SUMMER 2017 - STAT 203 C100

# INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS FOR THE SOCIAL SCIENCES (3)

*Class Number: 2488     Delivery Method: Distance Education*

**COURSE TIMES + LOCATION:**

Distance Education

**EXAM TIMES + LOCATION:**

Jun 28, 2017
7:00 PM – 9:00 PM
SSCK 9500, Burnaby

Aug 8, 2017
12:00 PM – 3:00 PM
AQ 3003, Burnaby

**PREREQUISITES:**

Recommended: a research methods course such as SA 255, CRIM 220, POL 213 or equivalent is recommended prior to taking STAT 203.

## Description

**CALENDAR DESCRIPTION:**

Descriptive and inferential statistics aimed at students in the social sciences. Scales of measurement. Descriptive statistics. Measures of association. Hypothesis tests and confidence intervals. Students in Sociology and Anthropology are expected to take SA 255 before this course. Intended to be particularly accessible to students who are not specializing in Statistics. Students with credit for any of STAT 101, 201, 270, ARCH 376 or BUEC 232 may not subsequently receive credit for this course. Quantitative.

## Grading

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| Assignments | 15% |
| Mid-term Exam | 15% |
| Final Exam | 70% |

## Materials

**REQUIRED READING:**

*The Basic Practice of Statistics (2015),* Moore et al.
ISBN: 9781319019334

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**Students with Disabilites:**
Students requiring accommodations as a result of disability must contact the Centre for Students with Disabilities 778-782-3112 or csdo@sfu.ca

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**Please refer to Canvas for the most updated Take Home Midterm/Final exam times.**

Additional Course Fee: $40
Required Readings listed on the course outlines are the responsibility of the student to purchase. Textbooks are available for purchase at the SFU Bookstore on the Burnaby campus or online through the Bookstore's website.

Exams are scheduled to be written on the SFU Burnaby campus at the noted time and date (unless noted as a take-home exam).
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