# **Collaboration Tools and Guidelines**

### Chat

Most course communication and collaboration will take place in the designated Slack (https://slack.com/) chat room.

bookmark this: https://gwu-business.slack.com/messages/istm-4121/ (https://gwu-business.slack.com/messages/istm-4121/)

#### Reference:

• how to emoji (https://slack.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/articles/202931348-Emoji-and-emoticons)

#### **Instructional Materials**

All class documents and instructional materials are available online in a public GitHub (https://github.com/) repository.

bookmark this: https://github.com/gwu-business/istm-4121 (https://github.com/gwu-business/istm-4121)

At any given time, documents in the repository may be at different stages of ideation and completion. The word todo signifies intention of updating a document.

If you see a typo, or would like to contribute to the materials, feel free to edit any of the documents (requires a GitHub account; ask an instructor how to "commit").

For convenience, some instructional materials, like the Syllabus, will be posted to Blackboard as well. These documents will be versioned, and may be out-of-date at some times.

#### **Email**

All members of the Learning Community have **GWU-issued email addresses**, which may be used for email communications. If emailing an instructor, include ISTM-4121 in the subject.

## **Assignment Submission**

Most assignments will be submitted through Blackboard (http://www.blackboard.com/), mostly for privacy reasons.

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