VARSHA PRABHAKAR

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PROFILE

- Data Analyst with over five years of experience with a demonstrated expertise in extracting and transforming data to build automated solutions for operations. Proficient in statistical data analysis, machine learning, natural language processing, and business intelligence.
- Tools and Programming Languages: Python, R, SQL, Tableau, AWS, SAS, PowerBI, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Git, Docker
- Core Competencies: Statistical Analysis, Data Visualization, Clustering, Predictive Modeling, Data Mining, Machine Learning, Corporate Finance, Big Data, Natural Language Processing, Hypothesis Testing, A/B Testing, Text Mining, Time Series Forecasting, Object Oriented Programming

EDUCATION

Purdue University, Krannert School of Management

West Lafayette, IN

Master of Science, Business Analytics & Information Management

May 2019

- Relevant courses: Machine Learning, Computing for Analytics: Python, Data Mining: SAS Enterprise Miner, Using R for Analytics, Management of Organizational Data, Financial Management, Operations Management, Accounting for Managers
- **Academic Projects**:

AGRO: An AGri-business Recommendation Optimization Engine for Sales Growth Decision-Support (R)

Built an intelligent agribusiness recommendation optimization engine - AGRO, developed to support an agri-science company's marketing team to identify potential customers, understand market needs, and provide customized and accurate marketing recommendations regarding individual farmers.

Demand forecasting for a large grocery store chain in Ecuador (R)

Developed a Decision Support System in R-shiny app to predict unit sales for different items sold at grocery stores in Ecuador. **Social Listening for Movie Makers (Python)**

Performed sentiment analysis using Microsoft Azure API on YouTube trailer comments for the top 100 movies of 2017 scraped from IMDB, which is then used to predict the sales of a particular movie.

Vellore Institute of Technology

Vellore, India

Bachelor of Technology, Electronics & Communication Engineering

May 2014

Projects: Eye Gaze Tracking System, Navigation and Surveillance in a Quad Rotor simulating an Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV), Optical Character Recognition

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Salud Revenue Partners (Healthcare Revenue Cycle Management)

Lafayette, Indiana June 2019 - Present

Database/Applications Analyst

- Designed complex web crawling solutions using Python with focus on KPIs that enable the Accounts Receivable team to work on meaningful accounts (over \$500 million in charges).
- Building a scalable and robust controller framework using Docker container technology that automates web crawling, scraping, and data aggregation.
- Analyzed large datasets using SQL queries to help different business units with data insights.
- Collaborated to build infrastructure and processes for efficient data analytics support.
- Developed data visualizations and dashboards using Tableau to obtain valuable insights for self-pay clients.

Yokogawa Electric (Process Automation) Executive Engineer

Bangalore, India|Netherlands, Europe|Abu Dhabi, UAE July 2014 – May 2018

• Designed data visualizations that helped to process alarms and event data in a structured way which greatly simplified the analyses of operations

• Formulated a procedure for the replication of human-machine interfaces and spearheaded a team of five for the same

LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES, AFFILIATIONS, HONORS

Vice President – Public Relations of Yokogawa India Toastmasters Club

January 2016 – January 2017

- Certifications: Tableau Desktop Specialist, SAS Programming Essentials, Intro to Machine Learning, NLP with Python for Machine Learning, Hadoop 101, Google Analytics
- Basic in French