To Day 1: Introduction to Data Science

Objective

Understand what Data Science is, explore its lifecycle, tools, and career roles. Then set up your system for Python, Jupyter Notebook, and Anaconda to begin your hands-on journey.

1. What is Data Science?

➤ Definition:

Data Science is a multidisciplinary field that uses statistics, computer science, and domain **knowledge** to extract meaningful insights from **data**.

➤ Real-Life Examples:

- Netflix movie recommendations
- Amazon product suggestions
- Fraud detection in banks

🔁 2. Data Science Lifecycle

- Data Collection From websites, sensors, databases
- Data Cleaning Handle missing or incorrect data
- Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) Visualize and understand patterns
- 4. Model Building Use ML algorithms to predict or classify
- Evaluation Check accuracy or error

6. **Deployment** – Put the model into production (like a web app)



🔧 3. Tools Required

Here's what you'll use during the internship:

- Python Programming language
- Jupyter Notebook Code + output in one place
- Anaconda Easiest way to manage Python + libraries

4. Environment Setup (Windows/Mac/Linux)

- Step 1: Download and Install Anaconda
- Download Link: https://www.anaconda.com/products/distribution
 - 1. Click "Download" and choose:
 - Windows (64-bit Installer)
 - macOS (Intel or M1/M2 chip)
 - Linux (if needed)
 - 2. Open the downloaded file and follow the installer:
 - Click Next
 - Choose Just Me
 - Leave default install location
 - Add Anaconda to PATH (check the box)
 - Click Install

Step 2: Launch Jupyter Notebook

Option 1: Via Anaconda Navigator

- 1. Search for **Anaconda Navigator** in Start Menu or Spotlight
- 2. Open it
- 3. Click on Launch under Jupyter Notebook

Option 2: Via Terminal/Command Prompt

1. Open Anaconda Prompt

Type:

jupyter notebook

- 2.
- 3. It will open a browser tab at http://localhost:8888/tree

Step 3: Create a New Notebook

- 1. Click New > Python 3 Notebook
- 2. Rename the notebook:
 - o Click "Untitled"
 - Name it: Day1_Hello_Data_Science

5. Hands-On Task

Create Your First Notebook: "Hello Data Science"

Copy the below content into your notebook and run each cell (Shift + Enter):

```
# Cell 1: Title
print("Welcome to Day 1 of the Data Science Internship!")

# Cell 2: Simple math
a = 10
b = 20
print("Sum of a and b is:", a + b)

# Cell 3: Data types
name = "Data Science"
is_fun = True
print(f"Learning {name} is fun:", is_fun)

# Cell 4: Markdown Cell (click Cell > Cell Type > Markdown)
# Write this in markdown cell:
# ## Hello Data Science **
# This is my first notebook using Python and Jupyter!
```

🎁 Extra Tip

If you're using Google Chrome, you can also try **Google Colab** (https://colab.research.google.com/) as an alternative to Jupyter Notebook—no installation needed!