



## Just-in-Time Lifelong Learning -3

# Course schedule

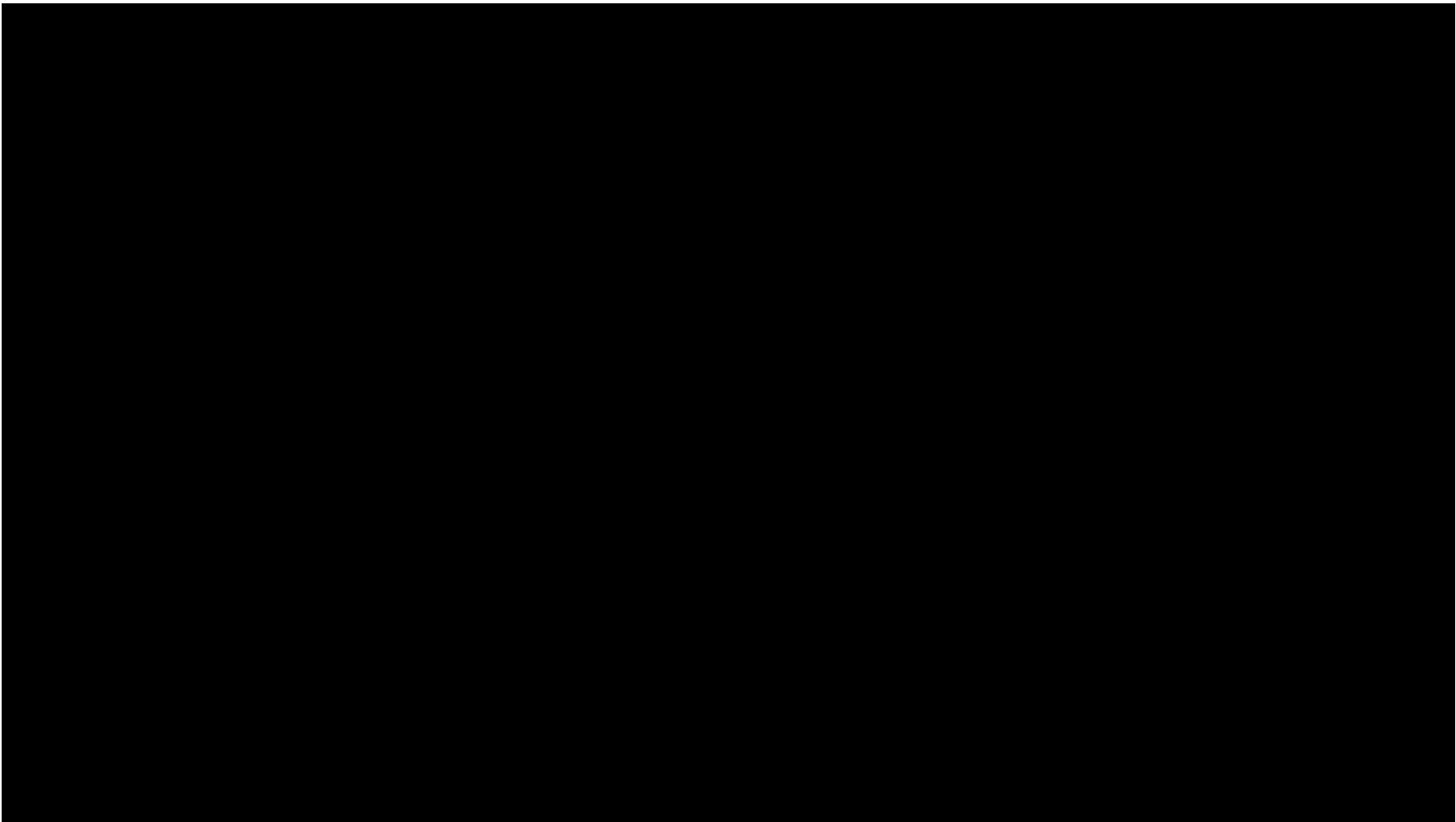
Date	Topics
2/5	Introduction Identify things we want to learn Learn about learning
2/12	Trust and truthiness
2/19	<b>What have we learned so far?</b>
2/26	Just-in-time doesn't mean instantaneous
3/5	Summing up and looking forward

