Gendered Job Postings

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Motivation and Data

Questions Explored

- What percentage have gender pronouns in the job posting?
- How are gendered job postings distributed across the USA?
- What are the most common roles in tech that have gendered job postings?
- Out of the gendered words/phrases, which are the most common?
- Find the correlation between phrase usage and location (are certain phrases being used more based on the origin of the company/where posting is coming from)

Data: ~21k Tech Industry Job Postings

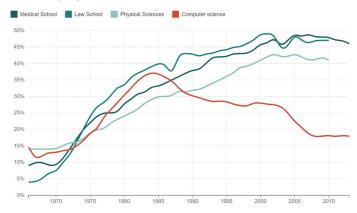
- Glassdoor, Dice, Indeed, Monster

Evidence That Gendered Wording in Job Advertisements Exists and Sustains Gender Inequality

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What Happened To Women In Computer Science?

of Women Majors, By Field



Source: National Science Foundation, American Bar Association, American Association of Medical Colleges Credit: Quoctrung Bui/NPR



Approach





Web Scraping (Selenium + Beautiful Soup



Data Cleaning (PySpark)



Data Analysis (Pandas + NLTK)



Data Visualization (Jupyter Notebooks)



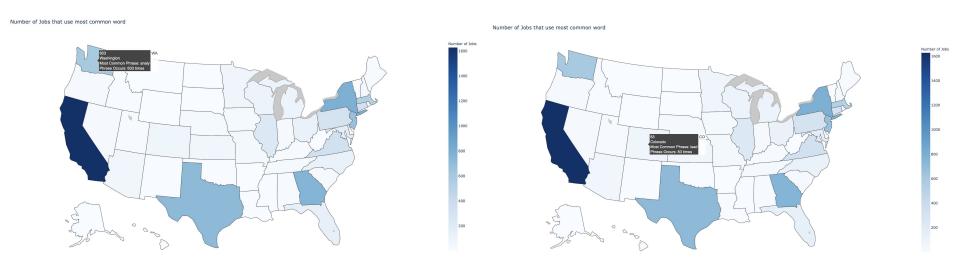
Visualizations and Results

- Wrote an algorithm that found all the jobs that had descriptions that used words/phrases from our list
- Used NLTK to retrieve any stems from our master list of phrases and searched for those stems in the job descriptions
- We wanted to derive the stems from the job descriptions as well to determine which ones appear most by state without any main list restricting us
 - Instead of using our master list, we generate our own and determine if the word was masculine or not



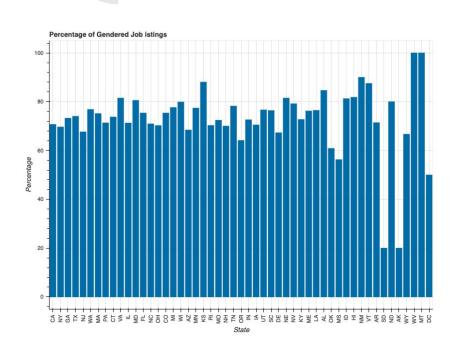


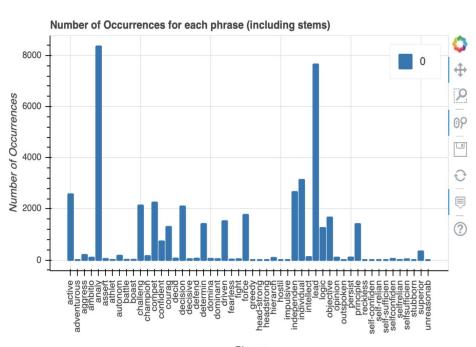
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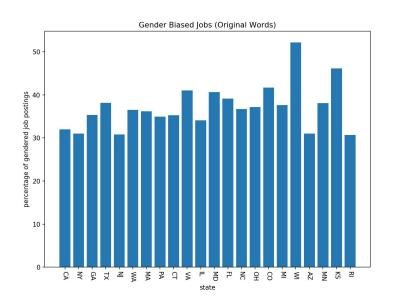


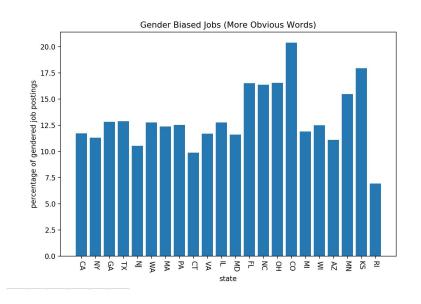






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Q&A

