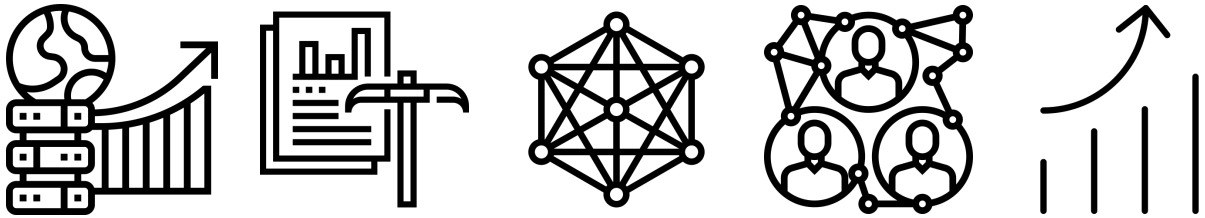

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Announcements—June 11, 2019

- **Class Theory Test #02**
  - June 18, 2019
  - Classroom #03, Department of Computer Science
  - 17H40 GMT+2
- **Continuous Assessment Scores**
  - Verify scores once entire scores are computed
  - Continuous assessment to be computed after Class Theory Test #02

Paper Reading Schedule (1/2)

#	Time	Student Name	Paper
1.	18:00–18:10	John Daka	Using Data Mining For Bank Direct Marketing
2.	18:10–18:20	Inonge Lamaswala	A Study of Some Data Mining Classification Techniques
3.	18:20–18:30	Mubanga Mubanga	A Novel Position-based Sentiment Classification Algorithm for Facebook Comments
4.	18:30–18:40	Nonde Mukuma	Speeding up Support Vector Machines
5.	18:40–18:50	David Mulenga	Mining Educational Data to Analyze Students' Performance

Paper Reading Schedule (1/2)

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6.	18:50–19:00	Memory Mumbi	Application of Fuzzy C-Means Clustering Algorithm
7.	19:00–19:10	Kaumba Mutende	Data Mining for Fraud Detection
8.	19:10–19:20	Justin Nongola	Educational Data Mining & Students' Performance Prediction
9.	19:20–19:30	Anthony Sampa	Tiger Population Growth Prediction
10.	19:30–19:40	Tasha Shamane	A System to Filter Unwanted Messages from OSN User Walls
11.	19:40–19:50	Mweemba Sikuyuba	Educational Data Mining Rule based Recommender Systems

“Some” Important Things to Pay Attention to

- **Relevance to focus**
- **Publication Venues**
- **Year of Publication**
- **Publication Venue and Paper Repulation**
  - (i) Journal impact factor; (ii) Frequency of publication
  - Confirm if publication venue is not on any publicly available “watch lists”—e.g. Bell’s List of Predatory Journals and Publishers

Beware of Predatory Journals

How to identify a predatory journal/publisher

- Online journal
- ‘Aggressive’ solicitation
- Request to submit identified as **Spam**
- Obscure title, publisher, source
- No journal impact factor*
- Listed on the ‘BEALL’ website

