

# Introductions

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### Who am I

#### Academic

- Assistant Professor in Division of Epidemiology
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- Approximately 15 years working in R
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# Overview

## What you should know already

- Basic computing
  - Your operating system
  - Internet search
  - Et cetera
- At least one statistical analysis software system
  - SAS
  - STATA
  - Excel does not cut it
- Basics of statistical analysis
  - p-values
  - hypothesis tests
  - linear regression

## What should already be done

- Installed R (https://cran.r-project.org)
- Installed RStudio (https://rstudio.org)
- Download slides and code. https://tinyurl.com/UPHSR2019 (https://tinyurl.com/UPHSR2019)

### Goals for this class

- 1. Learn where to find help.
- 2. Learn the principles to effectively using R.
- 3. Learn basic procedures in R
  - 1. Data cleaning
  - 2. Table construction
  - 3. Analyses: t-test, linear models, etc.