James' Data 8 Mega Lab™ Welcome Survey

Welcome to Data 8 Mega Lab!

My name is James and I'll be your uGSI (TA) for this semester.

Feel free to fill out this (optional) welcome survey so I can get to know more about you and what you want out of this Mega Lab™. This is the first time Data 8 is offering this kind of lab format, so I'd love to hear any feedback or suggestions you may have :)

All responses aside from those in the first section will be anonymized.

I look forward to teaching you this semester!
- James

* Indicates required question

1. Email *

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2. Name (or Preferred Name) *

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Mega Lab™ Learning Preferences

Learning how to code and learning about data science can be really exciting and fun, but we also know that when you're learning how to code for the first time it can sometimes be scary and frustrating. The Data 8 Mega Lab™ is designed for students who have a good idea of how they learn best, and don't anticipate needing much one-on-one help from course staff in completing the lab notebooks.

But that <u>doesn't</u> mean that you can't succeed in Mega Lab™ if you have no prior coding experience. Mega Lab™ offers a way to get lab credit with less hands-on staff interaction than regular lab, and has nothing to do with how much prior coding or statistics experience you have. **We welcome all levels of experience** and I will try my best to help everyone through the discussion worksheets. So if you have a question, please ask!

That being said, we won't be able to tailor Mega Lab™ to everyone's individual needs as much as in regular lab. So if you think you'd benefit from more hands-on help while completing the lab notebooks or more interaction with peers during discussion, we recommend you consider switching to regular lab.

4.   How do you plan to engage with Mega Lab™ throughout the semester? *

Check all that apply.

☐ In-Person in Wheeler 212
☐ Live over Zoom
☐ Watching the Recordings
☐ I Don't Plan to Watch Mega Lab
☐ Unsure

5.   In general, I prefer to work on problems/assignments... *

Mark only one oval.

◯ By myself
◯ In a small group
◯ With the instructor going over the problem on the board
◯ A mix of the three

6. What are you most looking forward to about taking Data 8? *

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7. Is there anything you're worried about taking Data 8? *

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8. Is there anything you want James to know about you, how you learn, or how we can best support you in Mega Lab™?

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Just for Fun

This section is optional, but I'd love to get to know more about you!

9. Where are you from?

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10. What is your major or intended major?

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11. What is your favorite color?

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12. Is cereal a soup?

Mark only one oval.

◯ Yes

◯ No

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