

# ECON293-Final\_Project

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## Load Packages

```
if (!require("pacman")) install.packages("pacman")
```

```
## Warning: package 'pacman' was built under R version 4.0.5
```

```
pacman::p_load(causalTree)
pacman::p_load(cobalt)
pacman::p_load(data.table)
pacman::p_load(grf)
pacman::p_load(ggplot2)
pacman::p_load(glmnet)
pacman::p_load(haven)
pacman::p_load(lmtest)
pacman::p_load(matchMulti)
pacman::p_load(sandwich)
pacman::p_load(splines)
pacman::p_load(statar)
pacman::p_load(sqldf)
pacman::p_load(tidyverse)
pacman::p_load(WeightIt)

rm(list = ls())
```

## Create Helper Functions

```

generate_X_Y_W_C <- function(outcome, covariates) {
  # -----
  # Generates the X, Y, W and cluster components for a given outcome
  # and a set of covariates by eliminating missing observations
  # from the SC_Data dataset. Assumes the treatment column is
  # named 'treatment', and cluster column is 'b_schoolid'.
  # Inputs:
  # - outcome: (str) outcome column name in SC_Data
  # - covariates: (vector of str) covariate column names
  # Returns:
  # A list with X, Y, W, C components each including a matrix
  # or data.table
  # -----

  # Filter missing entries
  selected_cols <- c(outcome, covariates, 'treatment', 'b_schoolid')
  data <- SC_Data[, selected_cols, with=FALSE]
  data <- data[complete.cases(data)]

  # Setup formula
  fmla <- formula(paste0(outcome, '~', paste(covariates, collapse='+')))
  X <- model.matrix(fmla, data)
  W <- data[, .(treatment)]
  Y <- data[, outcome, with=FALSE]
  C <- data[, .(b_schoolid)]

  # Format Y, W, C as numeric vectors
  W <- as.numeric(W[[1]])
  Y <- as.numeric(Y[[1]])
  C <- as.numeric(C[[1]])

  list(X = X, Y = Y, W = W, C = C)
}

```

```

generate_X_Y_W_C_raw <- function(outcome, covariates) {
  # -----
  # Generates the X, Y, W and cluster components for a given outcome
  # and a set of covariates by eliminating missing observations
  # from the SC_Data dataset. Assumes the treatment column is
  # named 'treatment', and cluster column is 'b_schoolid'.
  # Inputs:
  # - outcome: (str) outcome column name in SC_Data
  # - covariates: (vector of str) covariate column names
  # Returns:
  # A list with X, Y, W, C components each including a matrix
  # or data.table
  # -----

  # Filter missing entries
  selected_cols <- c(outcome, covariates, 'treatment', 'b_schoolid')
  data <- SC_Data_Raw[, selected_cols, with=FALSE]
  data <- data[complete.cases(data)]

```

```

# Setup formula
fmla <- formula(paste0(outcome, '~', paste(covariates, collapse='+')))
X <- model.matrix(fmla, data)
W <- data[, .(treatment)]
Y <- data[, outcome, with=FALSE]
C <- data[, .(b_schoolid)]

# Format Y, W, C as numeric vectors
W <- as.numeric(W[[1]])
Y <- as.numeric(Y[[1]])
C <- as.numeric(C[[1]])

list(X = X, Y = Y, W = W, C = C)
}

generate_X_Y_W_C_df <- function(outcome, covariates, df, treatment) {
  # -----
  # Generates the X, Y, W and cluster components for a given outcome
  # and a set of covariates by eliminating missing observations
  # from the SC_Data dataset. Assumes the treatment column is
  # named 'treatment', and cluster column is 'b_schoolid'.
  # Inputs:
  # - outcome: (str) outcome column name in SC_Data
  # - covariates: (vector of str) covariate column names
  # Returns:
  # A list with X, Y, W, C components each including a matrix
  # or data.table
  # -----
  # Filter missing entries
  SC_table <- as.data.table(df)
  selected_cols <- c(outcome, covariates, 'treatment')
  data <- SC_table[, selected_cols, with=FALSE]
  #data <- SC_table[, selected_cols]
  data <- na.omit(data)
  write.csv(data, "unfactored.csv")
  data$b_schoolid = factor(data$b_schoolid)
  data$bstrata = factor(data$bstrata)
  #data <- data[, b_schoolid = factor(b_schoolid)]
  #data <- data[, bstrata = factor(bstrata)]
  #print(data[, outcome])
  #write.csv(data, "fraction_donated.csv")

  # Setup formula
  fmla <- formula(paste0(outcome, '~', paste(covariates, collapse='+')))
  X <- model.matrix(fmla, data)
  #print("X is coming")
  #print(X)
  W <- data[, 'treatment']
  #Y <- data[, outcome]
  Y <- data[, outcome, with=FALSE]
  C <- data[, 'b_schoolid']

  # Format Y, W, C as numeric vectors

```

```

W <- as.numeric(W[[1]])
Y <- as.numeric(Y[[1]])
C <- as.numeric(C[[1]])
#print("here")
#print(Y)
list(X = X, Y = Y, W = W, C = C)
}

get_AIPW_scores <- function(var_list, cf) {
  # Get forest predictions.
  m.hat <- cf$Y.hat
  e.hat <- cf$W.hat
  tau.hat <- cf$predictions

  # Predicting mu.hat(X[i], 1) and mu.hat(X[i], 0) for obs in held-out sample
  # Note: to understand this, read equations 6-8 in this vignette
  # https://grf-labs.github.io/grf/articles/muhats.html
  mu.hat.0 <- m.hat - e.hat * tau.hat      #  $E[Y|X, W=0] = E[Y|X] - e(X) * \tau(X)$ 
  mu.hat.1 <- m.hat + (1 - e.hat) * tau.hat #  $E[Y|X, W=1] = E[Y|X] + (1 - e(X)) * \tau(X)$ 

  # Compute AIPW scores
  aipw.scores <- tau.hat + var_list$W / e.hat * (var_list$Y - mu.hat.1) -
    (1 - var_list$W) / (1 - e.hat) * (var_list$Y - mu.hat.0)
  aipw.scores
}

run_AIPW <- function(outcome, income, covariates, treatment, df) {
  # Get forest predictions.
  # -----
  # Runs AIPW based on grf on a dataframe.
  # Inputs:
  # - outcome: (str) outcome column name in SC_Data
  # - income: (str) baseline var name in SC_Data
  # - covariates: (vector of str) covariate column names
  # - treatment (str) treatment var name
  # - df: dataframe
  # Returns:
  # AIPW estimate and std.err
  # -----
  covariates <- c(covariates, income)
  list_data <- generate_X_Y_W_C_df(outcome, covariates, df, treatment)
  #print("new X")
  #print(list_data)
  forest <- causal_forest(
    X=list_data$X,
    W=list_data$W,
    Y=list_data$Y,
    clusters = list_data$C,
    W.hat=.5, # In randomized settings, set W.hat to the (known) probability of assignment
    num.trees = 100)
  forest.ate <- average_treatment_effect(forest, target.sample="overlap")
  print(forest.ate)
  print("95% CI lower")
}

```

```

print(forest.ate["estimate"]-qnorm(.975)*forest.ate["std.err"])
print("95% CI upper")
print(forest.ate["estimate"]+qnorm(.975)*forest.ate["std.err"])
}

run_AIPW_without_baseline <- function(outcome,income,covariates,treatment,df) {
  # Get forest predictions.
  # -----
  # Runs AIPW based on grf on a dataframe.
  # Inputs:
  # - outcome: (str) outcome column name in SC_Data
  # - income: (str) baseline var name in SC_Data
  # - covariates: (vector of str) covariate column names
  # - treatment (str) treatment var name
  # - df: dataframe
  # Returns:
  # AIPW estimate and std.err
  # -----
  #covariates <- c(covariates,income)
  list_data <- generate_X_Y_W_C_df(outcome,covariates,df,treatment)
  #print("new X")
  #print(list_data)
  forest <- causal_forest(
    X=list_data$X,
    W=list_data$W,
    Y=list_data$Y,
    clusters = list_data$C,
    W.hat=.5, # In randomized settings, set W.hat to the (known) probability of assignment
    num.trees = 100)
  forest.ate <- average_treatment_effect(forest,target.sample="overlap")
  print(forest.ate)
  print("95% CI lower")
  print(forest.ate["estimate"]-qnorm(.975)*forest.ate["std.err"])
  print("95% CI upper")
  print(forest.ate["estimate"]+qnorm(.975)*forest.ate["std.err"])
}

run_AIPW_without_cluster <- function(outcome,income,covariates,treatment,df) {
  # Get forest predictions.
  # -----
  # Runs AIPW based on grf on a dataframe.
  # Inputs:
  # - outcome: (str) outcome column name in SC_Data
  # - income: (str) baseline var name in SC_Data
  # - covariates: (vector of str) covariate column names
  # - treatment (str) treatment var name
  # - df: dataframe
  # Returns:
  # AIPW estimate and std.err
  # -----
  covariates <- c(covariates,income)
  list_data <- generate_X_Y_W_C_df(outcome,covariates,df,treatment)
  #print("new X")
  #print(list_data)
  forest <- causal_forest(

```

```

X=list_data$X,
W=list_data$W,
Y=list_data$Y,
W.hat=.5, # In randomized settings, set W.hat to the (known) probability of assignment
num.trees = 100)
forest.ate <- average_treatment_effect(forest,target.sample="overlap")
print(forest.ate)
print("95% CI lower")
print(forest.ate["estimate"]-qnorm(.975)*forest.ate["std.err"])
print("95% CI upper")
print(forest.ate["estimate"]+qnorm(.975)*forest.ate["std.err"])
}

partial_dependence_single <- function(selected.covariate, covariates, type, X,
                                     causal.forest, grid_size=0){
  # Get data and define other covariates
  data <- as.data.frame(X)
  other.covariates <- covariates[which(covariates != selected.covariate)]

  # Define grid
  if (type == 'binary') {
    grid.size <- 2
    covariate.grid <- c(0, 1)
  } else {
    grid.size <- grid_size
    covariate.grid <- seq(min(data[,selected.covariate]),
                          max(data[,selected.covariate]), length.out=grid.size)
  }

  # Take median of other covariates
  medians <- apply(data[, other.covariates, F], 2, median)

  # Construct a dataset
  data.grid <- data.frame(sapply(medians, function(x) rep(x, grid.size)), covariate.grid)
  colnames(data.grid) <- c(other.covariates, selected.covariate)

  # Expand the data
  fmla <- formula(paste0('~ ', paste(covariates, collapse = '+')))
  X.grid <- model.matrix(fmla, data.grid)

  # Point predictions of the CATE and standard errors
  forest.pred <- predict(causal.forest, newdata = X.grid, estimate.variance=TRUE)
  tau.hat <- forest.pred$predictions
  tau.hat.se <- sqrt(forest.pred$variance.estimates)

  # Plot predictions for each group and 95% confidence intervals around them.
  data.pred <- transform(data.grid, tau.hat=tau.hat,
                          ci.low = tau.hat - 2*tau.hat.se,
                          ci.high = tau.hat + 2*tau.hat.se)

  ggplot(data.pred) +
    geom_line(aes_string(x=selected.covariate, y="tau.hat", group = 1), color="black") +
    geom_errorbar(aes_string(x=selected.covariate, ymin="ci.low",
                             ymax="ci.high", width=.2), color="blue") +

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ylab("") +
ggtitle(paste0("Predicted treatment effect varying '",
               selected.covariate, "' (other variables fixed at median)")) +
scale_x_continuous(selected.covariate, breaks=covariate.grid,
                   labels=signif(covariate.grid, 2)) +
theme_minimal() +
theme(plot.title = element_text(size = 11, face = "bold"))
}

school_level_heterogeneity <- function(var_list, covariates, tau.hat, cf){
  school.mat <-
    model.matrix(~ b_schoolid + 0,
                 data = data.frame(var_list$X, b_schoolid = factor(var_list$C)))
  school.size <- colSums(school.mat)

  school.X <- (t(school.mat) %*%
              as.matrix(var_list$X[, covariates])) /
    school.size
  school.X <- data.frame(school.X)
  colnames(school.X) <- covariates

  # Compute doubly robust treatment estimates
  dr.score = tau.hat + var_list$W / cf$W.hat *
    (var_list$Y - cf$Y.hat - (1 - cf$W.hat) * tau.hat) -
    (1 - var_list$W) / (1 - cf$W.hat) *
    (var_list$Y - cf$Y.hat + cf$W.hat * tau.hat)
  score <- t(school.mat) %*% dr.score / school.size

  # Regression forest analysis
  school.forest <- regression_forest(school.X, score)
  school.pred <- predict(school.forest)$predictions
  print(test_calibration(school.forest))

  # OLS
  school.DF <- data.frame(school.X, school.score=score)
  print(coeftest(lm(school.score ~ ., data = school.DF), vcov = vcovHC))
}

love.plot.new = function(covar, treat, group = rep(1, length(treat)), sd.pre=NULL)
{
  plot.data = data.frame(group = character(), covar = character()
                        , diff = numeric(), stringsAsFactors = FALSE)
  n.groups = length(unique(group[group!=0])) # ignore block_0
  n.covar = ncol(covar)
  for(i in 1:n.groups) # for each subgroup
  {
    covar.g = covar[group == i,]
    treat.g = treat[group == i]
    # calculate standardized difference in means
    n = length(treat.g)
    n.treat = sum(treat.g)

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n.control = n - n.treat

treat.means = colSums(covar.g[treat.g == 1,])/n.treat
control.means = colSums(covar.g[treat.g == 0,])/n.control

if(is.null(sd.pre)){
  sd = sapply(covar.g, sd)
  sd[sd==0]=1
}else sd=sd.pre

diff = (treat.means - control.means)/sd

# now append this information
temp.data = cbind(rep(i, n.covar), names(covar), diff)
plot.data = rbind.data.frame(plot.data, temp.data, stringsAsFactors = FALSE)
}

colnames(plot.data) = c('group', 'covariate', 'diff')
range = max(abs(as.numeric(plot.data$diff)))

# produce plot
ggplot(plot.data) +
  geom_point(aes(x = as.numeric(diff),
                 y = covariate, color = "red")) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = 0) +
  xlim(-1, 1) +
  labs(x = 'Standardized Difference in Means')
}

