# RICHA PRAJAPATI

#### DATA ANALYST, UX RESEARCHER, PRODUCT MANAGER

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### **UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY**

Berkeley, California, USA, 2015-Present Masters of Information Management & Systems

Current GPA of 4.00

#### **VISVESVARAYA NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**

Nagpur, India, 2008-2012

Electronics and Communication Engineering

Graduated with a GPA of 3.88



#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **DELOITTE CONSULTING**

Business Technology Analyst, 2012-2015

#### **Projects**:

- Designed and developed an ETL automation process in a cross-functional team using SAP Data Services to migrate data of 800,000 individuals from a US state's legacy health system to the new Deloitte-built Health Insurance Exchange
- Led a team of 4 members to re-design and develop a complex and critical data warehouse module within 50% of the estimated time via weekly code sprints, agile/SCRUM methodologies and code reviews.
- Bought a 50% reduction in operational costs by analyzing, cleansing and migrating a chemical distributor company's ERP transactional data from 3 different legacy systems to SAP

#### Self-driven Initiatives:

- Lead instructor for SAP Data Services tool in several intra-firm trainings attended by 50+ analysts, consultants and managers
- Led proof of concept in data visualization by building dashboards in Tableau and Spotfire which were used in project proposals
- Brought a 30% reduction in time and effort in SAP data migration projects by designing and developing a re-usable pipeline code

#### **INDIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT**

Research Intern, 2011

- Contributed to a **white paper** showcasing the unfair means and discrimination adopted by a major port in Mumbai while taking bids for Port development and maintenance
- Researched on why Shipping Corporation of India, a public sector undertaking of India, was facing problems doing business

## SOCIETY FOR APPLIED MICROWAVE ELECTRONICS ENGG & RESEARCH

Developer Intern, 2010

Designed and developed the data quality, data control and alarm modules (in C) for a universal weather monitor in which various weather monitor sensors were attached to a balloon and sent up in the sky.



#### **AWARDS**

#### **Outstanding Employee Award**

Deloitte Consulting, 2014

Managed delivery of a critical module within 50% of time and resources to meet a targeted project deadline

#### Applause Awards (Multiple)

Deloitte Consulting, 2013-15

Developing proof of concepts / prototypes to improve firm's efficiency and pursuit of projects



#### **ACADEMIC TEAM PROJECTS**

#### **EASY RESEARCH (Ongoing)**

Designing a web-based product aimed at improving user experience as shoppers conduct online research quickly and easily, anytime, anywhere, before a purchase to find the product that suits them best!

#### **REVIEW DIGEST**

Tech: Python, Pandas, ScikitLearn

Built an automated review-summarizer that applied data mining techniques on Amazon reviews for a given product to identify the key-features being talked about and determines the sentiments around them

#### **FOOD N RIDE**

APIs: Google Maps, Yelp, Uber

Tech: Django, Python, Heroku, PostGres, Bootstrap Built a website using MVC architecture to identify restaurants of a specified cuisine in the neighbourhood and generate a fare-estimate and directions to reach there

#### MANAGING INNOVATION AND COLLABORATION

Identified the pain-points of local UX company in its innovation process and internal collaboration and provided tactical and strategic recommendations for it



#### **TECHINCAL SKILLS**

Python C SQL HTML, CSS, Javascript



#### DATA ANALYTICS/ MANAGEMENT SKILLS

Extract, Transform & Load Data Analytics
Datawarehousing/ER Modelling Natural Language Processing
Data Vizualization



### **UX RESEARCH SKILLS**

UX Research Product Development
Prototyping Testing



#### **TOOLS**

MS Office & Visio
SAP BusinessObjects(ETL)
Informatica
Tableau & Spotfire

Pandas, SciKit Learn
Flask, Django, Heroku
Bootstrap



#### **PERSONAL SKILLS**

Analytical	Team Member
Leadership	Communication
Project Management	Business Acumen