

# Orientation

- Plenary talks cover what we think everyone needs to know. Parallel sessions gives you a chance to dive deeper into traditional HPC or data intensive computing. Feel free to mix and match.
- Use the SDSC network. No password is required.
- Presentations will be posted on GitHub  
<https://github.com/sdsc/sdsc-summer-institute-2016>  
git clone <https://github.com/sdsc/sdsc-summer-institute-2016.git>
- Lunch every day at Café Ventanas. Five minute walk from SDSC. Remember to bring your meal card, grab me (Bob) if you forget
- Please fill out the surveys at the end of each day. We value your feedback and it will help us to make mid-course adjustments.

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- Social events Monday and Thursday evening. Transportation will be available at front of SDSC
- Auditorium and evening venues can be cool. Remember to bring a light sweater or jacket
- Restrooms – step out of auditorium and go left
- UCSD parking is very strict. If you're driving to campus, be sure to purchase and display your permit
- Please try to be on time in the mornings. As an added incentive, everyone who shows up on time will be treated to a morning joke

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# Introductions

Tell us a little about yourself

- Name
- Where you're from
- Your status (grad student, postdoc, professor, research scientist, ...)
- What you do (e.g. use molecular dynamics to study protein interactions, study galaxy formation using N-body solvers, ...)
- What you do when you're not at work (e.g. read, play the piano, knit, run, ball room dancing, hike, foodie, brew your own beer, sky dive).

OK to say "I'm a grad student and don't have time for any hobbies"