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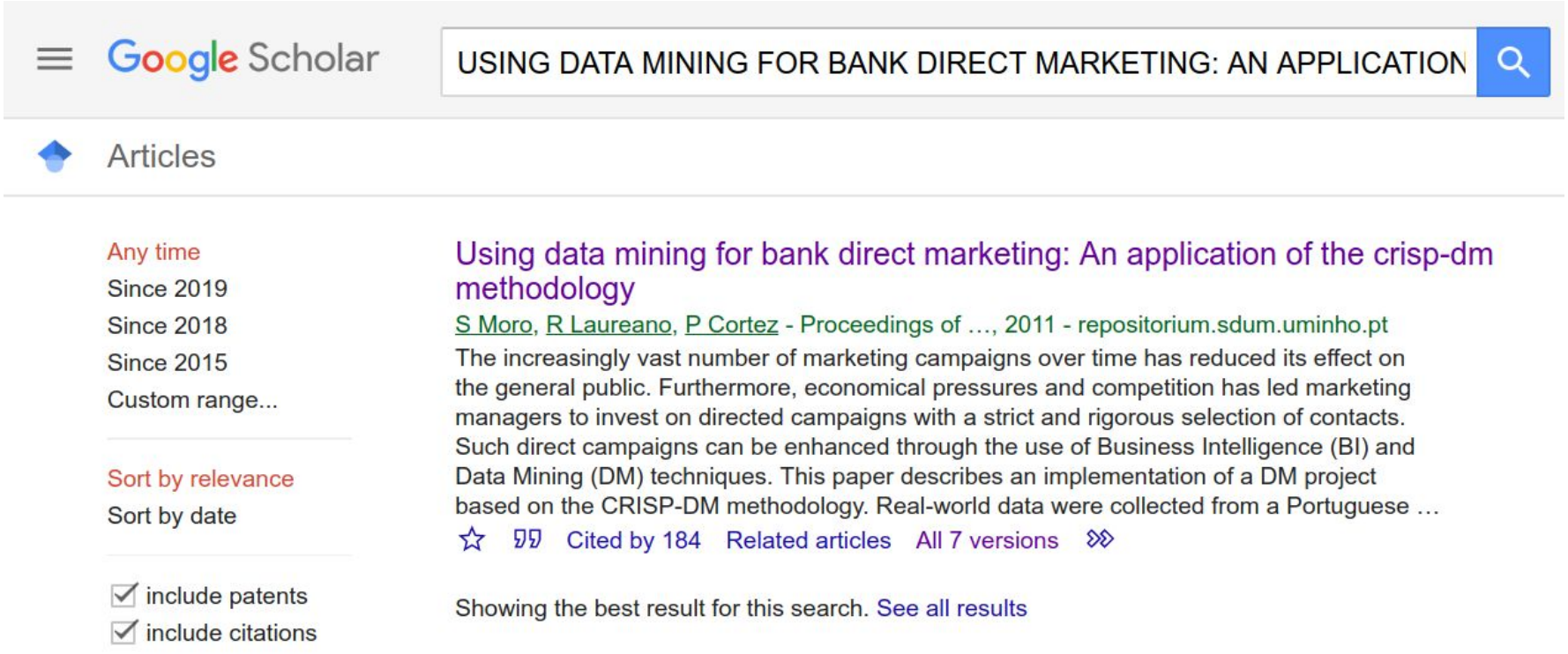

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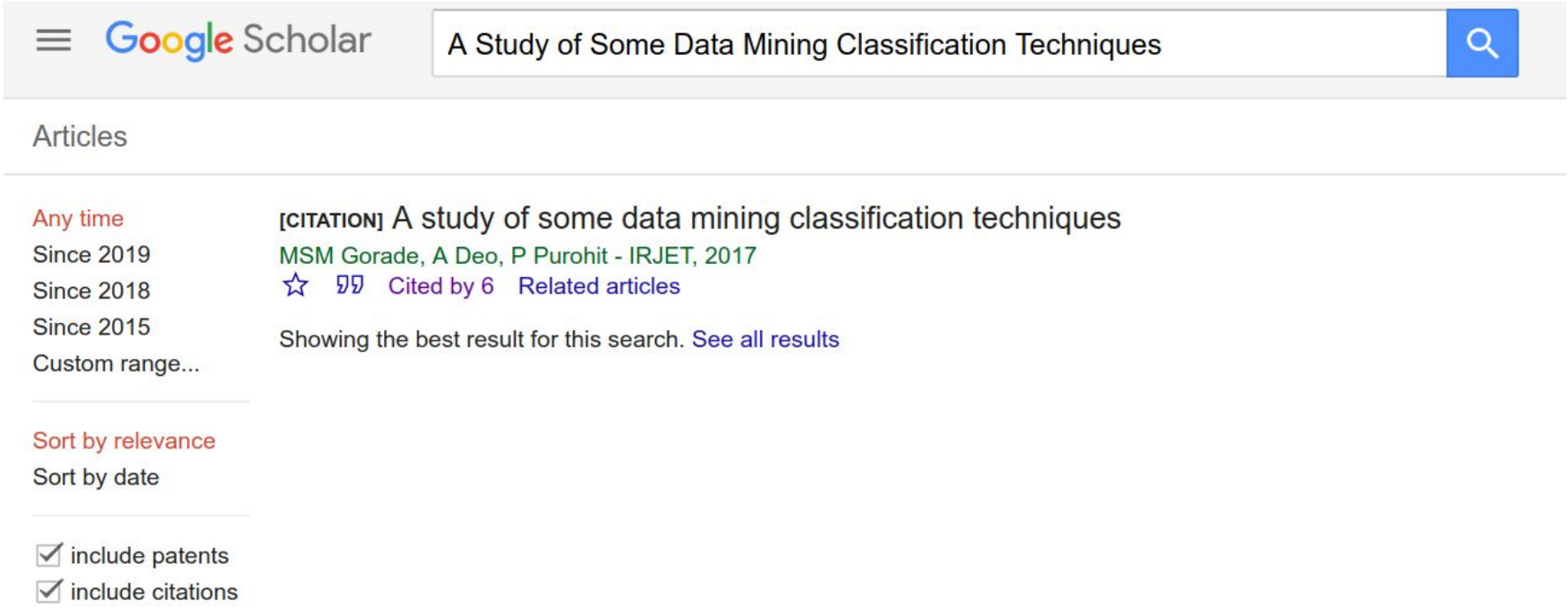

