What is a Data Scientist and How Do I Become One?

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We’ve all heard that Data Scientist is the hottest job title of the 21st Century. However, it seems out of reach for many people who don’t have advanced degrees in mathematics or computer science. In this professional development session, we’ll learn from the mistakes that held me back in my early career. We’ll also see three of the different types of Data Scientists in the industry today, and learn what we can do to land that dream job. Follow me on this information voyage as we try to break into the world of Data Science.

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