

# Rajesh Giri

Available for full-time roles starting Aug'22

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Ameritas Holding Company** | Data Science Consultant | Cincinnati, Ohio (Part-Time)

Aug'21 – Feb'22

Customer Segmentation – Retirement LoB

- Performed **Exploratory Data Analysis** in **Python** to deliver descriptive statistics on **5000+ companies**
- Created comprehensive customer profiles by implementing a **K Means Clustering** model (using **Elbow** method) in **Dataiku** to establish customized marketing strategies, obtained a **Silhouette score of 0.64**
- Recommended course of actions for improving sales, contributed to **13%** increase in monthly sales

**Aditya Birla Capital** | Deputy Manager – Product Analytics | Mumbai, India

Nov '18 - Aug'21

- Performed quantitative analytics on mutual fund products worth **\$33 Bn.**, contributed to developing business strategies
- Implemented a **multi-label classification** model in **AWS SageMaker** to identify cross selling opportunities, contributing to **27% increase** in quarterly net sales
- Managed **A/B testing** on scheme landing page, contributing to increase in annual SIP sales worth **\$12 Mn.**
- Extracted and analyzed industry data in **AWS Athena**, built dashboards in **Power BI** to track competition funds that aided top management for strategic decision making
- Implemented a quantitative portfolio management strategy using **ARIMA** model for stock price prediction to build diversified portfolios for optimal performance

**Edelweiss Financial Services** | Risk Analyst | Mumbai, India

Jun '16 - Nov '18

- Generated **Portfolio Risk Report** for proprietary trades across different asset classes, evaluated risk parameters
- Automated risk reporting process using **Python**, reduced turnaround time by **~40%**
- Built a **credit scoring model** based on **LGBM Classifier** to forecast credit defaults for unsecured lending business, leveraged **SMOTE** technique to process imbalanced data
- Fetches data using **SQL**, performed data wrangling in **Python** to create a visual report in **Tableau** at a weekly basis that successfully helped driving business strategies
- Developed a **Stress Testing** Tool leveraging **SQL** and **Python** to gauge portfolio risk in extreme market movements scenarios
- Built an **Excel** based tool which assisted in product approvals by estimating risk parameters for new products

## SKILLS

- Analytical Skills:** A/B testing, Hypothesis Testing, Chi-Square, Regression Models, Probabilistic Models (Logistic, Naïve Bayes), KNN, ARIMA, Decision Trees, Random Forest, Boosting algorithms, , Data Visualization, Data Management, Facebook Prophet
- Tools and Programming:** Python, R, SQL, Tableau, Power BI, C++, MS Excel, VBA Macros

## ACADEMIC PROJECTS

- Employee Attrition Prediction** – Predicted attrition on an insurance company database by building bagging and boosting in **Python**. Analyzed **SHAP** values and performed hyperparameter tuning for the best performing model i.e. **XG Boost**.
- Bike Sharing Demand** – Forecasted the bike rental demand of Bike sharing program in Washington, D.C. based on historical usage patterns using **Random Forest Regressor Model** in **Python**
- Portfolio Optimization Model** - Implemented **Markowitz Mean Variance Optimization** model in **Python** for a sample portfolio of four stocks and constructed an **Efficient Frontier**
- Daily COVID-19 Cases Forecasting:** Forecasted the number of new COVID-19 cases in the US using **ARIMA** and **Facebook Prophet**

## EDUCATION

**University of Cincinnati, Carl H. Lindner College of Business**

Cincinnati, Ohio

Master of Science, Business Analytics | GPA: 4.0

Aug'21- Aug'22

**Pune University**

Pune, India

Bachelor in Electronics & Telecommunications Engineering

Jul'12 - Jun'16

## HONORS & ACTIVITIES

- Awarded **CEO Quarterly Award** thrice in tenure at Aditya Birla Capital
- Appointed as College **Sports Secretary** for academic year 2014-15 and organized multiple sporting events
- Finalist** in **John Deere Techno Champ** 2015, a national level contest. Developed a mobile app to detect seeder blockages