

# CASOS SUMMER INSTITUTE 2020

Day 0 – Set Up  
Sunday, 6/7/20

Times	Activity	CASOS TA Staff for Sunday
TBD (morning and afternoon)	Zoom assistance with loading software on machines	TBD

***The focus of Sunday:***

- 1) helping participants get the software onto their machines and loading properly.
- 2) helping the participants load their data into the tools.
- 3) provide some one-on-one support to participants having access issues.

***\*Sunday is not a required day for participants. It is optional to join the zoom meeting.***

***\*\*Lectures and common instruction begin on Monday June 8, 2020.***

**CASOS PhDs and Post Doctorates:**

Catherine King	Geoff Dobson
Daniele Bellutta	Ramon Villa Cox
Aman Tyagi	Matthew Babcock, PhD
Thomas Magelinski	Iain Cruickshank
Mihovil Bartulovic	Christine Sowa
Jeremy Straughter	Josh Uyheng
Luke Osteritter	Ibrahim Rahhal
JD Moffitt	

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## How will this virtual format work?

For each day there is a focus listed on the agenda. The lectures, follow-along sessions, and case studies have been pre-recorded. You should watch them before or on that day. The tentative length of those videos are marked on the agenda. In addition to the pre-recorded videos, we will also hold 3 three-hour live sessions daily to do large group instruction, small group and if needed, individual instruction, more details below.

**Lectures** – In these videos a talk is given covering critical background information, theoretical and empirical. Questions can be asked during the interactive sessions for that day's lectures. In addition, questions and answers can be posted to our slack channel (details to be distributed).

**Hands-On** – In these videos the instructor walks through how to do a specific task. You will be given a link and password to access data and software to download. Before starting these videos, you should get the data on your machine and launch ORA or NetMapper, depending on the video and then follow along with the instructor to learn how to do that task on the software.

**Case Studies** – In these videos a particular research vignette is presented then the instructor walks you through how to do a piece of that research. You should get the data on your machine for that vignette and launch ORA or NetMapper, depending on the video, and then follow along with the instructor on this second part of the video, to gain experience doing that portion of the research.

**Live Sessions** – Each day there are three different windows for hands-on learning and Q&A. We have chosen three very different time periods, such that at least 2 fall into the times between 8 am and 8 pm for most participants. We anticipate that most participants will attend at most two of these each day. During these sessions we will do the following three things:

- 1) Repeat aspects of each follow along and conduct secondary follow-alongs based on attendee questions
- 2) Answer questions – main speaker who does follow along and several graduate assistants will be available.
- 3) Hold breakout sessions where you can go if you want to work one on one with someone on your data, or on an advanced feature of ORA or NetMapper.

For the breakout rooms, you will need to be assigned to them at a specific time. More information will be sent on how to sign up each day. We want to make sure groups are evenly distributed.

The three interactive/live sessions each day are:

- 9 am-12 noon US Eastern
- 1 pm-4 pm US Eastern
- 7 pm-10 pm US Eastern

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## Day 1 – Overview and Getting Started

Monday, 6/8/20

<u>Time/Duration</u>	<u>What</u>	<u>Instructor</u>
10 min	Welcome	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley (Other)
2 hr	Dynamic Network Analysis Overview & Basics	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley (Lecture)
1.5 hrs	DNA - key metrics	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley (Lecture)
1 hr	ORA – Basic Interface, Import CSV file, email import, Key Entity Report, Citation import, Citation report	Jeff Reminga (Hands On)
1 hr	ORA – Basic Visualization Techniques - Coloring, Sizing, Images, and Tools	Jon Storricks (Hands On)
1 hr	Groups & Topology	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley (Lecture)
1 hr	ORA – Group Report, using attributes in Group Report, Reports with 2 or more meta-networks, finding which measure is in which report	Jeff Reminga (Hands On)
3 hr	The three interactive/live sessions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9 am-12 noon US Eastern</li> <li>• 1 pm-4 pm US Eastern</li> <li>• 7 pm-10 pm US Eastern</li> </ul>	ALL
1 hr – Time TBD	Reception – this will happen at some point on day 1 just a session for everyone to introduce himself or herself and to talk in small groups.	All participants and CASOS Center

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Day 2 – Data  
Tuesday, 6/9/20

<u>Time/Duration</u>	<u>What</u>	<u>Instructor</u>
10 min	Where does the data come from?	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley (Lecture)
1.5 hrs	Text to Networks & Semantic Networks	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley (Lecture)
30 min	NetMapper	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley (Lecture)
1 hr	NetMapper – from texts to networks	Neal Altman (Hands On)
10 min	A Cautionary Note about Saving Unicode Text from Excel	Neal Altman (Hands On)
30 min	Edit Data, Create Thesauri or Delete List, Apply functions to Many Files	Jeff Reminga (Hands On)
1 hr	Networks of Hate Speech in COVID-19 Discourse	Joshua Uyheng (Case Study)
45 min	Dynamic Networks for Social Media	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley (Lecture)
1 hr	Topic Group Report & Semantic Report	Jeff Reminga (Hands On)
1 hr	Case Study: Detecting Polarization & Stance	Sumeet Kumar (Case Study)
30 min	LDA, LSA	Joshua Uyheng
1 hr	Going from Data to Latent Networks	Iain Cruickshank (Hands On)
1 hr	Analyzing Moroccan Employment Stakeholder Perceptions	Ibrahim Rahhal (Case Study)
1 hr	Processing twitter data with NetMapper, creating meta and semantic networks with text	JD Moffitt (Case Study)
3 hr	The three interactive/live sessions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9 am-12 noon US Eastern</li> <li>• 1 pm-4 pm US Eastern</li> <li>• 7 pm-10 pm US Eastern</li> </ul>	ALL

