

## Course Expectations

- Hf, work with Wes to find interesting projects
- Be supportive, yatta yatta
- Make your own learning decisions
  - Figure out how you learn
  - eg. if you don't learn well with presentations, you don't have to listen.
- Assignments are individual. ==cite your sources!== working with classmates is okay, but you need to cite them.
  - > "School is supposed to be stressful" Wes Chao, 2020

## What is Machine learning?

My answer: Algorithms which learn from experience.

Almost always involves large amounts of data. The more data the better.

Expensive to process - focus on the simplest way to get a *decent* answer

## Ethics

How did we get the data? Do the people we got that data from consent?

Algo = thing we use to process data Model = thing we get at the end. Algo + plus weights  $\neq$  Model