

Full Stack Web Development Boot Camp Orientation

Web Development
Online-Welcome Session





Data Analytics and Visualization Boot Camp



The University of Texas at Austin McCombs School of Business

Data Boot Camp
Online - Orientation





Best Practice 1: Always Mute

Please keep your microphone muted, unless you are called on or your host asks for feedback/communication.



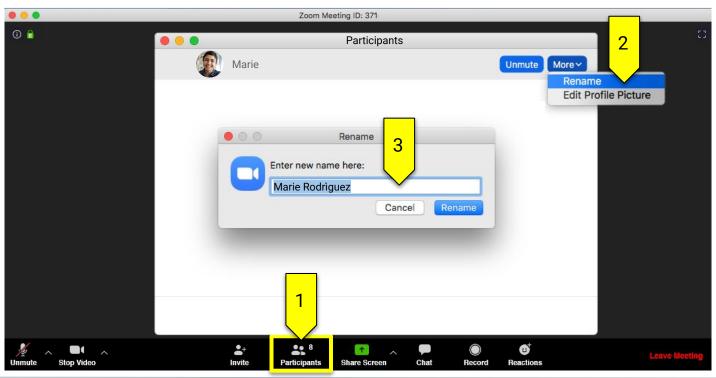
Best Practice 2: Turn Your Video On

Kindly turn your video on so we can see you.



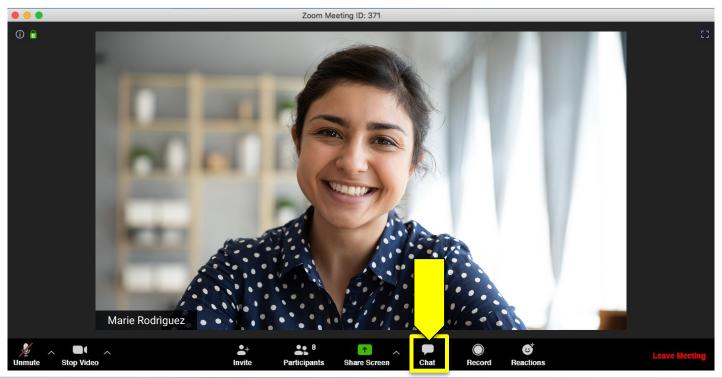
Best Practice 3: Update Your Name

Please update your name under the Zoom *Participants* tab to your full name.



Best Practice 3: Actively participate

We ask that you actively participate in the session by answering questions and being a part of the conversation in your class's Slack Workspace or Zoom chat.





What Will I learn?

By the end of this session, you will:



Get to know your instructional and support staff members



See how to successfully navigate your boot camp portal



See how virtual classes work and successfully complete this first session



Configure multiple technologies that will play a vital role in your toolkit of success



Be aware of the career services available to you and how to access them



Understand the minimum requirements in order to successfully graduate from this boot camp

Nick Barranco

Student Success Manager

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Bachelor's in Political Science University of Arizona -2010

- Soccer
 - Player (Goalkeeper), coach, fan (Everton)
- Military History
- Dog Rekki
 - 1 year old Red Heeler





Klaus Smit

Professional / Education Background:

- Masters of Science in Analytics, Georgia Tech
- Masters of Science in Physics, Texas A&M
- Bachelors of Science in Physics, UF

I have had several positions where data science has helped me succeed, test engineer, innovation manager, and data scientist.

My goal is to enhance your curiosity and show you how to leverage analytics tools to turn your curiosity and questions into insights.

Outside of work hours I play poker, kite surf, and volunteer.



Artem Bordetskiy

Teaching Assistant

Professional / Education Background:

BS in Psychology (UW La Crosse)
Data Science Bootcamp Certificate (SMU)

General teaching style:

I'm a 'why' style learner and teacher shooting for those light bulbs and a-ha moments!

