### Intermediate statistics: introduction

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# Introductions: What are you planning to do with statistical models?

#### Before we begin

Remember: All models are wrong, some are useful.

#### Review the syllabus

https://f-edwards.github.io/intermediate\_stats/

#### Set up and workflow basics

1. Install R

cran.r-project.org

2. Install RStudio

posit.co/download/rstudio-desktop/

3. Install git and clone course repo (optional)

#### **Getting started**

- Create a new folder on your HDD called intermediate\_stats.
  Create an RProject located in that folder
- 1. Create a new script called 1\_intro\_demo.r
- Install packages tidyverse and gapminder using install.packages

## Lab 1

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- Estimate a linear regression for lifeExp as a function of log GDP. Interpret your findings.