```

## Data Setup

```

# Global student-level controls defined by authors
# Please write below formula without spaces
controls <- 'ageinm+male+refugee+astudent+b_schoolsize+braven_sd+beyes_sd+f_csize'
controls_vec <- strsplit(controls, split='\\+')[[1]]

# Define controls used for each outcome (this adds any controls that are specific to an outcome)
# Outcome 1: Student and Teacher Reports of Violence and Antisocial Behavior
violence.covariates <- c('bsbully_c', 'bstrata', 'b_districtid', controls_vec)

# Outcome 2: Social Exclusion
# ffriend
social.outcome <- 'ffriend'
social.covariates <- c('bfriend', 'bstrata', 'b_districtid', controls_vec)

# Host Emotional support
social.outcome <- 'fhostsupportself'
social.covariates <- c('bhostsupportself', 'bstrata', 'b_districtid', controls_vec)

# Outcome 3: Prosocial Behavior: Trust, Reciprocity and Cooperation
prosocial.covariates <- c('bstrata', 'b_districtid', controls_vec)

```



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# Outcome 4: Altruism
altruism.covariates <- c('bdonation_sd', 'a2', 'bstrata', 'b_districtid', controls_vec)

# Outcome 5: Achievement Tests
achievement.covariates <- c('bturk_sd', 'bstrata', 'b_districtid', controls_vec)

# 1. Load processed data -----
SC_Data <- haven::read_dta("C:/Users/ezhao/Downloads/JS_Stata_Processed.dta")
SC_Data <- as.data.table(SC_Data)
SC_Data <- SC_Data[, b_schoolid := factor(b_schoolid)]

SC_Data_Raw <- haven::read_dta("C:/Users/ezhao/Downloads/AlanBaysanGumrenKubilay_NO_IMPUTE.dta")
SC_Data_Raw <- as.data.table(SC_Data_Raw)
SC_Data_Raw <- SC_Data_Raw[, b_schoolid := factor(b_schoolid)]

SC_Data_schools <- SC_Data[, .(
  perpetrator = head(perpetrator, 1),
  victim = head(victim, 1),
  events = head(events, 1),
  treatment = head(treatment, 1),
  bstudentnum_2 = max(bstudentnum_2, na.rm = TRUE),
  bstudentnum_3 = max(bstudentnum_3, na.rm = TRUE),
  n_class = uniqueN(b_classid),
  bactive_syrian_2 = max(bactive_syrian_2, na.rm = TRUE),
  bactive_syrian_3 = max(bactive_syrian_3, na.rm = TRUE),
  b_provinceid = head(b_provinceid, 1),
  b_districtid = head(b_districtid, 1),
  bstrata = max(bstrata),
  refugee = sum(refugee),
  fhostsupportself = mean(fhostsupportself, na.rm = TRUE),
  bhostsupportself = mean(bhostsupportself, na.rm = TRUE)
), by = .(b_schoolid)]

# School size and Syrian/Refugee percentages
SC_Data_schools <- SC_Data_schools[, b_schoolsize := bstudentnum_2 + bstudentnum_3]
SC_Data_schools <- SC_Data_schools[, srefshare := (bactive_syrian_2 + bactive_syrian_3) /
  b_schoolsize]
SC_Data_schools <- SC_Data_schools[, refugee_share := refugee / b_schoolsize]

# Now for data with missing values
SC_Data_schools_raw <- SC_Data_Raw[, .(
  perpetrator = head(perpetrator, 1),
  victim = head(victim, 1),
  events = head(events, 1),
  treatment = head(treatment, 1),
  bstudentnum_2 = max(bstudentnum_2, na.rm = FALSE),
  bstudentnum_3 = max(bstudentnum_3, na.rm = FALSE),
  n_class = uniqueN(b_classid),
  bactive_syrian_2 = max(bactive_syrian_2, na.rm = FALSE),
  bactive_syrian_3 = max(bactive_syrian_3, na.rm = FALSE),
  b_provinceid = head(b_provinceid, 1),
  b_districtid = head(b_districtid, 1),

```

```

bstrata = max(bstrata),
refugee = sum(refugee),
fhostsupportself = mean(fhostsupportself, na.rm = FALSE),
bhostsupportself = mean(bhostsupportself, na.rm = FALSE)
), by = .(b_schoolid)]

# School size and Syrian/Refugee percentages
SC_Data_schools_raw <- SC_Data_schools_raw[, b_schoolsize := bstudentnum_2 + bstudentnum_3]
SC_Data_schools_raw <- SC_Data_schools_raw[, srefshare := (bactive_syrian_2 + bactive_syrian_3) /
b_schoolsize]
SC_Data_schools_raw <- SC_Data_schools_raw[, refugee_share := refugee / b_schoolsize]

```

## Data Section Results

```

# Percent of total refugees
sum(SC_Data$refugee) / nrow(SC_Data)

```

```
## [1] 0.1869808
```

```

# Number of missing data
sqldf("SELECT count(*)
FROM SC_Data_Raw
WHERE bhostsupportself is NULL")

```

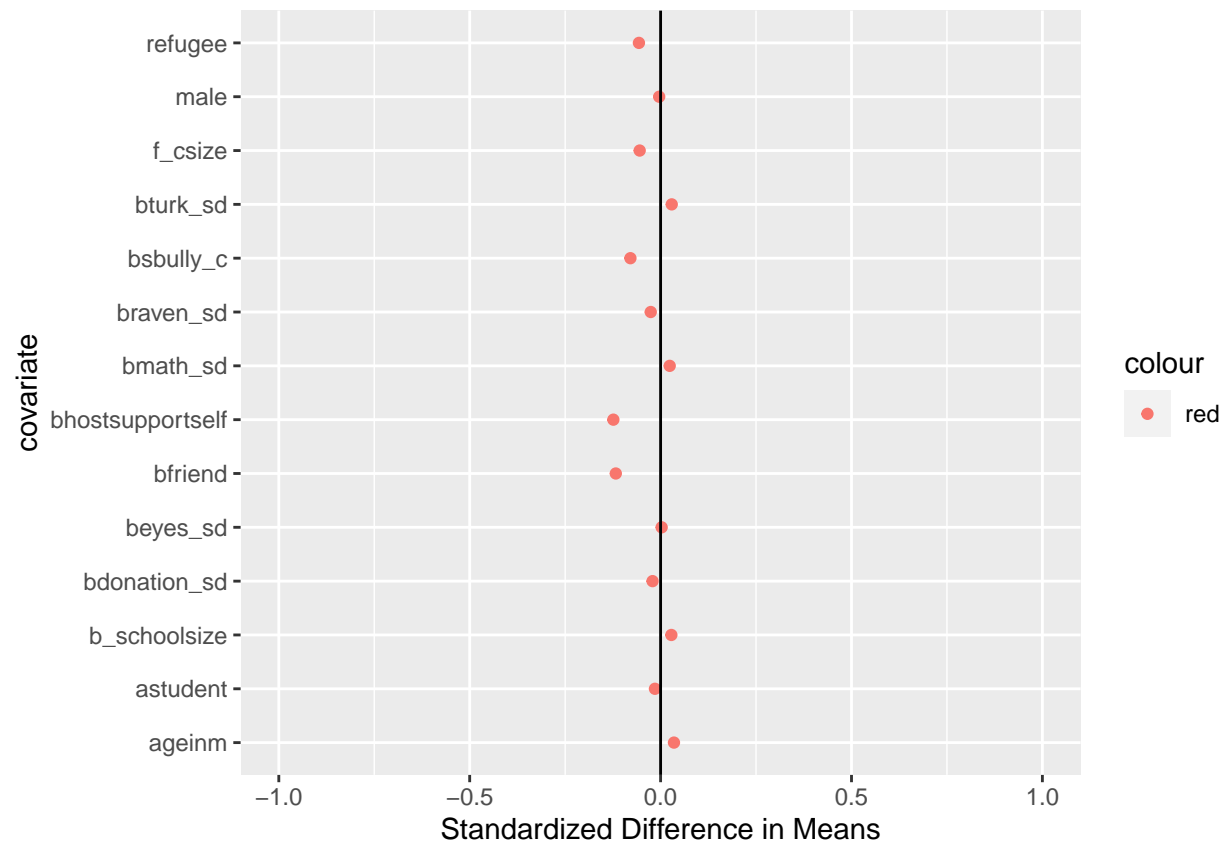
```
## count(*)
## 1 2652
```

```

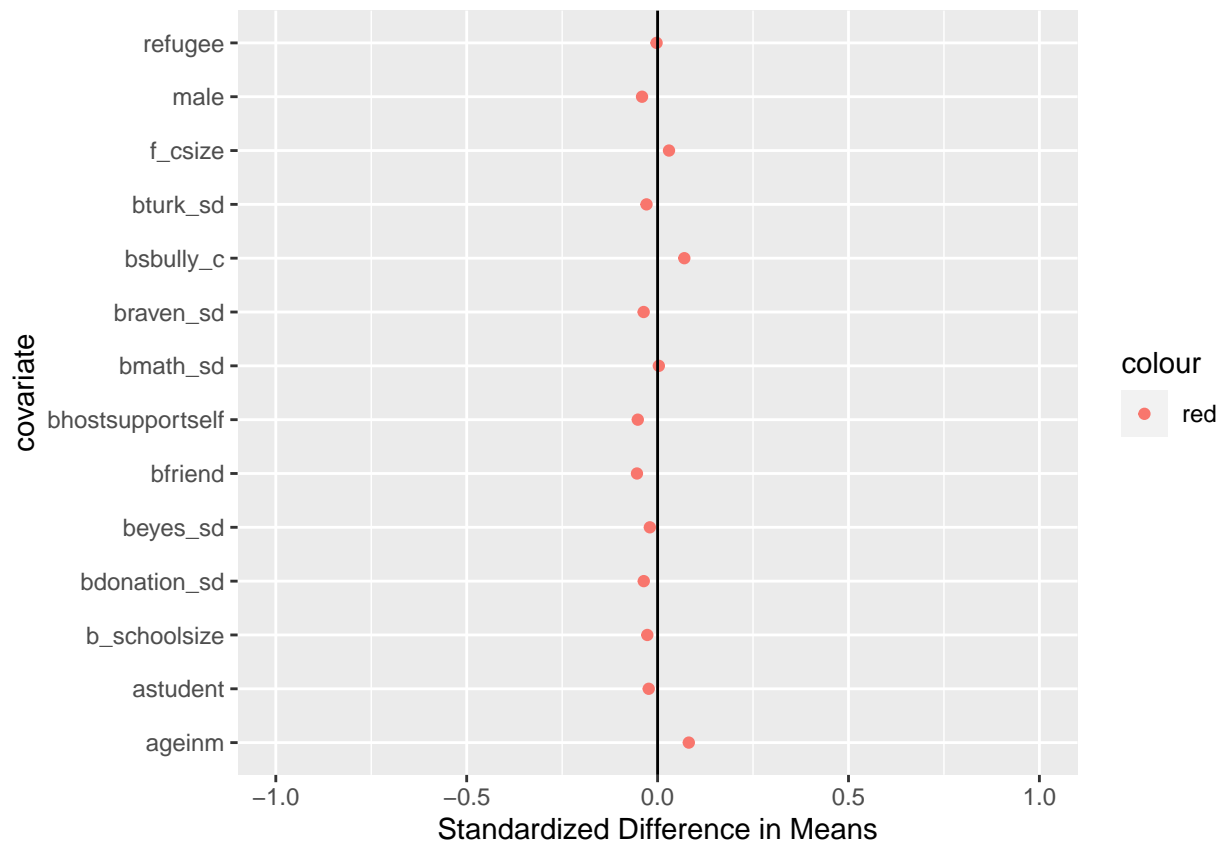
# Love Plot Generation
covariates <- c('ageinm', 'male',
'refugee', 'astudent', 'b_schoolsize', 'braven_sd', 'beyes_sd',
'f_csize', 'bfriend', 'bsbully_c', 'bhostsupportself',
'bdonation_sd', 'bmath_sd', 'bturk_sd')

selected_cols <- c(covariates, 'treatment')
data_fill <- SC_Data[, selected_cols, with=FALSE]
data_fill <- as.data.frame(data_fill[complete.cases(data_fill)])
cov <- data_fill[,1:14]
treat <- data_fill$treatment
love.plot.new(cov,treat)

```



```
data_fill_raw <- SC_Data_Raw[, selected_cols, with=FALSE]
data_fill_raw <- as.data.frame(data_fill_raw[complete.cases(data_fill_raw)])
cov_raw <- data_fill_raw[,1:14]
treat_raw <- data_fill_raw$treatment
love.plot.new(cov_raw, treat_raw)
```



## AIPW

```
covariates <- c('ageinm' , 'male' , 'bstrata',
               'refugee' , 'astudent' , 'braven_sd' , 'beyes_sd' , 'b_schoolsize',
               'f_csize','b_schoolid')
run_AIPW('ffriend','bfriend',covariates,'treatment',SC_Data_Raw)
```

```
##      estimate      std.err
## -0.003340690  0.005272661
## [1] "95% CI lower"
##      estimate
## -0.01367492
## [1] "95% CI upper"
##      estimate
## 0.006993536
```

```
run_AIPW('fsupportself','bsupportself',covariates,'treatment',SC_Data_Raw)
```

```
##      estimate      std.err
## 0.03468431  0.01573329
## [1] "95% CI lower"
##      estimate
```

```
## 0.003847626
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.06552099
```

```
run_AIPW('fsbully_c','bsbully_c',covariates,'treatment',SC_Data_Raw)
```

```
## estimate std.err
## 0.00342971 0.02209427
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## -0.03987426
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.04673368
```

```
run_AIPW('fmath_sd','bmath_sd',covariates,'treatment',SC_Data_Raw)
```

```
## estimate std.err
## 0.009819223 0.079565236
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## -0.1461258
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.1657642
```

```
run_AIPW('fturk_sd','bturk_sd',covariates,'treatment',SC_Data_Raw)
```

```
## estimate std.err
## 0.02638368 0.05734376
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## -0.08600802
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.1387754
```

```
run_AIPW_without_baseline('fs_decision_out','',covariates,'treatment',SC_Data_Raw)
```

```
## estimate std.err
## 0.25597495 0.06563883
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## 0.1273252
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.3846247
```

```

covariates <- c('ageinm' , 'male' , 'bstrata',
               'refugee' , 'astudent' , 'braven_sd' , 'beyes_sd' , 'b_schoolsize',
               'f_csize','b_schoolid','a2','inter1')
run_AIPW('fdonate','bdonation_sd',covariates,'treatment',SC_Data_Raw)

```

```

## estimate std.err
## 0.08730612 0.02836965
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## 0.03170264
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.1429096

```

```

run_AIPW('fdonation_perc','bdonation_sd',covariates,'treatment',SC_Data_Raw)

```

