Community SWB

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<u>outline</u>

Steve Balin: Lynx

Campbell ch7,ch12-14

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<u>NECESSARY</u> readings

- Cloutier et al. (2014)
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- Ma et al. (2017)
- Pfeiffer and Cloutier (2016)
- Helliwell et al. (2018) NOTE: data are publicly available!!
- Musikanski et al. (2017)
- Mouratidis (2017)
- see next slide for explanation

lots of readings

- not necessarily that you have to read everything
- but do skim through everything, at least abstracts
- and do read those that are close to what you are doing
- there will be few slides
  ○ and most of class will be discussion of these readings
  ○ so please be prepared to discuss them!
- reference list is on the last slide

juptyer now works better and off-campus

- https://theaok.github.io/lab/#jupyter

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what is it

- my friend real estate developer in Philly
- draft of our project

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- Americans, including Millenials, are lonely.
- And they cant't change it–
○ they simply don't have time for social engagement
○ in today's fast paced living.
- The only time they have is at their home,
○ where they are isolated.

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- Volumes have been written about this problem,
  ○ but little have been done.
  ○ Steve's approach of "convenient connection"
  ○ is changing it.
- This is an idea of co-living or co-housing but better.
  ○ Unlike most other developers,
  ○ Steve is personally committed to the idea.
- And he has assembled a team of academics,
  ○ community leaders, and businesspeople
  ○ to carry out his visionary project.
  ○ ¡Steve here some details about specifics, like instiagtors etc¡

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- Notably, social connection is key for happiness.
- You cannot be happy if you are socially disconnected.
- Again, Americans, including Millenials, are disconnected.
- Social media do not help,
- and actually in many ways make us more disconnected.
- Social disconnection is a primary reason
- for Americans unhappiness.
- Initial evidence shows that Lynx
- residents are connected and happy.
- At Lynx, you will be connected and happy.

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