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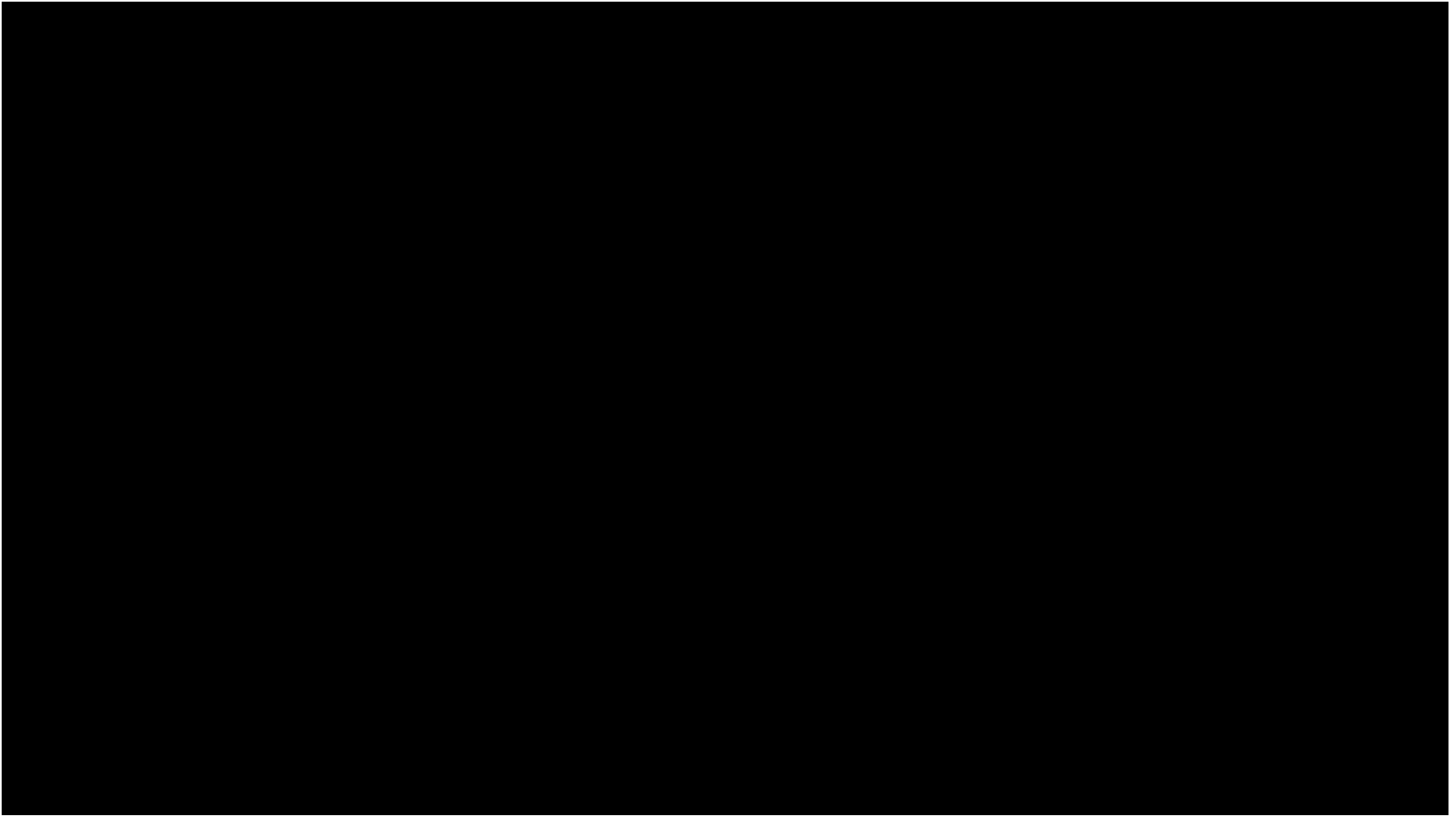
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## Your topics

