Data Description and Replication Instructions for:

"How Labor Unions Increase Political Knowledge: Evidence from the United States"

- The survey data used in the paper was created/coded using both Stata and R. All of the tables and figures were made in Stata and the replication code is in a single Stata do file.
    - I imported selected variables from larger Stata and SPSS files into R, coded them, and then exported the data back to Stata
        - The coding of each variable is described in greater detail in the main paper in the Data and Methods section.
        - After extracting the variables of interest from the 2012 ANES and the 2004 NAES, I used the "MatchIt" package in R, and then imported the data back into Stata for the analyses.
- I have also provided the raw Stata and SPSS data files, respectively, for the 2012 ANES and 2004 NAES, and the raw Stata file for the Cumulative ANES, as well as the codebooks for each.
- All of the tables and figures listed below (which are in the main paper) can be replicated using Stata and the datasets/code provided in the accompanying do files.

Figure 2 – Uses data from the 2012 ANES (matched)

Table 3 – Uses data from the 2012 ANES (matched)

Table 4 – Uses data from the 2012 ANES (matched)

Figure 3 – Uses data from the 2004 NAES (matched)

Table 5 – Uses data from the CANES (not matched)

Table 6 – Uses data from the 2012 ANES (matched)

Table 7 – Uses data from the 2004 NAES (matched)

Table 8 – Uses data from the 2012 ANES (matched)