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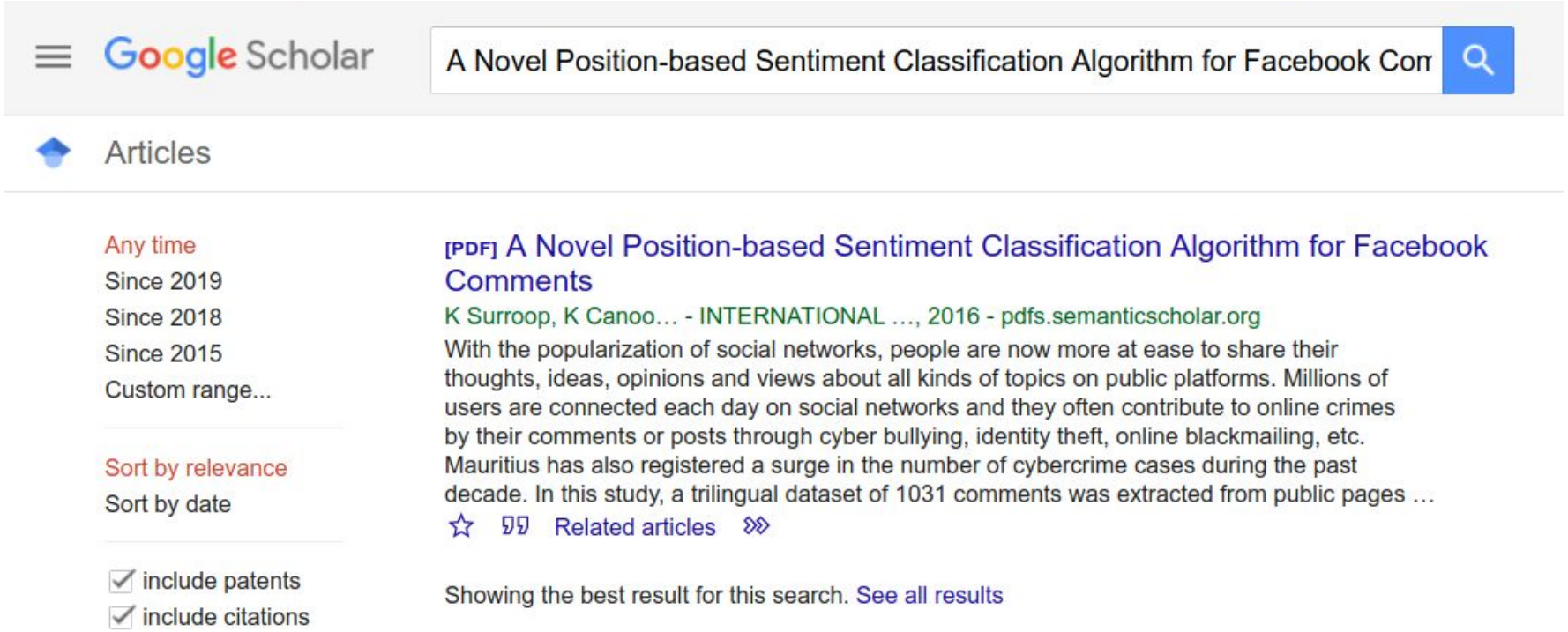