Hobbies and interests:

PC Building, Bushcraft, Gaming, Traveling, and chilling with my amazing wife and pets



Geoff Langenderfer Teaching Assistant

Former Trader
Current Web Software Engineer Consultant

I try to be empathetic when teaching

Hobbies:

- Working out
- Coding/Building
- Cryptocurrency

https://geofflangenderfer.com



Jacob Akhmerov

Teaching Assistant

Bachelor's Degree in Statistics
University of California, Berkeley - 2018

- Love the beauty of pure mathematics
- Have worked in data analytics for 2+ years as a data scientist intern, data analyst, and data processor
- Always found that I very much enjoyed teaching others
- A few of my passions are surfing, salsa dancing, and learning languages



Gael Gatera

Teaching Assistant

Professional and educational background:

- B.S. Aerospace Engineering Florida Tech (2015)
- Associate Design Engineer KPS Global (2016-2019)
- Part-Time Data Visualization Bootcamp Graduate SMU (2019)
- M.S. Data Science Universitat Autonoma De Barcelona (2020)

General Teaching Style:

"If you can't explain it simply, you don't understand it well enough."

Albert Einstein

Looking to learn from students more than them learning from me.

Hobbies and Interest: Soccer, Video Games, Traveling Favorite Team is Arsenal





Group Activity:

Getting to Know Your Cohort

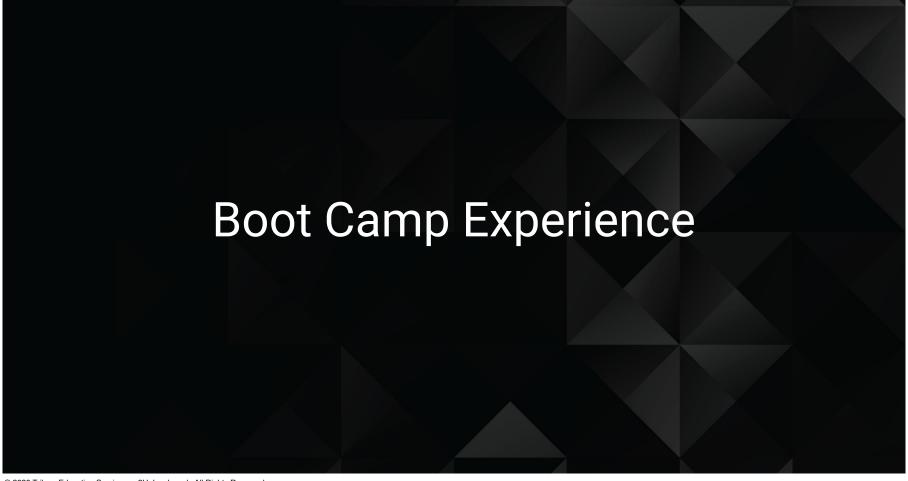


Getting to Know Your Cohort

To complete this activity, you need to perform the following steps:

- 1. Live the golden rule.
- 2. Turn on your video and unmute your microphone (video is **mandatory**).
- 3. Break the ice! We're about to embark on a difficult journey together. Ask some questions like:
 - a. "What was a fun thing you did recently?"
 - b. "If you could live anywhere in the world, where would it be?"
 - c. "What kind of music have you been listening to?"
 - d. "Do you prefer Italian or Mexican food?"





What does "for working professionals" mean?

What it means:

- Only 2 virtual classes per week
- Support from instructional staff on weekends and evenings
- Curriculum built around common real-world scenarios



What it DOESN'T mean:

- You can commit less time than our in-person offering
- You'll need less discipline to complete the course
- You can restart the course again at a later date
- You won't be challenged!



Life in the Boot Camp

Online Lessons

Every week will present

new lessons to install

and learn new tools, all

project.

anchored on a real-world





Live Support

We'll come together weekly to cement the concepts from your self-paced learning.

Structured classes, office hours, and study halls provide additional support throughout the week.



Weekly Challenge

Each week, you'll submit a challenge assignment around the module's technologies.