# The Half-Life Of Facts: Sam Arbesman



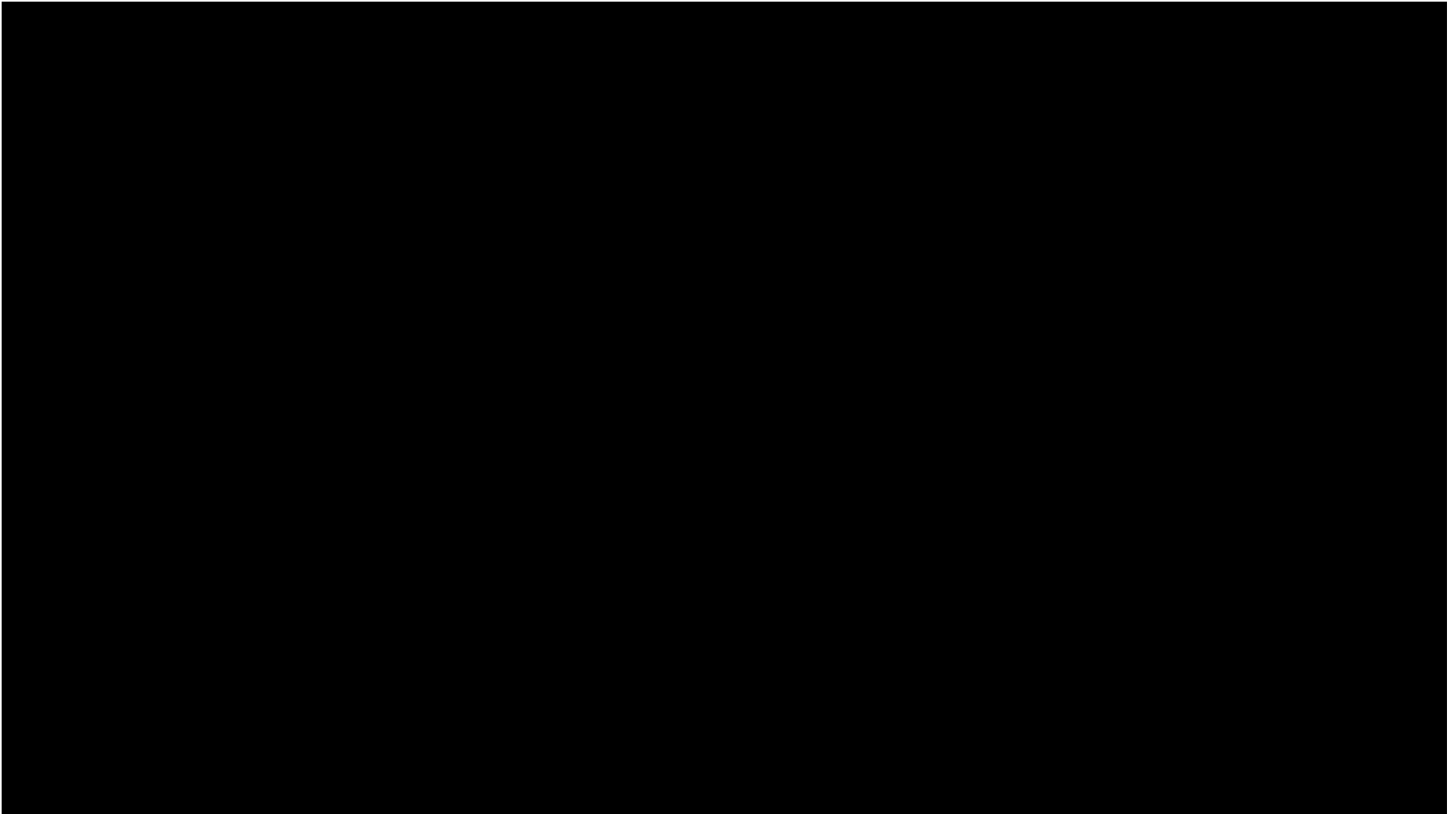
# Building a home with YouTube





## Concept, reference, and task

# Sal Khan – How Khan Academy started





Millions of Americans rely on caffeine to get them up in the morning. Here's nutritional data on some popular drinks at Ben's Beans coffee shop:

Drink	Type	Calories	Sugars (g)	Caffeine (mg)
Brewed coffee	Hot	4	0	260
Caffè latte	Hot	100	14	75
Caffè mocha	Hot	170	27	95
Cappuccino	Hot	60	8	75
Iced brewed coffee	Cold	60	15	120
Chai latte	Hot	120	25	60

The individuals in this data set are:



Ben's Beans customers

This data set contains:



4 variables, 1 of which is categorical



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## Statistics, analyzing one variable





# Newspaper research

- Google Newspaper Archive -  
<https://news.google.com/newspapers>
- [Chronicling America](#) – Library of Congress
- [Times Machine](#) – all issues of the New York Times from September 18, 1851 to December 31, 2002
- Via Assumption and other academic libraries:
  - [America's Historical Newspapers](#)
  - [Wall Street Journal](#)
  - [Boston Globe](#) – 1980 – present
  - [Nexis Uni®](#) - Lexis/Nexis for universities
- [Adverts 250](#) – advertisements that appeared in colonial American newspapers 250 years ago.

# Seth Stephens-Davidowitz – Digital Truth Serum



# Specialized Google searches

- [Google Dataset Search](#)
- [Google Correlate](#) - Find searches that correlate with real-world data
- [Refine web searches](#)
- [Advanced Search](#)
- [Ngram Viewer](#)
- [Google Trends](#)

# Alternatives to Google

- Google Incognito Mode and Microsoft Edge inPrivate
- Bing (Microsoft) – [bing.com](https://bing.com)
- Yahoo (powered by Bing) – <https://yahoo.com>
- DuckDuckGo – [duckduckgo.com](https://duckduckgo.com)
- Wolfram Alpha - <https://www.wolframalpha.com/>