# RICCARDO ESCLAPON

I am an aspiring data scientist with a small obsession for the R programming language and anything relating to automation. I am also interested in cryptocurrencies and blockchain technologies because they could help us get to a slightly more fair vision of the world by allowing for automation of decisions that we traditionally would not want to trust a computer with, assuming it doesn't bring us in the opposite direction and into 1984.



#### **EDUCATION**

2024 2020

# Master's in Data Science **Denver University**

O Denver, CO

• Online part time program. Master's in Data Science at the Ritchie School of Engineering and Computer Science.

# 2018 2014

### **Bachelor of Science in Business Administration University of Colorado Boulder**

Boulder, CO

· Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with an emphasis in Information Management. Relevant courses included Business Analytics, which I then went on to TA for the next semester. Customer Analytics, Business App Programming, Business Data Management, Marketing Research & Analytics, Business Technologies, Senior Seminar in Management.

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### **POSITIONS**

2020 2019

# Strategic Pricing Developer

Vail Resorts

Proomfield, CO

• Part-time role through the Pricing Analytics team, where I improved upon the automation I created for a project as an intern. The project involved around 60 hours of work.

# LANGUAGE SKILLS

Alteryx

SQL

Python

**Guest Retention Analyst** 2019

Vail Resorts

Broomfield, CO

• Maintained a reporting suite leveraging Alteryx and Tableau to produce automated high-visibility reports on a daily basis and worked crossfunctionally with other teams to provide support on business critical questions. I was in charge of managing the Alteryx Server environment for my department and daily runs of workflows that built datasets and dashboards to support decisions by the EC. I was also an administrator on the Tableau Online environment and I helped manage it.

# Made w/ pagedown.

Original source code: github.com/nstrayer/cv.

This resume was created by forking Nick Strayer's repository

Last updated on 2020-02-29.

# **Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, Business Analytics University of Colorado Boulder**

• TA for Business Analytics (MGMT3200) which taught predictive analytics through the use of Alteryx, DataRobot and Kaggle competitions.

2017 2016

Boulder, CO

# ₩ INDEPENDENT PROJECTS

2020 2018

#### Founder

#### PredictCrypto.com

Boulder. CO

 Ongoing independent project where I look at the drivers of cryptocurrency price changes and test different trading strategies. The point of the project is to boost my own learning by exploring interesting topics and tools in data science, by creating tutorials that teach people programming. What's unique about my tutorials however, is that they are designed to use data that is never more than 1 hour old, and to provide interesting tutorials that also happen to create semi-live predictive models that could actually be used to make trades on the cryptocurrency markets. In fact, I currently use these completely automated systems to perform trades, and I currently have the capability of having automated trading systems run for 4 separate exchanges at once using 4 different XGBoost models. I have outlined this entire process step by step in an Alteryx Use Case that was approved and published: https://community.alteryx.com/t5/Alteryx-Use-Cases/Predicting-and-Trading-on-the-Cryptocurrency-Marketsusing/ta-p/494058



### ■ LEARNING CERTIFICATES

2019

#### Alteryx Core Certified

#### Alteryx

- Issued in June 2019, expires June 2021
- https://s3.us-east-

2.amazonaws.com/ayx.certificates/20190606\_AlterxDesignerCore0TPR9keVR1T2E1VapHboVdW1201kMilnVt9UesdlW6x0

2018

# Working with the RStudio IDE (Part 2)

DataCamp

Online

- Certificate #7.118.617 issued December 2018
- · https://www.datacamp.com/statement-ofaccomplishment/course/5e0f61d19c3c888ed36d09ef2267517736ae868f

2018

# Working with the RStudio IDE (Part 1)

DataCamp

Online

- Certificate #7,799,897 issued December 2018
- · https://www.datacamp.com/statement-ofaccomplishment/course/3c95521dc5bf98554697b5234c703e65ed4bdf61

2018

### R Shiny Flex Dashboard Interactive Data Visualization Udemy

Online

- Certificate ID UC-G1E7HC5F issued August 2018
- https://www.udemy.com/certificate/UC-G1E7HC5F/

### Blockchain A-Z 2018 Online Udemy • Certificate ID UC-SO91A2XD issued June 2018 http://ude.my/UC-SO91A2XD Machine Learning A-Zâ,¢: Hands-On Python ℰ R In Data Science 2017 Online Udemy • Certificate ID UC-UBPZ637H issued June 2017 http://ude.my/UC-UBPZ637H 2017 **Intermediate Python for Data Science** Online DataCamp • Certificate #3,051,631 issued June 2017 https://www.datacamp.com/statement-ofaccomplishment/course/97ef1e53b7a8d60f4c0a5263f4f094d016d8b1ed Intermediate R 2017 Online DataCamp Certificate #2.609.639 issued June 2017 · https://www.datacamp.com/statement-ofaccomplishment/course/5ed56387784f8d499de8c58bdc309dfa1c9045b8 2017 Python Data Science Toolbox (Part 1) Online DataCamp • Certificate #3,447,786 issued June 2017 · https://www.datacamp.com/statement-ofaccomplishment/course/1056505e56d20a4a72c313073b6ed06f04ddcae7 Tableau 10 A-Z: Hands-On Tableau Training For Data Science 2017 Online Udemy Certificate ID UC-D3ATSYAN issued June 2017 http://ude.my/UC-D3ATSYAN Intro to Python for Data Science 2017 Online DataCamp • Certificate #3,036,356 issued May 2017 https://www.datacamp.com/statement-ofaccomplishment/course/6f7f9ba99084b931693caf2040aca12dd7a6a2e0 Introduction to R 2017 Online DataCamp • Certificate #2,100,095 issued April 2017 https://www.datacamp.com/statement-ofaccomplishment/course/3b0b33eecbdd6d767b67ef83c55a01bd88ee86f0