upvote ratio
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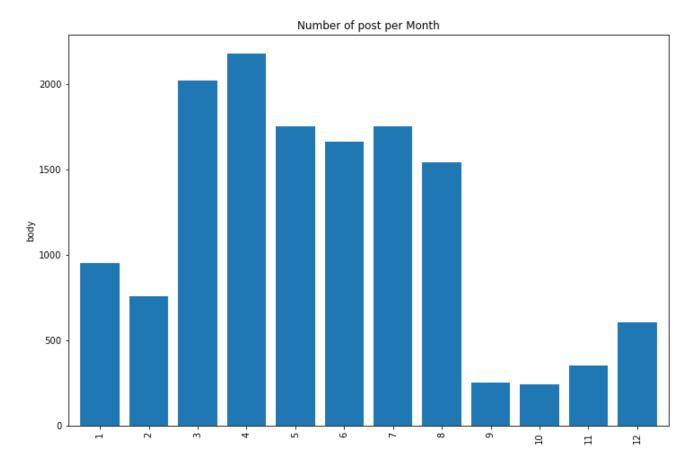
#### **Data Visualization**

```
In [30]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

In [31]: # Based on the year
   plt.rcParams["figure.figsize"] = (12,8)
   ax = df["Year"].groupby(df["Year"]).count().plot(kind="bar", width=0.8)
   ax.set(xlabel="", ylabel="body", title="Number of post per year")
   #plt.xticks(range(7), DayOfWeek)
   plt.show()
```

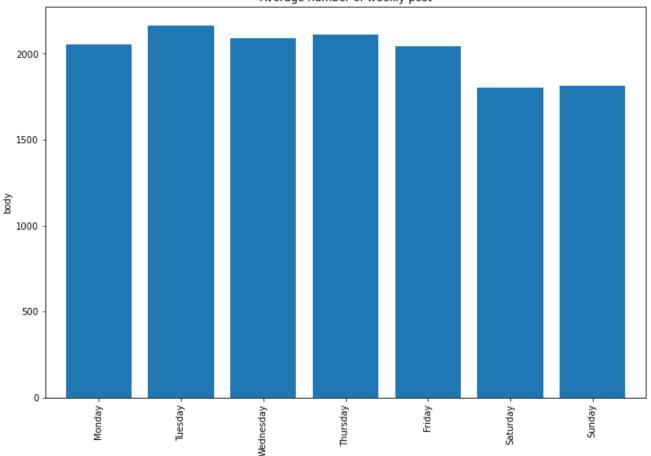


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In [32]: # Based on the Month
   plt.rcParams["figure.figsize"] = (12,8)
   ax = df["Month"].groupby(df["Month"]).count().plot(kind="bar", width=0.8)
   ax.set(xlabel="", ylabel="body", title="Number of post per Month")
   #plt.xticks(range(7), DayOfWeek)
   plt.show()
```

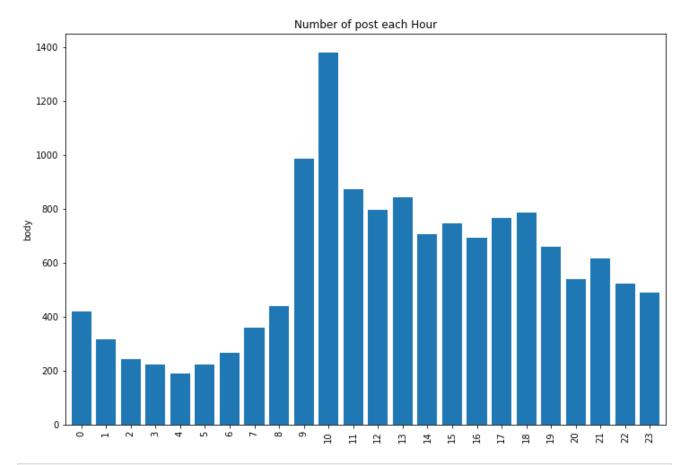


