CS368: Python for Java Programmers



Lecture 1

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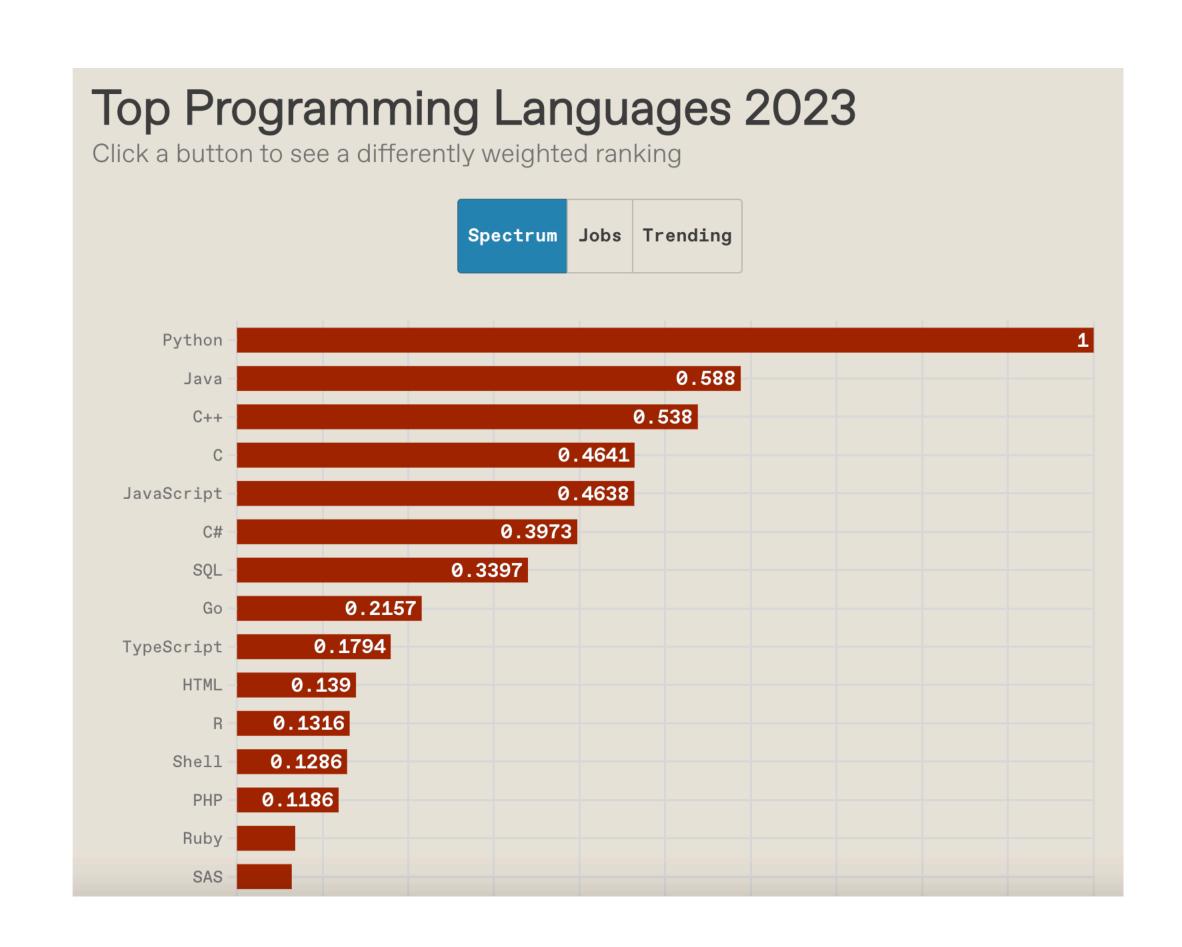
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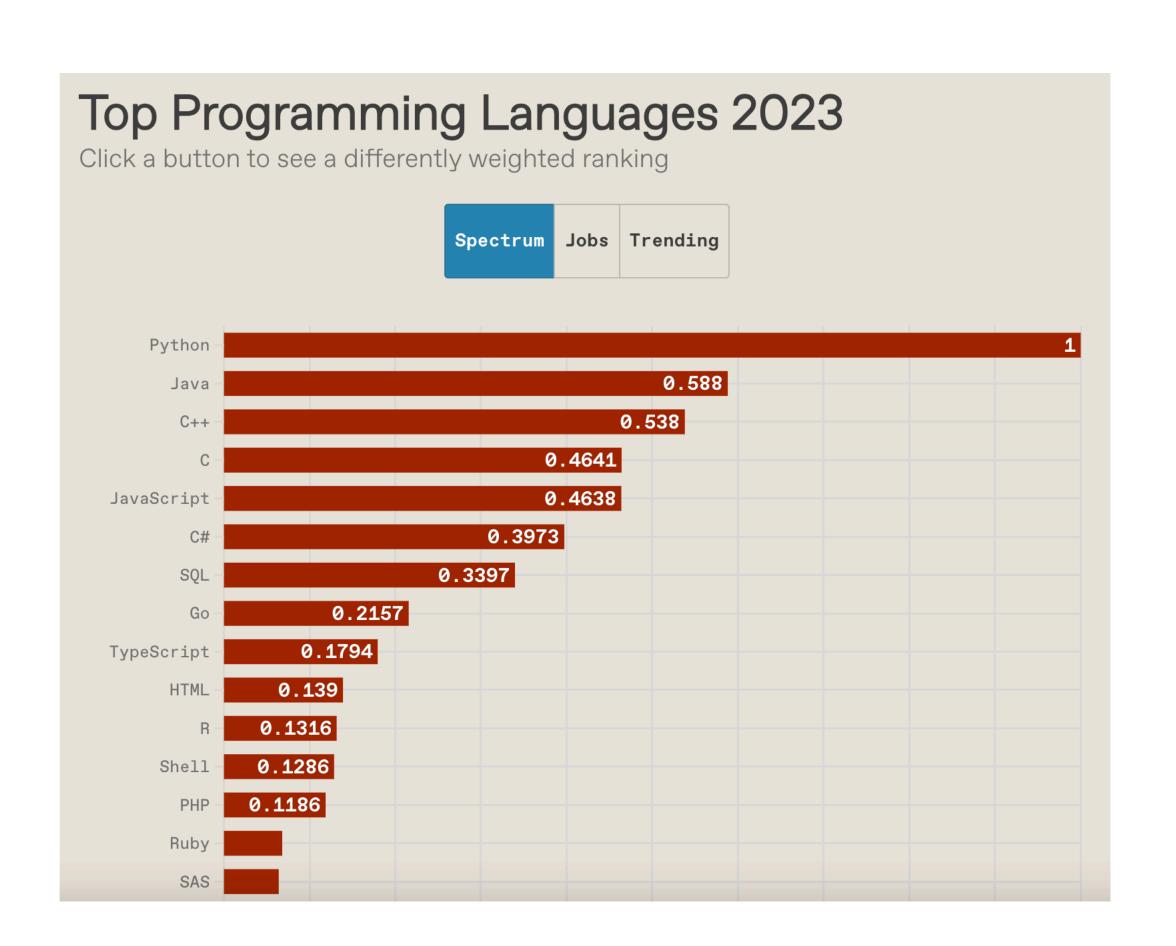
This course introduces students who are fluent Java programmers to the Python language. Students will write Python programs that include control structures, functions, and user-defined classes. They will be able to incorporate basic Python collections (lists, tuples, sets, dictionaries), handle errors, and work with files.

