## indeedoor

# a better way to find a job

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## Motivation



| what                                | where                   |                     |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
|                                     | new york, ny            | Find Jobs           |
| job title, keywords or company name | city, state or zip code | Advanced Job Search |

Upload your resume - Let employers find you

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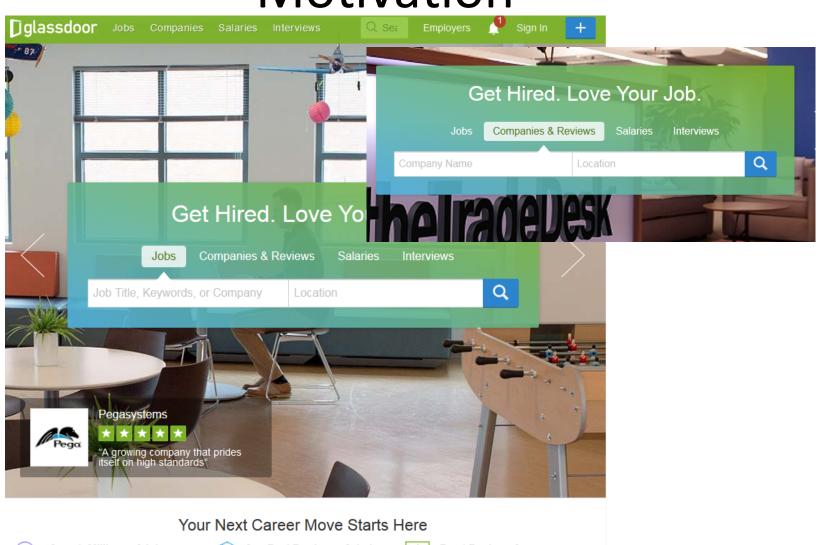
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#### **Advanced Job Search**

| Find Jobs                            |                                 |                       |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| With all of these words              |                                 |                       |
| With the exact phrase                |                                 |                       |
| With at least one of these words     |                                 |                       |
| With <b>none</b> of these words      |                                 |                       |
| With these words in the <b>title</b> |                                 |                       |
| From this company                    |                                 |                       |
| Show jobs of type                    | All job types ▼                 |                       |
| Show jobs from                       | All web sites ▼                 |                       |
|                                      | Exclude staffing agencies       |                       |
| Salary estimate                      | per year                        |                       |
|                                      | \$50,000 or \$40K-\$90K         |                       |
| Where and When                       |                                 |                       |
| <b>Location</b> within 25 miles of ▼ | new york, ny                    | (city, state, or zip) |
| Age - Jobs published anytime         | <u> </u>                        | _                     |
| Display 10 ▼ results per page,       | sorted by relevance ▼ Find Jobs |                       |

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Search Millions of Job Listings

Glassdoor has more jobs than any other job site



See Real Employee Salaries See anonymous salary details for any job or company



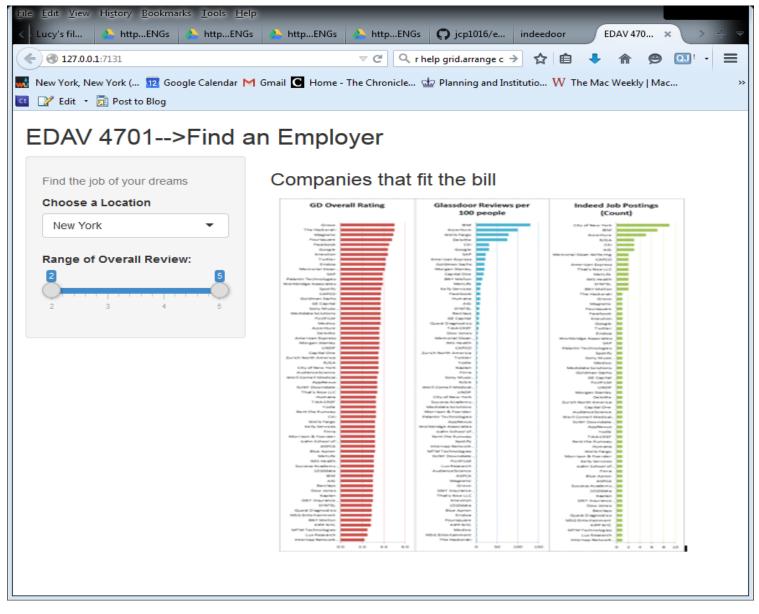
Read Reviews from Employees

Work in HR or Recruiting?

