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# **EDUCATION**

## **Springboard**

Data Science career track 2018

Mastering the data science process, from statistics and data wrangling, to advanced topics like machine learning and data storytelling, by working on real projects

#### University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Masters Mechanical 2017

Emphasis on Data science in Manufacturing

Coursework: Linear Algebra, Calculus, Matrix Algebra and Applications, Probability and Statistics, Machine Learning

# **EMPLOYMENT**

#### School of Nursing, University of Michigan, Research Assistant, Ann Arbor, US

Dec 2017 - Current

- 1. Worked on data analytic projects for Statistics Online Computational Resource (SOCR), part of University of Michigan School of Nursing
- 2. Deployed findings from health science-related projects and statistical tools on <u>SOCR</u> for educational purposes.

## University of Michigan and Ford Motor Company, Graduate Student Researcher, Livonia, US

Feb 2017 - Dec 2017

- 1. Worked on finding hidden patterns from plant floor manufacturing data of 8.98 GB to enhance plant productivity
- 2. Leveraged insights from data to build a better manufacturing simulation model. Project Poster.
- 3. Model simulation showed 2% increase in manufacturing productivity per day.

#### **PepsiCo**, Assistant Production Manager, Bengaluru, India

Jun 2014 - Mar 2016

While working in PepsiCo, I led a team of 300 people. During this phase using historical data,

- 1. Evaluated and improved manufacturing methods which increased net efficiency by 5.2%
- 2. Investigated equipment failures to diagnose faulty operation and made appropriate maintenance recommendations which resulted in downtime reduction of 13%

#### **SKILLS**

LANGUAGES: Python, R, HTML &CSS (some exposure)

MACHINE LEARNING: scikit-learn, TensorFlow, Keras, Tensorboard, NLP, CNN

VISUALIZATION: Tableau, matplotlib, seaborn, ggplot

DATA: SQL, Webscraping, Pyspark

### **PROJECTS**

# Toxic Comment Classification Challenge

Dec 2017 - Apr 2018

- 1. Built a multi-headed model that's capable of detecting different types of toxicity like threats, obscenity, insults, and identity-based hate using comments from Wikipedia talk edits (Dataset: Kaggle)
- 2. Deployed trained machine learning model online for testing and gathering more data
- 3. Finished in the top 16% on the Kaggle Leaderboard with mean column-wise Area Under Receiver Operating characteristic curve (AUROC) of 0.9863 while winning model's AUROC is 0.9885

## Data storytelling: Kaggle ML and Data Science Survey, 2017

Jan 2017 - Feb 2018

- 1. Examined kaggle survey of over 16000 responses on the state of data science and machine learning by people working or interested in the data science field (Dataset: Kaggle)
- 2. Examined and visualized over 100 questions ranging from programming language to the future of data science
- 3. Presented report on the various inferences drawn in multiple data science meetup's

# <u>Visualization of extremely high-dimensional neuroimaging and phenotypic data using TensorBoard</u>

Dec 2017 - Feb 2018

- 1. Examined thousands of features (3,300), to predict specific clinical outcomes (Dataset: UK Biobank)
- 2. Determined the most salient features associated with computable clinical phenotypes and interpreted the joint data holistically, in a lower dimensional space using deep learning techniques.

# Porto Seguro's Safe Driver Prediction

Oct 2017 - Nov 2017

- 1. Built model to predict if a driver will file an insurance claim next year (Dataset: Kaggle)
- 2. Finished in top 17% on the kaggle Leaderboard with Normalized Gini Index(NGI) of 0.28986, while winning model's has NGI of 0.2968

## **BLOGS AND CERTIFICATES**

- 1. Published data science articles on Medium Blog and SOCR
- 2. Obtained <u>Data Science Certificates</u> from online platforms namely DataCamp, Coursera, edX and Udemy