

# SICSS 2023 Berlin

Information and Schedule



The Summer Institute will be held at the Berlin Social Science Center (WZB), which you can find at the following address.

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# Week 1

Mon., July 3	09.00 – 10.30	<b>Introduction</b>	B002
	10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break	
	11.00 – 12.30	<b>Collaborating using Git</b>	B002
	12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30 – 14.45	<b>Ethics</b>	A310
	14.45 – 15.00	Coffee break	
	15.00 – 16.30	<b>Helena Mihaljevic (HTW Berlin)</b> Exploring the Benefits and Challenges of Automated Classification of Political Short Texts: A Case Study of Conspiracy Theory and Antisemitic Narratives	A310
Tue., July 4	16.30+	<b>Welcome Pizza!</b>	Wintergarden
	09.00 – 10.30	<b>Collecting digital trace data</b>	B002
	10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break	
	11.00 – 12.30	<b>Web scraping exercise</b>	B001/B002
	12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30 – 14.45	<b>API exercise</b>	B001/B002
	14.45 – 15.00	Coffee break	
Wed., July 5	15.00 – 16.30	<b>Elizabeth Bruch (UMichigan)</b> From transcripts to trajectories: A data-driven framework for studying academic pathways.	A310
	09.00 – 9.30	<b>Exercise Review</b>	B002
	09.30 – 10.30	<b>Data preparation</b>	B002
	10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break	
	11.00 – 12.30	<b>Data preparation exercise</b>	B002/ Wintergarden
	12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30 – 14.45	<b>Data preparation exercise</b>	B002/ Wintergarden
	14.45 – 15.00	Coffee break	
	15.00 – 16.30	<b>Sebastian Zezulka (CorrelAid)</b> Data4Good – data science with and for non-profits	A310

# Week 1, continued

Thurs., July 6	09.00 – 10.30	<b>Text analysis I</b>	B001
	10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break	
	11.00 – 12.30	<b>Text analysis I exercise</b>	B001/B002
	12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30 – 14.45	<b>Text analysis I exercise</b>	B001/ Wintergarden
	14.45 – 15.00	Coffee break	
	15.00 – 16.30	<b>Sophia Hunger (U Bremen)</b> Automatic protest event analysis	B001
Fri., July 7	09.00 – 09.30	<b>Exercise Review</b>	B002
	09.30 – 10.30	<b>Text analysis II</b>	B002
	10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break	
	11.00 – 12.30	<b>Text analysis II exercise</b>	B001/B002
	12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30 – 14.45	<b>Christian Rau (U Potsdam/WZB)</b> How web scraping and large-N text analyses can shed light on (European Union) politics	A310
	14.45 – 15.00	Coffee break	
	15.00 – 16.30	<b>Team finding for group project</b>	B002

# Week 2

<b>Mon., July 10</b>	09.00 – 09.30	<b>Project status update</b>	B002
	09.30 – 12.30	<b>Work on group projects</b>	B001/B002
	12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30 – 15.30	<b>Work on group projects</b>	B001/B002
	15.30 – 16.30	<b>Project status update</b>	B002
<b>Tue., July 11</b>	09.00 – 09.30	<b>Project status update</b>	B002
	09.30 – 12.30	<b>Work on group projects</b>	B001/B002
	12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30 – 15.30	<b>Work on group projects</b>	B001/B002
	15.30 – 16.30	<b>Project status update</b>	B002
<b>Wed., July 12</b>	09.00 – 09.30	<b>Project status update</b>	B002
	09.30 – 12.30	<b>Work on group projects</b>	B001/B002
	12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30 – 15.30	<b>Work on group projects</b>	B001/B002
	15.30 – 16.30	<b>Project status update</b>	B002
<b>Thurs., July 13</b>	16:30 +	<b>Farewell dinner</b>	
	09.00 – 12.30	<b>Project presentations and discussion</b>	B002
	12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30 – 16.30	<b>Project presentations and discussion</b>	B002