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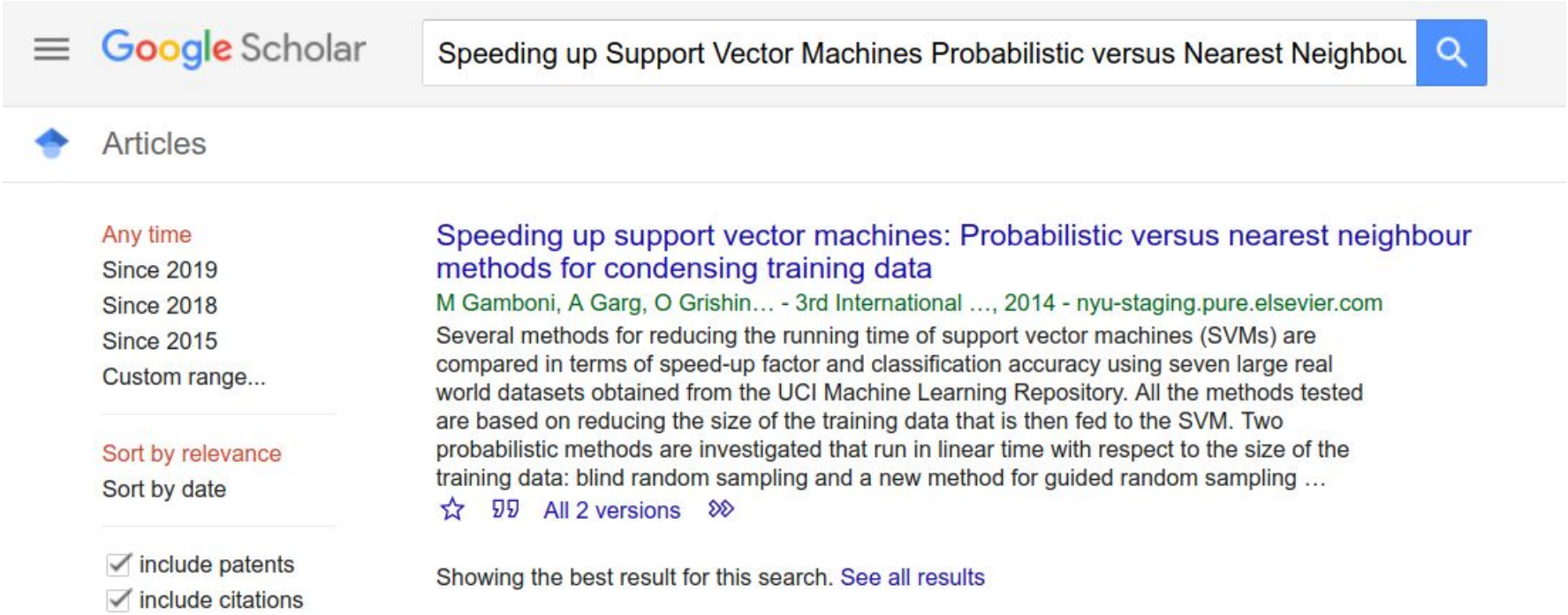

