Semester 2 Welcome

Data Analysis for Psychology in R 1 Semester 2, Week 1

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Semester 1 Recap

S1 Weeks 1 - 5

- Collecting Data & Types of Data
- Describing and Visualising Categorical Variables
- Describing and Visualising Numeric Variables
- Describing and Visualising Relationships
- Types of Relations (functions)

S1 Weeks 7 - 11

- Probability Theory
- Probability Rules
- Discrete Random Variables
- Continuous Random Variables
- Sampling Distributions

Things we hope you did last semester

Engage with course materials

- Complete the weekly quiz
- Watch lectures and complete the lecture activities
- Attempt the weekly exercises
- Compare your attempt with the solutions each time
- Attend labs and office hours
- Write your questions on the discussion board

RStudio skills

- Basic arithmetic operations
- Rstudio functionality
- Data handling in R
- RMarkdown
- ggplot!

A Map of Semester 2

S2 Weeks 1 - 5

- Confidence Intervals
- Hypothesis Testing: P-values
- Hypothesis Testing: Critical Values
- Hypothesis Testing & Confidence Intervals
- Making Decisions (Effect Sizes, Power, Errors)

S2 Weeks 7 - 11

- One Sample t-Test
- Independent Samples t-test
- Paired Samples t-test
- Chi-square test
- Covariance and correlation

Things that will be the same

- Quizzes will be delivered in the same mode as in Semester 1
- Lecture videos will be delivered online in the same mode as in Semester 1
- Live R sessions will be online in the same mode as in Semester 1.
- Office hours will be held online in GatherTown (see link on the left-hand side menu of Learn)
 - Change in time:

Tuesdays 15:00-17:00 with Alex Doumas

Thursdays 13:30-15:30 with senior teaching coordinators

Changes

- From now on, all labs will be held in person.
- You must only attend the lab session that is in your personal timetable.
- Do **not** attend lab sessions you were not allocated to.
- You can put in a formal request to change allocation on Learn, but you must wait until this change is confirmed before going to the new lab.

