# Welcome R-Ladies!

Worldwide organization that promotes **gender diversity** in the **R** community via meetups and mentorship in a friendly and safe environment

R-Ladies Global

6:00-6:30 R-Ladies Santa Barbara

Role of the **community** 





### Mission

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- Why? Underrepresentation of women in the R community
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Please note all references to 'W/women' and 'F/female' in this presentation are used fully inclusively w.r.t trans women, genderqueer women, and non-binary people who are significantly female-identified.

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**Goal** Achieve proportionate representation by **encouraging**, **inspiring**, and **empowering** the minorities currently underrepresented in the R community.

How?

- **Supporting** the R enthusiasts who identify as an underrepresented minority to achieve their **programming potential.**
- Building a collaborative global network of R leaders, mentors, learners, and developers to facilitate individual and collective progress worldwide.

#### Motivation for #RLadiesSB

- Providing a **safe** and **friendly** environment for women to sharpen their R-programming skill.
- Creating a **network** for women that use R.
- **Supporting** each other
- **Learning** from each other

#### Rules & Guidelines

- Free of charge
- R Language/Environment specific
- Leadership, Mentorship, Membership, Presenters/Speakers
  & Prioritisation of Underrepresented/Minority Gender
- Represented/Majority Gender is welcome, but not prioritised.
- R-Ladies Code of Conduct : All members must follow the <u>Code of Conduct</u>.
- **Community-Driven** administration, independent of External influences.

### Code of conduct



R-Ladies have created a code of conduct that **everybody** participating must agree to.

#### Excerpt:

R-Ladies is dedicated to providing a harassment-free experience for everyone. We do not tolerate harassment of participants in any form.



#### Read the full version here:

https://github.com/rladies/starter-kit/wiki/Code-of-Conduct



This ensures that the environment of the meetups stay **safe** and **friendly**.

## History of R-Ladies

2012 Created by **Gabriela** de Queiroz in San Francisco (USA).



2017 R-Ladies leadership team











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& many chapters



#### Structure

#### **R-Ladies Global**

Co-founder of R-Ladies Global (London/San Francisco)

#### Leaders

Leaders in the R-community

#### Chapters

Chapter leaders who set up, organise and run local meet-up events

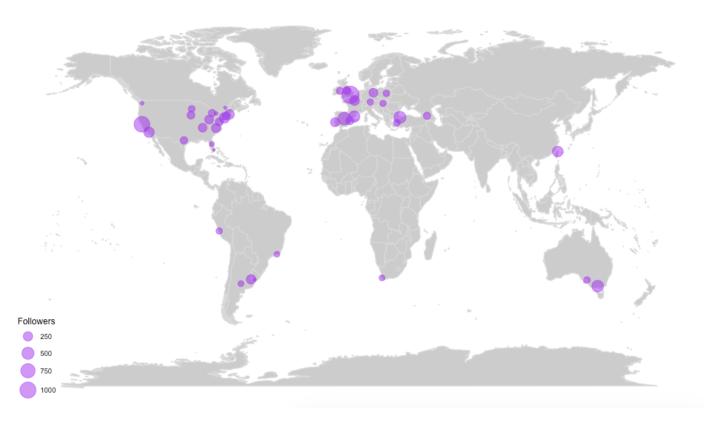
R-Ladies

R-Ladies all around the worlds learners, teachers, developers and innovators

# Currently

~31 countries

~69 chapters



### Plan of #RLadiesSB

#### We aim to:

- have between 4 and 6 meetings **per year**.
- have mixed difficulty talks.
- keep time of talks below 30 minutes.
- promote **exchange** and **networking** between participants.
- be **parenting**-friendly: Unless otherwise specified, participants are welcome to bring children/toddlers with them, but no childcare is provided. Carers should come prepared to quietly occupy their child(ren).

Just **be kind** to everyone and have fun:)

#### More info #RLadiesGlobal



Github (ressources, presentations, ...)

https://github.com/rladies/



Website

rladies.org



Twitter

@RLadiesGlobal



Videomaterial

http://bit.ly/2FVNLP4

https://www.periscope.tv/RLadiesLondon https://www.periscope.tv/RLadiesSF

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Github (ressources, presentations, ...)

https://github.com/rladies/meetuppresentations\_santabarbara



Meetup

https://www.meetup.com/rladiessanta-barbara/about/



Twitter

@RLadiesSB



Be a speaker!



Host an event.

GET INVOLVED!



Watch out for upcoming meetups (newsletter / twitter)