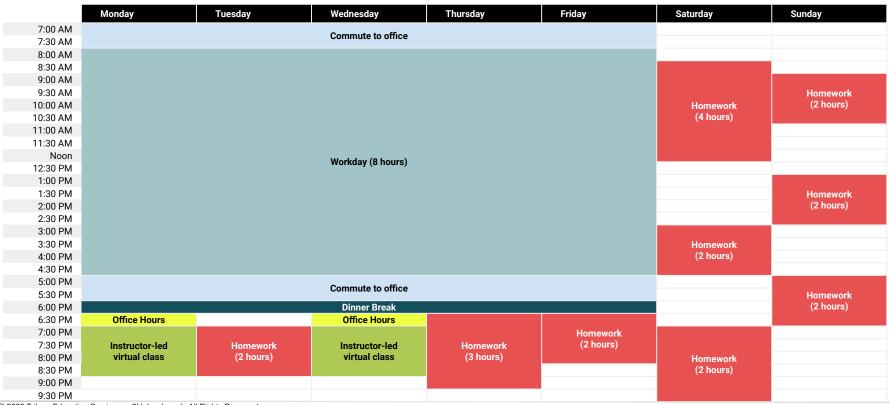
The last 5 weeks are built around a **comprehensive team project** that integrates all the skills of the course and provides a valuable work product.



We will teach you how to fish, but we won't *give* you the fish.

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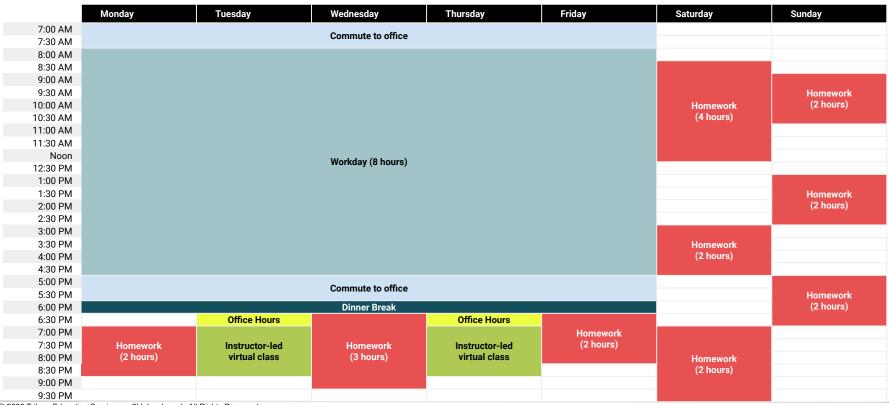
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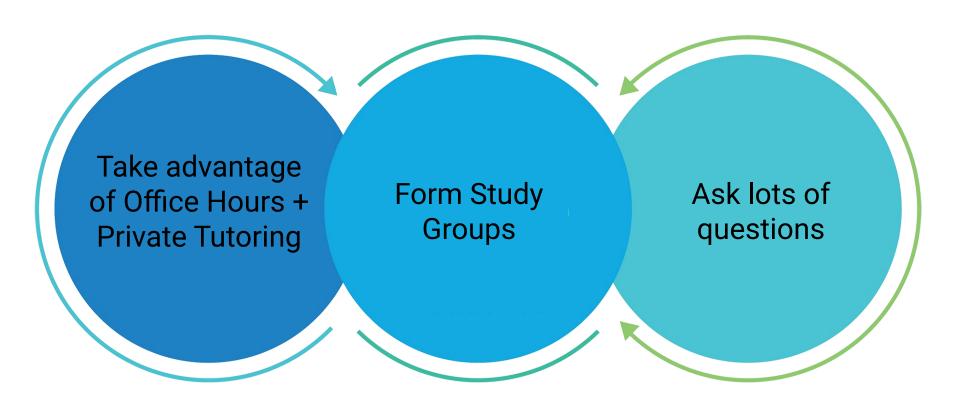
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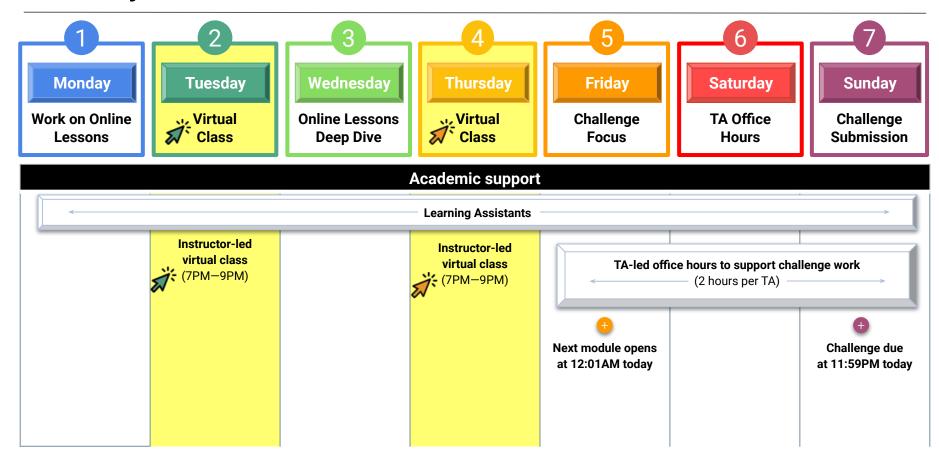


