

## **STA 9750 Project**

### **Presentation:**

#### **1. Description of Data**

- a. Real problem: does social media affect mental health?
- b. Cleaning of data:
  - i. Reformat timestamp column -

```
v <- format(as.POSIXct(v,format='%m/%d/%Y
%H:%M:%S'),format='%m/%d/%Y')

v <- c("9/21/2011 0:00:00", "9/25/2011 0:00:00", "10/2/2011
0:00:00",
      "9/28/2011 0:00:00", "9/27/2011 0:00:00")
```
  - ii. Removal of:
    1. Column B, E, X, Y, AE, AF, BJ, BK, BL, BM, BN, BO, BP, BQ, BR, BS, BU, BV, BW, AW
  - iii. Rename columns:
    1. Code: `colnames(data)[2] <- "new_column_name"`
  - iv. Missing values:
    1. Education and Profession, 470 and 756 - code used:  
`which(is.na(mmc2$`25. Education`))`
    2. `complete.cases` used
  - v. Transform variables
    1. Factor -> numerical
      - a. Example: `mutate(Response=case_when(
 .$Response=="Sometimes" ~ 2,
 .$Response=="Almost Always" ~ 4,
 .$Response=="Almost Never" ~ 1,
 .$Response=="Often" ~ 3 ))`

#### **2. Association Analysis**

- a. Y variable: Do you think your mental wellbeing would be better if you do not use social media? (column T)
- b. X variables:
  - i. In the last 30 days, feeling down, depressed or hopeless (column AQ)
  - ii. In the past 30 days, In the past 30 days, do you feel lack of companionship. (column AH)
  - iii.
  - iv. In last 30 days, How many times, I having trouble sleeping for any other reason? (column BT)
  - v. How long have you been using social media account? (column F)
  - vi. How much time do you spend daily in social media? (column H)
  - vii. How many hours of sleep do you get? (

### **3. Regression Models**

- a. single regression x variable: How many friends do you have on social media?

### **4. Assessments and interpretations of regression models**

### **5. Other techniques you tried for this project**

- a. R-package: dplyr
  - i. filter() for selecting rows based on their values
  - ii. select() for choosing columns based on their names
  - iii. mutate() for adding new variables that are functions of existing variables
  - iv. summarise() for calculating summary statistics
  - v. arrange() for sorting data

### **6. Other graphs/visuals:**

- a. Frequency tables
  - i. Do you believe social media is a good thing? (column O)
  - ii. Does your emotion get influenced by other's posts? (column R)

Accessing the excel file just change the Users to your customer

```
socialmediadata <- read.csv("/Users/vrindaarora/Desktop/STAOPR9750/mmc2.csv")
```

```
data.frame(socialmediadata)
```

```
View(socialmediadata)
```