Battle of The Neighborhoods

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Geolocating Neighborhoods

geolocator = Nominatim()
location = geolocator.geocode(address)
latitude = location.latitude
longitude = location.longitude
print('The geo coords of current home are {}, {}.'.format(latitude, longitude))

/opt/conda/envs/Python36/lib/python3.6/site-packages/ipykernel/__main__.py:3: DeprecationWarning: Using Nominatim with the defa ult "geopy/1.18.1" `user_agent` is strongly discouraged, as it violates Nominatim's ToS https://operations.osmfoundation.org/po licies/nominatim/ and may possibly cause 403 and 429 HTTP errors. Please specify a custom `user_agent` with `Nominatim(user_age nt="my-application")` or by overriding the default `user_agent`: `geopy.geocoders.options.default_user_agent = "my-application")` In geopy 2.0 this will become an exception.
app.launch new instance()

The geo coords of current home are 40.5997456, 22.9515123.

In [3]: address = 'Georgiou Papandreou, Thessaloniki, Greece'

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In [4]: #Initial Coords Data (Existing Residence example)
    neighborhood_latitude=40.5997456
    neighborhood_longitude=22.9515123
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NYC Neighbourhood data

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In [10]: # Read csv file with clustered neighborhoods with geodata
    nyc_data = pd.read_csv('https://raw.githubusercontent.com/tvitalis/Coursera-Capstone/master/nynta.csv')
    nyc_geojson = 'https://raw.githubusercontent.com/tvitalis/Coursera-Capstone/master/NeighborhoodAreas.geojson'
    nyc_neigh = nyc_data['NTAName']
    nyc_neigh.drop_duplicates
    nyc_data.head()
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Out[10]:

	BoroName		the_geom	CountyFIPS	BoroCode	NTACode	NTAName	Shape_Leng	Shape_Area
0	Brooklyn	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.97604935657381 40.63127590		47	3	BK88	Borough Park	39247.228028	5.400502e+07
1	Queens	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.80379022888246 40.77561011		81	4	QN51	Murray Hill	33266.904995	5.248828e+07
2	Queens	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.8610972440186 40.763664477		81	4	QN27	East Elmhurst	19816.712293	1.972685e+07
3	Queens	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.75725671509139 40.71813860		81	4	QN07	Hollis	20976.335574	2.288777e+07
4	Manhattan	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.94607828674226 40.82126321		61	1	MN06	Manhattanville	17040.685413	1.064708e+07

In [11]: nyc_data.tail()

Out[11]:

	BoroName	the_geom	CountyFIPS	BoroCode	NTACode	NTAName	Shape_Leng	Shape_Area
190	Brooklyn	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.93213397515774 40.72815960	47	3	BK76	Greenpoint	29047.573201	3.533358e+07
191	Manhattan	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.96236596889439 40.72420906	61	1	MN50	Stuyvesant Town-Cooper Village	12021.790416	5.582283e+06
192	Bronx	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.8312915777183 40.855434104	5	2	BX37	Van Nest-Morris Park- Westchester Square	42870.392803	3.630238e+07
193	Bronx	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.90958727269663 40.84275637	5	2	BX14	East Concourse- Concourse Village	27223.847106	1.822240e+07
194	Bronx	MULTIPOLYGON (((-73.9119181232027 40.843257886	5	2	BX63	West Concourse	28499.044417	1.937982e+07

In [12]: unidata = pd.read_csv('https://raw.githubusercontent.com/tvitalis/Coursera-Capstone/master/COLLEGE_UNIVERSITY.csv')
unidata

Importing datasets

Data Formatting & Data Reading (csv's & pdf's)

Capstone

Parsing Craiglist's listings

- -Querying CL Classifieds using zip codes
- -Selenium Driver
- -Chrome Automation
- -Storing Results
- -Results Quality
- -Dropping false entries
- -Creating a dataframe for data analysis

