

# Instructions before the course

1. **Install the latest version of R** from here: <https://cran.r-project.org/>
2. **Install the latest version of RStudio** from here: <https://rstudio.com/products/rstudio/download/>
3. **Install “tidyverse” and “haven” packages** in R:
  - Option 1: open Rstudio. Go to “Tools” -> “Install Packages”. Write the names of the two packages in the “Packages” box and press install
  - Option 2: open Rstudio. In the console write: “install.packages(“tidyverse”, dep = T)” and press enter. Do the same again with: “install.packages(“haven”, dep = T)”

*If you have issues with this step uninstall and install again R.*

4. **Get the data for the course:**
  - a. Go to <https://www.europeansocialsurvey.org/user/login> and make an account if you don't have one already.
  - b. Once you have done that go to: [https://www.europeansocialsurvey.org/download.html?file=ESS9e01\\_1&y=2018](https://www.europeansocialsurvey.org/download.html?file=ESS9e01_1&y=2018) and download the Stata data.
  - c. Then go to : <https://www.europeansocialsurvey.org/data/multilevel/guide/bulk.html> and download the Stata version of “[Country data, 2018](#)”
  - d. Unzip the files and bring them with you at our course. We will use these in the practical part of the course.

Looking forward to working together on this!

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