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# What we will do today:

- Talk about XML in general and the TEI in particular—what it is, and what it's good for
- Learn the parts of a TEI document
- Tackle hands-on exercises using the `<oxygen/>` XML editor
- Consider how to approach a text encoding project thoughtfully and practically
- Point out some tools and resources to learn more

# What we won't do today:

- Memorize the entire TEI Guidelines

# Agenda:

10:00-10:30	Refreshments and computer setup
10:30-11:00	Welcome and Lecture: Introduction to XML
11:00-12:00	Exercise: Document analysis
12:00-1:00	Exercise: TEI encoding 1
1:00-1:45	Lunch
1:45-2:15	Lecture: Introduction to the TEI header
2:15-2:30	Lecture: What can you do with encoded texts?
2:30-3:30	Exercise: TEI encoding 2
3:30-3:45	Break
3:45-4:00	Lecture: How to publish your TEI documents
4:00-5:00	Exercise: TEI encoding 3
5:00-5:30	Entanglement of markup
5:30-5:45	Conclusion and feedback

All of today's materials will be available online:

<http://www.lib.umich.edu/digital-publishing-production/creating-digital-scholarly-editions-introduction-text-encoding-initiat>