```

## estimate std.err
## 0.05806833 0.01870488
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## 0.02140744
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.09472923

```

```

all_columns_for_schools <- c('ageinm' , 'male' , 'bstrata',
                           'refugee' , 'astudent' , 'braven_sd' , 'beyes_sd' , 'b_schoolsize',
                           'f_csize','ffriend','bfriend','fsupportself','bsupportself',
                           'fsbully_c','bsbully_c','fmath_sd','bmath_sd','fturk_sd','bturk_sd','a2','inter1','trea
school_level <- students2schools(SC_Data_Raw,all_columns_for_schools,'b_schoolid')
covariates <- c('ageinm' , 'male' , 'bstrata',
               'refugee' , 'astudent' , 'braven_sd' , 'beyes_sd' , 'b_schoolsize',
               'f_csize','b_schoolid')
run_AIPW('ffriend','bfriend',covariates,'treatment',school_level)

```

```

## estimate std.err
## 0.008520145 0.006720651
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## -0.00465209
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.02169238

```

```

run_AIPW('fsupportself','bsupportself',covariates,'treatment',school_level)

```

```

## estimate std.err
## 0.03950970 0.01841041
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## 0.003425948

```

```
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.07559344
```

```
run_AIPW('fsbully_c','bsbully_c',covariates,'treatment',school_level)
```

```
## estimate std.err
## 0.01840889 0.02176682
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## -0.02425329
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.06107107
```

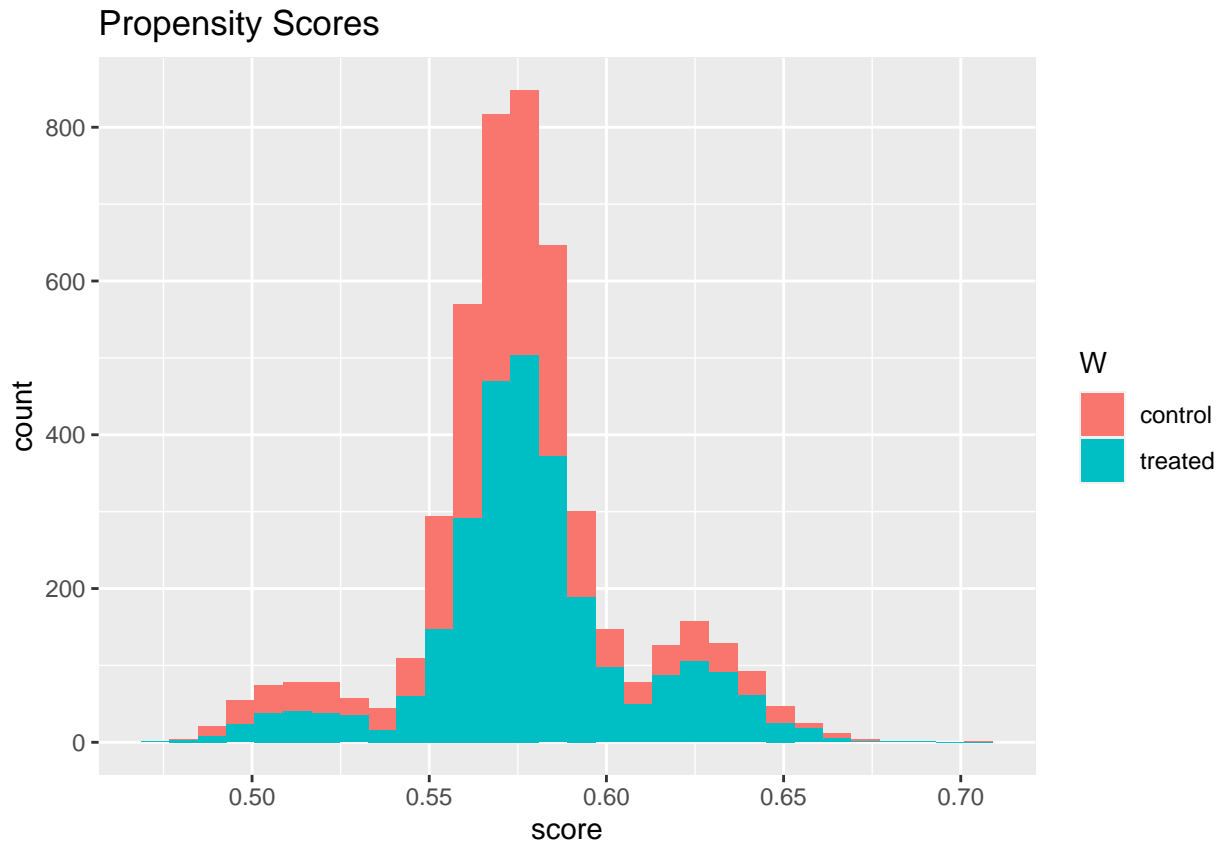
```
run_AIPW('fmath_sd','bmath_sd',covariates,'treatment',school_level)
```

```
## estimate std.err
## 0.008716151 0.087592515
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## -0.162962
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.1803943
```

```
run_AIPW('fturk_sd','bturk_sd',covariates,'treatment',school_level)
```

```
## estimate std.err
## 0.08920179 0.06171079
## [1] "95% CI lower"
## estimate
## -0.03174913
## [1] "95% CI upper"
## estimate
## 0.2101527
```

```
set.seed(123)
covariates <- c('ageinm' , 'male' , 'bstrata',
               'refugee' , 'astudent' , 'braven_sd' , 'beyes_sd' , 'b_schoolsize',
               'f_csize','bfriend')
list_data <- generate_X_Y_W_C_df('ffriend', covariates, SC_Data_Raw, 'treatment')
logit <- cv.glmnet(x=list_data$X, y=list_data$W, family="binomial")
e.hat <- predict(logit, list_data$X, s = "lambda.min", type="response")
e.hat.1 <- e.hat[list_data$W==1]
e.hat.0 <- e.hat[list_data$W==0]
e.hat.1.df = data.frame(prop= e.hat.1)
e.hat.1.df$W = "treated"
e.hat.0.df = data.frame(prop = e.hat.0)
e.hat.0.df$W = "control"
e_df <- rbind(e.hat.1.df,e.hat.0.df)
qplot(prop, data = e_df, geom="histogram",fill=W,main="Propensity Scores",xlab="score",ylab="count")
```



# HTE - Pre-Specified Hypothesis

```
m.table9.1 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fsbully_c ~ refugee* treatment + bsbully_c + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw)

# Outcome 2: Social Exclusion
m.table10.1 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'ffriend ~ refugee* treatment + bfriend + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw)

m.table10.3 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fhostsupportself ~ refugee*treatment + bhostsupportself + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) +',
  data = SC_Data_Raw)

# Outcome 3: Prosocial Behavior: Trust, Reciprocity and Cooperation
m.table11.2 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fs_decision_out ~ refugee* treatment + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw)

# Outcome 4: Altruism
m.table12.1 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fdonate ~ a2*treatment + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) + bdonation_sd +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw, subset = SC_Data_Raw$refugee == 0)

m.table12.2 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fdonate ~ a2*treatment + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) + bdonation_sd +', controls),
```



```

data = SC_Data_Raw, subset = SC_Data_Raw$refugee == 1)

m.table12.3 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fdonation_perc ~ a2*treatment + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) + bdonation_sd +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw, subset = SC_Data_Raw$refugee == 0)

m.table12.4 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fdonation_perc ~ a2*treatment + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) + bdonation_sd +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw, subset = SC_Data_Raw$refugee == 1)

# Outcome 5: Achievement Tests
m.table13.1 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fturk_sd ~ treatment + bturk_sd + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw, subset = SC_Data_Raw$refugee == 0)

m.table13.2 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fturk_sd ~ treatment + bturk_sd + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw, subset = SC_Data_Raw$refugee == 1)

m.table13.3 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fmath_sd ~ treatment + bmath_sd + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw, subset = SC_Data_Raw$refugee == 0)

m.table13.4 <- lm(formula = paste0(
  'fmath_sd ~ treatment + bmath_sd + factor(bstrata) + factor(b_districtid) +', controls),
  data = SC_Data_Raw, subset = SC_Data_Raw$refugee == 1)

```

## HTE - Causal Trees

```

fm1a <- paste0(
  'fsbully_c ~ bsbully_c + factor(bstrata) +', controls)

# Dividing data into three subsets
indices <- split(seq(nrow(SC_Data_Raw)), sort(seq(nrow(SC_Data_Raw)) % 3))
names(indices) <- c('split', 'est', 'test')

# Fitting the forest
ct.unpruned <- honest.causalTree(
  formula=fm1a,                # Define the model
  data=SC_Data_Raw[indices$split,],
  treatment=SC_Data_Raw[indices$split, treatment],
  est_data=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est,],
  est_treatment=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est, treatment],
  minsize=1,                  # Min. number of treatment and control cases in each leaf
  HonestSampleSize=length(indices$est), # Num obs used in estimation after splitting
  # We recommend not changing the parameters below
  split.Rule="CT",           # Define the splitting option
  cv.option="TOT",           # Cross validation options
  cp=0,                      # Complexity parameter
  split.Honest=TRUE,         # Use honesty when splitting

```

```

cv.Honest=TRUE          # Use honesty when performing cross-validation
)

## [1] 2
## [1] "CT"

# Table of cross-validated values by tuning parameter.
ct.cptable <- as.data.frame(ct.unpruned$cptable)

# Obtain optimal complexity parameter to prune tree.
cp.selected <- which.min(ct.cptable$error)
cp.optimal <- ct.cptable[cp.selected, "CP"]

# Prune the tree at optimal complexity parameter.
ct.pruned <- prune(tree=ct.unpruned, cp=cp.optimal)

# Predict point estimates (on estimation sample)
tau.hat.est <- predict(ct.pruned, newdata=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est,])

# Create a factor column 'leaf' indicating leaf assignment in the estimation set
num.leaves <- length(unique(tau.hat.est))
leaf <- factor(tau.hat.est, levels=sort(unique(tau.hat.est)), labels = seq(num.leaves))

#Plot
rpart.plot(
  x=ct.pruned,          # Pruned tree
  type=3,               # Draw separate split labels for the left and right directions
  fallen=TRUE,          # Position the leaf nodes at the bottom of the graph
  leaf.round=1,         # Rounding of the corners of the leaf node boxes
  extra=100,            # Display the percentage of observations in the node
  branch=.1,           # Shape of the branch lines
  box.palette="RdBu")   # Palette for coloring the node

```



```

# Table of cross-validated values by tuning parameter.
ct.cptable <- as.data.frame(ct.unpruned$cptable)

# Obtain optimal complexity parameter to prune tree.
cp.selected <- which.min(ct.cptable$xerror)
cp.optimal <- ct.cptable[cp.selected, "CP"]

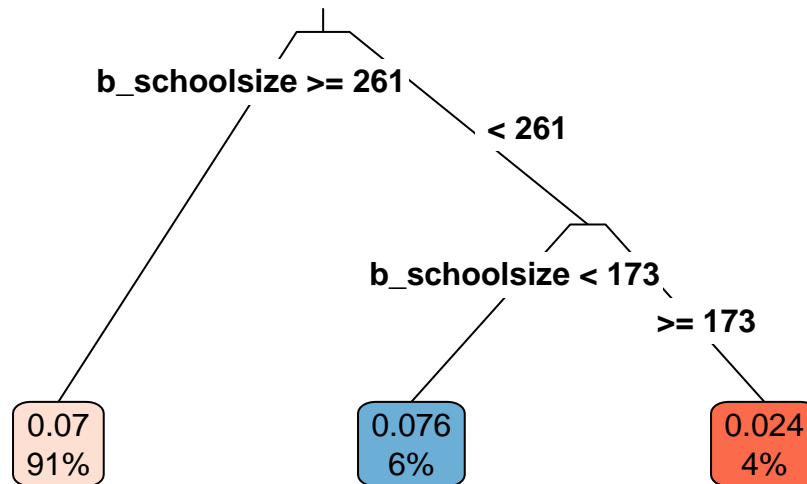
# Prune the tree at optimal complexity parameter.
ct.pruned <- prune(tree=ct.unpruned, cp=cp.optimal)

# Predict point estimates (on estimation sample)
tau.hat.est <- predict(ct.pruned, newdata=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est,])

# Create a factor column 'leaf' indicating leaf assignment in the estimation set
num.leaves <- length(unique(tau.hat.est))
leaf <- factor(tau.hat.est, levels=sort(unique(tau.hat.est)), labels = seq(num.leaves))

#Plot
rpart.plot(
  x=ct.pruned,          # Pruned tree
  type=3,               # Draw separate split labels for the left and right directions
  fallen=TRUE,          # Position the leaf nodes at the bottom of the graph
  leaf.round=1,         # Rounding of the corners of the leaf node boxes
  extra=100,            # Display the percentage of observations in the node
  branch=.1,           # Shape of the branch lines
  box.palette="RdBu")   # Palette for coloring the node

```



```

fmla <- paste0(
  'fs_decision_in ~ factor(bstrata) +', controls)

# Dividing data into three subsets
indices <- split(seq(nrow(SC_Data_Raw)), sort(seq(nrow(SC_Data_Raw)) %% 3))
names(indices) <- c('split', 'est', 'test')

# Fitting the forest
ct.unpruned <- honest.causalTree(
  formula=fmla,          # Define the model
  data=SC_Data_Raw[indices$split,],
  treatment=SC_Data_Raw[indices$split, treatment],
  est_data=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est,],
  est_treatment=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est, treatment],
  minsize=1,            # Min. number of treatment and control cases in each leaf
  HonestSampleSize=length(indices$est), # Num obs used in estimation after splitting
  # We recommend not changing the parameters below
  split.Rule="CT",      # Define the splitting option
  cv.option="TOT",      # Cross validation options
  cp=0,                 # Complexity parameter
  split.Honest=TRUE,    # Use honesty when splitting
  cv.Honest=TRUE        # Use honesty when performing cross-validation
)

```

```

## [1] 2
## [1] "CT"

```

```

# Table of cross-validated values by tuning parameter.
ct.cptable <- as.data.frame(ct.unpruned$cptable)

# Obtain optimal complexity parameter to prune tree.
cp.selected <- which.min(ct.cptable$xerror)
cp.optimal <- ct.cptable[cp.selected, "CP"]

# Prune the tree at optimal complexity parameter.
ct.pruned <- prune(tree=ct.unpruned, cp=cp.optimal)

# Predict point estimates (on estimation sample)
tau.hat.est <- predict(ct.pruned, newdata=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est,])