## Our contribution

- Both sites contain valuable, under-leveraged data
- Our goal is to give the job seeker more information as part of their job search process:
  - How are the companies rated by industry, overall and by category (Janet, Lucy)
    - Learn more about a particular set of companies (based on some user inputs), including number of reviews, number of positions open...
  - Where are the jobs located (Christine)
  - Differences in jobs by region & regression (Shruti)
  - Leverage job postings to tailor your resume (Jade)

# Starting medium



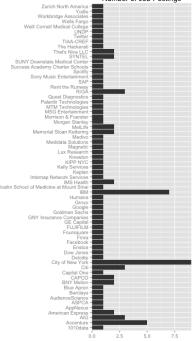
#### R Code to generate comparison charts (all black bars – very New York data scientist)

```
dscomprev <- read.csv("Workbook1.csv")</pre>
library(ggplot2)
library(gridExtra)
x <-ggplot(dscomprev, aes(x=Company.Name, y=Indeed.Postings)) +
              geom_bar(stat="identity") +
              coord flip() +
              ggtitle("Number of Job Postings") +
              theme(axis.title.x = element blank(),axis.title.y = element blank())
x1 <- x + scale_y_continuous(expand = c(0, 0))
y <- ggplot(dscomprev, aes(x=Com
              geom bar(stat="ide
              coord flip() +
              ggtitle("Reviews per
              theme(axis.title.x =
y1 <- y + scale_y_continuous(expar
z <-ggplot(dscomprev, aes(x=Comp
              geom bar(stat="ide
              coord flip() +
              ggtitle("Overall Con
```

theme(axis.title.x =

z1 <- z + scale y continuous(expar

grid.arrange(z1, y1, x1, ncol=3)



## Our data pipeline

Acquiring data via APIs

Query data via Indeed & Glassdoor APIs using Python

Cleaning data

Exclude irrelevant job results using certain keywords in job titles from Python data results Uploading into mySQL database

For easier data retrieval & storage;

Allows Shiny app R scripts to pull directly from MySQL database

More munging / joining data sets

Joining data from Indeed & Glassdoor with matching company names

# Data acquisition & preparation

#### Indeed.com jobs data

#### Scope:

- Jobs with query term "data + scientist"
- Job results within 40 miles or less of 12 cities in the U.S.

#### **Challenges in cleaning data:**

- Created conditions in Python script that filtered out irrelevant job titles
- But positions that have term "data scientist" in description still show up
- Meanwhile, we also cannot simply eliminate seemingly "irrelevant" job titles as some of these jobs are actually data science positions with a different name

#### Glassdoor company data

#### Scope:

- Company Name
- Location, Ratings

#### **Challenges in cleaning data:**

- Minimal data cleaning required
- Ignored rating text fields

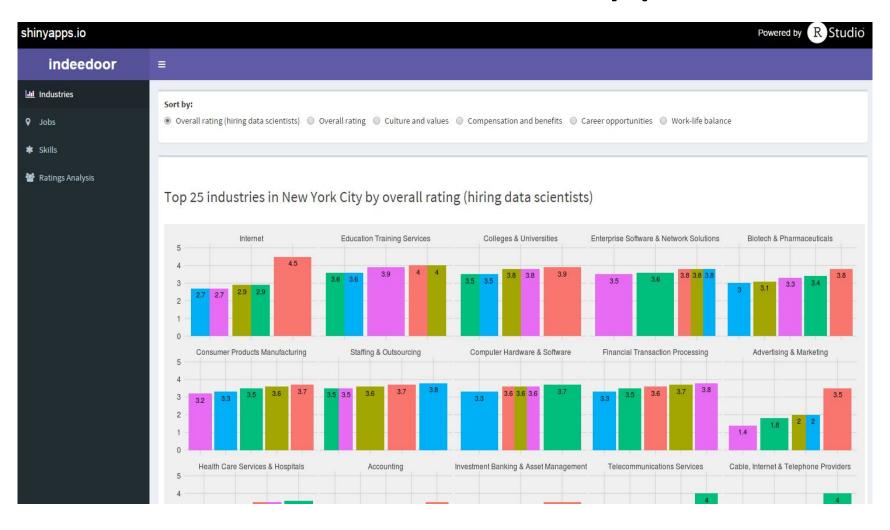
The API call only shows us the job snippet, which isn't enough to mine. To get enough data for a POC, we'll extract the URL from the indeed job posting, scrape this text and mine it.

