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Subject: Update: New course approved for DS Major - STAT 405
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Hello DS majors!

I wanted to update you that a new course, STAT 405 Data Science Computing Project has been approved for the DS major in the “other DS elective” category! This class has open seats for spring and could be a great option for some students.

From Course Search & Enroll:

Description

The development of tools necessary for collecting, managing, and analyzing large data sets. Examples of techniques and programs used include Linux, R, distributed computing, text editor(s), git/github, and other related tools. Work in teams to research, develop, write, and make presentations related to a variety of data analysis projects.

Requisites

(STAT 240 or 303) and (COMP SCI 200, 220, or 300), or graduate/professional standing

Details

- Credits: 3 credits
- Level: Intermediate
- Breadth: Natural Science
- L&S credit type: Counts as LAS credit (L&S)

***Note that, STAT 405 was offered as a STAT 479 special topics course in Spring 2022. If you have already taken the STAT 479 Data Science Computing Project class in a past term, you will not be eligible to enroll in STAT 405.**

Students who enroll in STAT 405 will not automatically see it appear in their DARS record. After the February 1 course drop deadline, DS major advisors will submit a request to have this class appear on student records for those enrolled.

Thanks!

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