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## Introduction to R: RStudio Access Guide

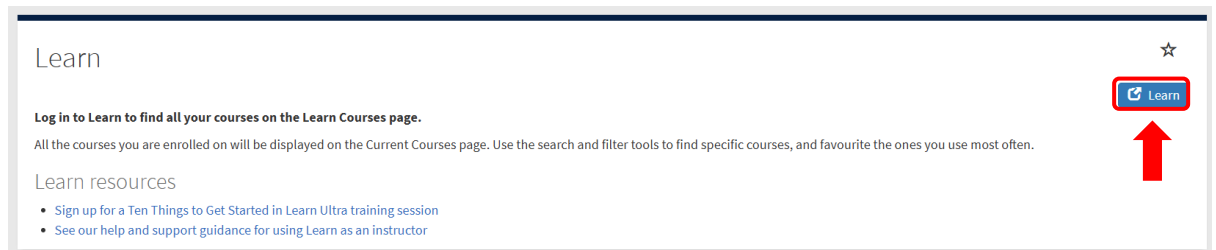
Welcome, and thank you for signing up for the Introduction to R webinar. This guide is designed to help gain access to RStudio through Noteable or Posit Cloud, and to install RStudio locally on university-owned laptops or personal computers.

If you have any questions about accessing RStudio or about the course material, please do not hesitate to contact the webinar instructor, Aretha Foo, at [pfoo@ed.ac.uk](mailto:pfoo@ed.ac.uk).

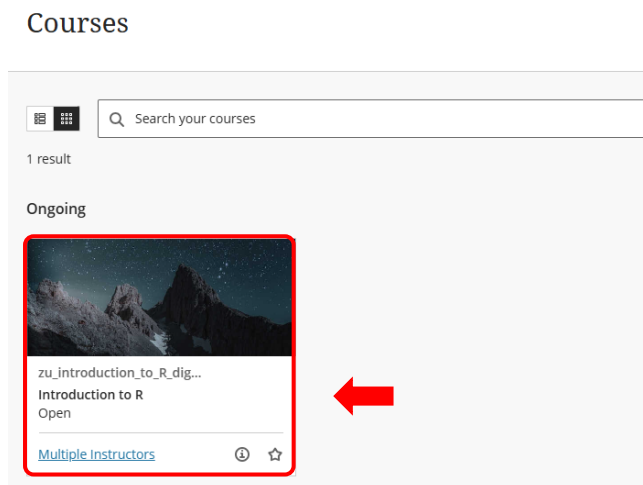
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## Accessing RStudio Through Noteable

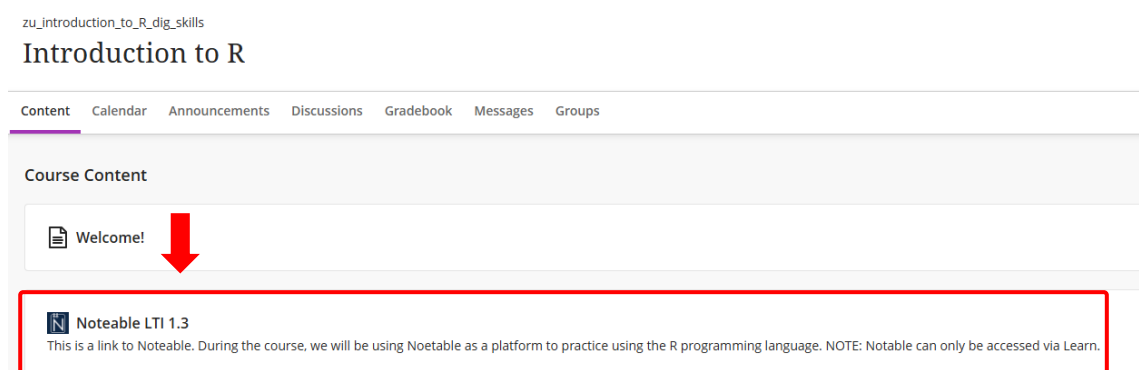
1. Login to your [university staff or student portal](#) and access your Learn page.



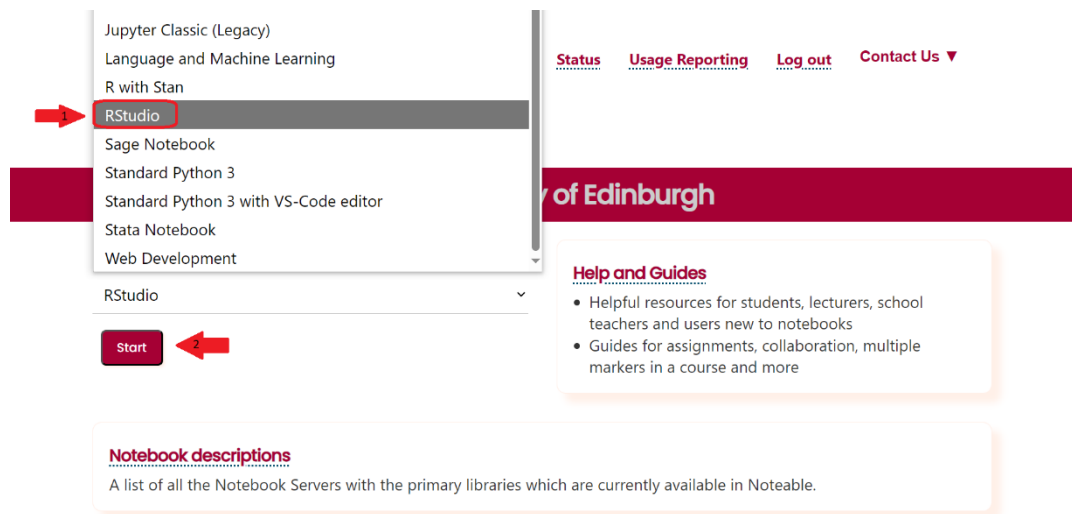
2. Click the course titled "Introduction to R".