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</result>

```
▼<response version="2">
   <query>data scientist</query>
   <location>new, york</location>
   <dupefilter>true</dupefilter>
   <highlight>false</highlight>
   <totalresults>1147</totalresults>
   <start>1</start>
                                                                                Trim URL, add to list to be scraped.
   <end>10</end>
   <pageNumber>0</pageNumber>
                                                                               API call gave 10 URLs to work with for POC
 ▼<results>
   ▼ < result>
       <jobtitle>Data Scientist</jobtitle>
       <company>The College Board</company>
       <city>New York</city>
       <state>NY</state>
       <country>US</country>
       <formattedLocation>New York, NY</formattedLocation>
       <source>The College Board</source>
       <date>Mon, 27 Apr 2015 15:55:37 GMT</date>
     ▼ <snippet>
        Experience with descriptive statistics and data visualization in R and Tableau. Create insights from existing data, and drive the collection of new data through...
      </snippet>
        url> URL from API to grab for full job description
http://www.indeed.com/viewjob/jk=aa482c194e06d589&qd $359H8wdm9_p3y0mSnUcn3G_LewWwgh1sg0a_coxuzer1EA6V/HkKpskzdWnzVRwCNFapReE6dZrt1p5SIe6ou9Bek1LMgTs8p5EmYWwc5ULB2pHYt-
     ▼<url>
        YP2NYagtBg9Lp&indpubnum=4751269202013823&atk=19k10ebv75ucse6f
      </url>
       <onmousedown>indeed_clk(this, '4983');</onmousedown>
       <latitude>40.71154</latitude>
       <longitude>-74.00549</longitude>
       <jobkey>aa482c194e06d589</jobkey>
       <sponsored>false</sponsored>
       <expired>false</expired>
       <indeedApply>false</indeedApply>
       <formattedLocationFull>New York, NY</formattedLocationFull>
       <formattedRelativeTime>1 day ago</formattedRelativeTime>
```