```
In [33]: # Based on the day of the week
    plt.rcParams["figure.figsize"] = (12,8)
    ax = df["DayOfWeek"].groupby(df["DayOfWeek"]).count().plot(kind="bar", width=
    ax.set(xlabel="", ylabel="body", title="Average number of weekly post")
    plt.xticks(range(7), weekDays)
    plt.show()
```



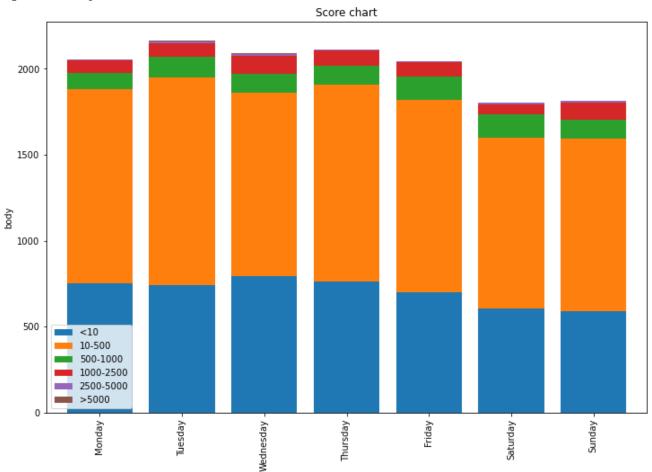


```
In [34]:
# Based on the time of the day
ax = df["HourofDay"].groupby(df["HourofDay"]).count().plot(kind="bar", width=
ax.set(xlabel="", ylabel="body", title="Number of post each Hour") # Default
plt.rcParams["figure.figsize"] = (12,8)
plt.show()
```



```
In [35]:
          # Based on the day of the week, but segmented into upvote count groups
          minscr = df["score"].min()
          maxscr = df["score"].max()
          print("Upvote range:", minscr, maxscr)
          # Manually determine certain segmentation
          dfseg = pd.DataFrame(index=range(7), columns=[])
          dfseq["<10"] = df[df["score"]<=10]["DayOfWeek"].groupby(df["DayOfWeek"]).coun</pre>
          dfseg["10-500"] = df[(df["score"]>10) & (df["score"]<=500)]["DayOfWeek"].grou</pre>
          dfseg["500-1000"] = df[(df["score"]>500) & (df["score"]<=1000)]["DayOfWeek"].</pre>
          dfseg["1000-2500"] = df[(df["score"]>1000) & (df["score"]<=2500)]["DayOfWeek"
          dfseg["2500-5000"] = df[(df["score"]>2500) & (df["score"]<=5000)]["DayOfWeek"</pre>
          dfseq[">5000"] = df[df["score"]>5000]["DayOfWeek"].groupby(df["DayOfWeek"]).c
          ax = dfseg.plot(kind="bar", stacked=True, width=0.8)
          ax.set(xlabel="", ylabel="body", title="Score chart")
          plt.xticks(range(7), weekDays)
          plt.rcParams["figure.figsize"] = (12,8)
          plt.show()
```

Upvote range: 0 8575



```
# Common post title words
freq = pd.Series(' '.join(df['body']).split()).value_counts()[:20]
freq
```

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Out[145... the
                   131008
                   107990
          and
                   107716
          to
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                    88458
          of
          in
                    67479
          а
                    66442
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          is
                    37622
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          my
          that
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                    33470
                    32256
          have
          are
                    31178
          last
                    29587
          on
                    28180
                    26538
          was
          dtype: int64
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In [146...
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```
# Uncommon post title words
freq = pd.Series(' '.join(df['body']).split()).value_counts()[-20:]
freq
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         evolved,
         1
         ivy,
         1
         Wonky
         https://beta.ctvnews.ca/local/toronto/2021/1/22/1 5279068.html
         https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2021HLTH0035-000923
         Nebraska-Lincoln
         1
         Vice.
         Samsel*](https://archive.fo/o/meDSY/https://www.researchgate.net/publication/3
         16601847 Glyphosate pathways to modern diseases_VI_Prions_amyloidoses and auto
         immune neurological diseases)
         Stigma:
         1
         Fest**](https://www.reddit.com/r/Torontoevents/comments/4tgwo4/left_2016_film_
         fest_with_10_premieres_aug_57/)
         giant,
         1
         amateurs.
         vent..
         DOI:
         superstore
         /u/hulkange
         dtype: int64
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