README file for "Rearranging the Desk Chairs: A Large Randomized Field Experiment on the Effects of Close Contact on Interethnic Relations", Felix Elwert, Tamás Keller, and Andreas Kotsadam. The paper is accepted in the American Journal of Sociology.

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1. Automated replication procedure

All tables and figures can be replicated from the processed data, which is included in this package. To replicate the results, run the dofile “Replication_AJS”, after replacing the path to the replication package.

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2. List of processed data files included in the package

Three different datasets are used. The main data, Replication_ajs, is from the deskmate survey. The other two datasets are from teacher surveys (see the paper for details).

Data folder:
Replication_ajs.dta
Teacher_survey_2021_Summer.dta
Teacher_survey_2022_February.dta

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3. Additional files

The package include the accepted version of the manuscript and the online appendix, the survey to the students in Hungarian and a translated English version.

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4. Information on software and version used for the analysis

The analysis and data construction code are written in Stata 17 SE, so users should have some version of Stata 17 or higher.