# JAD ISTANBELLY

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## SKILLS AND ABILITIES

Programming Language: Applied knowledge of R, Academic knowledge of SQL

Concepts: Machine Learning, Statistical Analysis, Data Visualization, Data Cleaning/Preparation, Query search

System Software: RStudio, Microsoft Office (including Word, Excel, PowerPoint); Team-Dynamix (Ticketing System); DB Browser

**Hardware:** PC/Mac computer hardware including component assembly and functionality.

**Operating Systems:** Operational knowledge of Windows and MacOS Environments

**Cloud Storage Platforms:** Working knowledge of secure cloud storage platforms including Google Drive, Drobox, and OneDrive. **Customer Service:** Effectively help over 25 people a day in my role as a Help Desk Assistant, listen to concerns, address problems,

and achieve results

**Troubleshooting:** Analyzed customer's computer issues and assessed possible solutions to utilize and provide a trouble-free workspace

**Adaptable:** Adjusts quickly to new situations and learning opportunities, demonstrating resiliency and agility in grasping new knowledge and skills, utilized through my work as a Help Desk Assistant and End User Desktop Technologist

**Efficiency:** Balances completing tasks through prioritizing, organization, and good time management, shown through my position as Helpdesk Assistant where I had to efficiently assist clients on phone, email, and in-person.

# COURSE/PROJECT EXPERIENCE

https://jadistanbelly.github.io/

#### **Econometrics (Using R)**

# Saint Mary's University, Halifax

- Constructed and evaluated various regression models to find the best fit for the datasets
- Created hypothesis tests to determine common statistical problems such as Auto-correlation and Heteroskedasticity then implemented solutions to these issues
- Built a logistic regression model to classify top priced houses with the specificity and precision rate of 95%

# **Applied Machine Learning (Using R)**

## Saint Mary's University, Halifax

- Developed parameter grids to tune several Machine Learning models and find the top algorithm for each problem
- Assembled popular Machine Learning models such as Random Forest, KNN, Boosting, CART
- Designed charts using ggplot and base R to visualize and explain variable importance

## OTHER EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

## **EIT Help Desk Assistant**

## Saint Mary's University, Halifax

Oct. 2018 – Dec. 2021

- Communicated with over 25 customers a day by phone, email and in person, helping students and staff with technology issues on campus using troubleshooting skills to ensure customer satisfaction
- Performed basic reception duties such as greeting customers, transferring calls, and guiding lost customers around campus, maintaining smooth office operations
- Created and updated Knowledge Base articles to help streamline IT solutions in a clear and methodical manner for clients to follow
- Documented all support interactions and troubleshooting on TeamDynamix for tier 2 support and future reference.
- Evaluated then assigned appropriate service requests to the responsible teams ensuring detailed and clear tickets for quick remediation on TeamDynamix

#### **End User Desktop Support Technologist**

## Saint Mary's University, Halifax

June – August 2019

- Explained then closed service tickets and managed inventory of technological assets on campus using Team-Dynamix.
- Connected with end users by person, phone, and email, solved Tier 2 technological issues staff and faculty had raised on campus using technical solutions in a user-friendly and professional manner to ensure customer satisfaction.
- Participated in The Evergreen Program, deployed new assets and recycled older assets from end users through appointments over the phone and email
- Repaired hardware issues on computers replacing any broken parts and coordinating warranty calls through email
- Presented various suggestions to management to help increase workflow and efficiency between Tier 1 and Tier 2 support

## **EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of Commerce -** Business- Finance & Economics Saint Mary's University, Halifax, Nova Scotia