

The Battle of Neighborhoods

APPLIED DATA SCIENCE CAPSTONE PROJECT

„What's the best place to search for a house in London for a sushi lover”

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Introduction

► Background:

- London is a great multicultural city with plenty of opportunities for everyone. It is a home to great tourist attractions, food and drinks.
- Being a home to 8.9 million people, there are plenty of places to pick to look for a flat to rent.

► Problem Description:

- How does a food lover with specific love of cuisine moving to London decide what is the best place to search for a house?
 - To our target user, safety is very important, we need to support finding a safe neighborhood.
 - In this case the target user is a sushi lover, we need to find a safe borough with a highest amount of good sushi places.

Data Acquisition

- ▶ The data to achieve this will come from three sources.
 - ▶ The list of boroughs will come from Wikipedia:
 - ▶ https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_London_boroughs
 - ▶ This data will be used to determine geographical location of each borough.
 - ▶ Crime statistics will come from London database with geographical breakdown:
 - ▶ https://data.london.gov.uk/dataset/recorded_crime_summary
 - ▶ This data will be used to filter the London's boroughs based on safety
 - ▶ The foursquare API, where a list of sushi restaurants will be requested.
 - ▶ <https://api.foursquare.com>
 - ▶ This data will be used to search for best sushi restaurants