# Create a factor column 'leaf' indicating leaf assignment in the estimation set
num.leaves <- length(unique(tau.hat.est))
leaf <- factor(tau.hat.est, levels=sort(unique(tau.hat.est)), labels = seq(num.leaves))

#Plot
rpart.plot(
  x=ct.pruned,          # Pruned tree
  type=3,               # Draw separate split labels for the left and right directions
  fallen=TRUE,          # Position the leaf nodes at the bottom of the graph
  leaf.round=1,         # Rounding of the corners of the leaf node boxes
  extra=100,            # Display the percentage of observations in the node
  branch=.1,           # Shape of the branch lines
  box.palette="RdBu")   # Palette for coloring the node

```

0.41  
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```
fmla <- paste0(
  'fdonate ~ bdonation_sd + factor(bstrata) +', controls)

# Dividing data into three subsets
indices <- split(seq(nrow(SC_Data_Raw)), sort(seq(nrow(SC_Data_Raw)) %% 3))
names(indices) <- c('split', 'est', 'test')

# Fitting the forest
ct.unpruned <- honest.causalTree(
  formula=fmla,          # Define the model
  data=SC_Data_Raw[indices$split,],
  treatment=SC_Data_Raw[indices$split, treatment],
  est_data=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est,],
  est_treatment=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est, treatment],
  minsize=1,             # Min. number of treatment and control cases in each leaf
  HonestSampleSize=length(indices$est), # Num obs used in estimation after splitting
  # We recommend not changing the parameters below
  split.Rule="CT",       # Define the splitting option
  cv.option="TOT",       # Cross validation options
  cp=0,                  # Complexity parameter
  split.Honest=TRUE,     # Use honesty when splitting
  cv.Honest=TRUE         # Use honesty when performing cross-validation
)

## [1] 2
## [1] "CT"
```

```

# Table of cross-validated values by tuning parameter.
ct.cptable <- as.data.frame(ct.unpruned$cptable)

# Obtain optimal complexity parameter to prune tree.
cp.selected <- which.min(ct.cptable$xerror)
cp.optimal <- ct.cptable[cp.selected, "CP"]

# Prune the tree at optimal complexity parameter.
ct.pruned <- prune(tree=ct.unpruned, cp=cp.optimal)

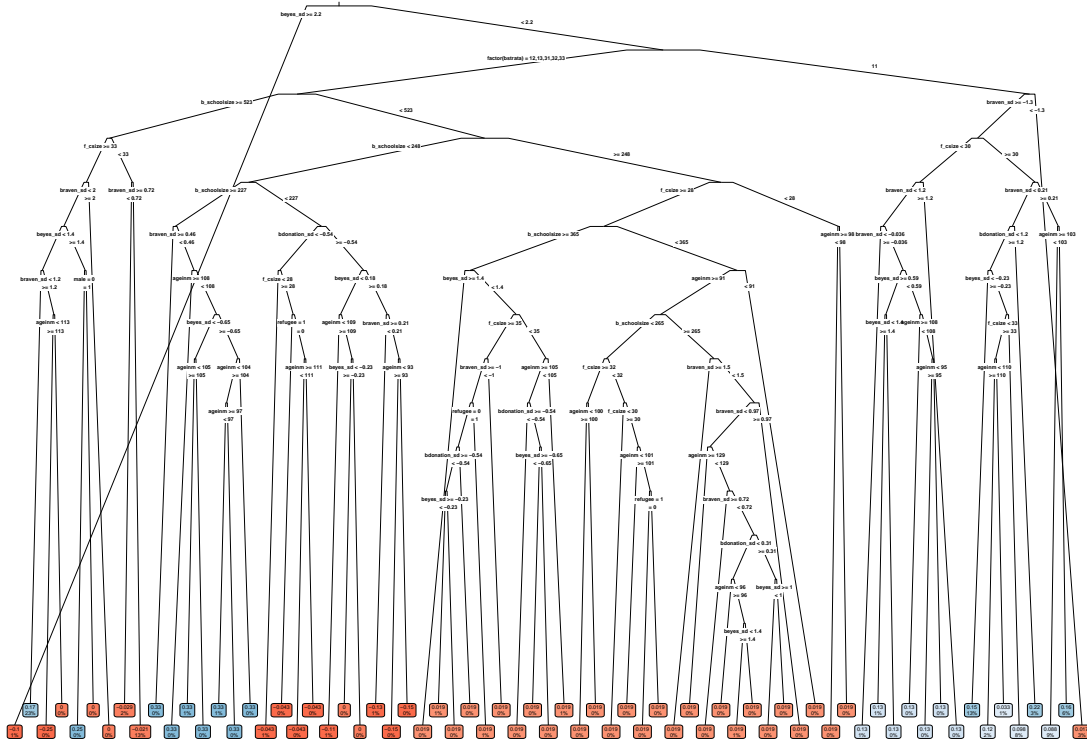
# Predict point estimates (on estimation sample)
tau.hat.est <- predict(ct.pruned, newdata=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est,])

# Create a factor column 'leaf' indicating leaf assignment in the estimation set
num.leaves <- length(unique(tau.hat.est))
leaf <- factor(tau.hat.est, levels=sort(unique(tau.hat.est)), labels = seq(num.leaves))

#Plot
rpart.plot(
  x=ct.pruned,          # Pruned tree
  type=3,               # Draw separate split labels for the left and right directions
  fallen=TRUE,          # Position the leaf nodes at the bottom of the graph
  leaf.round=1,         # Rounding of the corners of the leaf node boxes
  extra=100,            # Display the percentage of observations in the node
  branch=.1,           # Shape of the branch lines
  box.palette="RdBu")   # Palette for coloring the node

```





```
fmla <- paste0(
  'fturk_sd ~ bturk_sd + factor(bstrata) +', controls)

# Dividing data into three subsets
indices <- split(seq(nrow(SC_Data_Raw)), sort(seq(nrow(SC_Data_Raw)) %% 3))
names(indices) <- c('split', 'est', 'test')

# Fitting the forest
ct.unpruned <- honest.causalTree(
  formula=fmla,                # Define the model
  data=SC_Data_Raw[indices$split,],
  treatment=SC_Data_Raw[indices$split, treatment],
  est_data=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est,],
  est_treatment=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est, treatment],
  minsize=1,                  # Min. number of treatment and control cases in each leaf
  HonestSampleSize=length(indices$est), # Num obs used in estimation after splitting
  # We recommend not changing the parameters below
  split.Rule="CT",           # Define the splitting option
  cv.option="TOT",           # Cross validation options
  cp=0,                      # Complexity parameter
  split.Honest=TRUE,         # Use honesty when splitting
  cv.Honest=TRUE             # Use honesty when performing cross-validation
)

## [1] 2
## [1] "CT"
```

```

# Table of cross-validated values by tuning parameter.
ct.cptable <- as.data.frame(ct.unpruned$cptable)

# Obtain optimal complexity parameter to prune tree.
cp.selected <- which.min(ct.cptable$xerror)
cp.optimal <- ct.cptable[cp.selected, "CP"]

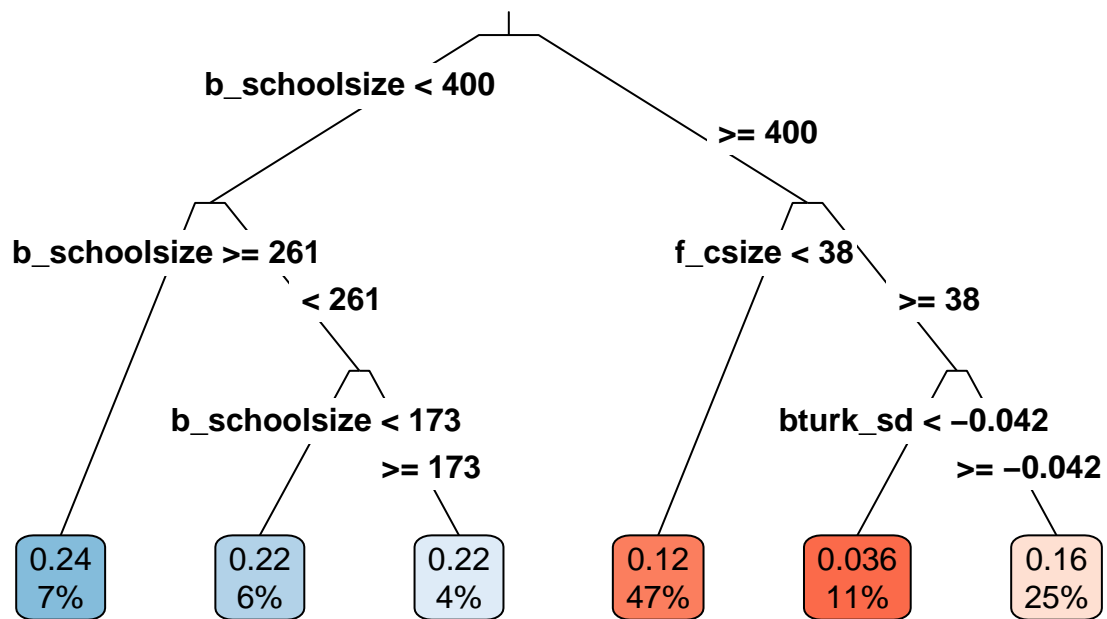
# Prune the tree at optimal complexity parameter.
ct.pruned <- prune(tree=ct.unpruned, cp=cp.optimal)

# Predict point estimates (on estimation sample)
tau.hat.est <- predict(ct.pruned, newdata=SC_Data_Raw[indices$est,])

# Create a factor column 'leaf' indicating leaf assignment in the estimation set
num.leaves <- length(unique(tau.hat.est))
leaf <- factor(tau.hat.est, levels=sort(unique(tau.hat.est)), labels = seq(num.leaves))

#Plot
rpart.plot(
  x=ct.pruned,          # Pruned tree
  type=3,               # Draw separate split labels for the left and right directions
  fallen=TRUE,          # Position the leaf nodes at the bottom of the graph
  leaf.round=1,         # Rounding of the corners of the leaf node boxes
  extra=100,            # Display the percentage of observations in the node
  branch=.1,            # Shape of the branch lines
  box.palette="RdBu")   # Palette for coloring the node

```



## HTE - Causal Forests

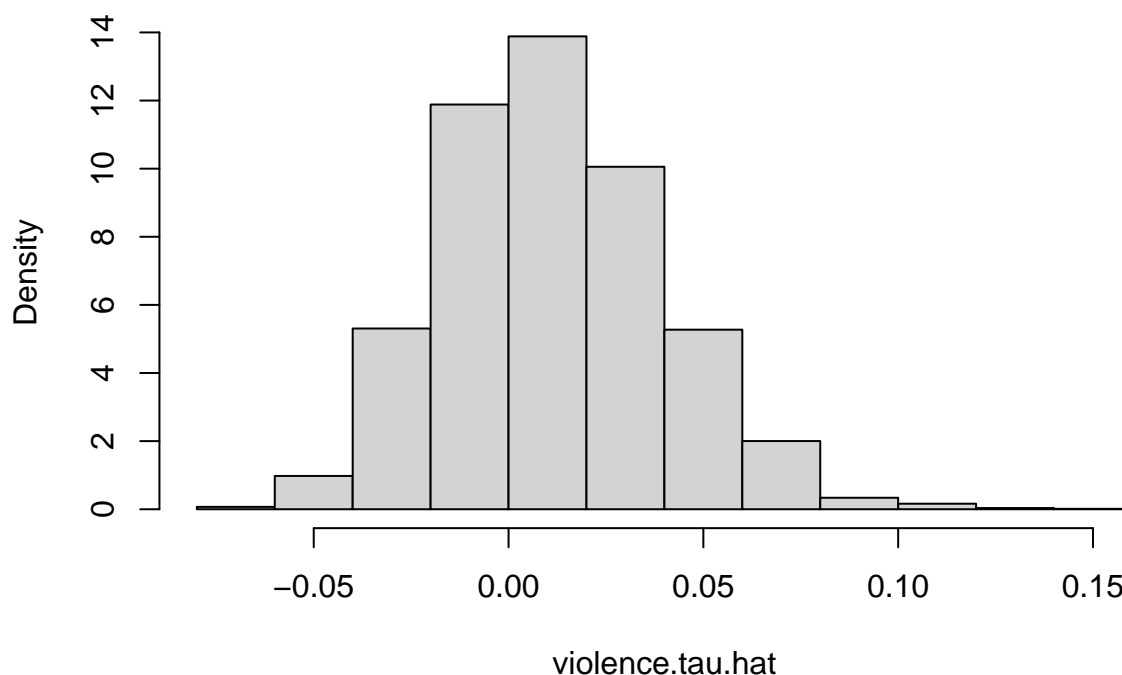
```

violenence_list <- generate_X_Y_W_C_raw(outcome = 'fsbully_c', covariates = violence.covariates)
violenence.n <- dim(violenence_list$X)[1]
violenence.cf <- causal_forest(X = violenence_list$X, Y = violenence_list$Y,
                              W = violenence_list$W, clusters = violenence_list$C, W.hat = .5)

# CATE histogram
violenence.tau.hat <- predict(violenence.cf)$predictions
hist(violenence.tau.hat, main="Violence outcome: CATE estimates", freq=F)

```

## Violence outcome: CATE estimates



```
# Variable importance
violence.var_imp <- c(variable_importance(violence.cf))
names(violence.var_imp) <- violence.covariates # TODO What IS NA? The clusters?
violence.sorted_var_imp <- sort(violence.var_imp, decreasing = TRUE)
```

```
# Best linear projection
best_linear_projection(violence.cf, violence_list$X)
```

```
##
## Best linear projection of the conditional average treatment effect.
## Confidence intervals are cluster- and heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3):
##
##           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -2.3734e-01 2.4934e-01 -0.9519 0.34122
## bsbully_c    -2.4600e-02 3.8763e-02 -0.6346 0.52571
## bstrata      2.2401e-03 4.7372e-03  0.4729 0.63634
## b_districtid -1.5106e-03 1.4169e-02 -0.1066 0.91510
## ageinm       2.6715e-03 1.8505e-03  1.4437 0.14890
## male         1.2542e-02 2.8149e-02  0.4456 0.65593
## refugee      -7.4950e-02 5.0095e-02 -1.4962 0.13468
## astudent     9.3366e-02 5.5346e-02  1.6870 0.09169 .
## b_schoolsize -2.2448e-05 9.7317e-05 -0.2307 0.81759
## braven_sd    -2.4363e-02 1.3280e-02 -1.8346 0.06664 .
## beyes_sd     -2.7339e-03 1.4507e-02 -0.1885 0.85053
## f_csize      -1.4324e-03 3.8317e-03 -0.3738 0.70856
## ---
```

```
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
# Calibration
```

```
test_calibration(violence.cf)
```

```
##
```

```
## Best linear fit using forest predictions (on held-out data)
```

```
## as well as the mean forest prediction as regressors, along
```

```
## with one-sided heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3) SEs:
```

```
##
```

```
##
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(>t)
## mean.forest.prediction	0.77033	1.80873	0.4259	0.3351
## differential.forest.prediction	-0.80086	0.58905	-1.3596	0.9130