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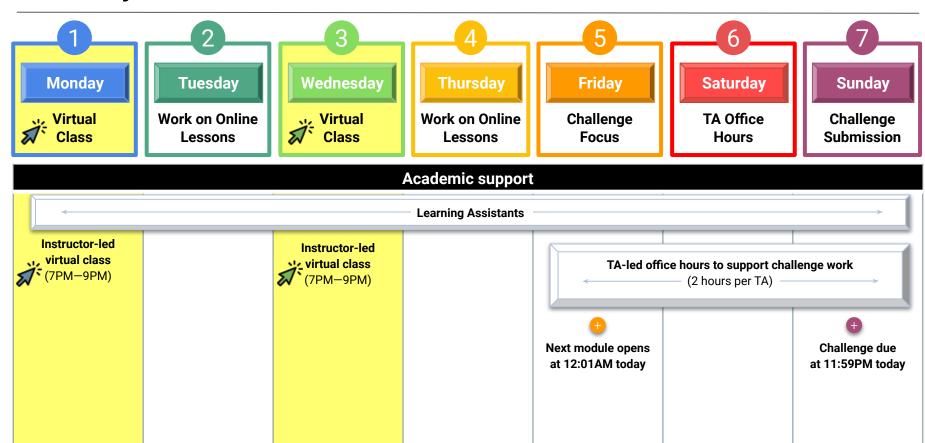
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Weekly Calendar [KEEP FOR TTH]



Weekly Calendar [KEEP FOR MW]



Minimum Graduation Requirements

These are the <u>minimum</u> graduation requirements.



Miss no more than 8 Virtual Classes



Have no more than 2 incomplete Challenge assignments



Participate in all class projects



Tuition Paid in Full

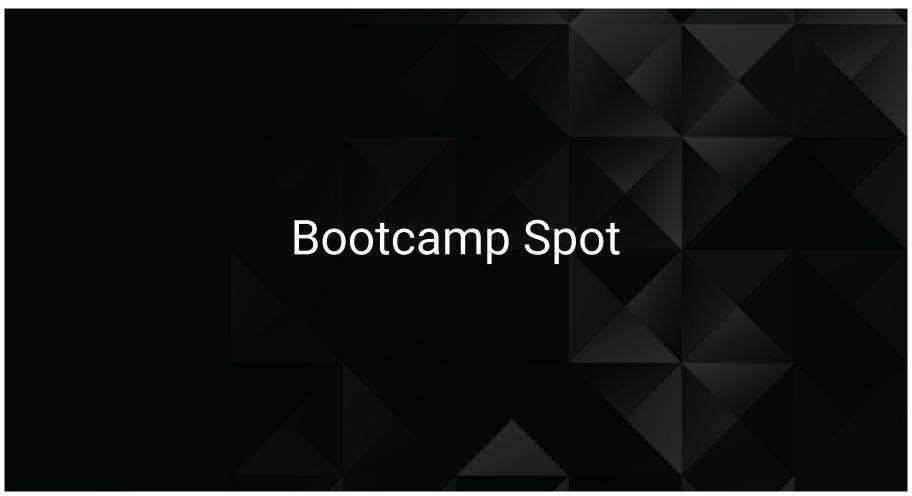
Holiday Accommodations

Our Boot Camp recognizes the following Holidays:

- MLK Jr. Day
- President's Day
- Memorial Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving
- Winter Break from 12/24 1/1

Any classes scheduled for these days will be adjusted appropriately in the course calendar.





