

# Chamal Gomes

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## Career Objective

An enthusiastic and energetic actuarial student who enjoys solving real world problems. I am focused on becoming a fully qualified actuary and am keen to deploy my excellent business acumen in a successful actuarial career specializing in advance inference and predictive analytics.

## Higher Education

### Master of Commerce (Actuarial Science Research)

University of Melbourne

2018 – 2019 July

### Bachelor of Commerce (Actuarial Science)

University of Melbourne

2015 – 2017

### Institute of Actuaries Australia (IAA)

Exemption for CS1, CM1, CB1, CB2

### Awards

- University of Melbourne Commerce Global Scholarship
- University of Melbourne USA travel Scholarship

### Coursera|2019

- Deep-Learning specialization
- Reinforcement-Learning specialization

## Technical Skills

- Proficient Machine Learning, Deep-Learning and Reinforcement Learning skills.
- Strong Python skills with TensorFlow and Keras Deep-Learning frameworks.
- Git for version control and JIRA for scrum board management and reporting.
- Expert LaTeX skills for documentation.
- Experienced Linux user, inclusive of Linux Distros
- VBA for Excel Automation applications
- SQL database management and information modelling skills
- R programming for deterministic modelling.
- PowerBI for data visualization and reporting.
- Cloud instance configuration and management for data science applications.
- Web scraping with Selenium and variations.

## Work Experience

### NMG CONSULTING (DEC 2018 – FEB 2019) – Actuarial Intern

- VBA automation of RBC calculation, valuation and Industry benchmarking.
- Engagement in R-Shiny projects for enhanced industry client presentations.
- Assisted actuarial analysts with valuation and solvency calculation for general insurance clients.
- Engaged in mortality projection tool development in R.
- Mining industry data for industry insights and modeling.

### NMG CONSULTING (FEB 2019 – APRIL 2019) - Model Developer

- Developed deep-learning models for a European client of NMG Consulting for fraud detection.
- Programmed the relevant python modules for deep-learning models and supervised models.
- Preparation of the project report to be presented to the client.
- Presented key findings to the client upon completion of the study.

### **Insurance Claims Fraud Detection with Deep-Learning**

- Obtained First Class Honors for masters research report, awaiting journal publication.
- Research encompassed the use of Gaussian Restricted Boltzmann Machine (RBM) and Deep-Autoencoders for unsupervised fraud detection.
- Introduced a New Unsupervised Variable Importance sampling methodology with Deep-Autoencoders.
- Autoencoders and RBM performance was benchmarked against industry leading supervised models in fraud detection contextualization.

## Projects

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### **Kaggle Generative Image Generation (Ongoing)**

- Use of Deep Convolutional Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs) for image generation
- Parallel GPU configuration for training the model on GCP

### **Recursion Cellular Image Classification (Ongoing)**

- Variational Autoencoders is being investigated as the starting point

### **EY NextWave Data Challenge 2019**

- Smart city traffic modeling based on telematics data.
- Boosted Random Forest with left padding performed the best providing highest testing accuracy.

### **Kaggle Microsoft Malware Detection Competition**

- Stacked RBM for enhanced performance in an Autoencoder framework.

### **Kaggle LANL Earthquake Detection Competition**

- Use of Neural ODE along with RNN(LSTM) methodologies for time series prediction.

### **Kaggle Quora Insincere Question classification Competition**

- Use of Bidirectional RNN for enhanced NLP modelling.

### **SOA (Society of Actuaries) case study challenge (2018) [\(link\)](#)**

- Provided actuarial modelling to estimate the inflows and outflows of the long-term care system, taking into account improving mortality, care levels transitions, economic trends, caregiver shortage etc.

### **UBS Investment Banking Challenge (2018) [\(link\)](#)**

- Advised TABCORP on the merits of the potential acquisition of Tatts.
- Recommended acquisition price using different valuation methods.

### **Bachelor final year project (2017)**

- Provide recommendations for the financing of the superannuation fund under, both defined benefit and accumulation plan.