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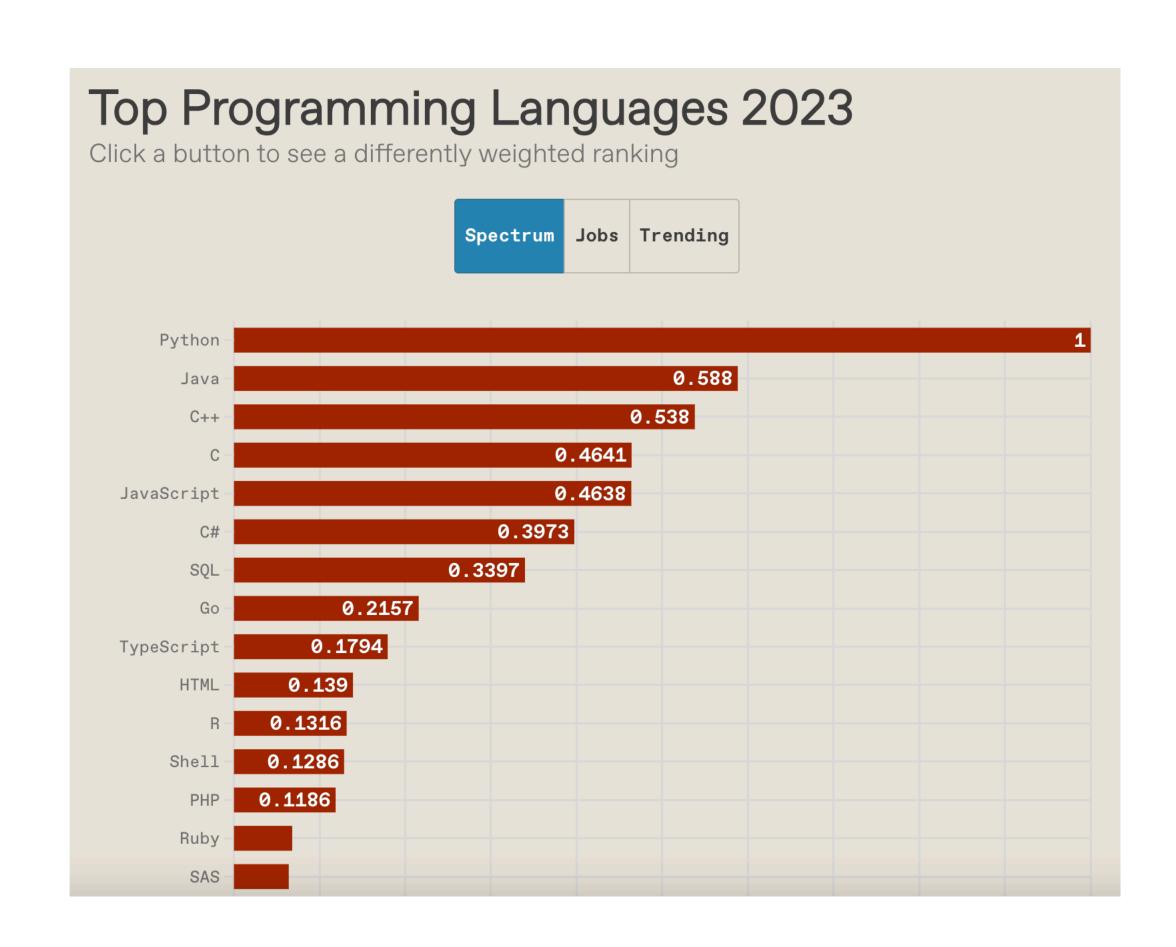
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