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In [17]: # Generate Craigslist Links
         base links = []
         for i in range(0, 6):
              link = "https://newyork.craigslist.org/search/aap?postal={}".format(unidata['ZIP'].iloc[i])
              base links.append(link)
In [18]: base_links = list(dict.fromkeys(base_links))
         base links
Out[18]: ['https://newyork.craigslist.org/search/aap?postal=11369',
           'https://newyork.craigslist.org/search/aap?postal=11201',
           'https://newyork.craigslist.org/search/aap?postal=10027',
           'https://newyork.craigslist.org/search/aap?postal=10011']
In [19]: def getZipListings(link):
              driver = webdriver.Chrome(ChromeDriverManager().install())
              driver.get(link)
              titles = []
              dates = []
              prices = []
              bedrooms = []
              links = []
              items = driver.find elements by class name('result-info')
              for item in items:
                 try:
                     titles.append(item.find element by class name('result-title').get attribute('innerText'))
                      titles.append("")
                     dates.append(item.find element by class name('result-date').get attribute('datetime'))
                 except:
                      dates.append("")
                     prices.append(item.find_element_by_class_name('result-price').get_attribute('innerText'))
                      prices.append("")
                 try:
                     bedrooms.append(item.find element by class name('housing').get attribute('innerText'))
                     bedrooms.append("")
                     links.append(item.find_element_by_class_name('result-title').get_attribute('href'))
                      links.append("")
              driver.close()
              data = [titles, dates, prices, bedrooms, links]
              df = pd.DataFrame(data).transpose()
              df.columns = ['Title', 'Date', 'Price', 'Bedrooms', 'Link']
              df['Zipcode'] = int(link[-5:])
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Created Dataframe

Out[21]:

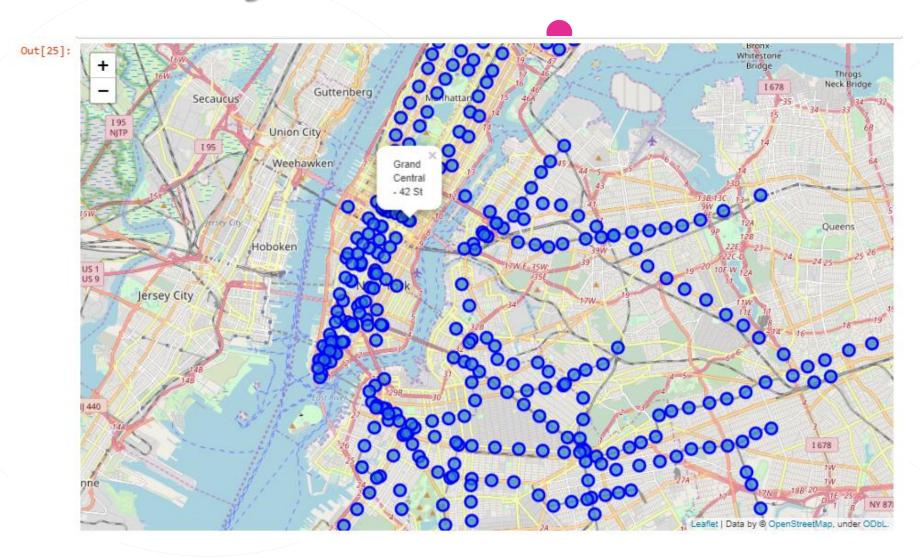
	Unnamed: 0	Zipcode	Date	Price	Bedrooms	Title	Link
349	110	10011	2019-06- 25 15:56	\$3775	1br -	The Elusive West Village 1 bedroom. Renoed & B	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/fee/d/new- y
350	111	10011	2019-06- 24 19:38	\$4500	1br -	SPECTACULAR CHELSEA 1BR-LAUNDRY-PRIV TERRACE-S	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/fee/d/new- y
351	112	10011	2019-06- 24 18:23	\$2995	1br - 500ft2 -	Large Studio Alcove on 19th & 9th No-Fee July	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/nfb/d/new- y
352	113	10011	2019-06- 24 17:05	\$2900	NaN	**BEAUTY IN THE HEART OF CHELSEA** **STUDIO W/	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/fee/d/new- y
353	114	10011	2019-06- 24 17:04	\$7695	1br -	WEST VILLAGE- CHRISTOPHER ST-LUXURY LIFESTYLE	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/nfb/d/new- y
354	115	10011	2019-06- 23 19:13	\$5995	3br -	AMAZING/SPACIOUS/RENOVATED/PRIVATE BALCONY 3 B	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/nfb/d/new- y
355	116	10011	2019-06- 23 10:36	\$2950	NaN	77 W.15St, SS Kit, Lg STUDIO, Balc, SS Kit, Gy	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/nfb/d/new- y
356	117	10011	2019-06- 22 10:19	\$2950	NaN	77 W.15St, SS Kit, Lg STUDIO, Balc, SS Kit, Gy	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/nfb/d/new- y
357	118	10011	2019-06- 19 10:31	\$1895	NaN	!!GREAT DEAL!! !!STUDIO HEART OF CHELSEA!!	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/fee/d/new- y
358	119	10011	2019-06- 18 16:08	\$2995	1br -	2 x's as Big as any others. 700 Squarefeet in	https://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/fee/d/new-y

