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library(dplyr)
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rladies_global %>%  
  filter(city == 'Your city')
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The power of
community - being
a part of R-Ladies



Hello!

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What is R-Ladies

- Worldwide organisation that promotes gender diversity in the R community through meet-ups and mentorships in a friendly and safe environment
- Local chapters all over the world – joined together by R-Ladies Global

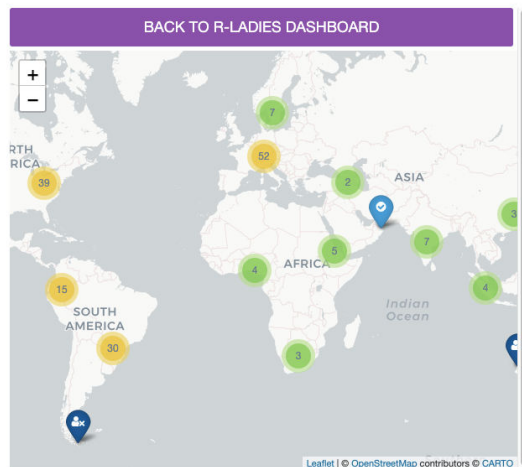


The history of R-ladies

- Gabriela de Querioz founded R-Ladies on October 1, 2012.
- In the following years two more R-Ladies chapters started around the globe: Twin Cities and Taipei.
- R-Ladies London was the fourth chapter, which launched in March 2016.
- The need for high-level coordination and support became clear at useR! 2016

MEETUP LOCATIONS

A complete list of all groups and meetups organised under R-Ladies globally may be found in the [R-Ladies organizational meetup](#), or check this awesome [shiny dashboard](#)!



If you are interested in starting an R-Ladies meetup group in your city, or would like to find out more information about starting a meetup group, reach out at info@rladies.org



Search ...

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SOCIAL ACCOUNTS BY CHAPTER

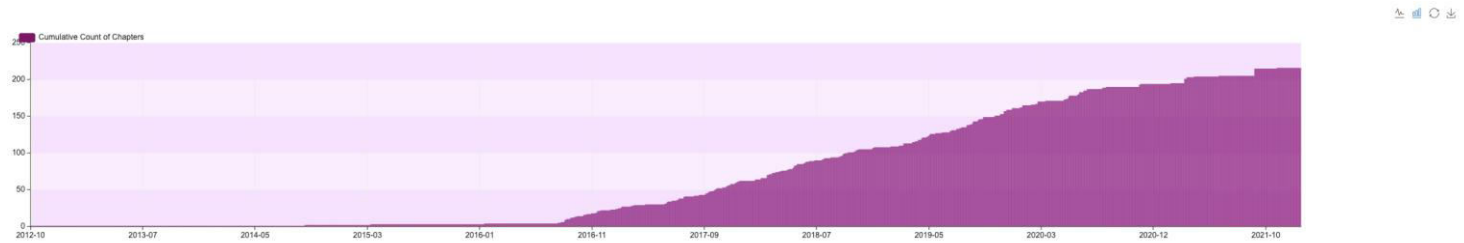
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CODE OF CONDUCT

- DONATE TO R-LADIES -



- Provide guidance and support to local organisers
- Sponsorship from R consortium to support the community and create more chapters
- Code of conduct (EN/SP/PT)





216 chapters

100,267 members

61 countries



- Multiple events happening every week – many remotely
- Rotating twitter account
- Directory of R-Ladies speakers
- Slack communities to ask questions about code, post job opportunities
- Pre-submission abstract review programme



We are R-Ladies
@WeAreRLadies

This week's #RLadies curator is @Hasiakbar!

The featured curator card for Haseena Akbar (@hasiakbar) is displayed on a purple background. It includes a circular profile picture of Haseena, her name, and her Twitter handle. The card highlights her role as a learner, researcher, and teacher, and lists her current location as UAE. It also mentions her favorite R packages (tidyverse, ggplot2, psych) and her hobbies (writing). A quote from her is included: "I use R for regressions to DEA, and Plotting to forecasting!". The card is part of the #RLadies series, with the curator for the week of August 22 - 27, 2022.

@WeAreRLadies
FEATURED CURATOR
August 22 – 27, 2022

What they do
Learner, researcher and teacher

In **R**

"I use R for regressions to DEA, and Plotting to forecasting!"

Haseena Akbar
@hasiakbar

One R Learning Goal
"Every day Shiny Day!"