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## Day 3 – Basic Analysis

Wednesday, 6/10/20

<u>Time/Duration</u>	<u>What</u>	<u>Instructor</u>
1 hr	Centralities, redundancies, cognitive demand - Key Entity Report, Management Report	Geoff Dobson (Hands On)
1 hr	One and Two Mode Metrics	Ramon Villa Cox (Hands On)
1 hr	Metric Based Comparison	Christine Sowa
1 hr	Groups, Meta-Nodes, Big Data	Jon Storricks (Hands On)
1 hr	Finding Factions from Ukrainian Legislative Data	Tom Magelinski (Case Study)
1 hr	Prediction and Comparison of Networks	Ramon Villa Cox (Hands On)
1 hr	QAP:MRQAP Analysis Report	Jeremy Straughter (Case Study)
30 min	MRQAP and Regression, Visualize Distributions How to put network metrics in regressions	Jeff Reminga (Hands On)
30 min	Geo-Spatial Visualization	Jon Storricks (Hands On)
30 min	Visualizing	Jon Storricks (Hands On)
1 hr	Clustering - Unimodal, to Cluster Ensembling, to Multi-Modal Clustering	Iain Cruickshank (Hands On)
3 hr	The three interactive/live sessions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9 am-12 noon US Eastern</li> <li>• 1 pm-4 pm US Eastern</li> <li>• 7 pm-10 pm US Eastern</li> </ul>	ALL

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Day 4 – Dynamics & Spatial Reasoning  
Thursday, 6/11/20

<u>Time</u>	<u>What</u>	<u>Instructor</u>
2 hr	Dynamics: Reasoning About Networks Over Time	Prof. L. Richard Carley (Lecture)
1 hr 30 min	Fourier Analysis, change detection <i>Follow along</i>	Prof. L. Richard Carley (Lecture)
30 min	Geo-temporal Networks and Visualization	Prof. L. Richard Carley (Lecture)
1 hr	Examining the COVID Protest Discussion on Twitter	Matthew Babcock, PhD (Case Study)
30 min	Collecting and Analyzing Twitter Data Best Practices	Ramon Villa-Cox (Lecture and Hands On)
30 min	Collecting and Analyzing Reddit Data Best Practices	Christine Sowa (Lecture and Hands On)
1 hr	Twitter Importers, Twitter Report Reddit Importer, Reddit Report	Jeff Reminga (Hands On)
1 hr	BEND & Community Assessment	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley
1 hr	Exploring Russian Influence Campaigns Over Time on Reddit	Christine Sowa (Case Study)
1 hr	Ecuadorian Protests	Ramon Villa Cox (Case Study)
30 min	Twitter De-identification	Jon Storricks (Hands On)
1 hr	Twitter Hashtag Community Analysis: A Case Study on the Canadian Elections	Daniele Bellutta and Catherine King (Case Study)
30 min	Finding Bots and Trolls	Joshua Uyheng
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## Day 5 – Simulation

Friday, 6/12/20

<u>Time</u>	<u>What</u>	<u>Instructor</u>
30 min	<b>Generating Synthetic Networks in ORA</b>	Luke Osteritter
30 min	<b>Micro-Simulations in ORA</b>	Ramon Villa Cox (Hands On)
30 min	<b>Immediate Impact Analysis</b>	Tom Magelinski (Hands On)
1 hr 15 min	<b>Social Influence Theory</b>	Prof. Kathleen M. Carley (Lecture)
30 min	<b>Agent Based Modeling - Intro</b>	Mike Kowalchuk (Hands On)
30 min	<b>Virtual Experiments</b>	Geoff Dobson (Hands On)
1 hr	<b>Dynamics, Trails and Networks</b>	Mihovil Bartulović (Hands On)
1 hr	<b>Trails and Networks: Loom; Network representation of Trails</b>	Mihovil Bartulović (Case Study)
30 min	<b>Cyber-FIT</b>	Geoff Dobson (Case Study)
1 hr	<b>Construct</b>	Mike Kowalchuck (Hands On)
1 hr	<b>Exploring Polarization on Climate Change debate on Twitter</b>	Aman Tyagi (Case Study)
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## Day 6 – Advanced Issues

Saturday, 6/13/20

<b><u>Time</u></b>	<b><u>What</u></b>	<b><u>Instructor</u></b>
<b>38 min</b>	<b>NetFlow</b>	Geoff Dobson
<b>30 min</b>	<b>Handling Large Data Sets</b>	Jeff Reminga (Hands On)
<b>30 min</b>	<b>Ego Network Reports</b>	Jeff Reminga (Hands On)
<b>1 hr</b>	<b>Machine Learning Models in ORA</b>	Mike Kowalchuck
<b>1 hr</b>	<b>Conversations around Insider Threat</b>	Luke Osterritter (Case Study)
<b>3 hr</b>	<b>The three interactive/live sessions:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 9 am-12 noon US Eastern</li><li>• 1 pm-4 pm US Eastern</li><li>• 7 pm-10 pm US Eastern</li></ul>	ALL



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Day 7 – One on One  
Extra Sunday 6/14/20

<u>Time</u>	<u>What</u>	<u>Instructor</u>
<b>TBD by Appointment</b>	<p><b>Break-out sessions on tools and individualized training</b></p> <p><i>**During the week we will be grouping together participants with students, this day is optional and for anyone who needs further instruction. Timings will be established with TA's and participants</i></p>	<b>All CASOS TA's</b>