# RAHUL CHOWDHURY

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#### **EDUCATION**

**University of Colorado Boulder** 

May 2019

Master of Science - Computer Science with Data Science and Engineering Sub plan

GPA: 3.32/4.0

Relevant Courses: Machine Learning, Statistical Methods, Statistical Collaboration, Database Systems

**Vellore Institute of Technology** 

May 2017

Bachelor of Technology - Computer Science and Engineering

GPA: 8.57/10

Relevant Courses: Data Structures and Algorithms, Data Mining and Warehousing, Object Oriented Paradigm and

Programming, Applied Probability and Statistics

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Programming Languages: Python, R, Java, MySQL, JavaScript, PHP

Frameworks & Software: TensorFlow, Keras, Git Version Control, Amazon Web Services, Hadoop, Map Reduce, Flask,

Pandas, Numpy, Anaconda, Google Analytics, Google Home and Alexa API Developer Console

Programming Environments: Linux, MacOS, Windows

**WORK EXPERIENCE** 

#### LISA – Applied Math Department - CU Boulder, CO Statistical Collaborator

Aug 18 - Ongoing

- Collaborated with domain experts from interdisciplinary fields to infer meaningful insights with data science/statistics.
- Trained with required skills to communicate and present results to statistical concepts and inferences to non-statisticians.

### CenturyLink – Denver, CO

# **Software Engineering and Data Science Intern**

May 2018 – Aug 2018

- Developed a Python framework to log data from the Digital Home Application using the Google Analytics API.
- Utilized the Elasticsearch, Logstash and Kibana stack to create data visualizations for the software engineering team.
- Embedded Google Analytics API to the Digital Home Application backed to log data for further data science/analytics.
- Used Vert.x Java library to connect the Digital Home Application to the Amazon Alexa API.

# CU Boulder – Computer Science – CU Boulder, CO

**Student Assistant** 

Aug 2017 - Dec 2017

- Develop class demonstrations and examples of Data Mining using Python in Jupyter Notebook.
- Mentor students for the various Data Mining projects undertaken by them during the semester.

### Edmingle Learning Management Systems - Chennai, India

**Data Science Intern** 

Dec 2014 - May 2015

- Conceptualized a course recommendation system used by various small schools and private tutors in Southern India.
- Used sophisticated Data Mining algorithms such as Apriori Rule Mining for generating frequent course itemsets.
- Used K-Means algorithm to cluster similar courses and student profiles and recommend the next course accordingly.

#### Google Developers Group – Vellore, India

#### **Senior Developer**

June 2014 - Sep 2015

• Developed a web platform called Admin Panel to help manage VIT University's various student clubs and chapters to manage their daily tasks, events and meetings in a hassle-free manner.

#### **PROJECTS**

#### **CLI Interface for Cassandra Database**

Fall 2017

• Developed a CLI (command line interface) for handling simple queries such as showing, listing and using keyspaces on the Cassandra database.

## **GRDB – Open Source Graph Database**

Fall 2017

- GRDB is an open source graph database developed at CU Boulder under the supervision of Professor Frank Miller.
- Implemented Dijkstra's algorithm on GRDB to find shortest distance between two nodes in the given graph.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### A Classification Model to Analyse the Spread and Emerging Trends of the Zika Virus in Twitter

ICCIDM Springer - 2016

Using Ensemble Learning and Association Rules to Help Car Buyers Make Informed Choices

BDAW - ACM 2016

#### **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

# **Emotional Quotient (EQ) Training, University of Colorado Boulder**

Fall 2017

Certified in EQ workshop focussed on understanding emotional awareness, conflict resolution and decision making.

Bridges International at University of Colorado Boulder – Student Leader

Fall 2017

Organized meetings and workshops for Bridges International, an organization working with international students.