**READ ME -- RTC Python Workshop 2020**

Hello! Thank you for your interest in the Python workshop.

This workshop will provide an introduction to programming using Python in an interactive manner. There will be ~80 attendees in the workshop so it is really important that everyone reviews these instructions before to maximize what they can gain from the workshop.

In this folder, you will find 2 files: **complete\_PythonWorkshop2020.ipynb** and **skeleton\_PythonWorkshop2020.ipynb.** If you want to code with me, use ‘skeleton\_PythonWorkshop2020.ipynb’**.** If you would rather follow along and not live code, you can use **complete\_PythonWorkshop2020.ipynb** as reference as it has all the code in it with the outputs.

**What you will need:**

1. Computer and internet access
2. Google account with access to Google Drive (free)
3. Familiarize yourself with Google Colab notebooks (takes 5 mins!): [**sample notebook link**](https://rotmanroundsmanagement.cmail20.com/t/r-l-jkihtdkt-uklilkjkjd-k/) and [**video link**](https://rotmanroundsmanagement.cmail20.com/t/r-l-jkihtdkt-uklilkjkjd-u/)
4. To create your own copy of the colab notebooks:  
   login google account > open link to drive > double-click on a colab notebook > File (top-left corner) > save a copy in drive
5. Open the notebooks to see if you are comfortable navigating them

Note: This is *not necessary* *at all* but if you have access to a second monitor, it will be more convenient for you to see Zoom on one monitor and code on the second.

**Attendee Requirements:** Registration is mandatory. There is no need to download python or any softwares before.

**Questions?** If you have questions prior to the workshop, please email me (Anisha) at the email provided in the recent reminder sent out with the subject ‘UPDATED Zoom and Google Drive link - Research Training Centre: Python for Beginners (July 17, 2020)’. If I can make this workshop more accessible, please let me know.

**Zoom details:** found in the recent reminder sent out with the subject ‘UPDATED Zoom and Google Drive link - Research Training Centre: Python for Beginners (July 17, 2020)’.

Looking forward to seeing everyone on Friday,  
Anisha  
   
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