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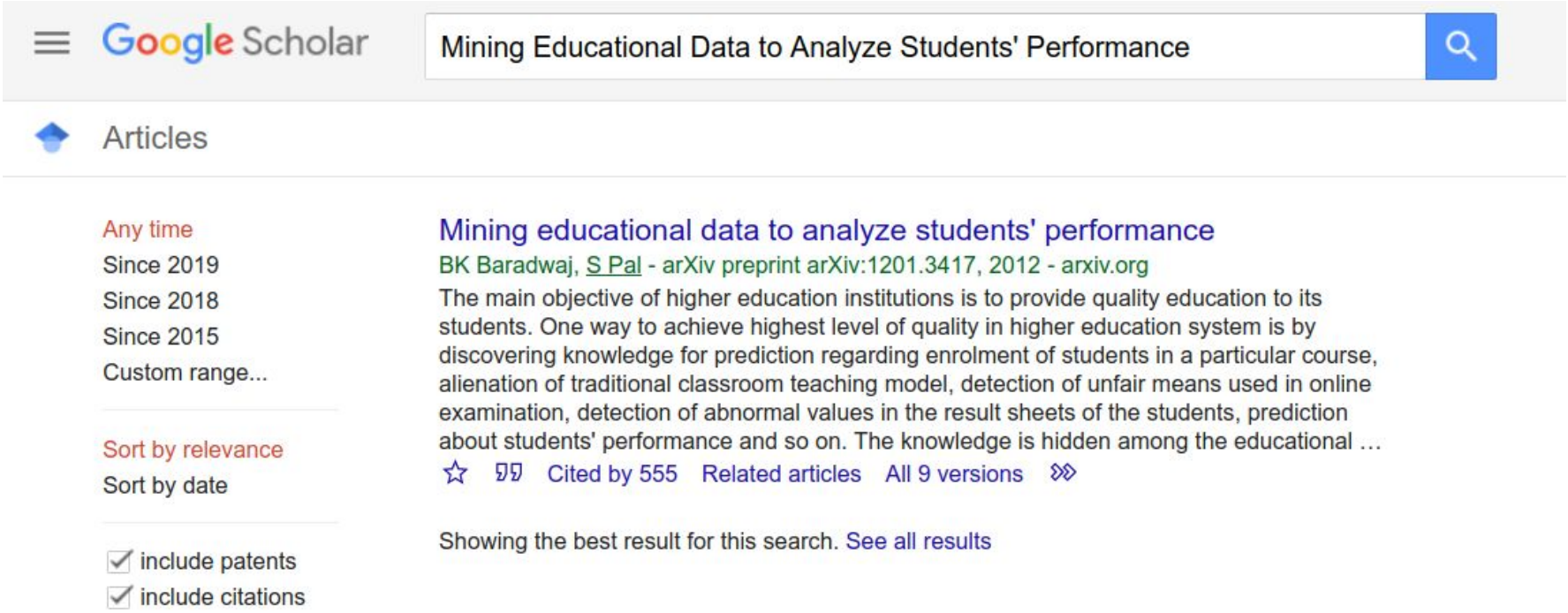

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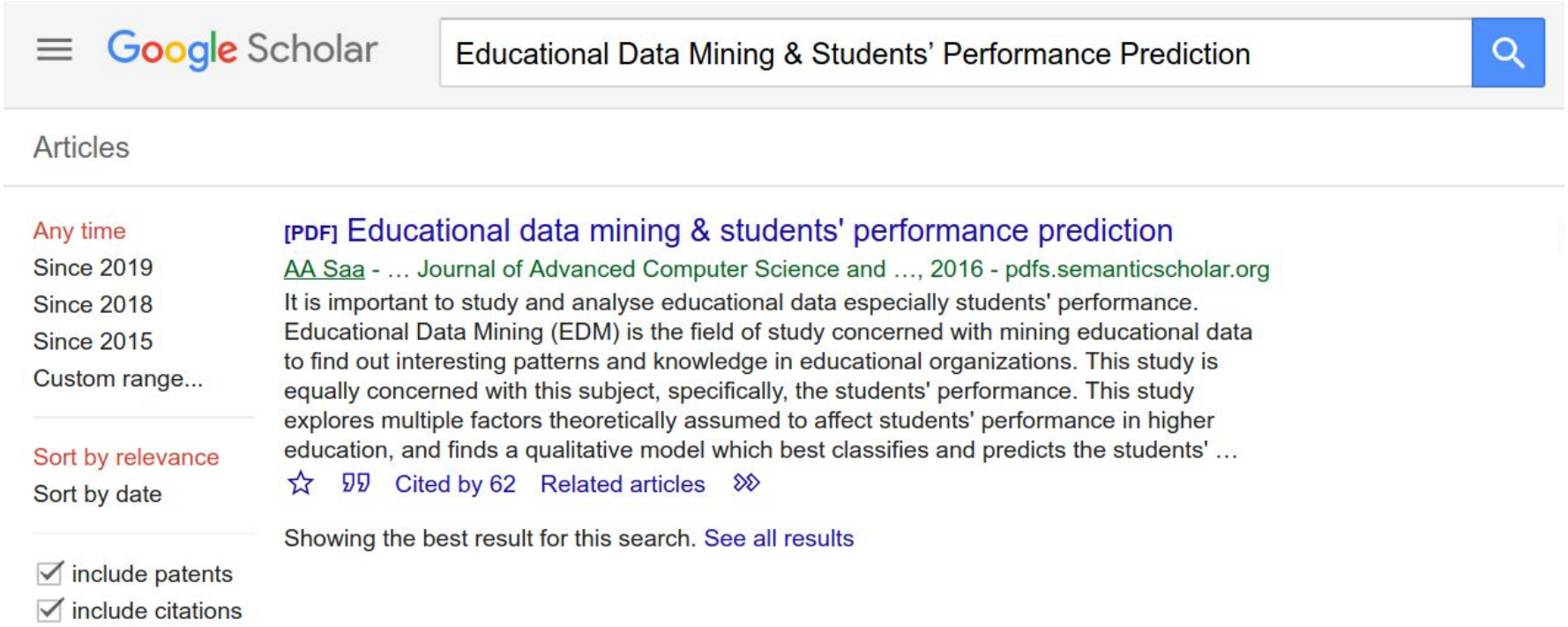

