

Concept
for
R-Hackfest/Hackathon scheduled for May 2, 2023
on
Ethiopians and the Way they Receive their Monthly Salaries

Guideline / Structure:

Multidisciplinary group works on innovative solutions. A brief introduction into R-Hackathon provides the floor for the group work. Within a given time, R-Hackathon is framed by the steps: (1) Group Building, (2) Visualise Data, (3) Terms of Reference for a potential Project Proposal.

Objective:

Visualise the given data of the 2018/19 Ethiopian Socioeconomic Survey (https://nadre.ethernet.edu.et/record/20551#.Y_NN57RByEu) Section 4: Time Use and Labor (respective questionnaire on the same website: household survey p. 15) and find out something interesting in questionnaire about the transfer of the monthly payment (salaries), which needs to be explored further in-depth. Based on the findings draft either a presentation or the terms of reference for a potential call for proposals that your Team wants to explore more in-depth.

Approach:

1. Express the relation of the selected variables (use R, Python or other coding language to visualise what should be presented and analysed).
2. Discuss the visualisation within your group in order to find common understanding for the variables, which should be presented.
3. Select one or two variables of specific interest.
4. Draft the Terms of Reference for a possible call for proposals for the chosen indicator in order to solve the problem discovered.

Time:

Start at 8:30 a.m.EAT; Submission of the presentation at 16:30 EAT by the latest.

Location:

On remote or/and at your university - wherever you'd like to organise this monthly R-Hackathon

Steps:

8:30 Introduction and register on Slack Citizen Science R-Hackathon Ethiopia

<https://app.slack.com/huddle/TBZGN5L83/C058UDV6W>

9:00 Share the name of your team in the #citizen-science-hackathon26052023

12:00 Communicate the problem found on channel: #citizen-science-hackathon26052023

15:00 Upload your findings as power point (ppt) submission on <https://rhackfest.slack.com>; channel: #citizen-science-hackathon26052023. The presentation includes the coding script, the Terms of Reference for a (potential) Call for (a) suggested action(s)

Database:

Selected data from World Bank Microdata for Ethiopia available on the National Academic Repository of Ethiopia (NADRE):

https://nadre.ethernet.edu.et/record/20523/files/sect4_hh_w4.csv?download=1 The corresponding questionnaire is the household survey Section 4 (page 15):

<https://nadre.ethernet.edu.et/record/20551#.ZCHL8hVByEv>

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