

# Intro Email

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Hello everyone, and welcome to ModSim 2020!

We're so looking forward to getting to know you and getting started! ModSim--Modeling and Simulation of the Physical World--will meet in our virtual auditorium for the first time at 10am (Eastern Time) on Wednesday, September 9:<https://olin.zoom.us/j/97074903636?pwd=c3Mwa0VFUm5OQ3lIWmMwZHc5THZldz09>.

All of our course information, including that link and links to our virtual studios, is available on our Canvas website. You should receive an invitation to that site in the next hour or two. If you aren't able to get on Canvas, please let us know.

*We encourage you to log onto Canvas sometime before our first class meeting on Wednesday, so you can make sure you have access.*

You are not required or expected to do anything beyond logging onto Canvas before the first class meeting. If you're bored and looking for something to do, you're welcome to check out our syllabus, follow the instructions to install MATLAB, or find our textbook to do a little light reading. Again, this will all be assigned once classes start and none of it is expected in advance of Wednesday, just available to you if you're in need of something to do. (And do please *try to access* Canvas before Wednesday.)

We're excited to spend this fall with you, even if we'll be working together via screens. We've got lots of plans to make it a great semester, and an awesome team of course assistants who will help us along the way. Now and anytime, please let us know (instructors and/or CAs) if you have questions or need something from us--we're only a digital message away!

-JAZ and the CAs

Jason, Alison, Zach, and our course assistant team

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