

# Brainstorm & idea prioritization

Use this template in your own brainstorming sessions so your team can unleash their imagination and start shaping concepts even if you're not sitting in the same room.

- **10 minutes** to prepare
- 1 hour to collaborate
- **2-8 people** recommended

## ideation phase

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Title	intellegent admissions:the future of university decision making with machine learning



# Before you collaborate

A little bit of preparation goes a long way with this session. Here's what you need to do to get going.

① 10 minutes

### **Team gathering**

Set the goal

Define who should participate in the session and send an invite. Share relevant information or pre-work ahead.

#### Think about the problem you'll be focusing on solving in the brainstorming session.

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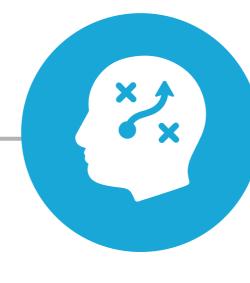
# Define your problem statement

What problem are you trying to solve? Frame your problem as a How Might We statement. This will be the focus of your brainstorm.

#### ① 5 minutes

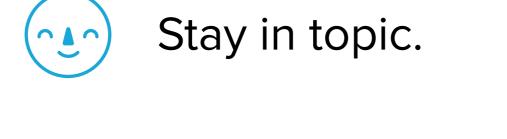
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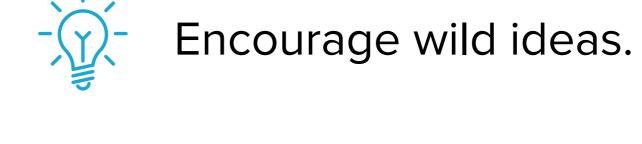
One potential application of machine learning in university admissions could be to develop predictive models that can help universities identify the most suitable candidates for admission



# Key rules of brainstorming

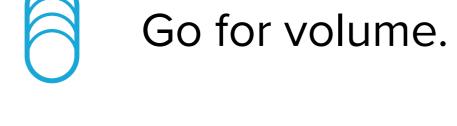
To run an smooth and productive session















# Brainstorm

Write down any ideas that come to mind that address your problem statement.

① 10 minutes

You can select a sticky note and hit the pencil [switch to sketch] icon to start drawing!

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Predictive Analytics	Natural Language Processing (NLP)	Student Retention:	Automated Interviewing	Diversity and Inclusion	Resource Allocation	Recommender Systems	Early Warning Systems
Personalized Learning	Automated Decision Making	Social Media Analysis	Applicant Screening	Collaborative Filtering	Alumni Networks	Virtual Advisors	Dynamic Pricing



# Group ideas

Take turns sharing your ideas while clustering similar or related notes as you go. Once all sticky notes have been grouped, give each cluster a sentence-like label. If a cluster is bigger than six sticky notes, try and see if you and break it up into smaller sub-groups.

① 20 minutes

Develop predictive models that can analyze past admissions data and identify patterns that are predictive of academic success. These models could be used to identify the most promising candidates for admission.

Use machine learning algorithms to screen applications for completeness and eligibility. These algorithms could identify common errors and inconsistencies in applications, and flag them for further review.

Use machine learning
algorithms to provide
personalized recommendations
to applicants based on their
interests, academic
background, and career goals.
This could help applicants
make more informed decisions
about which programs to apply
to and which courses to take.

Use machine learning
algorithms to help
universities make data-driven
decisions about admissions
policies and procedures. For
example, algorithms could
analyze the effectiveness of
different outreach programs
and identify areas for
improvement.

