Fachbereich 9 - Medienstudiengänge

Department 9 - Media Courses

Kommentar zur Lehrveranstaltung im WiSe 2023/24

Description of seminars

Veranstalter*in: Lecturer:	Prof. Dr. Cornelius Puschmann
Titel (dt.):	Data Journalism with R
Titel (engl.) : (immer angeben)	Data Journalism with R

Beschreibung:

Description:

Data is everywhere in society and journalism is very much a part of this development. Data journalism describes the process of using data as part of the journalistic process and creating news-related products with data. It focuses on the presentation of complex information, often by providing readers with a variety of tools to interact with data, for example, through elaborate visualizations.

This class focuses on practically *doing* data by creating a interactive web-based dashboards using on R Shiny (https://www.rstudio.com/products/shiny/). In the course of the semester students will learn how to build Shiny Apps and through conducting a team-based project, build a compelling website that allows users to interrogate large and complex datasets related to current issues in media and communication.

It is a strict requirement that students already have a basic working knowledge of R when the class starts. Participants should also have an interest in journalism, visualization and in tinkering with data.

Literatur:

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Wickham, H. (2021). *Mastering Shiny: Build Interactive Apps, Reports, and Dashboards Powered by R.* O'Reilly Media.