What will I use Bootcamp Spot (Canvas) for?

Here's what you'll do in Bootcamp Spot:



View course content and lecture videos



Submit Challenge assignments as files, text or links to GitHub



Take quizzes and assessments



Connect and participate in your Virtual Classes with Zoom



View your grades and module progress

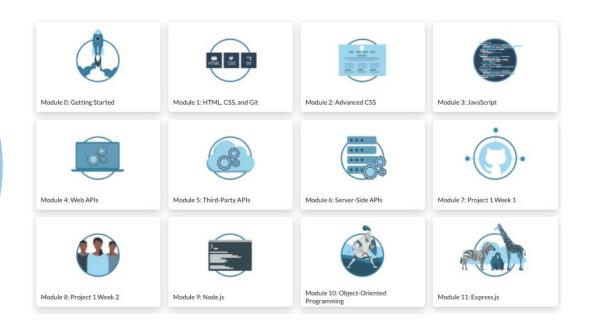


Find information on and connect with Career Services

My Course in Bootcamp Spot

Your Bootcamp Spot homepage will look similar to this:

Today, we'll show you the layout of your course, and go over the process of navigating through your first module and talk about how to submit your first Challenge assignment.



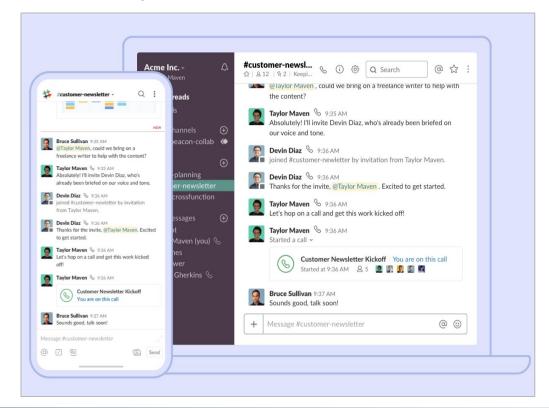
Collaboration on Slack

Slack is the shared virtual workspace where your class will interact during and

outside of class hours:

 This class requires a lot of collaboration, so being able to share messages and files quickly is crucial for our success!

 After creating an account, be sure to bookmark the URL in your browser for easy access.



AskBCS Learning Assistant

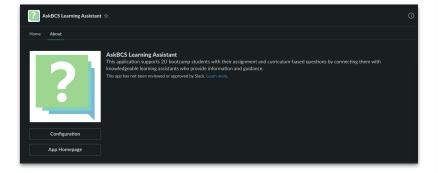
Within the Slack workspace, you should see an App called AskBCS Learning Assistant

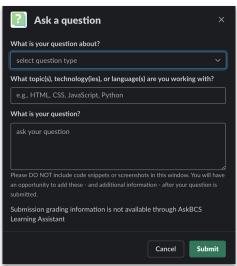
Our team of LAs work during the daytime to help you get unstuck with your self-paced lessons.

They're available:

Monday—Thursday: 9AM—2AM (CST)

Friday—Sunday: 9AM—12AM (CST)





TA Office Hours

Our TAs will hold Office Hours to provide support outside of normal class times.

This is an unstructured, "drop-in" session where you can bring any question to the table -- from help on your homework, to personal projects!

Friday 7-9PM

Saturday 12-2pm

Sunday 10-12pm

Install Weekend

For our first set of Office Hours, we will be reviewing the downloads and installs from the prework to make sure you're ready for class! The first sessions can be seen below:

Install Weekend Schedule

10am-12pm Saturday

1pm-3pm Sunday

Git & GitHub

Git is software that lets you track different versions of a file or project. GitHub is a platform that uses the Git software for a few things.



