

Department of Political Science  
Methods Lab Coordinator  
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### What I do

I am here to help you! As a student enrolled in a political research methodology course or working on your undergraduate thesis, I am available as a resource for all of your methods questions. I am here to assist your Instructor and your Teaching Assistant by helping you with questions about your statistical analyses in STATA or R. I am available to help with these common questions:

- Downloading your software.
- Installing packages to access important functions.
- Tracking down the source of error messages.
- Interpreting the outputs from the software.
- I am also happy to help with recommending coding workflows, best practices, and data visualization.

### To view my current availability and to schedule an appointment

All appointments are held over Zoom. Appointments can be scheduled in 20-minute intervals. If you need more than 20 minutes, please schedule consecutive appointments. Before doing this though, be mindful of your peers. Please note that appointments will need to be scheduled at least **one** full day in advance. If you need to cancel the appointment, your email confirmation for the appointment will contain a link allowing you to cancel the meeting should you be unable to attend.

Office hours:

- Mondays through Fridays: 9am-12pm
- Mondays and Wednesdays: 3pm-5:30pm

To schedule a meeting:

<https://calendly.com/gustavoperezarobo/methods-lab-coordinator-gpa-spring-2026>