**Cornell Satellite Remote Sensing: Summer 2023**

**About the need to explicitly write out your home directory path/location instead of using the Unix shorthand of ~/**

In Unix, there is a shorthand/shortcut method of expressing your home directory location/path.

**In Unix, the following are equivalent:**

~/ is the same as /Users/username/

In much of this workbook I reference the directory path to example data using the traditional Unix shorthand of **~/** for your home directory**. But this will *not* work within python!!** So please heed the following important change to the workbook!

**IMPORTANT**

When using this workbook, you should ***always*** replace ***~/*** with ***/Users/your\_username/***

**For Example:**

If you see this in the workbook…

fname= ‘**~/**data/seawifs/A2018124182349.L1A.hdf’

You will have to replace it with…

fname= ‘***/Users/your\_username/***data/ seawifs/A2018124182349.L1A.hdf’