



# QuACK 2020 info session

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# Today's agenda



Get to know each other



What is QuACK?



Goals of QuACK?



Planned schedule



Select a meeting time

# Welcome to QuACK! - Introductions



**Elena** (she/her/hers)  
3rd year, Developmental  
Bunge lab



**Willa** (she/her/hers)  
3rd year, Cog Neuro  
Weiner Lab

# What is QuACK?



*Quantitative analysis and coding knowledge!*

Semester long workshop for incoming students, created by and taught by Psych grads

**Goal #1:** Give incoming students fundamental skills in data analysis and R in preparation for Psych 205 in the Spring.

**Goal #2:** Create an inclusive, supportive, and positive space for learning quantitative and coding skills; contribute to cohort's community building!

# QuACK vs. Psych 205



## QuACK

(Fall 2020)

**Focus:** Using R for data analysis

- Fundamentals of R
- Best practices
- Effectively use R for data analysis (stats is just a small part of the process!)

Student led

## Psych 205 - Data analysis

(Spring 2021)

**Focus:** General linear model, parameter & model fitting, etc...

- Theory
- Math
- Implementation in R.

Formal statistics class

# QuACK format and Schedule



- Meet once a week on zoom (Start ~ August 25th)
- Materials will be emailed out/available on GitHub classroom each week.
- No outside work required (although we encourage everyone to practice!)

**All levels welcome!**

# Tentative schedule

# Pick a time

Typically **Tuesday 4-6pm PST**

Alternative times?



# D-lab

D-lab is a great resource available for all UCB students for general programming and data science skills!

<https://dlab.berkeley.edu/>

# Questions??