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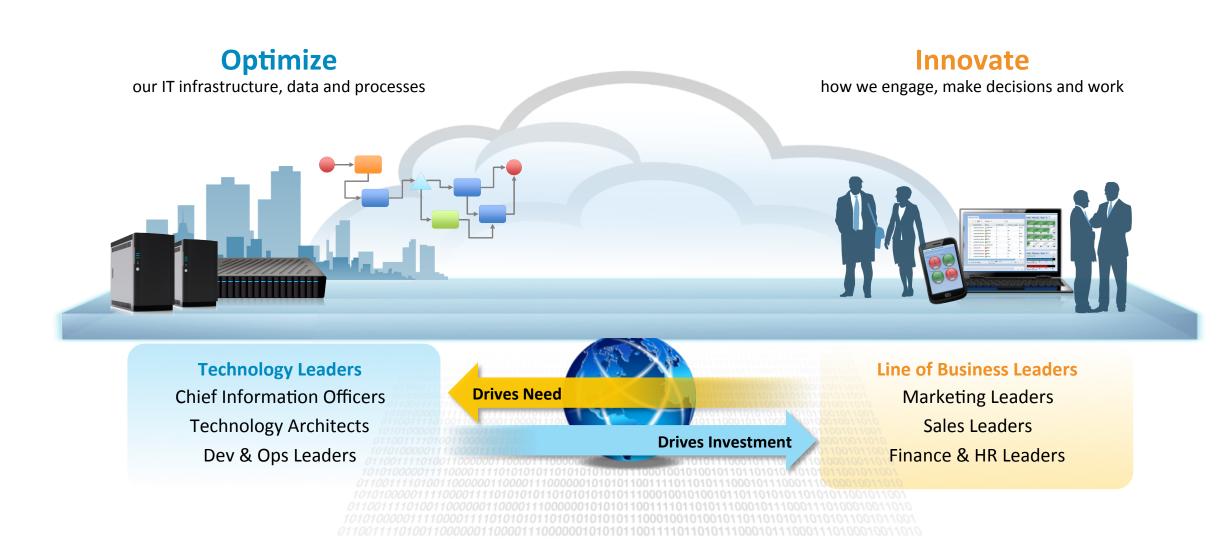
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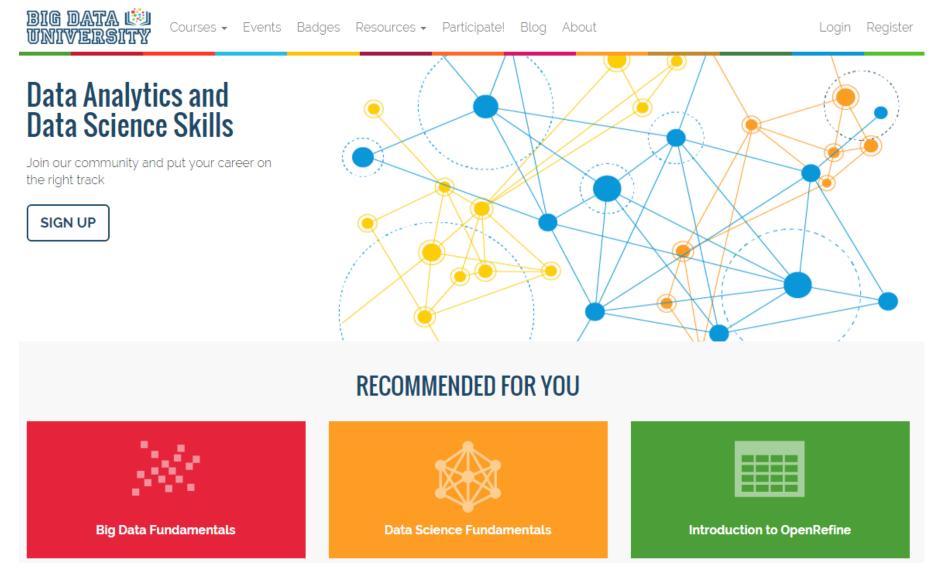
Big Data University



Smarter enterprises are able to balance optimization with innovation



What is Big Data University (BDU)?



bigdatauniversity.co

What is big data university (bdu)?

