**The Challenge***(available only when logged in)*

**Big Data**

During our initial challenge, we will be addressing “big data”. How can we and our clients use and manage data sets so large that they become a burden?

We're all using big data, even if we aren't aware of it. Big data has been a loosely-defined term used to describe data sets that become very difficult to manage with standard tools.

Any challenges around small data sets are magnified when it comes to big data. Correlations become very challenging. Often times, big data leads to challenges around capturing valid (quality) data, storing and searching this information, as well as providing access to, analyzing and visualizing the information required to do one's job.

We’ll be running a series of activities around this challenge throughout the next few weeks. You can participate in a variety of ways after joining. We’ll also keep you up-to-date as we add new topics and opportunities to participate.