Introduction

This is a capstone project for IBM Applied data science specialization. In this project a situation is thought about wherein there may be insufficient number of gyms in Toronto. Potential gym operators would care about this problem as this may be a lucrative opportunity for gym operators who may wish to open their gyms in Toronto, due to a shortage of gyms in some locations which may negatively affect the fitness schedule of a lot of city residents, therefore finding appropriate location for opening a gym is quite important, and with this objective in mind, this project has been designed to help potential gym operators identify the most suitable areas.

BUSINESS PROBLEM

The aim of this project is to find the most suitable location for a potential gym operator to open a gym in Toronto, Canada. By using data science methods and machine learning algorithms like K-means clustering, this project intends to solve the problem: If a gym operator desires to open up a gym in Toronto, what would be the well suited location for opening the gym?

TARGET AUDIENCE

Any gym operator who may be interested to open a new gym in Toronto.