- A community initiative led by IBM
- @yourpace, @yourplace online courses about data
- Developed by industry experts
- Free courses by the community with hands-on labs
- Certificate of completion and badges
- Looking for contributors!

BigDataUniversity.com

Quick tour of Big data university BigDataUniversity.com

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globalgoals.org

Canadian Tour and expanding!











Please tweet to have more events organized!

Sample tweet is below:

Free #analytics4good courses @bigdatau #globalgoals #datascience

Typical BDU course structure

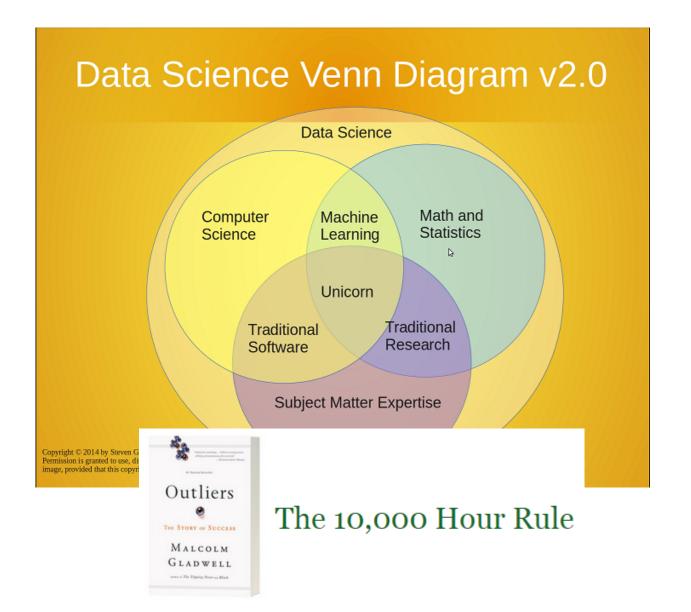
- 5-5-5 rule of thumb:
 - 5 lessons
 - 5 videos per lesson
 - 5 minutes per video
- Each lesson has a hands-on lab (VMWare, Docker, Cloud)
- Each course has a multiple-choice test of 20 questions
- Short courses
 - Typical course duration: 4 hours



Big Data, Analytics, Data Science: Demand outpaces supply



Skills required by a Data Scientist



MODERN DATA SCIENTIST

Data Scientist, the sexiest job of 21th century requires a mixture of multidisciplinary skills ranging from an intersection of mathematics, statistics, computer science, communication and business. Finding a data scientist is hard. Finding people who understand who a data scientist is, is equally hard. So here is a little cheat sheet on who the modern data scientist really is.

MATH & STATISTICS

- ☆ Machine learning
- ☆ Statistical modelin
- ☆ Experiment design
- ☆ Bayesian inference
- Supervised learning: decision trees, random forests, logistic regression
- ☆ Optimization: gradient descent and variants



PROGRAMMING & DATABASE

- ☆ Computer science fundamentals
- ☆ Scripting language e.g. Python
- ☆ Statistical computing package e.g. R
- ☆ Databases SOL and NoSOL
- ☆ Relational algebra
- ☆ Parallel databases and parallel query processing
- ☆ MapReduce concepts
- ☆ Hadoop and Hive/Pig
- ☆ Custom reducers
- ☆ Experience with xaaS like AWS

DOMAIN KNOWLEDGE & SOFT SKILLS

- ☆ Passionate about the business
- ☆ Curious about data
- ☆ Influence without authority
- ☆ Hacker mindset
- ☆ Problem solver
- ☆ Strategic, proactive, creative, innovative and collaborative



COMMUNICATION & VISUALIZATION

- ★ Able to engage with senior management
- ☆ Story telling skills
- ☆ Translate data-driven insights into decisions and actions
- ☆ Visual art design
- ☆ R packages like ggplot or lattice
- ★ Knowledge of any of visualization tools e.g. Flare, D3.js, Tableau

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