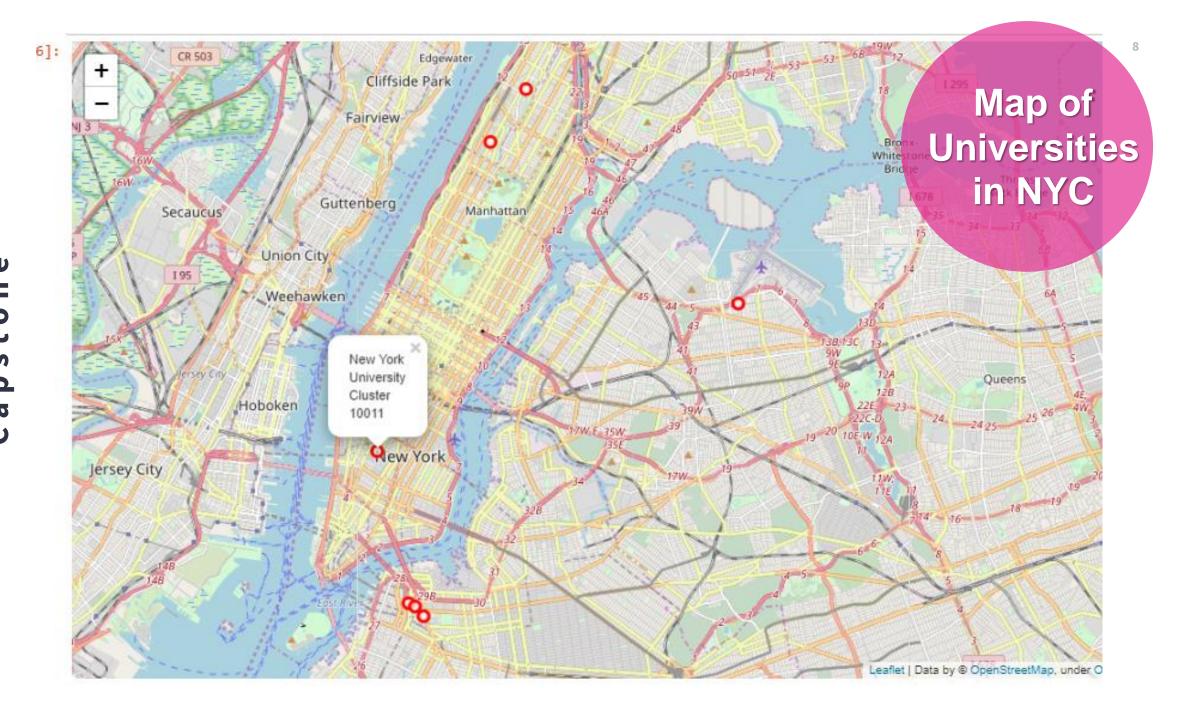
Visualization with Folium

Map Creation – Geodata Referencing – Using Nominatim with Folium

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In [25]: latitude= 40.7308619
         longitude= -73.9871558
         map points = folium.Map(location=[latitude, longitude], zoom start=14)
         #folium.GeoJson(
              nyc geojson,
              name='nyc geojson'
         #).add to(map points)
         for lat, lng, label in zip(mtastations['GTFS Latitude'], mtastations['GTFS Longitude'], mtastations['Stop Name']):
             label = folium.Popup(label, parse html=True)
             folium.CircleMarker(
                 [lat, lng],
                 radius=7,
                 popup=label,
                 color='blue',
                 fill=True,
                 fill color='#3186cc',
                 fill opacity=0.7,
                 parse_html=False).add_to(map_points)
         map points
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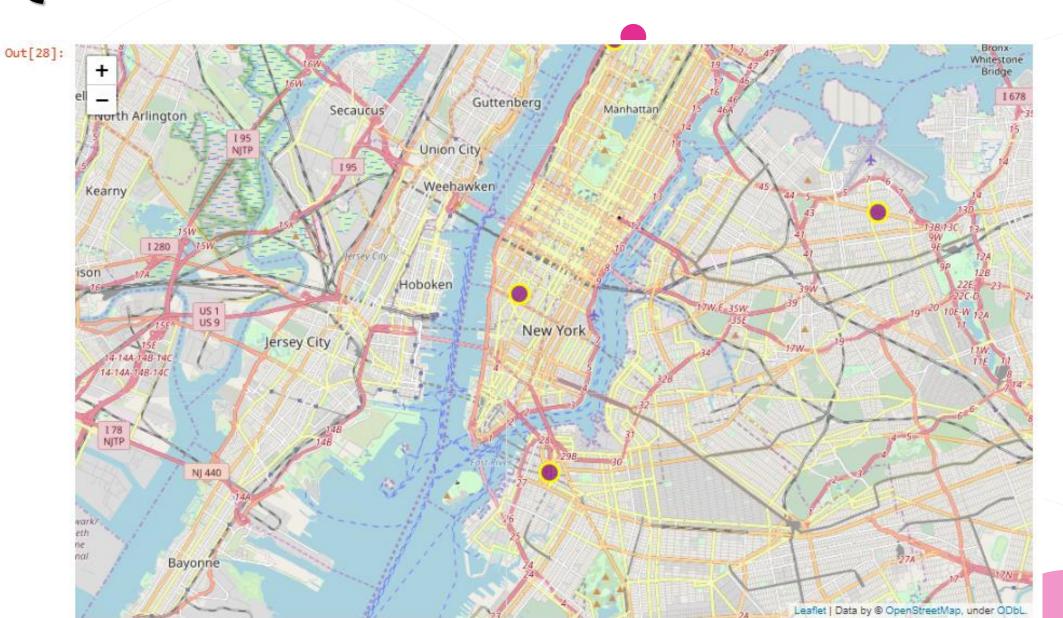
MTA Subway Stations





BM Data Science

Queried ZIP Locations



Cliffside Park 1295 Fairview Map The Neck Guttenberg Overlay Secaucus (Stations + Uni + Apt 195 NJTP Union City Regions) Weehawken Queer Hoboken Jersey City 8000000000 1 678

BM Data Science

Neighborhood Characteristics ZIP 11201

	name	categories	lat	Ing
0	SoulCycle Brooklyn Heights	Cycle Studio	40.692253	-73.991042
1	Shake Shack	Burger Joint	40.692127	-73.988658
2	New York Transit Museum	History Museum	40.690469	-73.989963
3	Perelandra Natural Foods	Grocery Store	40.693380	-73.991341
4	Heatwise	Yoga Studio	40.693450	-73.991788
5	Equinox Brooklyn Heights	Gym	40.692530	-73.991587
6	Orangetheory Fitness	Gym	40.693967	-73.991519
