

Target Trial Emulation: Learning what works
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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:30am - 11:00am	Specifying the target trial	Emulating time zero	Checking the emulation of randomization	Sustained treatment strategies	Hands-on: Grace periods
11:10am - 12:30pm	Hands-on: Estimating effects in a target trial	Hands-on: Emulating sequential target trials	When emulating randomization is not reasonable	Hands-on: Adjusting for time-varying confounding and selection bias	Wrap-up
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Break				
1:30pm - 3:00pm	Emulating the target trial	Emulating randomization	Competing events	Treatment strategies indistinguishable at time zero	
3:10pm - 4:30pm	Hands-on: Estimating effects in an emulated target trial	Hands-on: Adjusting for time-fixed confounders	Hands-on: Handling competing events	Hands-on: Cloning + censoring + IP weighting	