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Dhanisa Modi

Education

The University of Western Ontario, Ivey Business School

London, Ontario

Graduate Diploma in Accounting Honours Business Administration

2015 - 2020

2020

Awards and Coursework

- **Awards:** 1st place at Western Global Health Case Competition 2018 | Western's Scholarship for Excellence 2015 | Rotary Club Community Scholarship 2015 | Beacon Community Scholarships 2015 | BC Hydro Scholarship 2015
- Relevant Coursework: Introduction to Data Science, Database Management, Decision Making with Analytics, Multivariable Calculus, Statistics, Linear Algebra, Project Management, Leveraging Information Technology
- Online/Distance Coursework: Introduction to Computer Science and Programming Using Python, The Complete Data Structures and Algorithms Course in Python

Work Experience

Iron Mountain

Toronto, Ontario

Marketing Analyst

May 2019 – September 2019

- Designed a new webpage for marketing content by using <u>HTML</u> and <u>CSS</u> after collecting feedback on the current website's usability from the sales team; applied metadata to tag content appropriately, resulting in an over 20% increase in search results of content.
- Implemented <u>VBA</u> to model a comprehensive total cost of outsourcing (TCO) savings business case tool for entire company portfolio of solutions in excel; helped clients realize savings by over 15%.

The University of Western Ontario, Biochemistry Lab

London, Ontario

Undergraduate Researcher

September 2016 – December 2018

- Evaluated the efficacy of the mutations by creating a proposal, testing the proposal while keeping all but one factor constant, and comparing against a benchmark, like test-driven development in computer science.
- Analyzed research on 30+ mutagenesis studies conducted by experts to create a proposal; resulted in the desired outcome of two stable mutations.

Projects

League of Innovators

Vancouver, British Columbia

Accelerator

October 2020 – November 2020

- Ideated, developed, and pitched idea for Docdoor, a healthcare venture system for referrals between physicians, surgeons, and patients; successfully accepted in the League of Innovators accelerator.
- Talked to 30+ stakeholders (patients, doctors, and mentors in healthcare) over two months; developed a deeper understanding of problem and validated that 12/17 patients faced challenges with the referral process.

Introduction to Data Science

London, Ontario

Coursework

September 2019 – December 2019

- Utilized kappa coefficient and confusion matrix cross validation methods on random forest model using original dataset; obtained a Kappa coefficient of 0.85, indicating performance could be improved to predict a pulsar star.
- Implemented SMOTE and ROSE functions to solve class imbalance problem in dataset; designed a predictive model on data that was not skewed and successfully obtained misclassification rates that were lower.
- Recommended the <u>gradient boosting model</u> to predict pulsar stars with balanced dataset after testing against random forest and logistic regression models.

Skills Summary

- Languages: Python, R, SQL, HTML, CSS and VBA
- Data Science Models: Regression, Simulation, Optimization, Decision Trees, Clustering, Gradient Boosting, K-Nearest Neighbours, Support Vector Machine, Natural Language Processing, and Neural Networks
- Technologies: Tableau, Figma, Alteryx, Bloomberg and Microsoft Excel

Interests

Foreign Culture ● Tennis ● Food ● Trivia ● Helping women succeed ● Volunteering