```
# Compare regions with above/below median CATEs (from Wager & Athey)
```

```
high_effect <- violence.tau.hat > median(violence.tau.hat)
```

```
ate.high <- average_treatment_effect( violence.cf , subset = high_effect )
```

```
ate.low <- average_treatment_effect( violence.cf, subset =! high_effect )
```

```
paste ("95% CI for difference in ATE:",
```

```
      round(ate.high[1] - ate.low[1] , 3) , "+/-",
```

```
      round(qnorm(0.975) * sqrt ( ate.high[2]^2 + ate.low[2]^2) , 3))
```

```
## [1] "95% CI for difference in ATE: -0.018 +/- 0.075"
```

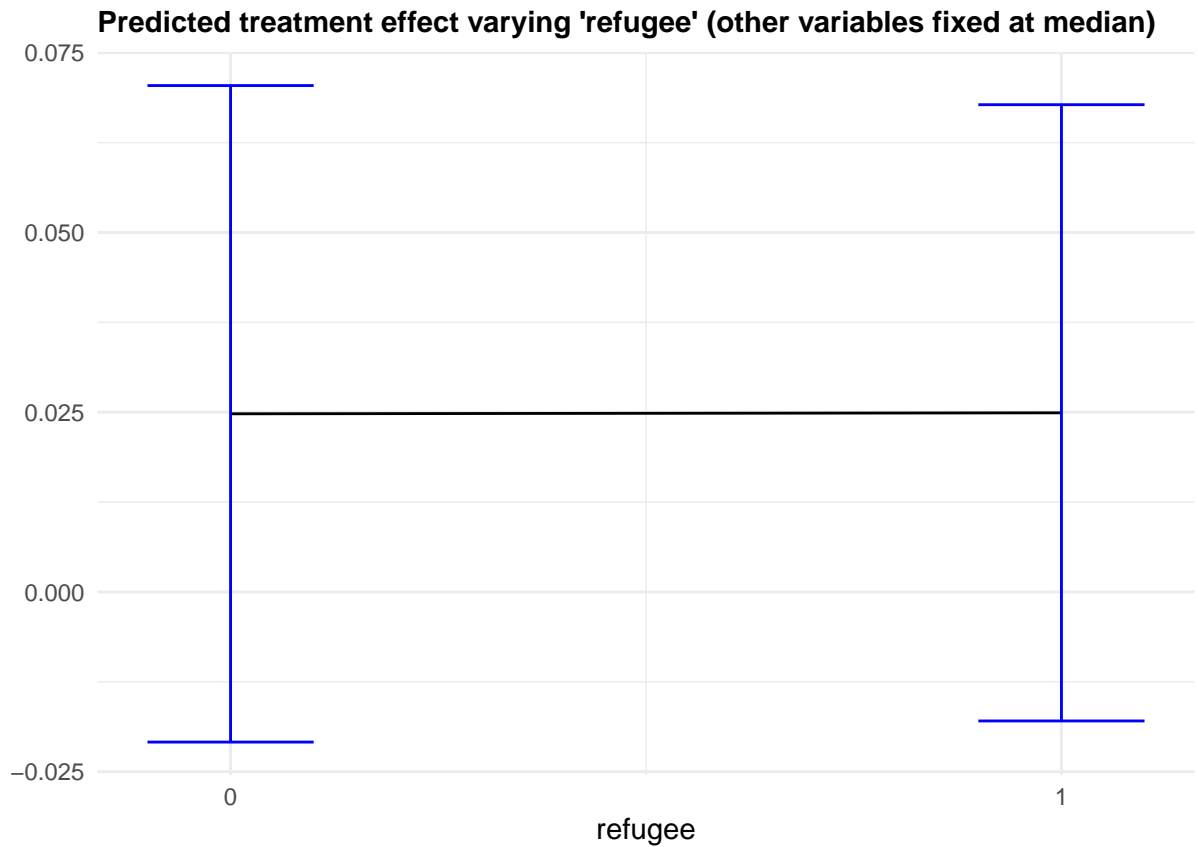
```
# Partial dependence
```

```
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'refugee',
```

```
                          covariates = violence.covariates,
```

```
                          type = 'binary', X = violence_list$X,
```

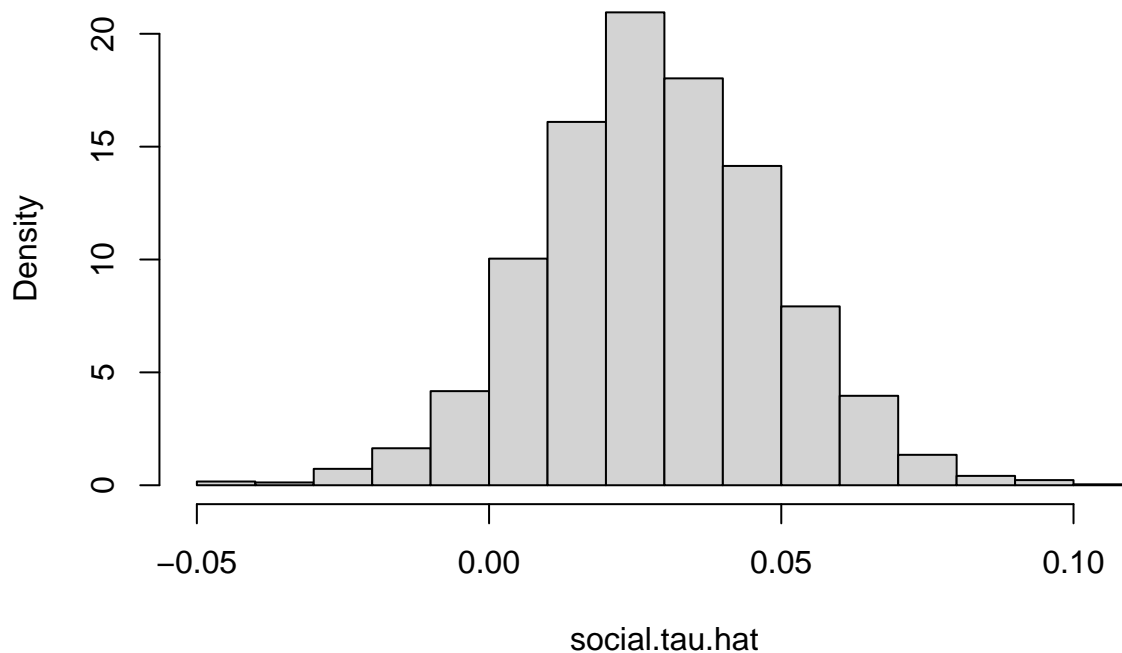
```
                          causal.forest = violence.cf)
```



```
# Fit causal tree
social_list <- generate_X_Y_W_C_raw(outcome = social.outcome, covariates = social.covariates)
social.n <- dim(social_list$X)[1]
social.cf <- causal_forest(X = social_list$X, Y = social_list$Y,
                           W = social_list$W, clusters = social_list$C, W.hat = .5)

# CATE histogram
social.tau.hat <- predict(social.cf)$predictions
hist(social.tau.hat, main="Social Exclusion outcome: CATE estimates", freq=F)
```

## Social Exclusion outcome: CATE estimates



```
# Variable importance
social.var_imp <- c(variable_importance(social.cf))
names(social.var_imp) <- colnames(social_list$X)
social.sorted_var_imp <- sort(social.var_imp, decreasing = TRUE)

# Best linear projection
best_linear_projection(social.cf, social_list$X)
```

```
##
## Best linear projection of the conditional average treatment effect.
## Confidence intervals are cluster- and heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3):
##
##           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -5.2825e-02 2.2170e-01 -0.2383  0.8117
## bhostsupportself -1.3092e-02 3.0755e-02 -0.4257  0.6703
## bstrata         2.1512e-03 6.0914e-03  0.3531  0.7240
## b_districtid    -1.1750e-02 2.0006e-02 -0.5873  0.5570
## ageinm          9.5540e-04 1.4044e-03  0.6803  0.4964
## male           -8.2781e-03 2.2777e-02 -0.3634  0.7163
## refugee        -6.0497e-02 5.9645e-02 -1.0143  0.3105
## astudent      -3.5833e-02 6.4585e-02 -0.5548  0.5790
## b_schoolsize    2.0332e-05 1.1336e-04  0.1794  0.8577
## braven_sd      -1.0469e-02 1.2170e-02 -0.8602  0.3897
## beyes_sd        7.3524e-03 1.2203e-02  0.6025  0.5469
## f_csize         3.1997e-04 4.8481e-03  0.0660  0.9474
```

```
# Calibration
test_calibration(social.cf)
```

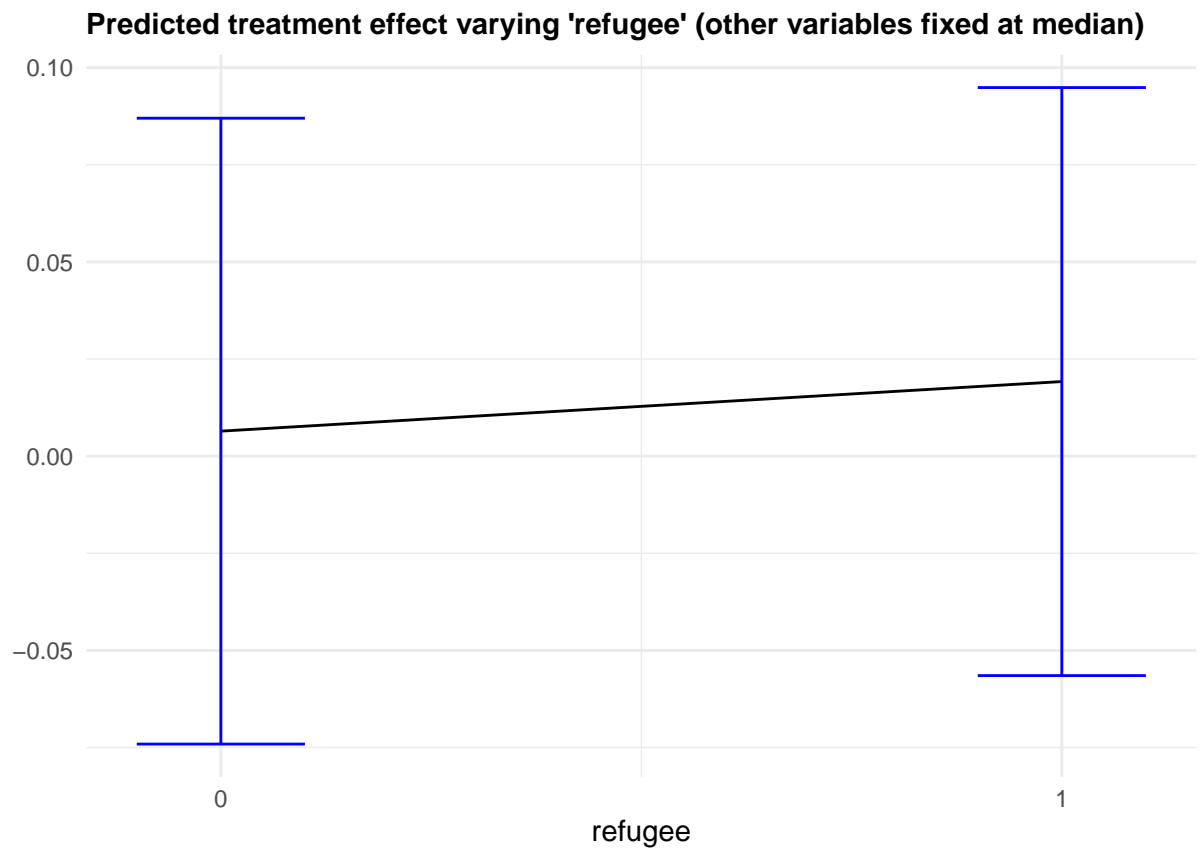
```
##
## Best linear fit using forest predictions (on held-out data)
## as well as the mean forest prediction as regressors, along
## with one-sided heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3) SEs:
##
##               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>t)
## mean.forest.prediction      1.03595    0.54191  1.9117 0.02799 *
## differential.forest.prediction -2.27367    1.03884 -2.1887 0.98567
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
# Compare regions with above/below median CATEs (from Wager & Athey)
high_effect <- social.tau.hat > median(social.tau.hat)
ate.high <- average_treatment_effect( social.cf , subset = high_effect )
ate.low <- average_treatment_effect( social.cf, subset =! high_effect )
paste ("95% CI for difference in ATE:",
      round(ate.high[1] - ate.low[1] , 3) , "+/-",
      round(qnorm(0.975) * sqrt ( ate.high[2]^2 + ate.low[2]^2) , 3))
```

