## THESIS OUTLINE

- 1. Introduction Why is this work needed, where does it fit in the grand scheme of causality studies, what exactly is the goal, what is not the goal, etc.?
- 2. Causality Studies Literature review. This taxonomy will not be complete, nor will the boundaries be clean. Several authors, particularly in theoretical physics, blur boundaries, e.g., between science and philosophy.
  - (a) Foundational Causality
    - i. Philosophical Studies Aristole, Hume, ..., Good, Suppes
    - ii. Natural Science Studies causality in physics, etc.
    - iii. Pyschological Studies perceptions of causality
  - (b) Phenomenal Causality
    - i. Statistical Causality Fisher, Dawid, Rubin, Pearson, ...
    - ii. Data Causality Pearl, Kleinberg, ...
    - iii. Time Series Causality This is just an explanation of where these techniques fit in the taxonomy. In-depth descriptions are the next chapter.
- 3. Time Series Causality Introduction and (brief) exploration of the five main classes of times series causality techniques
  - (a) Granger Causality
  - (b) Transfer Entropy
  - (c) State Space Reconstruction Causality
  - (d) Lagged Cross-Correlation
  - (e) Penchants and Leanings
- 4. Exploratory Causal Analysis Applying the time series causality tools
  - (a) Synthetic data examples
  - (b) Empirical data example
- 5. Conclusions Future work, etc.