To replicate the analyses from our project, run the following notebooks in order. For files created by the notebook that are greater than 25MB, you can view them through the links provided in this README file. For files less than 25MB, you can view them in the data folder of the GitHub repository.

### 1. requirements.txt

 This file contains all the Python libraries and packages that should be imported in order to successfully run the analysis files

### 2. influencer preprocessing.ipynb

- This notebook consolidates the zip files from the open-source <u>Influencer and</u> <u>Brand dataset</u> into Brand, Influencer, and Post CSVs
- o Files created by this notebook:
  - <u>Brand data.csv</u> original Brands dataset
  - <u>Influencer data.csv</u> original Influencers dataset
  - <u>Joined post json 1.csv</u> 1 of 6 Posts datasets
  - Joined post json 2.csv 2 of 6 Posts datasets
  - <u>Joined post ison 3.csv</u> 3 of 6 Posts datasets
  - Joined post json 4.csv 4 of 6 Posts datasets
  - <u>Joined post ison 5.csv</u> 5 of 6 Posts datasets
  - <u>Joined post json 6.csv</u> 6 of 6 Posts datasts

# 3. brand\_metrics.ipynb

- This notebook calculates brand related metrics which are used for the rest of the analyses
- Files created by this notebook:
  - <u>influencers sponsored mentioning brand merge.csv</u> updated Brand dataset with calculated Brand metrics

# 4. influencer\_metrics.ipynb

- This notebook calculates influencer related metrics which are used for the rest of the analyses
- Files created by this notebook:
  - <u>sponsored\_brand\_mentions\_by\_influencer\_merge.csv</u> updated Influencer dataset with calculated Influencer metrics

#### 5. twitterdata2.ipynb

- This notebook collects Tweets for a specified time period using twint and consolidates the results into a Tweets CSV
- Files created by this notebook:
  - <u>alltweets.csv</u> Tweets collected for the during-post period (October 1, 2018 to January 1, 2019)
  - <u>alltweets2.csv</u> Tweets collected for the pre-post period (July 1, 2018 to September 30, 2019)

influencers sponsored mentioning brand merge alltweets pretweets.cs
v - updated Brand dataset with number of Tweets from pre-post and during-post time periods

# 6. exploratory\_analysis\_relationships.ipynb

- This notebook conducts an exploratory analysis of the relationships between the variables in the Influencer dataset
- Files created by this notebook:
  - Charts and visualizations for the blog post

## 7. exploratory\_analysis\_distributions.ipynb

- This notebook conducts an exploratory analysis of the distributions of variables in the Influencer datasets
- Files created by this notebook:
  - Charts and visualizations for the blog post

# 8. Influencer\_clustering.ipynb

- This notebook clusters influencers based on similarities using the K-Means clustering algorithm
- Files created by this notebook:
  - Charts and visualizations for the blog post

# 9. network\_analysis\_preprocessing.ipynb

- This notebook conducts preprocessing of the datasets to be used as input for the network analysis
- Files created by this notebook:
  - <u>Influencer brand category.csv</u> influencer-brand relationships dataset

#### 10. network analysis.ipynb

- This notebook conducts network analysis to understand connections and loyalty between influencers and brands
- Files created by this notebook:
  - Influencer brand.gpickle network of influencer-brand connections
  - <u>Influencer\_category.qpickle</u> network of influencer-category connections

#### 11. post\_captions.ipynb

- This notebook extracts post captions from the 6 Posts datafiles and conducts an NLP analysis on them
- Files created by this notebook:
  - <u>Influencers posts emoji hashtag.csv</u> post captions with associated hashtags and emojis

### 12. model\_preprocessing.ipynb

- This notebook conducts preprocessing of the datasets to be used as input for the models
- o Files created by this notebook:
  - model\_input.csv preprocessed variables for the model

# 13. models.ipynb

- This notebook creates various models to predict brand popularity growth given a set of influencer metric inputs
- Files created by this notebook:
  - Models for the blog post