3. Click on the Noteable link (NOTE: Noteable can only be accessed via Learn).

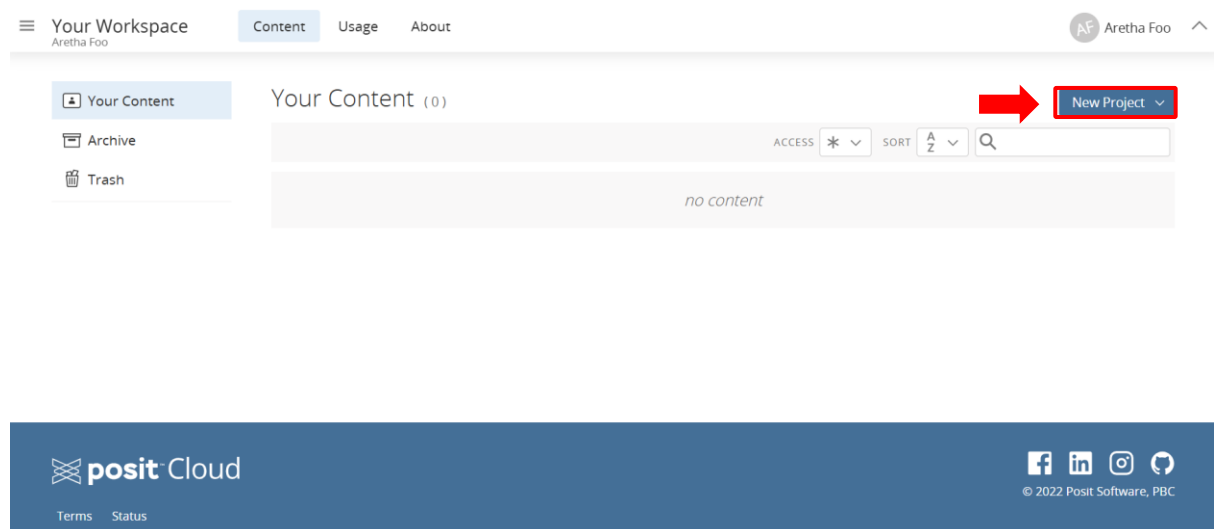


4. In the Noteable page, select RStudio in the drop-down menu and click Start.

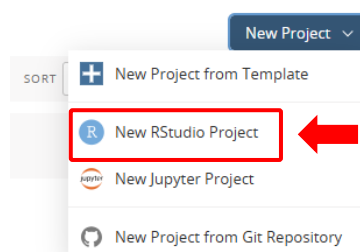


## Accessing RStudio Through Posit Cloud

1. Click on [Posit Cloud](#) to access the site directly from this guide.
2. If you are a new-user, sign-up for an account and verify your email address.
3. After gaining access to a Posit Cloud account, you should be presented with this interface:



4. Click on the New Project button and select "New RStudio Project".

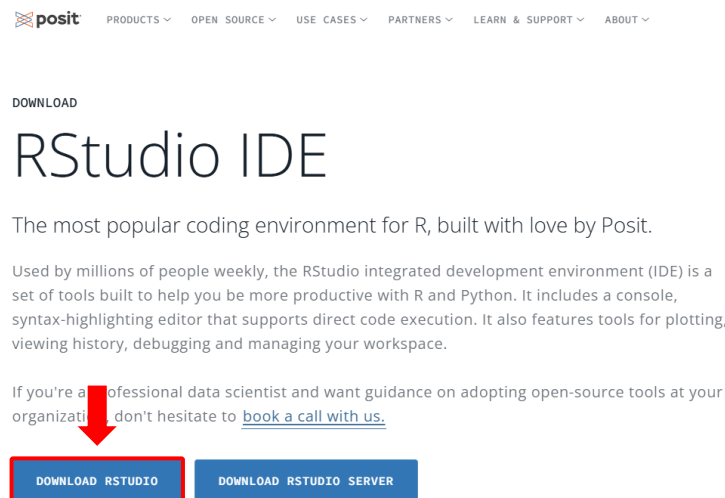


## Installing RStudio on University-Owned Laptops

1. Go to the software centre on the laptop.
2. Search for RStudio.
3. Click into the application “R 4.4.1 (with RStudio 2024.04.2)” and install.

## Installing RStudio on Personal Computers

1. Click on [Download RStudio](#) to access the site directly from this guide.
2. Click on the button “Download RStudio”.



3. Follow the steps on the website: First install R, then install RStudio (NOTE: Make sure to download the RStudio specifically for your computer's operating system).

### 1: Install R

RStudio requires R 3.6.0+. Choose a version of R that matches your computer's operating system.

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### 2: Install RStudio

