



Who are we?

Shift SC is USC's student-led platform for interdisciplinary conversation and action around societal and ethical issues in technology. We are a community of builders, designers, thinkers, and activists driving the shift towards a technological future better aligned with human values.

What do we do?

To achieve our mission, we plan to execute several campus-wide initiatives. One of these projects is the "Science, Technology, & Society Lab" (STS Lab). This year, the STS lab will focus on creating a research index report analyzing USC students' social media usage and awareness. Through surveys, we will look at students' engagement with different online platforms and their effects on students' mental health.

What can you do?

We are hoping that you would like to facilitate the research project by helping us with research methods such as data collection and data sampling. This will likely be a biweekly or monthly commitment since students will primarily lead the research.

Future steps

Please let us know if you are interested, and if you have any questions about the STS Lab or Shift SC in general. We would love to meet with you in person or over Zoom to discuss further and provide more details. We believe your participation in the STS Lab would help make USC, and the world, a better place.

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