# YASH SHIMPI

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# **EDUCATION**

# Syracuse University, School of Information Studies, Syracuse, New York

Master of Science in Information System | GPA - 3.9/4

May 2023

Relevant Coursework: Big Data Analytics, Data Analysis & Decision Making, Data Warehouse

# University of Mumbai, Mumbai, India

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering | GPA - 8.9/10

Oct 2020

Relevant Coursework: Database Management System, Machine Learning, Data Mining

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

Certifications: Tableau Desktop Specialist, Microsoft Office Specialist: Excel Associate (Office 2019)

Languages: Python, R, Apache Spark, SQL

Visualization Tools: Tableau, Microsoft Power BI, Google Data Studio

Technologies: Microsoft Excel, Databricks, Google Cloud Platform (GCP), Google BigQuery, Snowflake, Github, JIRA, Postman

# WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Data Analyst, Reorg Research Inc. | New York, NY

Jul 2023 - Present

- Developing over 10 Python scripts aimed at automating daily validation and API-related tasks, resulting in a reduction of manual workload by more than 75%
- Streamlining the procedure of storing over 1,000 rows of data and conducting financial coverage checks by comparing it with an existing dataset of over 100,000 records
- Supporting 2 teams by the creation of ad hoc queries and integrating a new API to fuel product expansion and growth

### Research Assistant, Syracuse University | Syracuse, NY

Sep 2021 – Jul 2023

- Formed an ETL pipeline to collect 2.5M+ tweets using Twitter API to understand changes of beliefs in people
- Extracted over 1500 content data by web scraping tools: Selenium and Python and transformed the data items to store in MongoDB for social network analysis between users
- Assisted 5 Fellows in providing statistical and over 20 visual and text insights from Tableau dashboards and NLTK library to support the research for reducing the struggles of female refugees and children

#### Data Science Intern, RSG Media | New York, NY

May 2022 - Aug 2022

- Developed a Matching Pipeline with an accuracy of 97% to unify data from 2 movie tables, resulting in a thorough database
- Engineered a robust pipeline using Databricks and PySpark to create a database, enabling efficient transformation and loading of 20M+ metadata across 15 tables from the TMDB API to AWS S3 bucket
- Automated the process of sending metadata and metrics as inputs to machine learning models by restructuring a workflow and converting over 10 SQL queries to PySpark format

# Data Analyst Intern, Syvylyze Analytics | Pune, India

Sep 2020 - May 2021

- Profiled 900+ store information utilizing Python and Google Maps API to get 8 extra metadata for analyzing retail performance
- Collaborated closely with cross-functional teams to enhance the retail store Data Master in the enterprise data warehouses and
  effectively communicate data reporting to non-technical stakeholders
- Executed and presented clear documentation of 3 different projects that were an integral part of providing geolocation data for a real-time client project: retail analytics

# **PROJECTS**

# Price Analysis and Recommendation for Airbnb

Oct 2022 – Dec 2022

- Conducted analysis of an Airbnb dataset with over 50 columns, providing actionable insights to support growth of Airbnb hosts
- Implemented linear regression and random forest classifier in PySpark to address and accomplish the goal

# **Recommendation System for Books**

 $Feb\ 2022-Mar\ 2022$ 

- Gathered a dataset of 50,000 books, computed a weighted score, and utilized the sklearn library to calculate cosine similarity
- Leveraged Heroku, Postgres database service and Flask, along with Git for version control, to host and deploy a web application