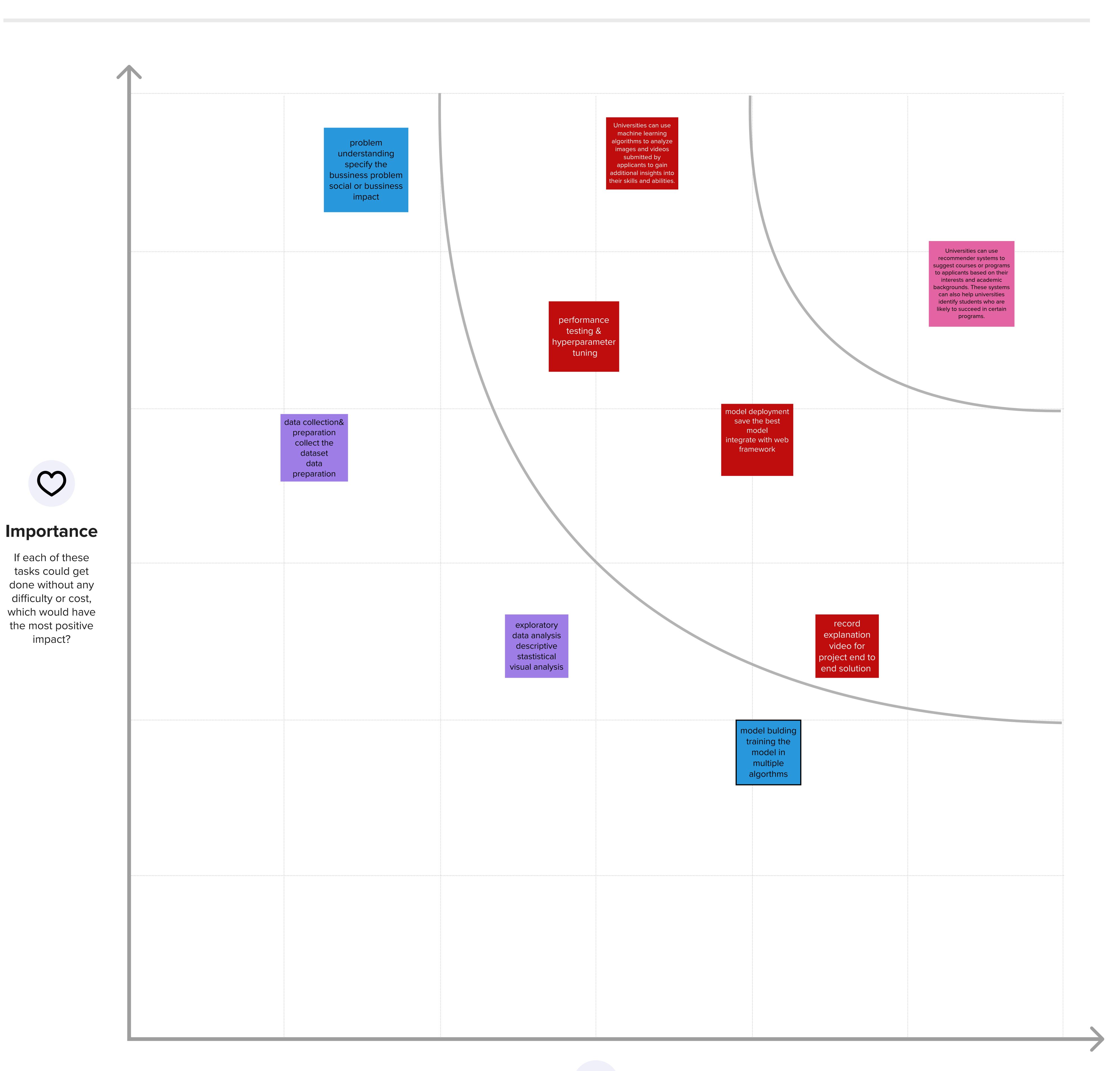
Use machine learning algorithms to help universities achieve diversity and inclusion goals. For example, algorithms could be used to identify candidates from underrepresented groups who have the potential to succeed academically, but may not have the same opportunities as other applicants.



# Prioritize

Your team should all be on the same page about what's important moving forward. Place your ideas on this grid to determine which ideas are important and which are feasible.

① 20 minutes





# **Feasibility**

Regardless of their importance, which tasks are more feasible than others? (Cost, time, effort, complexity, etc.)



# After you collaborate

You can export the mural as an image or pdf to share with members of your company who might find it helpful.

#### Quick add-ons

# Share the mural

**Share a view link** to the mural with stakeholders to keep them in the loop about the outcomes of the session.

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#### **Export the mural**

Export a copy of the mural as a PNG or PDF to attach to emails, include in slides, or save in your drive.

### Keep moving forward



#### Strategy blueprint

Define the components of a new idea or strategy.

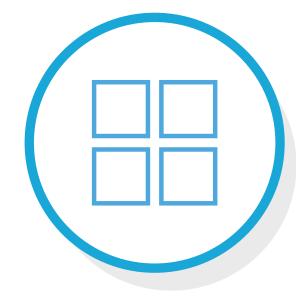
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#### Customer experience journey map

Understand customer needs, motivations, and obstacles for an experience.

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# Strengths, weaknesses, opportunities & threats

Identify strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats (SWOT) to develop a plan.

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