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# FRAUDULENT JOB ADS DETECTION

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# BUSINESS

# UNDERSTANDING

- SPAMMERS
- SCAMMERS!!!

## Indeed.com scammer steals personal info from woman with fake job posting

By Jessica Dupnack and David Komer online producer | Published July 28, 2021  
| Updated 8:10PM | Crime and Public Safety | FOX 2 Detroit



**TROY, Mich. (FOX 2)** - A local woman thought she got a job and instead she got scammed using an online job search site.

### FBI EL Paso

Special Agent Jeanette Harper  
(915) 832-5355

Twitter Facebook Email

April 21, 2021

## FBI Warns Cyber Criminals Are Using Fake Job Listings to Target Applicants' Personally Identifiable Information

Press release available in both [English](#) and [Spanish](#).

Scammers advertise jobs the same way legitimate employers do—

# THE DATA

## TARGET

5%

FRAUDULENT  
866

95%

LEGITIMATE  
17,014

## INDEED DATASET :

- 3002 RECORDS
- LOCATION: USA

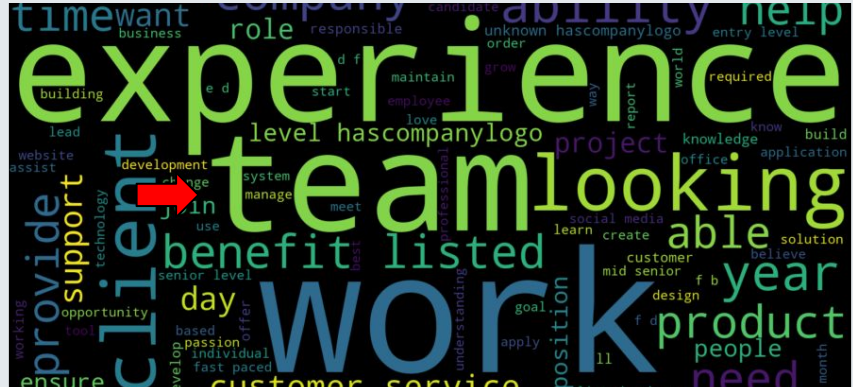


# IMPORTANT FEATURES

**HAS COMPANY LOGO**

**COMPANY PROFILE**

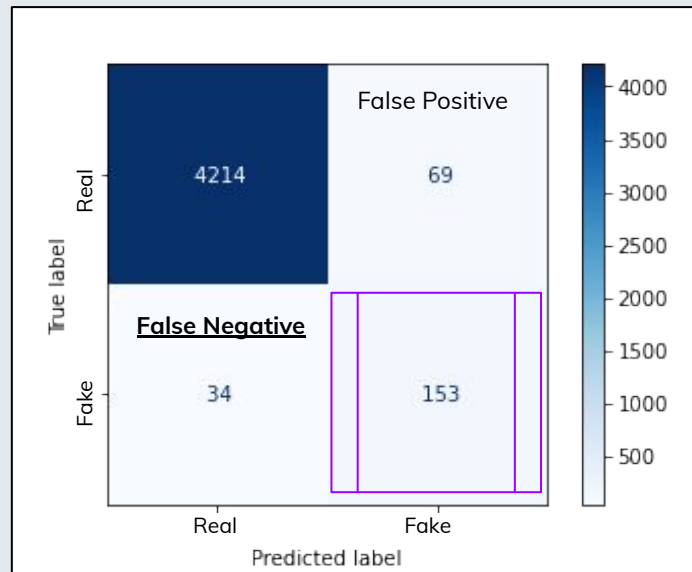
**JOB DESCRIPTION**



# MODEL RESULTS

- Accuracy: 97.968%  
Recall: 82.686%

## LOGISTIC REGRESSION



# MODEL RESULTS INDEED DATASET

TOTAL RECORDS: 3002

- Not fraudulent **28703**



- Fraudulent **1299**



# NEXT STEPS

- Add industry and department features with SelectBox
- Test datasets from different Job Search Sites
- Add a second language Spanish





# Thanks



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