



How to showcase your skills and get ahead of the competition

Simple but *effective* tips to get you ahead..

A close-up shot of Gene Wilder as Willy Wonka. He has his signature wild, wavy brown hair and is wearing thick, black-rimmed glasses. He is dressed in a vibrant red suit jacket over a white shirt with a ruffled collar. The background is dark and out of focus, showing blurred lights in shades of red, blue, and green, suggesting a festive or party atmosphere. The text 'ALLOW MYSELF TO INTRODUCE' is overlaid in white, bold, sans-serif font across the top of the image, with the word 'MYSELF' highlighted in red.

ALLOW MYSELF TO INTRODUCE

...MYSELF

The Data Science hiring process is **BROKEN**




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 - > Interviewing

A Resume won't get you a role on its own!

But...the more interviews you can get through to *because of your Resume*, the better the chance of you landing that role you want.

Don't let a bad Resume hold you back!



The right message up front!

✓ I solve problems

✗ I know how to use lots of things



Projects: Concise but impactful

- ✓ What the business problem was
- ✓ What you actually did
- ✓ What the result was

>> **Resume**



Certificates...



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- *Actionable Learnings: Sentiment Analysis on customer reviews - this could be utilised to flag up customer complaints to a dedicated support team, improving customer satisfaction*

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Clarity & Impact > Complexity

>> Portfolio





Summary



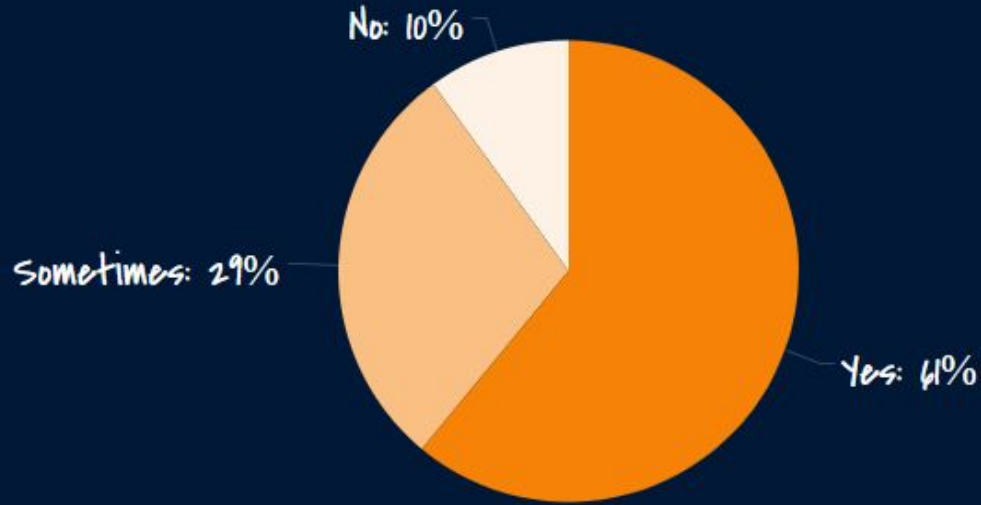
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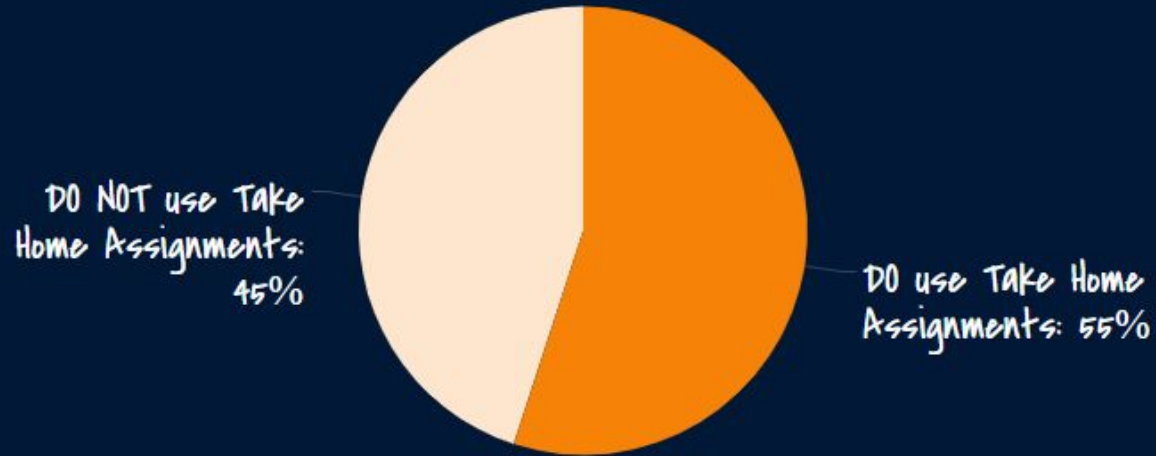
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>> Coding Tests



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Improvement (If I had my time again...)



The big idea to takeaway...

✗ I have lots of skills

✓ Look at how I can add value *using* my skills

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LEARN THE RIGHT WAY



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- Barun

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