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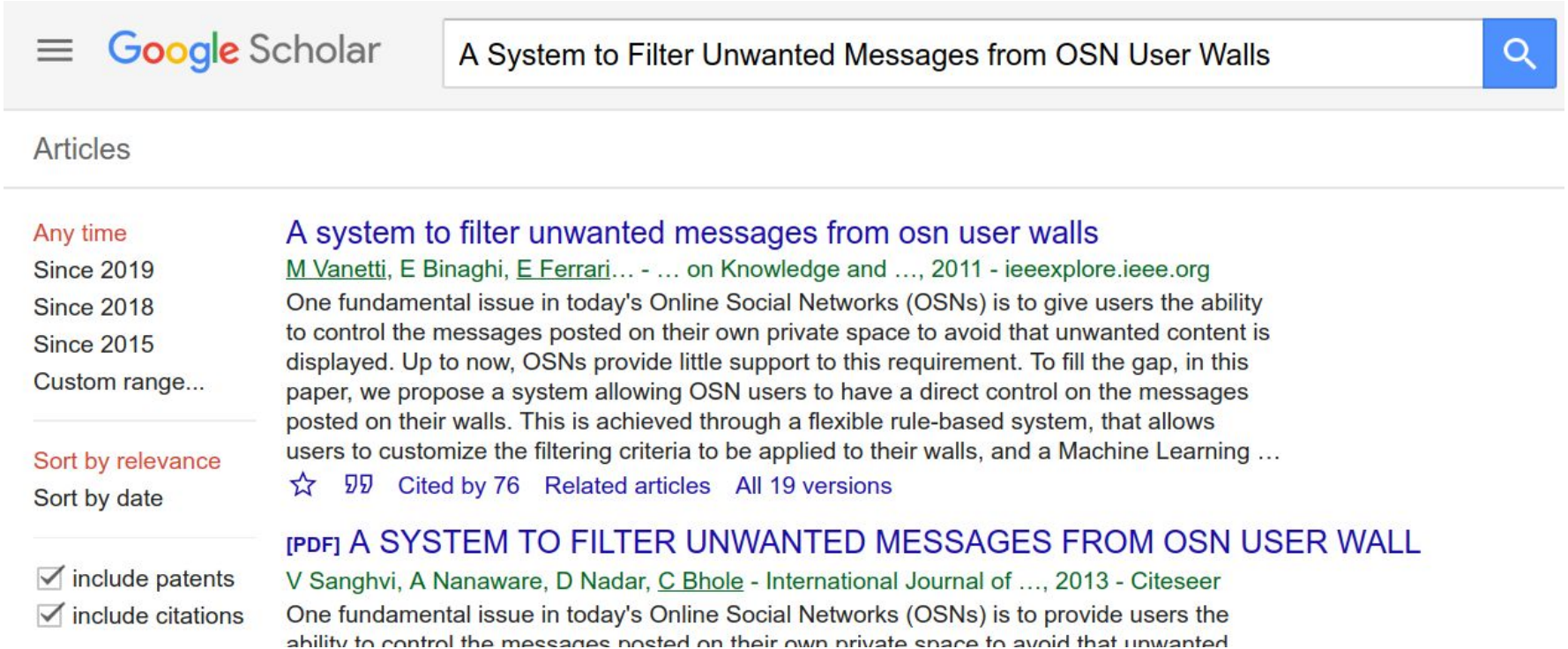

