

FOLDER ENVIRONMENT FOR EVEEC2022

I recommend the following folder structure on your PC for compatibility with my own folder environment and thus ease of communication, coding, and file transfer.

First create a folder for the entire course - let's use the acronym "EVEEC2022" (for Economic Valuation of Environmental Change): `EVEEC2022`

THIS IS CRUCIAL FOR Jupyter Lab / Python TO WORK CORRECTLY: Place this `EVEEC2022` folder directly under your `c:\` folder, or along a folder path that does **NOT** contain any folder names with blank spaces!! So for example, `c:\yourname\EVEEC2022` is OK, but `c:\your name\EVEEC2022` will cause trouble!

Within this folder, create sub-folders for each of the eight modules we will cover in this course:

`module1`

`module2`

`module3`

etc.

You may also want to create sub-folders for your five problem sets / projects.

Within each `module` folder, create the following sub-folders:

`functions` - to store functions to be called from the main scripts

`output` - to store output saved by the main scripts

`data` - to store data loaded by the main scripts

`images` - to store any "images" or other files that may be called by a main script (graphs, photos, pdfs, etc.)

KEY: Put the actual main scripts (notebooks) directly under the "module.." folder for easiest way to call the other components.