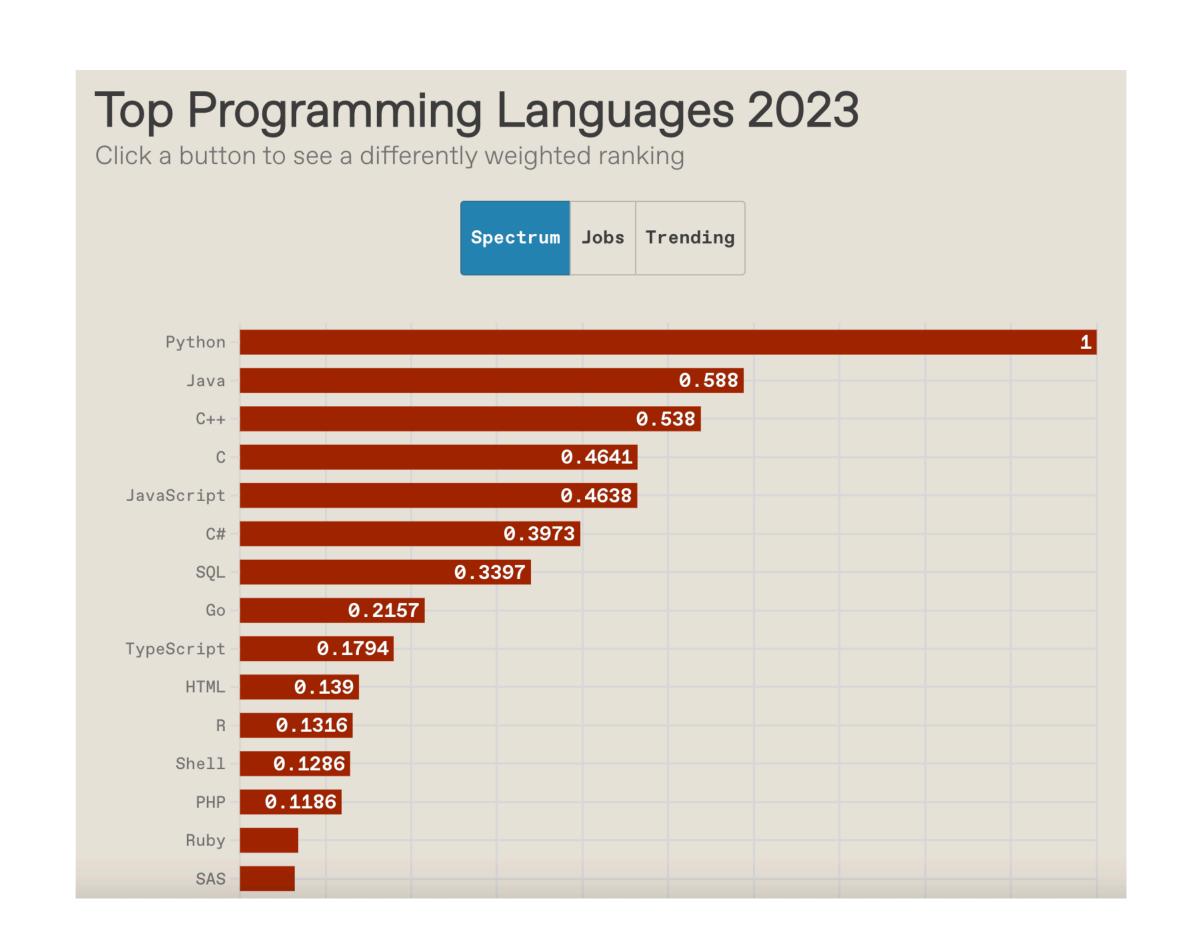


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