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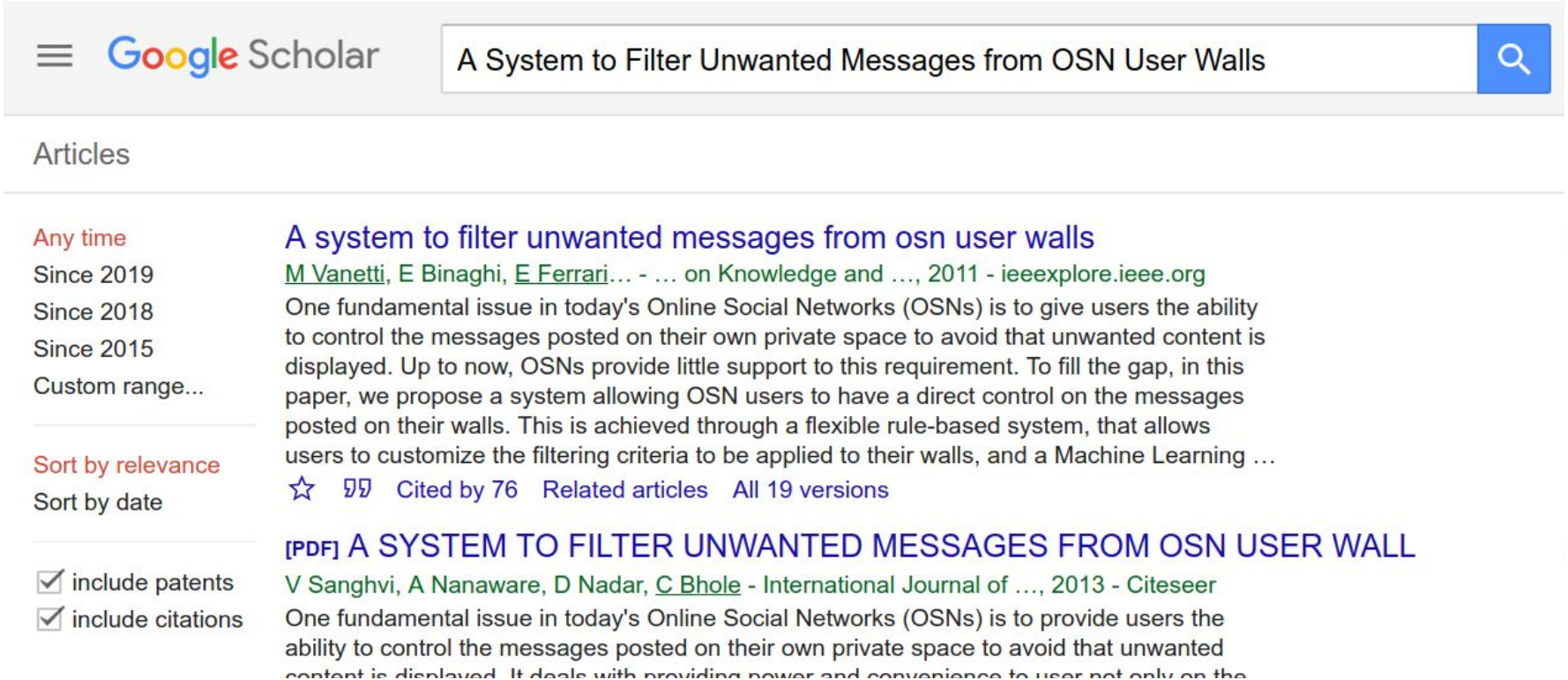

