

# Introduction to Data Science, Analytics and Artificial Intelligence course

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## Saturday, April 14

## Introduction to data science and analytics (10:00-11:30)

- 1. Data science concepts
- 2. Application areas

Coffee Break (11:30 - 11:50)

## Getting data into Python (11:50-13:30)

- 1. Working with CSV and JSON format/files
- 2. Web-scraping in Python
- 3. Using APIs in Python (Twitter API, New York Times API, etc.)
- 4. Using cloud AI services from Python

Lunch (13:30-14:30)

Announcement of optional mini-competition and prizes (14:40-14:50)

## Machine Learning I – linear and logistic regressions (14:50-16:00)

- 1. Modeling process and machine learning
- 2. Optimization for regression modeling, data science and Al
- 3. Linear regression

Coffee Break (16:00 - 16:15)

## **Machine Learning I – linear and logistic regressions (16:15-17:00)**

- 1. Logistic regression
- 2. Regression case studies in Python



## Sunday, April 15

## Machine Learning II – advanced classification and clustering (10:00-11:30)

- 1. Classification (decision trees, SVM, kNN)
- 2. Clustering (K-means, Fuzzy C-means, Hierarchical Clustering, DBSCAN)
- 3. Association rules
- 4. Ensemble methods (random forests, Xgboost)
- 5. Machine learning case studies in Python

## Coffee Break (11:30 - 11:50)

## Part I – Cognitive computing and artificial intelligence (11:50-13:30)

- 1. Text analytics and Natural Language Processing (NLP)
- 2. Reinforcement learning
- 3. Neural networks and brief introduction to deep learning

Lunch (13:30-14:30)

Company presentations (14:40-15:00)

Presentations by finalists of mini-competition (15:00-15:30)

## Part II – Cognitive computing and artificial intelligence (15:30-16:15)

- 4. Spatio-temporal analytics
- 5. Cognitive computing case studies in Python

## Visual analytics and storytelling based on analytics (16:15-17:00)

- 1. Visual analytics and visualizations
- 2. Validating analytics
- Storytelling based on analytics
- 4. Decision-making based on analytics

Afterparty (17:30-19:00)