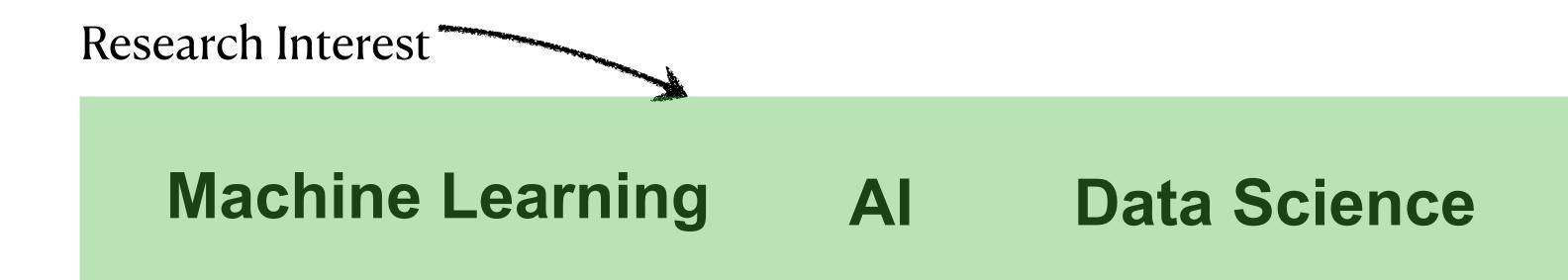
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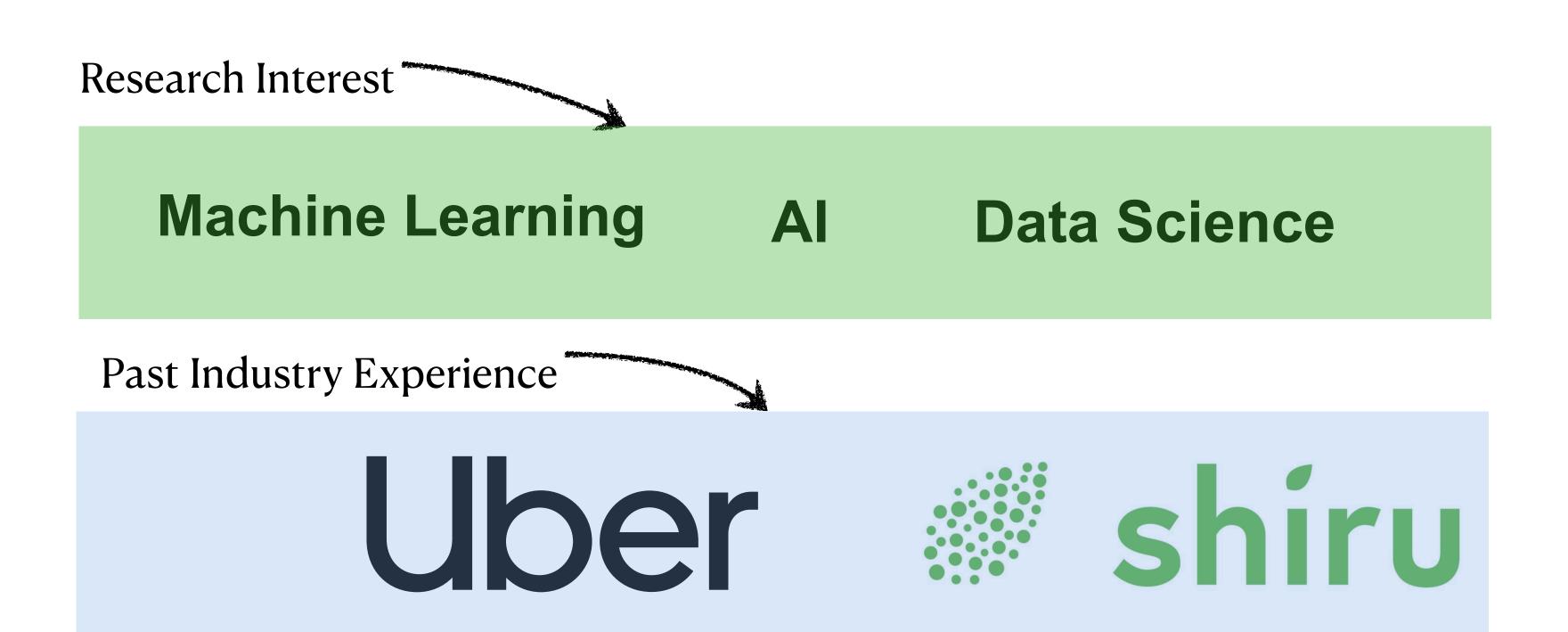