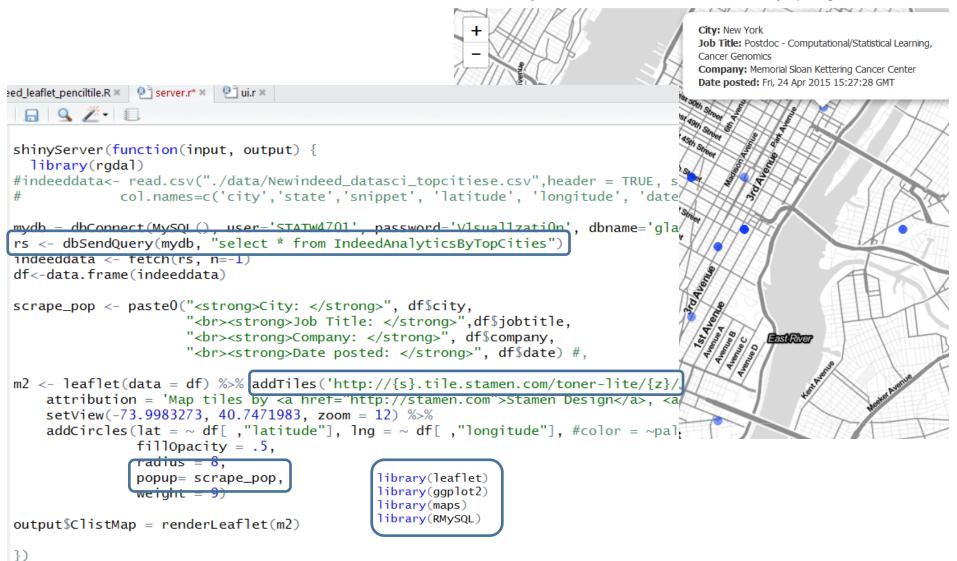
# The indeedoor app



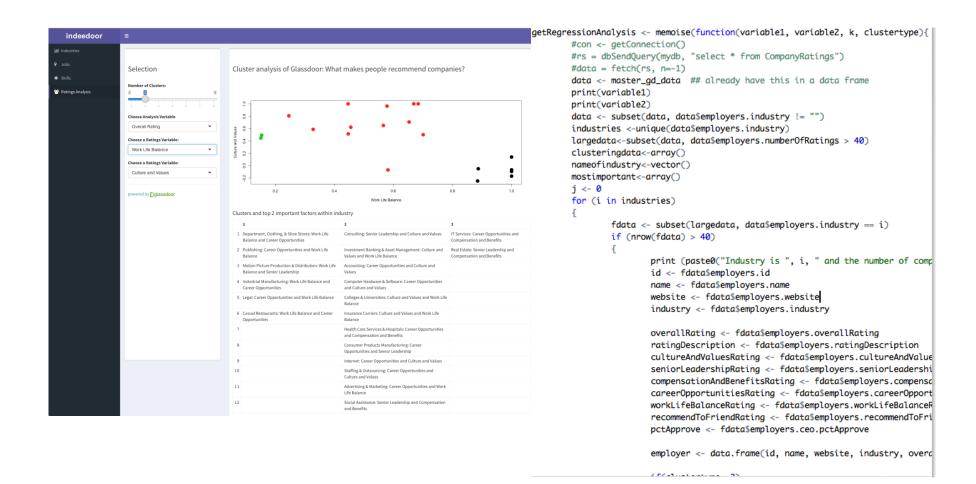
## Shiny code highlight – jobs map app

Dots on the map represent job postings and their locations from a search Indeed using query term "data scientist":

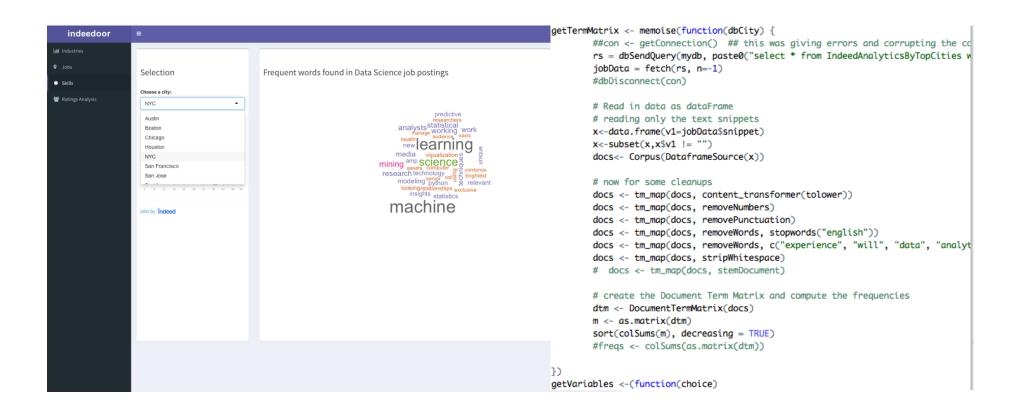
Please click on job location circle for more information for each job posting



### Regression: Screenshot and Code Snippet



### Skills: Screenshot and Code Snippet



# Text mining code

-Try using rvest() to scrape URLs from R. This is not successful, use import io to scrape. Merge and organize in old, faithful friend Excel.

