**OTM-340: Data Science with Text** 

Homework 6

Due Tuesday, 11/10 4:20 PM via Canvas

You've created your datasheet and submitted your project proposal. Now it's time to dig in! For your next homework, your assignment is as follows:

## Complete an initial test of your method, as set forth in your project proposal.

Remember that **you do not need to have your data perfectly clean** before you perform this initial analysis. It just needs to be clean enough for the method to be run. (You can do additional cleaning later).

Note, also, that **you** *will* **need to pre-process your data in some ways** (segmenting corpus or document, tokenizing documents or sentences) to run the method. This will likely take you some time!

## **Submission details:**

Your homework should consist of a Jupyter notebook with the following sections (not necessarily in this order):\*

- 1. A **text cell** that states the question you're exploring, including any personal, project-specific definitions of terms requiring clarification (e.g. "change").
- 2. A **code cell (or cells)** with any cleaning required for the method to run. (As above, this does not need to be the only cleaning of the data you ever perform; only what is needed for this initial analysis).
- 3. A **code cell (or cells)** with any corpus pre-processing and document segmentation.
- 4. A **code cell (or cells)** with any required tokenization and stop-word removal
- 5. A **code cell (or cells)** that implements the method you have chosen to answer the question
- 6. A **text cell** that briefly (in a paragraph) interprets the results, and identifies the next steps for your project that are suggested by the results.

Upload your Notebook (the file ending in .ipynb) to Canvas by the date specified above.

<sup>\*</sup> Sections 2-5 are intended as a guide. If your approach requires a different format, you can diverge from the specified cells. But you must include cells 1 and 6 (the research question and the analysis) regardless of the structure of your project code.