



# Tips for Using DISCORD



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### Discord: App

#### 1. Use it on browser

https://discord.com/app

### 2. Download application

https://discord.com/download

#### Benefits

- Can use all features
- Easy access
- Less technical issues
- Easier to share camera / screen
- (also easier for Linux users)



### Discord: Joining Data Umbrella Server

### **Link to join Discord**

on Data Umbrella website: dataumbrella.org

#### Note:

- Navigating Discord
- Set up profile
- Check out Code of Conduct
  - Make sure your user name is professional and appropriate
- Check out categories



### Discord: Your profile for the sprint

#### Note:

- Use your first name so people can get to know you
- Make sure your user name is professional and appropriate
- Add a photo

These tips make networking easier for virtual events.

Note: After the sprint, you can change your user name and profile picture.



# Discord: Accessing Sprint Category

You will be able to see the scikit-learn sprint categories after you have been added to that "role", by a Data Umbrella admin.



# Discord: During the Sprint

- Reminder to "expand" category
- Discord has "text" and "voice" channels

#### **Text channel**

Only chat, words

#### Voice channel

- Can hear others
- See others if you share camera
- Screenshare



### Discord: Sprint virtual "tables"

- You'll work at a "table" with pair programming partner
- You can use the "chat" and "screenshare" associated with your table

#### Note:

Show how to screen share



### Discord: Privacy

The Data Umbrella Discord server is used regularly, so please do not put any personal information in there such as phone number, email address, etc.



### **Discord: Questions**

- Email us with any questions: <a href="mailto:dei@gmail.com">data.umbrella.dei@gmail.com</a>
- Send DM on Discord
- Ask on "help" channel under "Community" category

We appreciate your patience. Discord is powerful tool with lots of options. We are learning it too.

