

Week 1, Day 1: The Syllabus Deck

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Course Structure

Lecture Schedule

- **Tuesdays (1hr)**
 - Discuss previous week's readings
 - Introduce new materials
 - Start lecture content
- **Thursdays (2hr)**
 - Finish lecture (if needed)
 - Discussion
 - Class activity and/or lab time (assignments, projects, etc.) (1hr)
 - Occasionally: Quizzes

Communication Policy

- Questions at start/end of each session
- Email response: 2-3 business days
- Prefer in-class questions for:
 - Faster responses
 - Benefit to all students

Reading Components

Reading Structure

- **Mandatory Readings**

- Core course material
- Weekly responses required

- **Optional Readings**

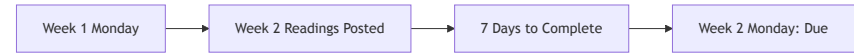
- Theme-organized
- Read abstracts/intros
- Aligned with your interests

Reading Schedule

Timeline

- Finalized Monday of Week X-1
- Complete by Monday of Week X
- Responses due before class

Example



Course Modules

Course Organization

Module 1 (Weeks 1-4)

Administration and Introduction to Human-Centered/Data-Centered Frameworks

Module 2 (Weeks 5-7)

Technical work in Data Valuation and Scaling

Module 3 (Weeks 8-10)

Online platforms and Content Ecosystems

Module 4 (Weeks 11-13)

Frontiers in Data Governance: Voting, Markets, and More

Grading Structure

Grade Breakdown

Course FAQs

Attendance

- Not directly graded
- Participation expected
- Cold-calling for reading responses
- Stay home when sick
- No need to email for absences

Coding & Tools

- Python for ML/Data Science
- JavaScript for web programming
- LLM assistance allowed (with caveats)
- Free tools always available
- 4 assignments + 1 project

Group Work Policy

- Opportunities available
- Contribution statements required
- Code/writing review mandatory
- Specific guidelines per assignment

Assessment Structure

- 4 module quizzes
- No midterm/final
- In-class format
- Make-up options available
- Based on lectures & mandatory readings

AI Tool Usage

Allowed with:

- Complete logs
- Clear attribution
- Proper documentation

Example Citations:

- "Produced by model XYZ"
- "Generated with ChatGPT"
- "AI-assisted, heavily edited"

Example:

I generated this deck by first manually writing a draft of the syllabus as syllabus.md

Then I provided this markdown file to Claude Sonnet 3.5 with prompt:

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Convert this md file to a nice, snazzy, cool, sli.dev presentation
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It should be titled "Week 1, Day: The Syllabus Deck".
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Questions?

Feel free to ask now or after class!