## **Reflections Instructions** STAT/CS 387 — Data Science II

For each week's reading, please prepare and submit a written **reflection**:

- 1. Use the reflections template. Handwritten submissions will not be accepted.
- 2. Complete header information (your name, the date, etc.) in the template.
- 3. Add title or titles of readings to list of reflections at top of template.
- 4. Write reflection to address the following points
  - Summarize the reading(s);
  - Pros and cons of the article's content, your opinion;
  - Contextualize the material within the course (including Data Science 1);
  - If reflecting upon multiple readings, describe an overarching theme.

Reflections should be 700 words or more in length (approx. 1.5 pages using the reflections template), as appropriate to address the above points. Reflections should be in your own words.

5. Submit your reflection as a PDF on Blackboard. To match the reading, please name your reflection file R[\$N]\_[NETID].pdf where [\$N] is the zero-padded number of the reading (ex: R01\_jbagrow.pdf for Reading 01).

Finally, it is your responsibility to be aware of these instructions and ensure your reflections are satisfactory. Reflections that do not satisfy these instructions will be returned ungraded.

**Grading** Reflections in total account for 15% of your course grade. Each reflection will be graded as pass/no pass.