# Reading Files

## Asynchronous Programming

#### **Events**

```
.on("click", function () {...})
```

Callbacks d3.csv() v4

Promises d3.csv() v5

## Callbacks (v4)

d3.csv("mydata.csv", function () {
 all the stuff that uses the data

});

### Multiple line graphs with labels

bl.ocks.org/d3noob/8603837

#### Multi-line graph 2 with v4: Colours

https://bl.ocks.org/d3noob/ae9786c26d6a821eefeabe60dec350a9

### Promises (v5)

```
d3.csv("mydata.csv" [, row converter
function]).then(function(data) {
    all the stuff that uses the data
```

```
})
.catch(function(error){
    what to do if there's an error
});
```

#### Row converter function

```
var rowConverter = function (d) {
return {
   grad: +d.graduation_rate,
   attend: +d.attendance_rate,
   name: d.school_name
   };
```

#### Row converter function

arrow functions

```
const rowConverter = d => ({
   grad: +d.graduation_rate,
   attend: +d.attendance_rate,
   name: d.school_name
  });
```

parens needed so it's clear that { } means object

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### promise is resolved

.then( function

// executes if promise is resolved

)

### promise is rejected

```
.catch( function
```

```
// executes if promise is rejected
```

### Example

```
d3.csv("mydata.csv", rowConverter).then(function(data) {
   var allCircles = svg.selectAll("circle")
   .data(data)
   .enter()
   .append("circle")
   .attr("cx", d => d.attend)
   .attr("cy", d => d.grad)
   .attr("r", "3");
})
.catch(function(error){
   d3.select("text#message").text("Error loading data.");
});
```

### Loading files

- Use a local server to read local files (will not work with CourseWorks)
- 2. Work online <u>blockbuilder.org</u>, GitHub Pages, etc.

3. Upload files and then read from URL