DSC478: Tentative Schedule

DATE	TOPIC	ASSIGNMENTS
Week 1,	 Syllabus, Goals & Overview of the course 	Hm.0 assigned
1/8	 Overview of Machine Learning 	
	 Data Preparation & Preprocessing 	
Week 2,	 Understanding Characteristics of Data 	Hm.0 is due
1/15	 More on Data Analysis & Visualization in Python 	
Week 3, 1/22	Measures of Proximity	Hm.1 is assigned
	 k-Nearest-Neighbor Algorithms 	
Week 4, 1/29	 Classification & Regression 	Hm. 1 is due
	Text Categorization	
Week 5, 2/5	 Classification (Continued) 	Hm. 2 is assigned
	 Personalization & Recommender Systems 	Final Project Proposal Due
Week 6,	Regression Analysis	Hm. 2 is due
2/12	 Model Selection & Optimization 	
Week 7,	Clustering	Hm. 3 is assigned
2/19	 Principal Component Analysis 	
Week 8, 2/26	 Singular Value Decomposition 	Hm. 3 is due
	Matrix Factorization	
Week 9, 3/5	Association Rule Mining	Hm. 4 is assigned
	Ensemble Methods	
Week 10, 3/12	Industry Guest Speaker	Hm. 4 is due
	 Course Highlights / Summary 	
Week 11,	Final Project Submissions	Project Due
3/19	**Do Not Meet in Class**	