General Logistics

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Attendance at this workshop implies consent to abide by our code of conduct: https://go.nrao.edu/conduct

Program / Lectures

- Presentations March 15 – 17th only

- Data Reduction Sessions start on Tuesday, 03/16th, at 14:15 MDT

- **Group Picture: Tuesday or Wednesday between lectures**

- *March 24th: Virtual VLA Tour for the workshop participants*

- *March 27th: Next Generation VLA virtual public tour*

- **Note:** March 18th, NRAO staff will be unavailable 11:00–13:00 MDT

Program / Lectures (https://science.nrao.edu/science/meetings/2021/vla-data-reduction/program)

- Use of *slack* primarily for participant interaction. Except for the following 3 channels that will be attended/monitored by NRAO staff:
  - General announcements: **# announcements**
  - Computing issues: **# login-issues**
  - All other inquiries: **# general**

- If needed, announcements are made at the beginning of the morning or afternoon data reduction sessions
  (typically 9:00 and 13:00 MDT)

Data Reduction Sessions

- Unless noted otherwise: 9:00 – 12:00 and 13:00 – 17:00 MDT
- Data reduction session guidelines: https://science.nrao.edu/science/meetings/2021/vla-data-reduction/logistics

- Same zoom room as lectures
- Staff will be available to help participants individually.
- Coordinators (host) will triage help requests and assign a break-out room and staff help. Use "raise hand" feature to request help.
- There will also be a break-out room, labeled "tea room", for live interaction between participants.
- Slack will be available for general inquiries.

Computing

- **If not tested yet, make sure you are able to access the NM post-processing cluster and able to start a VNC session.**

- If you want interactive staff help through a shared VNC session, be prepared to share your VNC password during a data reduction session.

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