```
## [1] "95% CI for difference in ATE: -0.08 +/- 0.067"
```

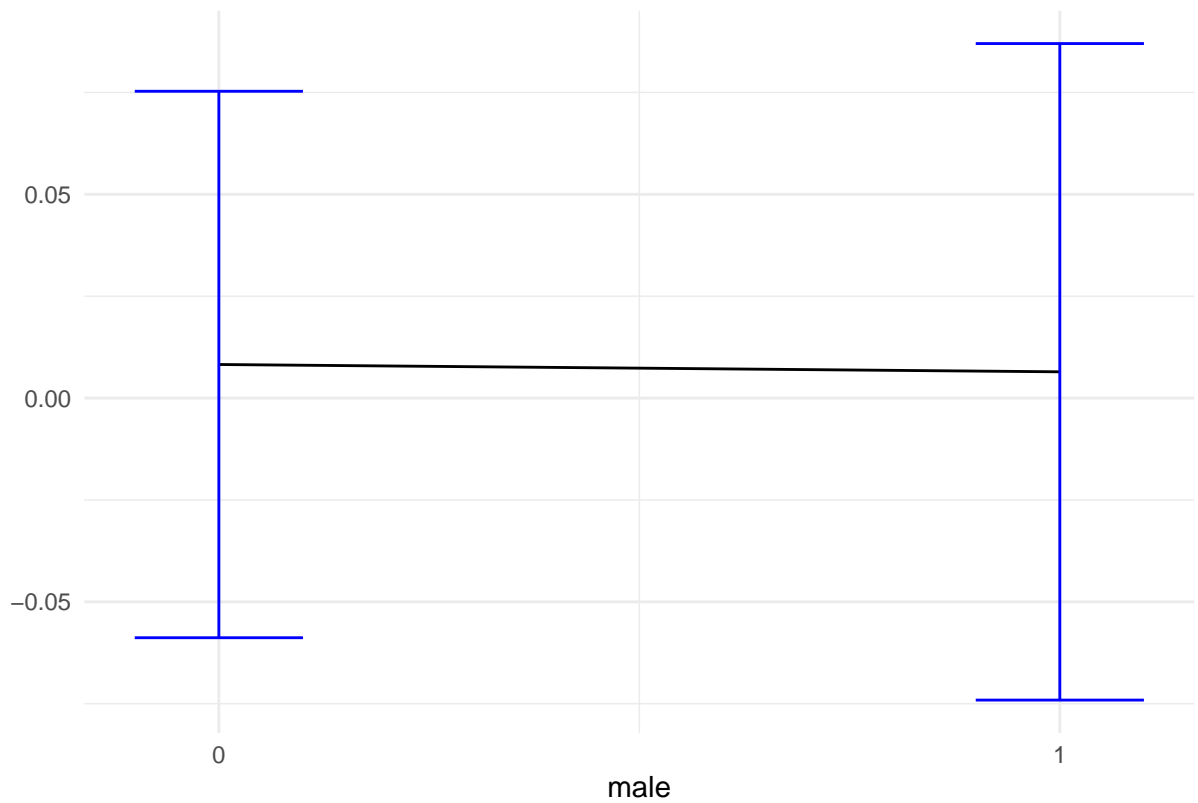
```
# Partial dependence
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'refugee',
  covariates = colnames(social_list$X)[2:length(colnames(social_list$X))],
  type = 'binary', X = social_list$X,
  causal.forest = social.cf)
```





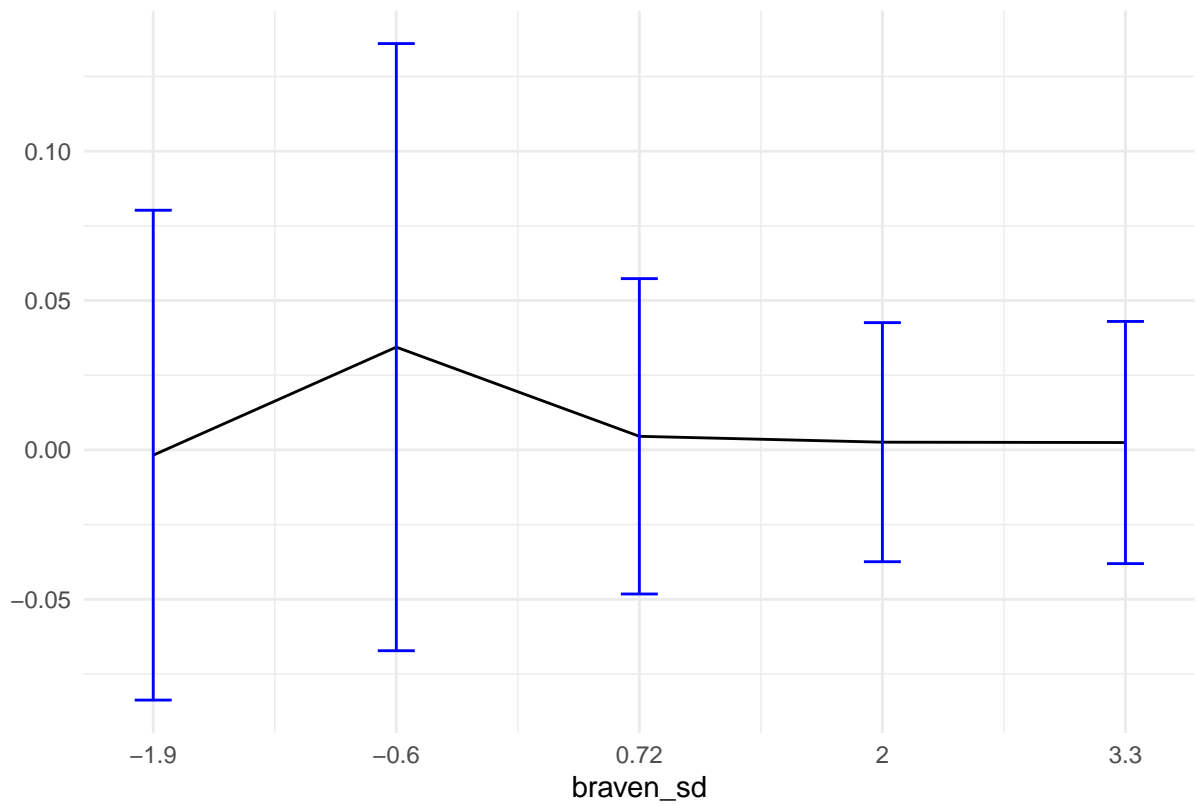
```
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'male',  
                           covariates = social.covariates,  
                           type = 'binary', X = social_list$X,  
                           causal.forest = social.cf)
```

**Predicted treatment effect varying 'male' (other variables fixed at median)**



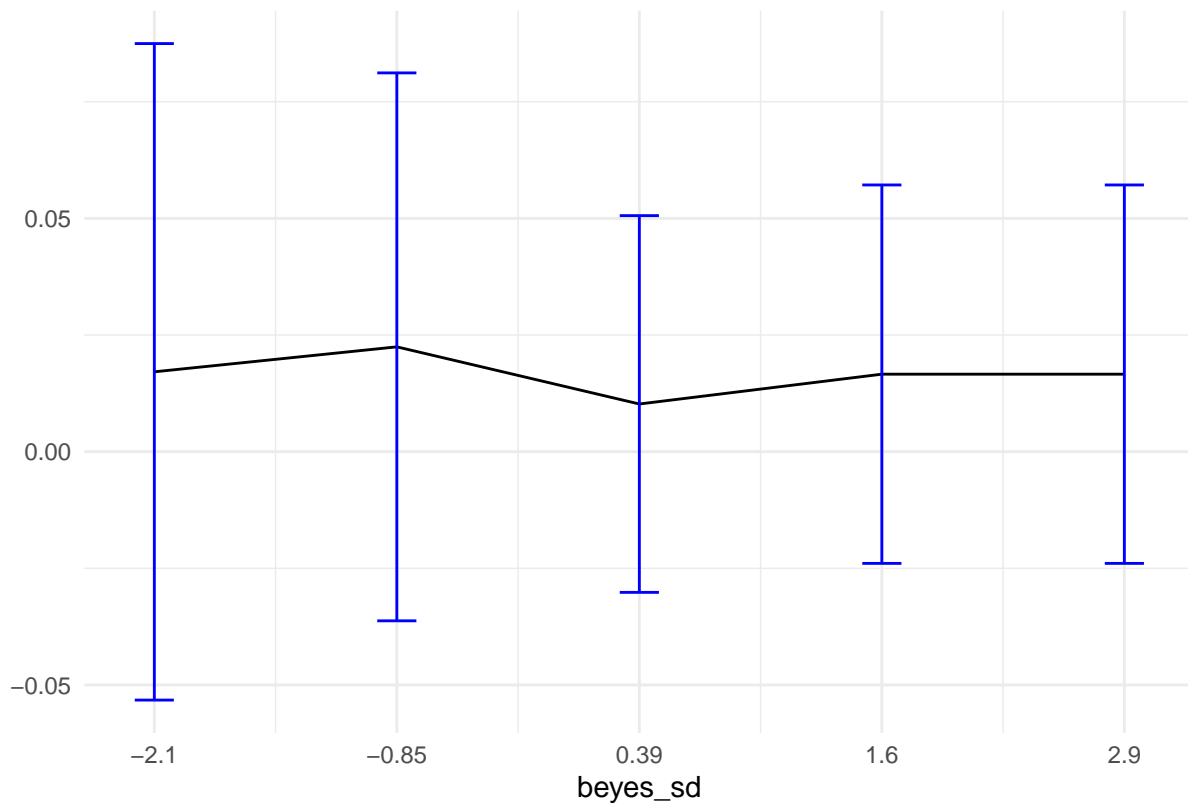
```
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'braven_sd',  
                           covariates = social.covariates,  
                           type = 'non-binary', X = social_list$X,  
                           causal.forest = social.cf, grid_size = 5)
```

**Predicted treatment effect varying 'braven\_sd' (other variables fixed at median)**



```
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'beyes_sd',  
                           covariates = social.covariates,  
                           type = 'non-binary', X = social_list$X,  
                           causal.forest = social.cf, grid_size = 5)
```

Predicted treatment effect varying 'beyes\_sd' (other variables fixed at median)



```
# Regress AIPW scores on group membership
social.aipw <- get_AIPW_scores(social_list, social.cf)

social.aipw.ols <- lm(formula = 'social.aipw ~ refugee',
  data = transform(social_list$X, aipw.scores = social.aipw))
social.ols.res <- coeftest(social.aipw.ols, vcov = vcovHC(social.aipw.ols, "HC2"))

social.aipw.ols <- lm(formula = 'social.aipw ~ I(braven_sd < -0.6)',
  data = transform(social_list$X, aipw.scores = social.aipw))
social.ols.res <- coeftest(social.aipw.ols, vcov = vcovHC(social.aipw.ols, "HC2"))

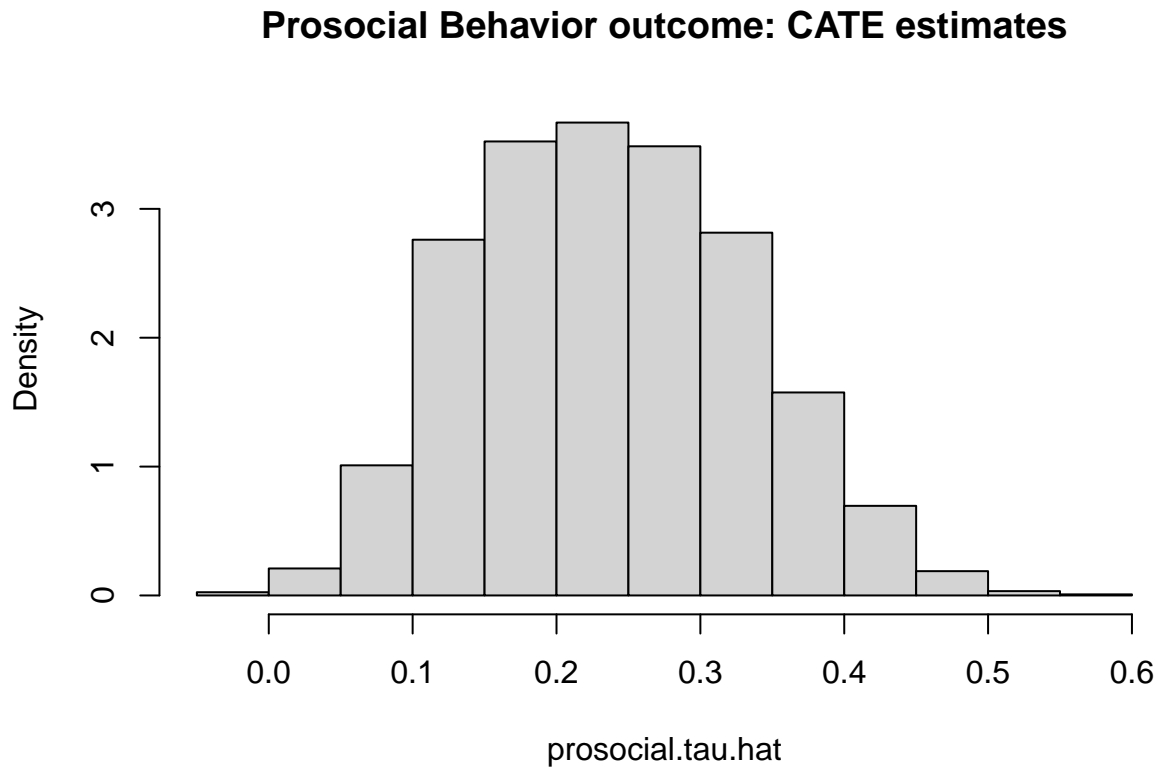
social.aipw.ols <- lm(formula = 'social.aipw ~ male',
  data = transform(social_list$X, aipw.scores = social.aipw))
social.ols.res <- coeftest(social.aipw.ols, vcov = vcovHC(social.aipw.ols, "HC2"))

social.aipw.ols <- lm(formula = 'social.aipw ~ beyes_sd',
  data = transform(social_list$X, aipw.scores = social.aipw))
social.ols.res <- coeftest(social.aipw.ols, vcov = vcovHC(social.aipw.ols, "HC2"))

prosocial_list <- generate_X_Y_W_C_raw(outcome = 'fs_decision_out', covariates = prosocial.covariates)
prosocial.n <- dim(prosocial_list$X)[1]
prosocial.cf <- causal_forest(X = prosocial_list$X, Y = prosocial_list$Y,
  W = prosocial_list$W, clusters = prosocial_list$C, W.hat = .5)

# CATE histogram
prosocial.tau.hat <- predict(prosocial.cf)$predictions
```

```
hist(prosocial.tau.hat, main="Prosocial Behavior outcome: CATE estimates", freq=F)
```



```
# Variable importance
prosocial.var_imp <- c(variable_importance(prosocial.cf))
names(prosocial.var_imp) <- prosocial.covariates # TODO What IS NA? The clusters?
prosocial.sorted_var_imp <- sort(prosocial.var_imp, decreasing = TRUE)

# Data-driven subgroups
# TODO pending: How to deal with use of clusters argument for folds vs. for clusters?

# Best linear projection
best_linear_projection(prosocial.cf, prosocial_list$X)

##
## Best linear projection of the conditional average treatment effect.
## Confidence intervals are cluster- and heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3):
##
##      Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  0.25506524  0.70405662  0.3623  0.7172
## bstrata      0.00984625  0.01948704  0.5053  0.6134
## b_districtid -0.03175718  0.04548329 -0.6982  0.4851
## ageinm      -0.00254889  0.00516891 -0.4931  0.6220
## male         0.00054830  0.06254567  0.0088  0.9930
## refugee      0.11565937  0.15181799  0.7618  0.4462
## astudent    0.00168500  0.18428468  0.0091  0.9927
```