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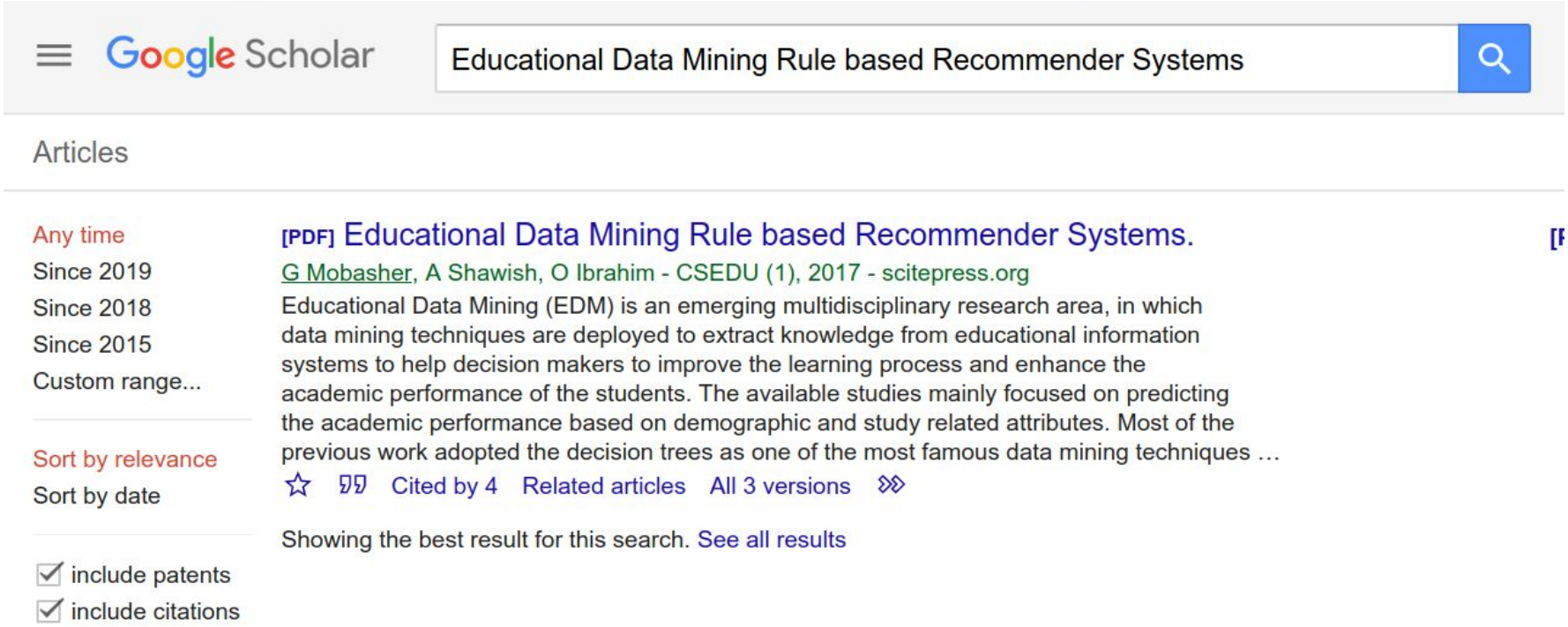

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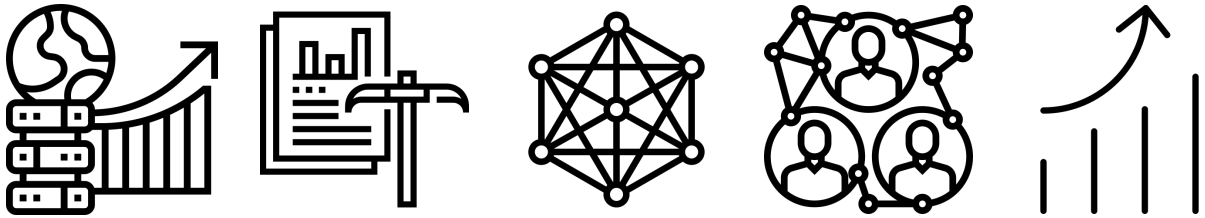

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