7	Xtend Barre Brooklyn Heights	Gym / Fitness Center	40.693599	-73.992376
8	Brooklyn Historical Society	History Museum	40.694942	-73.992333
9	Queen	Italian Restaurant	40.691319	-73.991647

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nearby_venues_all_11201['categories'].value_counts().nlargest(12)
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Coffee Shop 7
Yoga Studio 6
Cocktail Bar 5
Grocery Store 4
Italian Restaurant 4
Bar 4
Gym / Fitness Center 4
Pizza Place 3
Ice Cream Shop 3
Bakery 3
Japanese Restaurant 2
History Museum 2
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Name: categories, dtype: int64

BM Data Science

	name	categories	lat	Ing
0	Riverside Park	Park	40.806809	-73.968651
1	Book Culture	Bookstore	40.806629	-73.964940
2	Columbia Greenmarket	Farmers Market	40.807195	-73.964335
3	Riverside Park @ 115th St.	Park	40.806640	-73.966514
4	Shake Shack	Burger Joint	40.807933	-73.964013
5	Alma Mater Statue	Outdoor Sculpture	40.807726	-73.962252
6	Book Culture	Bookstore	40.805104	-73.964980
7	sweetgreen	Salad Place	40.807284	-73.964753
8	Arts and Crafts Beer Parlor	Pub	40.806689	-73.961094
9	Community Food & Juice	American Restaurant	40.805823	-73.965483

```
nearby_venues_all_10027['categories'].value_counts().nlargest(12)
```

Park 6
Italian Restaurant 6
Coffee Shop 5
American Restaurant 4
Mexican Restaurant 3
Bakery 3
Seafood Restaurant 3
Bookstore 3
Grocery Store 2
Indian Restaurant 2
Tennis Court 2
Burger Joint 2
Name: categories, dtype: int64

Neighborhood Characteristics ZIP 10027 Decision Making Based on Best Price, Proximity to Campus and proximity to transit

Our Verdict:

Best combination provided by the neighborhood of Columbia University

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THANK YOU!

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