- Create your own portfolio
- Store your homework here, and submit a link to Bootcamp Spot
- Use it beyond the boot camp



Note: Git and GitHub are common sticking points for new students. The first few TA Office Hours sessions will focus on setting these up properly.



Activity: Pulse Check



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You should have access to the following systems. Follow the steps below to check, and type "ready" in the Group Chat if you're good!

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Bootcamp Spot

Navigate to courses.bootcampspot.com/ and you should see the full course!

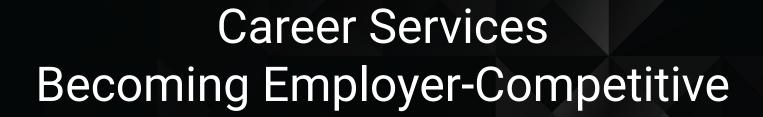


Slack

React to the post in your #01-live class channel







Employer-Ready and Employer-Competitive

What does employer-ready and employer-competitive mean?

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Employer-Ready

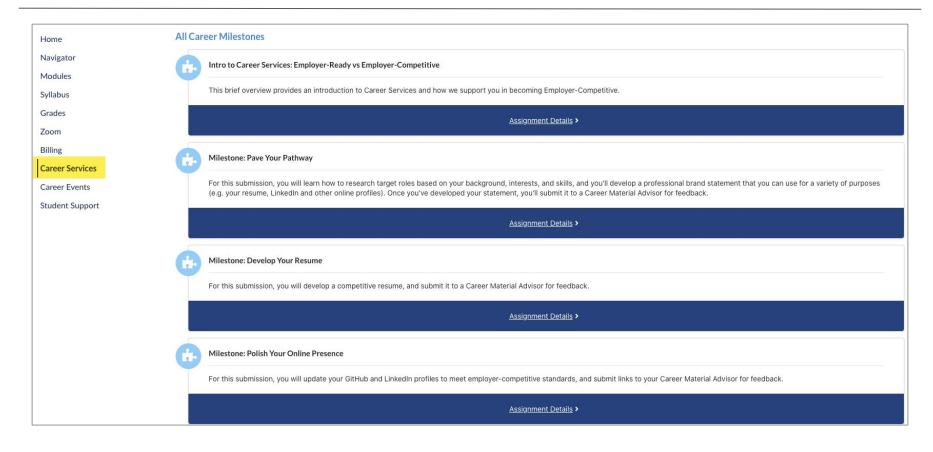
An employer-ready candidate has created strong professional materials that meet the basic criteria for the typical job application process.



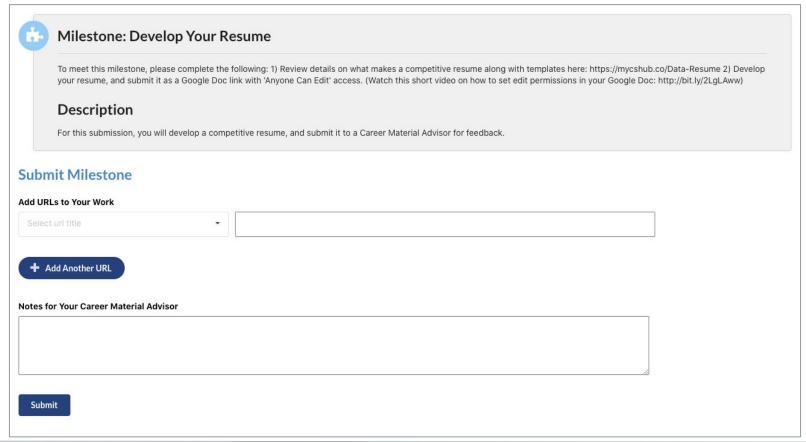
Employer-Competitive

Once created, these materials should be adapted to target specific career goals and opportunities, elevating them to employer-competitive.

Milestones to Career Success



Submitting Milestones to Career Services





Add / Drop Date

4/22/2021

Have questions after this session?

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Systems Check & GitHub Activity

