Boston Area SAS® Users Group (BASUG) Announcement On-Line Webinar Meeting

Wednesday, April 28, 2021 Noon – 1:00 PM

Are you a SAS programmer who uses Git to make your (coding) life easier? Or are you among the vast majority of SAS programmers who feels like you should be using Git to make your (coding) life easier, but you still haven't gotten around to learning Git yet? Either way, our April webinar is for you. Joe Matise will present an introduction to Git for SAS programmers, and show us the workflow benefits of the Git integrations built into SAS Studio.

This webinar is FREE to attend. A browser and a willingness to learn are all that are required to join us.

	Agenda
11:50+ AM	Join the Webinar
12:00 PM	Welcome
12:05 PM	SAS and Git: A Match in SAS Studio by Joe Matise, NORC at the University of Chicago
12:55 PM	Closing

This is a **FREE** event!

Click here to register for the Webinar

Registration is required to attend this webinar. Click the above link to register now (or at any time before 11:45 AM on the day of the meeting). After registering you will receive a confirmation email containing a link to join the webinar.

On the day of the webinar, please join a few minutes early to allow time to connect and familiarize yourself with the Zoom webinar platform. The webinar will begin promptly at 12:00.

Questions? Contact our meeting coordinators, Lori Goldman and Quentin McMullen at <u>Event</u> Organizers.

Abstract and Speaker Biography

SAS and Git: A Match in SAS Studio

by Joe Matise, NORC at the University of Chicago

Once upon a time, version control was something for programmers who lived on the command line and required remembering esoteric commands and complex sequences. Thankfully, this is no longer the case - with the latest version of SAS Studio, version control using Git is now easily accessible for all!

We will cover the basics of using Git integration in SAS Studio, from how to set up a repository, how to connect it to your company's server, how to commit changes to your code, and how to view past versions of your code.

For those of you who are seasoned Git pros, we will show how Git integration in SAS Studio can save you time, making for a more concise and smooth workflow while maintaining your ability to use Git outside of SAS Studio for those more advanced operations you need it for.

This presentation is aimed at programmers at any level who either know nothing at all about Git, or who would like to learn how to use the built-in Git functionality in SAS Studio. The presentation will use SAS Studio 3.8 with Base SAS 9.4 TS1m7, and will also mention the differences with SAS Studio for SAS Viya version 5.2. No prior knowledge of SAS, SAS Studio, or Git is required.



Joe Matise has 14 years of SAS experience working in various areas of survey research, including healthcare and market research. He is a frequent poster on SAS-L, Stack Overflow, and SAS Communities, and a big fan of the SAS Bowl trivia contests. He spends his evenings relaxing with his wife and trying to keep up with their two children, both of whom are better programmers than he is, at least if you ask them.

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