LING 300 - Topics in Linguistics: Introduction to Programming and Text Processing for Linguists

# Week 2

Command-line Text Processing (cont.)

- Number of folks who have taken CS110!
  - Totally fine, but weeks 3-4 here might be review
  - Look ahead and make sure it makes sense
- Reminder

Grading issues:

• Grades are written in files with

```
### [RV] or ### [TS]
```

• Fun way to read grades with grep:

```
grep -B 2 '### \[RV\]' assignment1.txt
```

Grading issues:

- Reminder that no news is good news
- If your permissions were set incorrectly we'll make a new file, e.g. assignment1 graded.txt

Logistical issues:

- Use assignment1, assignment2 folders please! (and no spaces in directories or filenames)
- Please remember to fill out the top part of the assignments!

MobaXTerm and X-forwarding

X-forwarding means the graphics pass through

We want this off - no reason to use GUI emacs, it's slow

Or use e.g. alias emacs="emacs -nw"

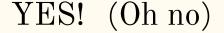
(Rob will demo)

Some great questions:

• Is there an 'undo' on the terminal?

NO! (Oh no)

• Is stuff that I `rm` gone forever?





#### • Emacs backups:

```
o assignment1.txt <- actual file</pre>
```

```
○ assignment1.txt~ <- backup file
```

```
o #assignment1.txt# <- auto-save file</pre>
```

https://emacsredux.com/blog/2013/05/09/keep-

backup-and-auto-save-files-out-of-the-way/

More great questions on text editors!

- Are vim/nano/emacs just different ways to write code?
- Do vim/nano/emacs create different kinds of files?
- Why do people make such a big deal about text editors?
- Why do we need them when we can also just write commands in the terminal?