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# **Anhad Arora**

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### **EDUCATION**

New York University, College of Arts and Science

May 2017

Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science, Psychology (Double Major)

Relevant coursework: Social Networking, Linear Algebra, Large Scale Web Services, Intro to Robotics

Scientific Programming for Behavioral Sciences, Inferential Statistics, NLP

**New York University in London** 

August 2015 – December 2015

Relevant coursework: Social Psychology, Abnormal Psychology, Intro to Marketing

# **SELECTED PROJECTS**

# Who Legitimized a Trump Presidency?

May 2016 - December 2016

- Designed a study to explore the media's role in legitimizing Donald Trump's presidential bid on assumption that news articles have an overall *positive sentiment*, thereby adding momentum to his campaign
- Conducted sentiment analysis using VADER on a corpus of 1749 Wall Street Journal articles scraped via the Beautiful Soup library in Python with the results visualized in Tableau
- A favorable outcome was obtained the media was a contributing factor in Trump's political victory
- Research paper completed as part of the Natural Language Processing (NLP) course at NYU

## **Customer Segmentation:** Udacity.com

August 2016

- Unsupervised learning project using principal component analysis and k-means clustering to create customer segments for A/B testing.
- Projects completed as part of Udacity.com's Machine Learning Engineer Nanodegree

# At-Risk Student Intervention System: Udacity.com

July 2016

• Supervised classification project applying random forests, logistic regression, and a support vector classifier to locate at-risk students in need of intervention from their school system.

All projects on <a href="https://github.com/anhadarora/Udacity\_MLND">https://github.com/anhadarora/Udacity\_MLND</a>

## **Profile Picture Flag Filter:** NYU

September 2015 – December 2015

- Developed a MATLAB based GUI that superimposed a user chosen flag on their Facebook profile picture.
- Conceptualized after the backlash on social media against Facebook's selected offering of the French flag for solidarity, and not of Lebanon, Syria, or Iraq

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

The Ritualist, New York: Digital Marketing Intern

March 2017 - Present

# Office of Global Programs, NYU: Global Ambassador

January 2015 – March 2016

- Served as a liaison between the Office of Global Programs and prospective study abroad students
- Advised 150+ NYU students in the form of group talks & peer-to-peer advising workshops

### **BleedBollywood.com:** Co-Founder

*June 2014 – September 2015* 

- Designed graphics, shot and edited weekly videos exploring *Bollywood films as contemporary literature*
- Incorporated insights from Google Analytics to drive brand awareness and engagement on social media leading to over 20,000 followers on Facebook

### Cheena's Esthetic, Ludhiana: Executive Intern

June 2015 – August 2015

- Interfaced with clients over the phone or in person, and assisted with sales at a women's clothing boutique
- Coordinated inventory & resource management; maintained client database in Excel
- Designed marketing materials and photographed products for upcoming exhibition

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Coding Python: NumPy, Scikit-Learn, Pandas | Swift | MATLAB | JavaScript, jQuery | HTML, CSS |

Other Tools

Adobe Photoshop | Adobe XD | Adobe Premiere Pro | Final Cut Pro X | Dreamweaver |
SPSS | Google Analytics | Qualtrics | Amazon Web Services | SketchUp | MS Office | iWork Suite |