## **Data Science Collaborative**



Hi Gauchos,

You are all invited to the Data Science Collaborative's first General Meeting of the year! Any individual, regardless of your skill or experience level, who is interested in acquiring data science skills, working on projects, and meeting industry leaders, can join us to connect with fellow peers and seek guidance. The meeting will take place this Thursday, October 5, from 7pm to 9pm in Broida Hall Room 1610. We will get to know one another and provide details about our workshops.

Please fill out the interest form below if you are interested in joining us and follow @ucsbdscollab on Instagram for updates! <a href="https://forms.gle/FqqRrBQXutur9xkE9">https://forms.gle/FqqRrBQXutur9xkE9</a>

See you on the 5th at 7pm! DS Collab

PSTAT 5H	course:		
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Dear students,			

Are you interested in hearing your PSTAT faculty discuss their research, career paths, or other Statistics and Applied Probability topics, in a one-unit seminar course?

Register for PSTAT 5H in Fall 2023 - Tuesdays 1 pm - 1:50 pm in Girvetz 2115.

Each week a PSTAT faculty member presents and discusses with you a topic of their choice. Confirmed speakers include Profs Wendy Meiring, Julie Swenson, Jack Miller, Uma Ravat, Sang Oh, Guo Yu, Drew Carter, Tomoyuki Ichiba, and Hal Pedersen.

Concurrent registration in one of PSTAT 5A/5LS/8/10 is required. The course is capped to be a smaller environment for you to interact with your professors and fellow students.

You can register for PSTAT 5H via GOLD. If the class is full, you may add yourself to the waitlist.

First meeting Tuesday October 3 with Prof Meiring --- course logistics and intro to Scientific Collaborations.

If you see this email too late to join before class on Tuesday, Prof Meiring will consider students adding later in Week 1 if spaces permit. However, it is ideal that you attend Prof Meiring's first class.

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## ASSESSMENT

To receive a pass in F23 PSTAT 5H you will be required:

- 1.To attend! At most one class in Week 2 onwards may be missed without an accepted emailed explanation to Prof Meiring. (Covid or medical exceptions simply email Prof Meiring stating you are ill).
- 2. To participate in discussion.
- 3.To submit an essay (750 1000 words) on a topic discussed during the course that particularly interests you. To be uploaded to Gauchospace. Deadline: 12 noon Dec 11, 2023.

Best wishes for an excellent quarter!
Wendy Meiring, Professor and PSTAT Undergrad Vice-Chair