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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Incoming Data Scientist Co-op @ Oracle | West Conshohocken, PA

September 2023 - Present June – September 2023

Software Development Engineer Intern @ Amazon | Sunnyvale, CA

- Created a JIRA-enhancing tool to optimize task automation and workflow efficiency. The product is currently in use, contributing to improved efficiency in project management and communication within the organization. Utilized AWS DynamoDB for data transformation, harnessed AWS EventBridge, Lambda, and SES for automation. Employed Java for backend development, MVC with JSP for front end, and Coral Services for API integration.
- Developed new functions for existing packages and seamlessly integrated them into Native AWS products using Java and AWS external/internal tools.

Data Scientist Intern @ Intermountain Health | Salt Lake City, Utah

January - March 2023

- Developed AI/ML recommendation system for clinical/supply chain staff for Doctor Preference Cards (DPC) decision-making process based on analysis of complex data sets of over 55,000 DPC using statistical functions, PySpark, and SQL, preventing a potential \$13.65M yearly loss of surgical savings.
- Provided executive-level, data-driven insights and visualizations that replace Tableau by implementing a more effective analytic application.
- Designed baseline ML models to predict optimal physician DPC supplies purchase for perioperative procedures, expected to result in savings of \$7M/year by reducing surgical supply spending, optimizing working capital, and reducing inventory spoilage.

Research Assistant @ Rezapour Lab Drexel University | Philadelphia, PA

June 2022 - Present

- Conducted data collection and analysis on social media to extract and investigate unstructured user-generated content, utilizing natural language processing ML models to classify characteristics of drug-related discussions for the baseline of an AI chatbot.
- Conducted in-depth research and analysis on computational social science, focusing on evaluating moral values in texts, optimism/pessimism detection, and methods for maintaining a positive sentiment in online communities.

Data Analyst Intern @ Vietnam Ministry of Health - Nanocovax Vaccine (Phase II and III) | Hanoi, Vietnam

- Imported and pre-processed biological data of 13,000 participants into a SQL database and performed ETL process and exploratory data.
- Designed machine learning models to predict the hospital length of stay (LOS) during COVID-19 based on pre-admission features in different hospitals and to predict the total number of cases by day in Vietnam based on previous data in multiple regions.
- The LOS prediction model achieved 85% accuracy during pandemic's peak period, assisting in changing hospital structure and management system, resulting in a decrease in healthcare-associated infection rate by 63% and an increase in hospital profit by 78% over 3 months.

Intern @ Vinmec International Hospital | Hanoi, Vietnam

June – September 2020

- Devised deployment plan of Vinmec online pharmacy service. Worked as project manager and collaborated with 3+ application/website developers.
- Analyzed data on customers' behavior and the sales between the traditional and online pharmacies in two months using NumPy and Pandas and visualized the result using Tableau, resulting in an increase in sales of 125% compared to before the campaign.

Math Tutor @ Tutorful | Birmingham, U.K.

December 2018 - December 2021

Delivered 3000+ hours of tailored mathematics instruction to multiple levels, including KS3, GCSE, A-Level, and other qualifications.

LEADERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

Founder @ Drexel Association for Data Science | Philadelphia, PA

February 2023 - Present

Collaborated with fellow co-founders to establish the association's vision, mission, and goals, and developed a strategic plan. Actively engaged in networking with professors, mentors, and business partners to establish meaningful relationships and foster collaborative opportunities for members.

Senior CCI Dean's Ambassador @ Drexel University | Philadelphia, PA

Exemplified student leadership and community-building skills, representing Drexel University and advocating for student body to various stakeholders (students, parents, partner schools, VIP guests, etc.). Developing valuable skills in public speaking, networking, marketing, and communications.

President @ Vietnamese Society of University of Birmingham | U.K.

2019 - 2021

Competitions Sub-committee and International Representative @ British Pharmaceutical Students' Association | U.K.

2019 - 2021

EDUCATION

Drexel University, GPA: 4.0/4.0, Dean's List

January 2022 – September 2024

- GHC 23 Scholar, Anthony J. Drexel Merit Scholarship, Day Alumni Fund B.S. in Data Science; minor in Computer Science Teaching Assistant (20 hrs/week) for Data Science Programming (INFO 212) and Database Management Systems (INFO 210)

September 2018 – June 2021

University of Birmingham, GPA: 4.0/4.0, First-Class Honors

Bachelor of Pharmacy (finished 3 out of 4 years)

International Scholarship Award (Highest Scholarship)

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Fake News Detection – Text-Processing and Natural Language Processing

- Led a team of four to develop an efficient NLP model to predict the authenticity of 72,134 online news articles.
- Performed text preprocessing such as removing noise, tokenization, lemmatization, performing TF-IDF, etc.
- Examined seven Neural Network models (with Long Short-Term Memory) achieved the highest accuracy (94.51%) and F1 (94.71%) scores.

Brain Tumor Detection from MRI Images – Image-processing and Deep Learning

- Developed deep learning models for brain tumor detection using MRI images by employing MLP, CNN, VGG16, EfficientNet B2, and InceptionV3 models. Achieved the best performance using InceptionV3 with an F1 score of 93.55% and an accuracy score of 94.74%.
- Performed pre-processing using data generators for image processing and augmentation with the ImageDataGenerator.

Credit Card Default Classification - Data Mining and Machine Learning

- Performed EDA to visualize/investigate the dataset, and built classification models using Scikit-learn, PyTorch, and Matplotlib.
- Improved the F1 score of a simple Logistic Regression from 0% to 54.62% with an accuracy of 80.33% by tuning the decision threshold and other hyperparameters of the Extreme Gradient Boosting (XGBoost) model.

Salary Prediction - Regression Prediction

- Mined and cleaned data from over 1 million records using SparkML and SparkSQL following the ETL process and Label Encoding method.
- Built and trained 5 regression machine learning models to predict the salary to find the best-predicted salary model based on backgrounds by comparing RMSE and R-squared scores. The model with the best scores has an R-squared of 74.88%.

RELEVANT COURSEWORK AND SKILLS

Python, SQL, R, Java, C, Dart, MVC, Microsoft Excel, Tableau, Algorithms and Data Structures, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Big Data, Statistical Data Analysis, Hypothesis Testing, Database Management Systems, Data Visualization, System Design, Linear Algebra, Web Development