

Compulsory Office Hour

Prof. Tzu-Ting Yang
楊子霆

Institute of Economics, Academia Sinica
中央研究院經濟研究所

March 26, 2026

Date and Deadline

- ▶ **Compulsory office hour will be hold on 4/2 or 4/16**
- ▶ Prepare 1-5 slides to describe your research questions
- ▶ Please upload your slides **before your meeting**
- ▶ Upload your slides using this link:
 - ▶ <https://www.dropbox.com/request/ZeBgB1xV6ntnQ8JszF5R>
 - ▶ Format of file name: **StudentID_YourName**

Booking a Slot

- ▶ We will have 10-15 minutes to discuss your research topics
- ▶ Please book your slot through this link
 - ▶ <https://calendar.app.google/qQFCtw2sUQVepMYK7>
- ▶ You can schedule a 1-on-1 meeting with me, or opt for a 2-on-1 meeting if you'd like to include your classmate.
 - ▶ For 2-on-1 meeting, please put the first student name in 姓氏 and second one's name in 名字

Content

Part 1

- ▶ Write down at least two research questions
- ▶ Briefly mention why the proposed topics are interesting
- ▶ Some background information about your topic:
 - ▶ What is the origin of the question, puzzle, economic prediction, or stylized fact of interest?

Content

Part 2

- ▶ What is the causal relationship you want to estimate
- ▶ Clearly point out your **outcome of interest** and the **treatment variable**
- ▶ Try to figure out potential **selection bias** and how to fix it
- ▶ Discuss potential **data sources**