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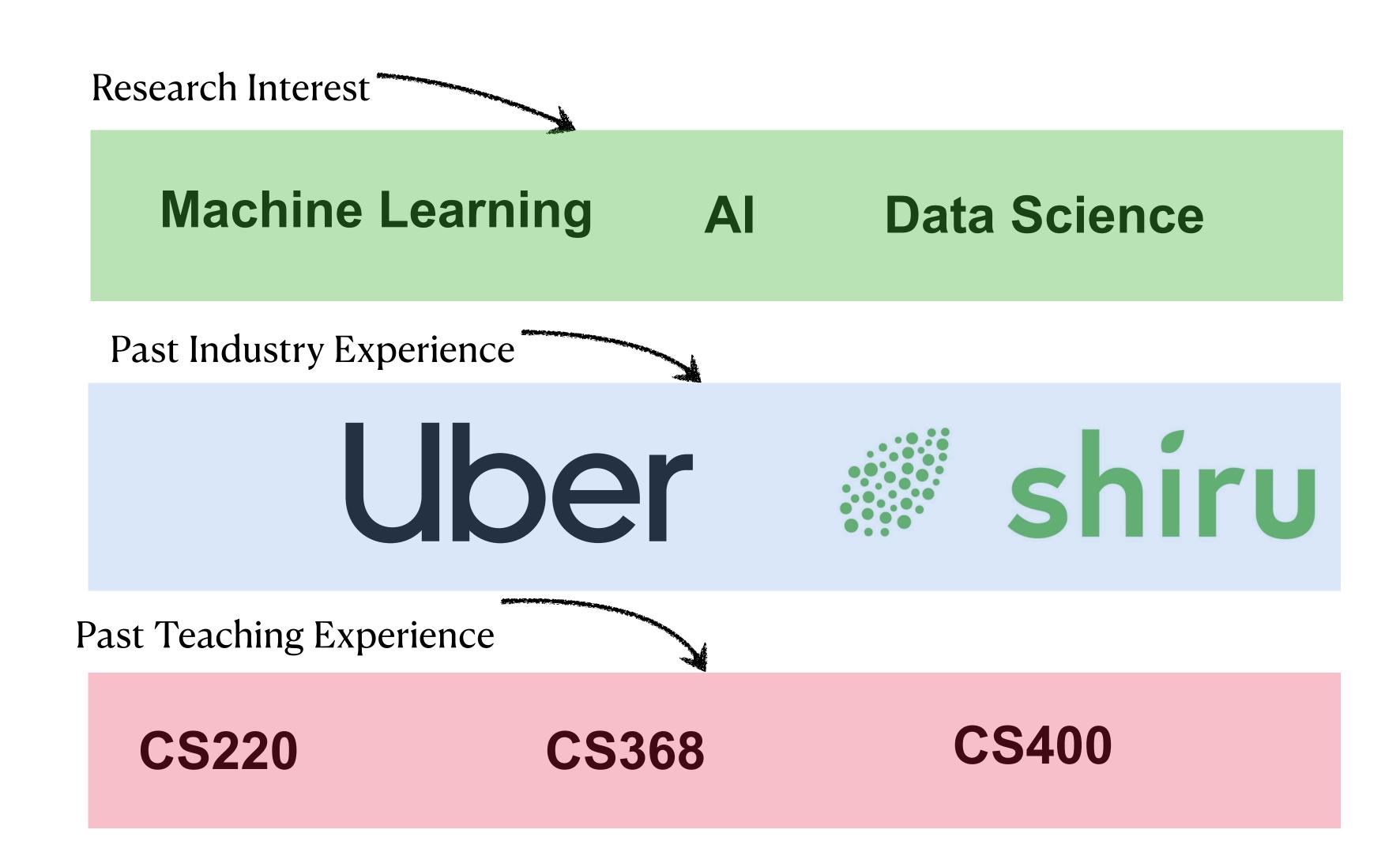
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