

# Kickoff (Tue/Thurs Sections)

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## MUD cards: about you!

- ▶ Really fun to get to know a little more about you through MUD cards
- ▶ Diversity of professional backgrounds! Some examples of note: geopolitical risk management, AmeriCorps, film industry + actors, criminal justice, want to do PhDs,
- ▶ Diversity of interests! Some examples of note: playing tuba, owner of 2 pet bunnies, “legendarily bad at darts,” knows 5 languages, running a marathon later this month, a short story (mystery and fantasy) author, favorite foods include green curry, boba tea

## MUD cards: general questions

- ▶ Recording lectures: (policy TBD)
- ▶ How to study for lab quizzes: xxx

## First Problem Set: troubleshooting

- ▶ **Realistic over perfect and clean:** some hiccups with submission formatting - thank you for your patience as we converge on submission processes
- ▶ **Self-sufficiency**
  - ▶ Online resources: we strongly encourage the use of Google/ChatGPT for troubleshooting tech issues. The teaching team may not have encouraged your particular problem before, but likely someone on the internet has.
  - ▶ Help us help you: on Ed or at office hours, describe *in as much detail as possible* what your issue is, what you've tried, and why it seemed to not work, rather than just "I don't know how to do this."
  - ▶ Use your peers: if you notice in lab or from Ed that other students seemed to have gotten past the step at which you are stuck, ask them for help!