



# HAAG Buddy Program

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# Intro to HAAG

- **HAAG** = Human-Augmented Analytics Group
- Founded by PhD Student, **Breanna Shi**
- **Simplifies inter-disciplinary collaboration** between scientists in computational and non-computational fields
- **HAAG model** empowers grad students to take **ownership over their research collaboration**
- Provides non-computational scientists avenues to **learn data science**

# Buddy Program Objectives



- **Bolster** your knowledge of academic research and computer science
- **Connect** with your peers in OMSCS and build your network
- **Learn** from the experiences of your mentor or mentee

# Some Overall Logistics

- Current pairings are for June. I will announce a second round of pairs in July
- Meetings are open ended – no set agenda
- Suggested to meet at least once a week to share ideas and answer questions
- Use MSFT Teams and the OMSCS slack to connect effectively
- Any logistical issues in the program are to be reported to me, Ayush, [aparikh49@gatech.edu](mailto:aparikh49@gatech.edu)
- Conduct based issues are to be reported directly to Breanna Shi immediately, [bshi42@gatech.edu](mailto:bshi42@gatech.edu)

# I'm a Mentor, What do I Do?

- **Coordinate** meetings with your mentee at a regular cadence
- **Guide** your mentee with steps to get involved in research through OMSCS
- **Share** details about your project including steps you are taking towards publication

# I'm a Mentee, What do I Do?

- **Ask** lots of questions!
- **Describe** what kind of research you are interested in
- **Learn** whether the HAAG model would work for you for a future project

# For Everyone Involved . . .

- Be respectful!
- Be kind!
- Be mindful of others' time!
- Have fun!



# Icebreaker!

Mentees,

1. Tell us your name.
2. Where are you from? Where do you live?
3. What is your favorite OMSCS course so far?
4. Why are you interested in research?



Questions?