Current Location
UAE

Uses R For...
Education, Academic Research

Favorite Package(s)
tidyverse, ggplot2, psych

Hobbies
Writing

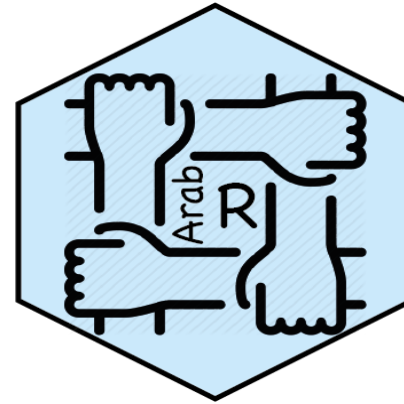
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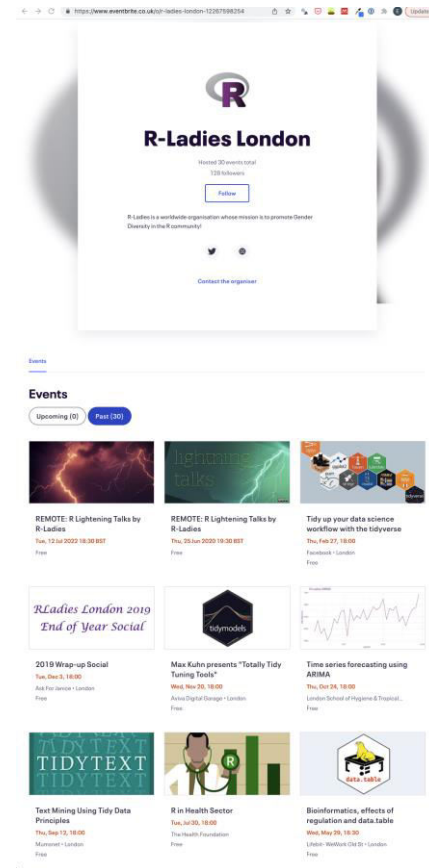
Diversity in open source and data science

- Gender representation has improved in the R community
- R-Ladies has been cited as one the reasons behind this
- R-Ladies has been followed by other initiatives to promote diversity
- Just read the comments to any post talking about diversity
- ~80% of R users are men (R community survey)
- Manels are still very common at conferences
- Women make up ~26% of roles in data and AI (WEF)



R-Ladies London

- First event 4 March 2016
- 1568 members
- 56 events – workshops, hackathons, socials, lightning talks
- Pre-pandemic we had monthly events

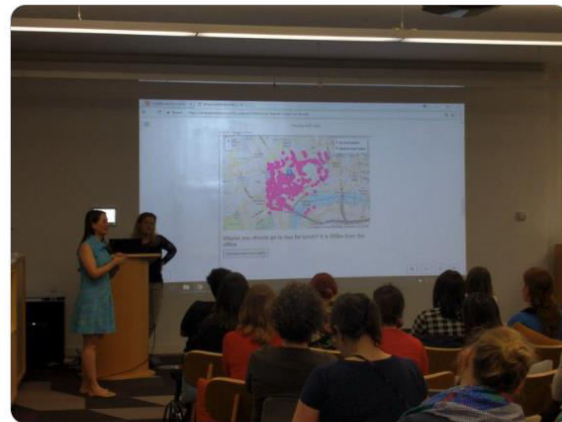


My R-Ladies journey



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Those [#rladies](#) are on fire! @Gummifot is sharing her experience in developing a really cool [#shinyapp](#) that helps her decide where to go out for lunch!



7:53 PM · Apr 24, 2018 · Twitter for Android



For each _Wickham do_a meetup! @CVWickham opening #wickhammonth at #rladies London with the purrr tutorial



6:17 PM · Jul 12, 2017 · Twitter for Android

5 Retweets 27 Likes

Relevant people



R-Ladies London
@RLadiesLondon
The first R programming meetup for Minority Genders in the UK!
Promoting Diversity & Inclusivity in STEM/Data Science
london@rladies.org #RLadies #rstats

Following



Charlotte Wickham
@CVWickham
Part-time professor, full-time Stats, #rstats and cats.

Following

What's happening

War in Ukraine · LIVE

Latest updates on the war in Ukraine

Trending with Kherson



My London · 2 hours ago
Three dead and teenager fighting for life after shocking bank holiday weekend



Trending in United Kingdom

Reading Festival
12.7K Tweets

Politics · Trending



R-Ladies London
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Replying to @RLadiesLondon

All links up here from @hadleywickham #RLadiesLondon talk tonight !! 🍷🌞🌟 thanks so so much to Hadley!!!



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Three dead and teenager for life after shocking bank holiday weekend

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Five arguments all couples to have, according to a therapist

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#LooseWomen

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#rdogladies

Benefits of being part of a community

- A space to practice public speaking – both as a presenter, teacher and a facilitator
- Promote and help other R users
- Builds confidence
- Experience to put on my CV
- A social space – especially as someone with no family in the UK

NHS R 2018



Budapest BI forum 2017



EARL 2018



UseR 2019



Come join us!

- Attend one of our meet-ups
- Speak at one of our events

We are looking for more organisers

- A great way to be involved in the R community

We are also looking for hosts for our events

- Opportunity to promote your organisation as an employer
- Host events in spaces with the option of running hybrid events
- Sponsor us with food

Our next event

- Remote 28 September 2022
- Lydia Briggs, Great Ormond Street Hospital
- Ribka Aschalew, UCL
- Register on meet-up and eventbrite



Thank you!



<https://qz.com/work/1661486/r-ladies-made-data-science-inclusive/>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iufMSW_gXvM