```
## b_schoolsize 0.00023155 0.00029187 0.7933 0.4276
## braven_sd -0.04873611 0.04507745 -1.0812 0.2797
## beyes_sd -0.01567330 0.04278361 -0.3663 0.7141
## f_csize 0.00152803 0.01283569 0.1190 0.9052
```

```
# Calibration
```

```
test_calibration(prosocial.cf)
```

```
##
## Best linear fit using forest predictions (on held-out data)
## as well as the mean forest prediction as regressors, along
## with one-sided heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3) SEs:
##
##
## Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>t)
## mean.forest.prediction 0.99221 0.28740 3.4524 0.0002802 ***
## differential.forest.prediction -1.12079 0.65767 -1.7042 0.9557930
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
# Compare regions with above/below median CATES (from Wager & Athey)
```

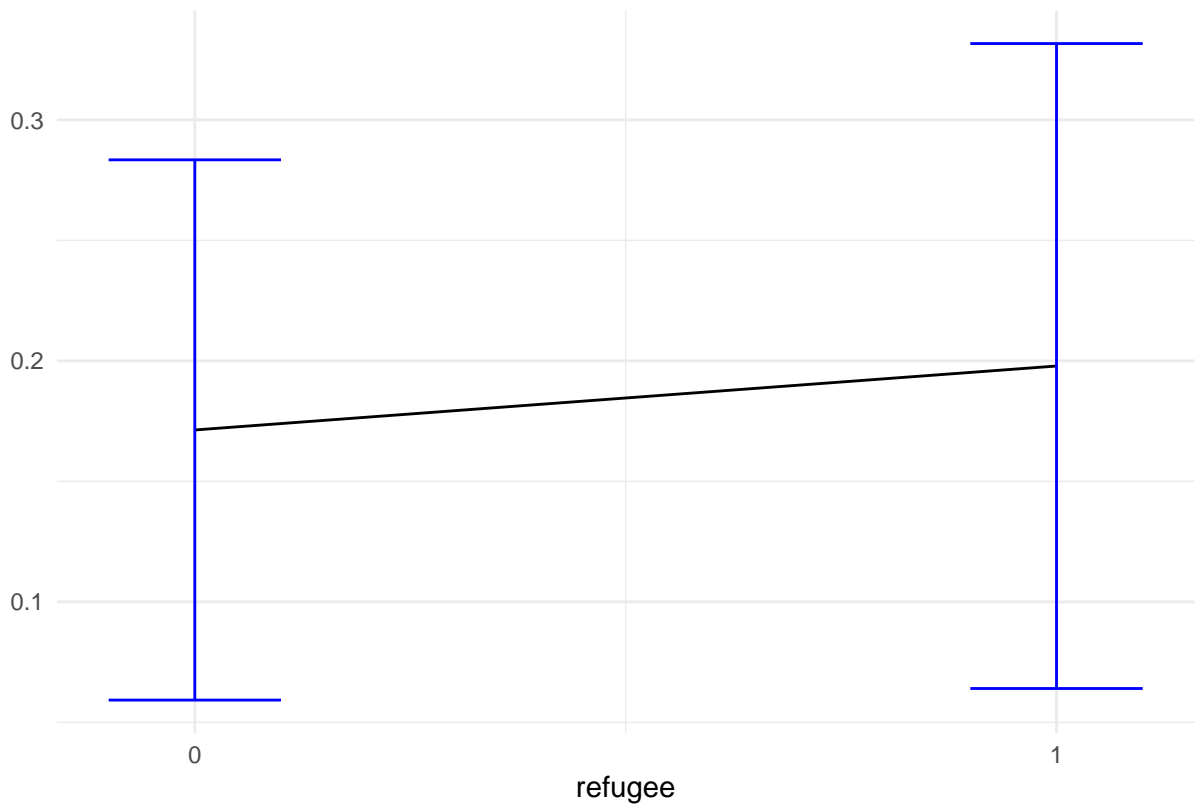
```
high_effect <- prosocial.tau.hat > median(prosocial.tau.hat)
ate.high <- average_treatment_effect( prosocial.cf , subset = high_effect )
ate.low <- average_treatment_effect( prosocial.cf, subset =! high_effect )
paste ("95% CI for difference in ATE:",
      round(ate.high[1] - ate.low[1] , 3) , "+/-",
      round(qnorm(0.975) * sqrt ( ate.high[2]^2 + ate.low[2]^2) , 3))
```

```
## [1] "95% CI for difference in ATE: -0.125 +/- 0.253"
```

```
# Partial dependence
```

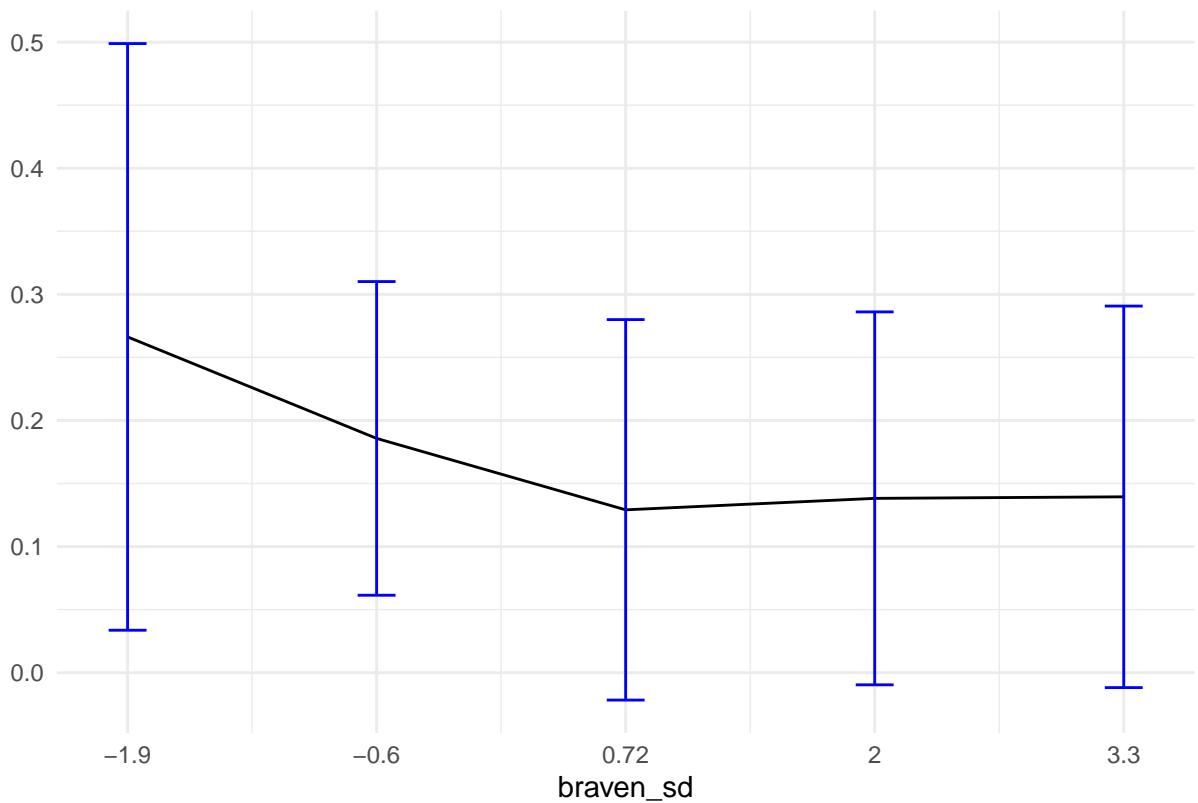
```
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'refugee',
                           covariates = prosocial.covariates,
                           type = 'binary', X = prosocial_list$X,
                           causal.forest = prosocial.cf)
```

Predicted treatment effect varying 'refugee' (other variables fixed at median)



```
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'braven_sd',  
                           covariates = prosocial.covariates,  
                           type = 'non-binary', X = prosocial_list$X,  
                           causal.forest = prosocial.cf, grid_size = 5)
```

Predicted treatment effect varying 'braven\_sd' (other variables fixed at median)

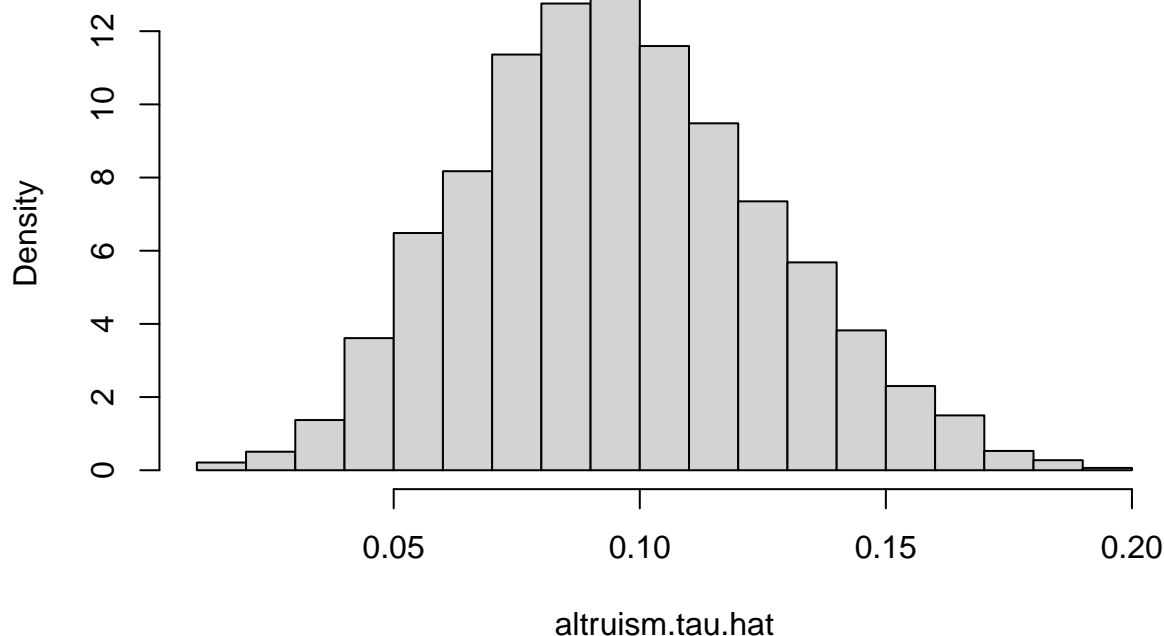


```
# Fit causal tree
altruism_list <- generate_X_Y_W_C_raw(outcome = 'fdonate', covariates = altruism.covariates)
altruism.n <- dim(altruism_list$X)[1]
altruism.cf <- causal_forest(X = altruism_list$X, Y = altruism_list$Y,
                             W = altruism_list$W, clusters = altruism_list$C, W.hat = .5)

# CATE histogram
altruism.tau.hat <- predict(altruism.cf)$predictions
hist(altruism.tau.hat, main="Altruism outcome: CATE estimates", freq=F)
```



## Altruism outcome: CATE estimates



```
# Variable importance
altruism.var_imp <- c(variable_importance(altruism.cf))
names(altruism.var_imp) <- altruism.covariates # TODO What IS NA? The clusters?
altruism.sorted_var_imp <- sort(altruism.var_imp, decreasing = TRUE)

# Data-driven subgroups
# TODO pending: How to deal with use of clusters argument for folds vs. for clusters?

# Best linear projection
best_linear_projection(altruism.cf, altruism_list$X)

##
## Best linear projection of the conditional average treatment effect.
## Confidence intervals are cluster- and heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3):
##
##           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  0.20091578  0.27813065  0.7224  0.47010
## bdonation_sd -0.00160187  0.01451342 -0.1104  0.91212
## a2           0.01899112  0.02645699  0.7178  0.47291
## bstrata      0.00072805  0.00634683  0.1147  0.90868
## b_districtid 0.01060121  0.01750831  0.6055  0.54488
## ageinm      -0.00182537  0.00179766 -1.0154  0.30996
## male        -0.02225215  0.02603331 -0.8548  0.39273
## refugee     0.05016080  0.05275716  0.9508  0.34176
## astudent   -0.11995136  0.06335417 -1.8933  0.05837 .
## b_schoolsize 0.00005704  0.00010958  0.5205  0.60272
```

```
## braven_sd      -0.01022339  0.01740027 -0.5875  0.55687
## beyes_sd       0.00752103  0.01381089  0.5446  0.58607
## f_csize        -0.00089831  0.00535964 -0.1676  0.86690
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
# Calibration
test_calibration(altruism.cf)
```

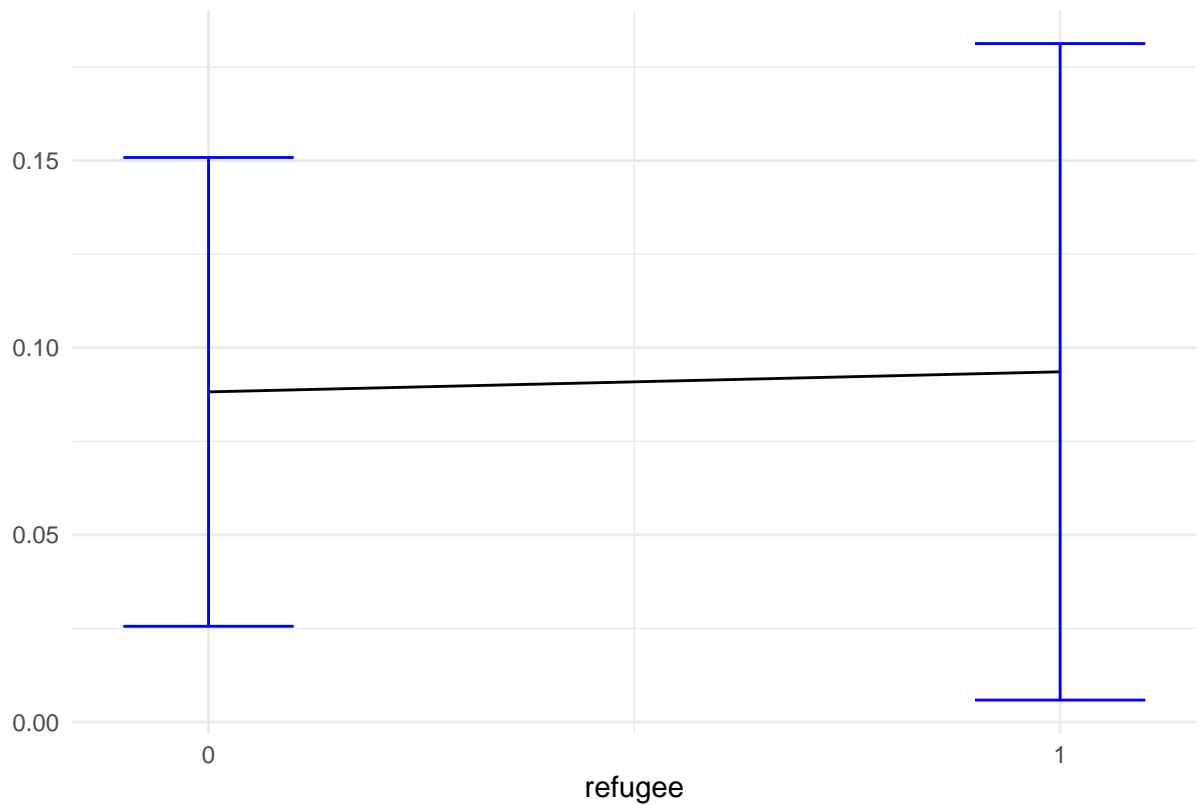
```
##
## Best linear fit using forest predictions (on held-out data)
## as well as the mean forest prediction as regressors, along
## with one-sided heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3) SEs:
##
##              Estimate Std. Error t value    Pr(>t)
## mean.forest.prediction      0.96102    0.29192  3.2921 0.0005009 ***
## differential.forest.prediction -1.15669    0.74286 -1.5571 0.9402409
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
# Compare regions with above/below median CATEs (from Wager & Athey)
high_effect <- altruism.tau.hat > median(altruism.tau.hat)
ate.high <- average_treatment_effect( altruism.cf , subset = high_effect )
ate.low <- average_treatment_effect( altruism.cf, subset =! high_effect )
paste ("95% CI for difference in ATE:",
      round(ate.high[1] - ate.low[1] , 3) , "+/-",
      round(qnorm(0.975) * sqrt ( ate.high[2]^2 + ate.low[2]^2) , 3))
```

