Installation and Course Materials

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Welcome & Course Website

- Welcome to the Fall 2019 offering of FM 5990 Financial Data Analysis and Visualization in Python.
- The course website is be the repository for all things related to this class:

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https://pritamdalal.github.io/fm5990_python_site/
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Please take a moment and navigate to this website and bookmark it.

Finding the Course Website

- Google: "pritamdalal github"
- click on the first search result
- click on Repositories
- click the repository called fm5990_2019_fall_site
- scroll down to the bottom of the page and you should find a link to the site:

https://pritamdalal.github.io/fm5990_fall_2019_site/

Installing Anaconda

The easiest way to get all the software that you will need for this course is by installing the *Anaconda* distribution. Here are the instructions:

- 1. Google "anaconda distribution".
- 2. Click on the first search result.
- 3. Download the 3.7 version for your platform (Windows, MacOSX).
- 4. Follow the installation instructions.
- 5. This is our main priority for the first class, so please let me know if you have questions.

Launching Jupyter Lab

- 1. Go to the class website.
- 2. Click on the Tutorials & Exercises tab.
- 3. Click on the link to download all tutorials and exercises.
- 4. Unzip this folder and put it on your Desktop.
- 5. Launch Jupyter Notebook and navigate to:
 - tutorial_01_jupyter_intro.ipynb