-Use text mining tm() package in R to compile stop words and do word stemming. Code below

filterlistnew <- removeWords(filterlist, stopwords, c ("data", "hour", "federal", "within", "hagan", "yeeldr", "bank", "get", "we're", "ricci", "top", "ability", "like", "also", "skill", "working", "job", "trend", "new", "york", "ny", "company", "days", "work", "ago", "one", "opportunity", "experience", "scientist", "education", "city", "program", "state", "use", "capital", "apply", "etc", "contact", "equal", "public", "find", "ll", "employment", "post", "action", "title", "resume", "inc", "save", "times", "well", "forum", "require", "well", "terms", "cookie", "smart", "upload", "protect", "resumesemployer", "2015", "search", "keyword", "high", "responsibility", "zip", "jobsfind", "indeed", "privacy", "help", "sign", "indeed.com", "affirmative", "veteran", "review", "policy", "question", "email", "world", "disability", "including", "friend", "demonstrate", "student", "candidate", "us", "real", "knewton", "include", "view", "price", "employee", "background", "enstoa", "benefit", "status", "environment"))

filterlistnew <- wordStem(c ("machine", "learning", 'machine learning', "statistic", "statistics", 'statistics', "communicate", "communication", 'communication'))

# Leverage job postings to tailor your These ten "specific skills" that might be helpful to have on your resume resume

Ex: Proficiency in Python, SQL, Hadoop, Tableau, MapReduce

```
## Source: local data frame [10 x 3]
##
##
        Word Frequency
                                 Group
       python
                    11 specific skills
## 2
                    8 specific skills
           sql
## 3
     language
                    7 specific skills
## 4
       hadoop
                     7 specific skills
## 5 production
                    7 specific skills
     technique
                    7 specific skills
## 7
                     6 specific skills
          java
                    5 specific skills
## 8
    mapreduce
## 9
       cluster
                     4 specific skills
## 10
     tableau
                      4 specific skills
```

These six "coursework" words that might be helpful to include on your resume

Ex: Relevant <u>Engineering</u> coursework in: <u>statistics, mathematics, machine learning, algorithms, computer science</u>

```
## Source: local data frame [6 x 3]
##
             Word Frequency
                                        Group
## 1
         statistics
                       18 relevant coursework
## 2
        mathematics 17 relevant coursework
## 3 machine learning
                       15 relevant coursework
## 4
        algorithm
                       13 relevant coursework
## 5
         engineer 12 relevant coursework
## 6 computer science
                       6 relevant coursework
```

# Continued.... Rest of groups published on RPubs

These are the top "buzzwords" that might be helpful to have on your resume

Ex: Identify insights to benchmark digital knowledge through use of big data and advanced analytics

```
## Source: local data frame [16 x 3]
         Word Frequency
                          Group
## 1 analytics
                 16 buzzwords
## 2
    advanced
                   11 buzzwords
          build
                   9 buzzwords
    knowledge
## 4
                   9 buzzwords
      digital
                   8 buzzwords
## 6 quantitative 7 buzzwords
                   6 buzzwords
## 7
       research
                 6 buzzwords
## 8
       big data
## 9 investigate 5 buzzwords
## 10
       insight
                   5 buzzwords
## 11
       expert
                   5 buzzwords
## 12
     identify
                   5 buzzwords
## 13
     predict
                   5 buzzwords
## 14
                   4 buzzwords
       impact
## 15
     benchmark
                   4 buzzwords
## 16 understand
                   4 buzzwords
```

# Challenges and Next Steps

- Disparate, incomplete data
- Difficulty merging across jobs and companies datasets
  - Enhance company name matching
- Is Shiny the best tool?
- Generalize and scale application to support all types of jobs, not necessarily data science
- Add more data sources such as the BLS JOLT database for monthly job statistics
- Knock on the Glassdoor with our app....Indeed!

## Where to find our work

- <a href="http://www.indeedoor.com">http://www.indeedoor.com</a>
- <a href="https://github.com/jcp1016/edav-team-project/indeedoor">https://github.com/jcp1016/edav-team-project/indeedoor</a>
- http://rpubs.com/jadeemily/textmining
- http://rpubs.com/lucy/78463