```
## [1] "95% CI for difference in ATE: -0.059 +/- 0.098"
```

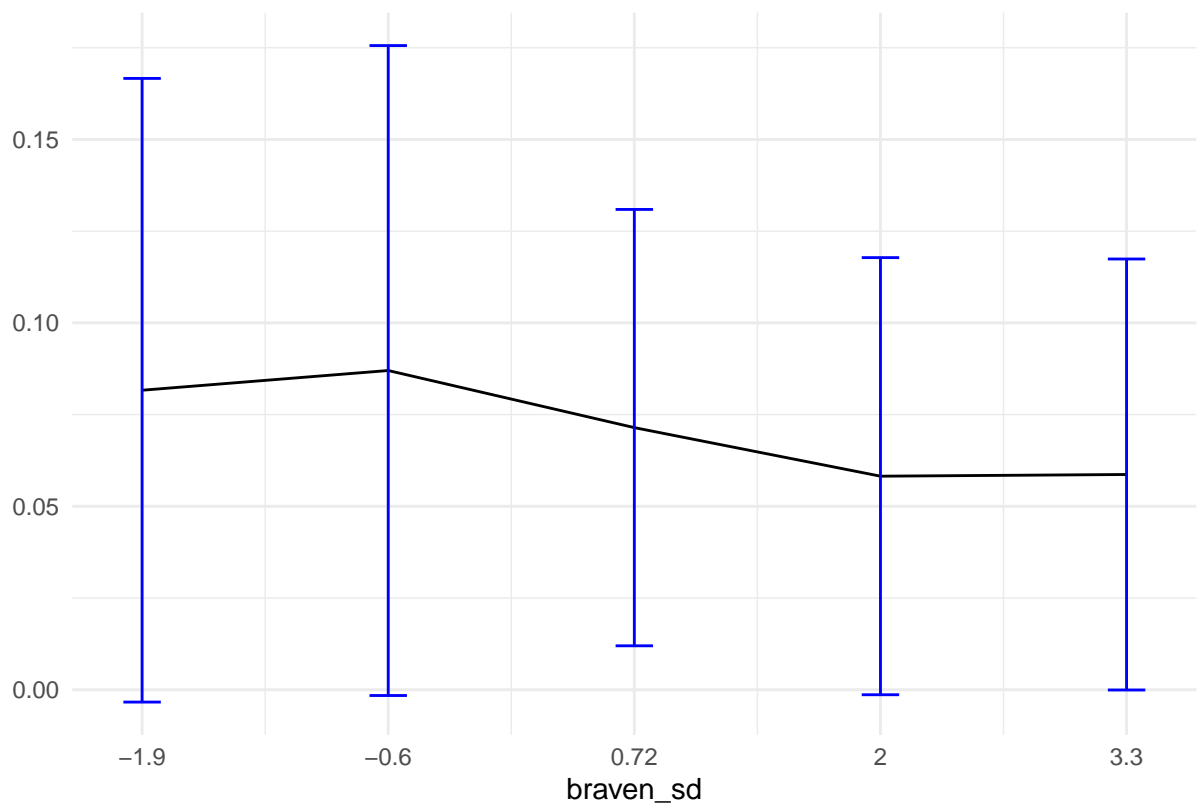
```
# Partial dependence
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'refugee',
                          covariates = altruism.covariates,
                          type = 'binary', X = altruism_list$X,
                          causal.forest = altruism.cf)
```

**Predicted treatment effect varying 'refugee' (other variables fixed at median)**



```
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'braven_sd',  
                           covariates = altruism.covariates,  
                           type = 'non-binary', X = altruism_list$X,  
                           causal.forest = altruism.cf, grid_size = 5)
```

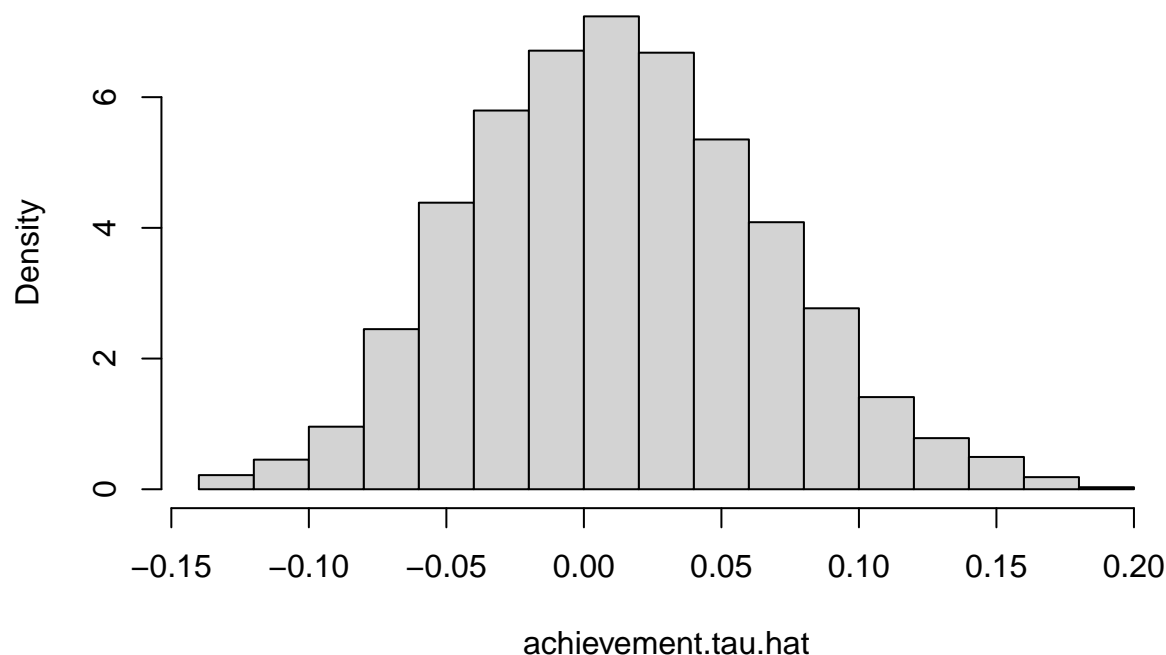
Predicted treatment effect varying 'braven\_sd' (other variables fixed at median)



```
# Fit causal tree
achievement_list <- generate_X_Y_W_C_raw(outcome = 'fturk_sd', covariates = achievement.covariates)
achievement.n <- dim(achievement_list$X)[1]
achievement.cf <- causal_forest(X = achievement_list$X, Y = achievement_list$Y,
                                W = achievement_list$W, clusters = achievement_list$C, W.hat = .5)

# CATE histogram
achievement.tau.hat <- predict(achievement.cf)$predictions
hist(achievement.tau.hat, main="Achievement outcome: CATE estimates", freq=F)
```

## Achievement outcome: CATE estimates



```
# Variable importance
achievement.var_imp <- c(variable_importance(achievement.cf))
names(achievement.var_imp) <- achievement.covariates # TODO What IS NA? The clusters?
achievement.sorted_var_imp <- sort(achievement.var_imp, decreasing = TRUE)
```

```
# Data-driven subgroups
# TODO pending
```

```
# Best linear projection
best_linear_projection(achievement.cf, achievement_list$X)
```

```
##
## Best linear projection of the conditional average treatment effect.
## Confidence intervals are cluster- and heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3):
##
##           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  0.30263189  0.49626221  0.6098  0.5420
## bturk_sd      0.03857284  0.03304693  1.1672  0.2432
## bstrata     -0.00370950  0.01702414 -0.2179  0.8275
## b_districtid -0.03294763  0.04321881 -0.7623  0.4459
## ageinm      -0.00201537  0.00396986 -0.5077  0.6117
## male        -0.02896814  0.04815415 -0.6016  0.5475
## refugee      0.00039259  0.13380377  0.0029  0.9977
## astudent     0.08502162  0.11657845  0.7293  0.4658
## b_schoolsize  0.00030936  0.00022080  1.4011  0.1612
## braven_sd    -0.01132873  0.02968488 -0.3816  0.7028
```

```
## beyes_sd      0.00085939  0.03078287  0.0279   0.9777
## f_csize       0.00227010  0.01087499  0.2087   0.8347
```

```
# Calibration
```

```
test_calibration(achievement.cf)
```

```
##
```

```
## Best linear fit using forest predictions (on held-out data)
## as well as the mean forest prediction as regressors, along
## with one-sided heteroskedasticity-robust (HC3) SEs:
```

```
##
```

```
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>t)
## mean.forest.prediction      1.55781    4.34490  0.3585 0.3600
## differential.forest.prediction -1.43385    0.83401 -1.7192 0.9572
```

```
# Compare regions with above/below median CATEs (from Wager & Athey)
```

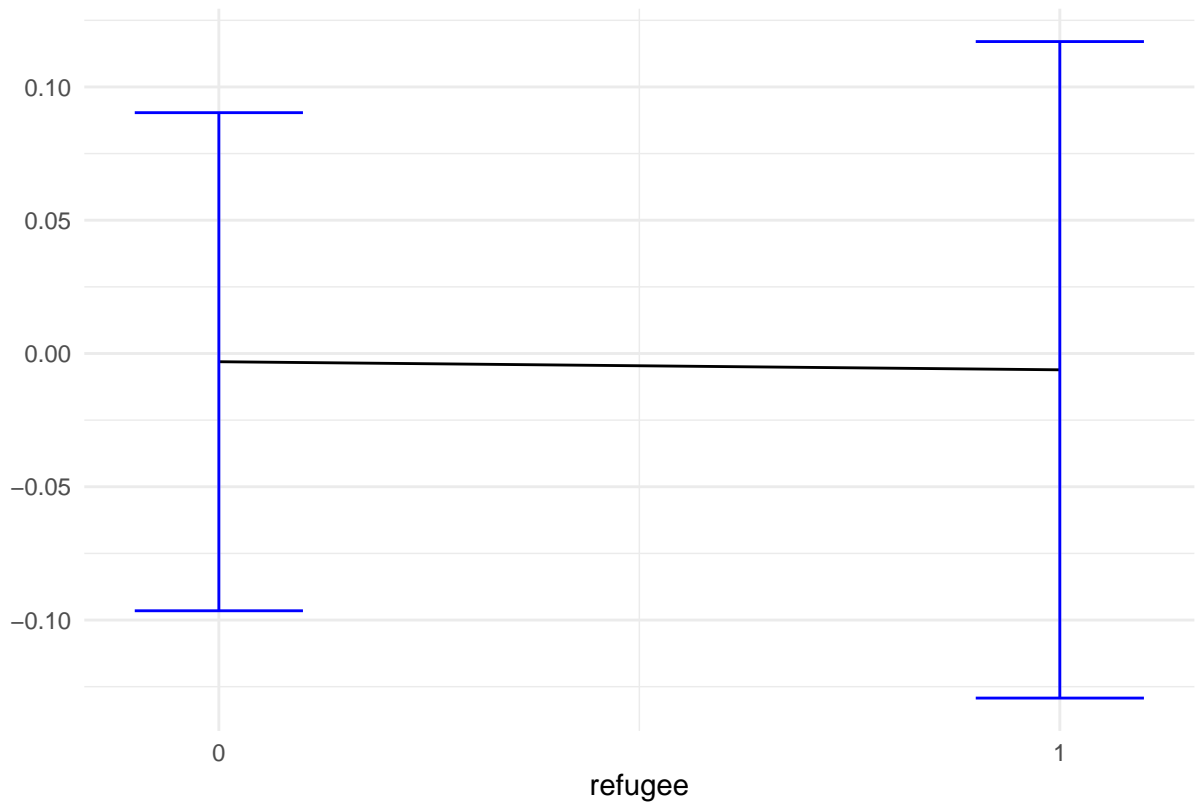
```
high_effect <- achievement.tau.hat > median(achievement.tau.hat)
ate.high <- average_treatment_effect( achievement.cf , subset = high_effect )
ate.low <- average_treatment_effect( achievement.cf, subset =! high_effect )
paste ("95% CI for difference in ATE:",
      round(ate.high[1] - ate.low[1] , 3) , "+/-",
      round(qnorm(0.975) * sqrt ( ate.high[2]^2 + ate.low[2]^2) , 3))
```

```
## [1] "95% CI for difference in ATE: -0.073 +/- 0.203"
```

```
# Partial dependence
```

```
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'refugee',
                          covariates = achievement.covariates,
                          type = 'binary', X = achievement_list$X,
                          causal.forest = achievement.cf)
```

**Predicted treatment effect varying 'refugee' (other variables fixed at median)**



```
partial_dependence_single(selected.covariate = 'braven_sd',  
                           covariates = achievement.covariates,  
                           type = 'non-binary', X = achievement_list$X,  
                           causal.forest = achievement.cf, grid_size = 5)
```

