

PSC 400

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

DATA ANALYTICS FOR POLITICAL SCIENCE

PREDICTION & SPATIAL DATA

ASSIGNMENTS

- **Data Analysis Memo 4 due on Friday**
- **Review Exercise 7 (due Friday)**
 - **`learnr::run_tutorial("05-prediction1", package = "qsslearnr")`. Important: Only do the "Coding loops" part.**
- **Will post Problem Set 5 later today**

LOOP PRACTICE

- Write a loop that computes
 - $1.5*1 + 1$
 - $1.5*2 + 2$
 - $1.5*3 + 3$
 - ...
 - $1.5*2000 + 2000$
- and store in vector

LOOP PRACTICE

- Write a loop that computes
 - $1.5 * 2 + 2$
 - $1.5 * 4 + 4$
 - $1.5 * 6 + 6$
 - ...
 - $1.5 * 2000 + 2000$
- and store in vector

PREDICTION

- **How good are polls at predicting election outcomes?**
 - **How well do state-level polls from shortly before the election predict who will win each state?**
 - **How accurately can national polls predict eventual election outcome over the course of the campaign?**