Spring 2014 Day Course

Selected Topics: Applied Statistical Methods for Physiology and Kinesiology

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Instructor: Dr. Carl Schwarz

Prerequisite:

A basic knowledge of statistics, typically a single course in your undergraduate degree. Please contact instructor if unsure of your background.

Textbook:

No formal text assigned. We will be using a subset of material at http://www.stat.sfu.ca/~cschwarz/CourseNotes

Course Description:

The use of statistical techniques and mathematical models in Biomechanics, Physiology and Kinesiology with special emphasis on experimentation, observational studies, and statistical model construction.

Outline:

- Introductory Review.
- Experimental data single factor/ two factor/ split-plot/ repeated measures.
- Linear and Logistic Regression
- Observational Studies

Grading Scheme:

Assignments – 20% Written Project – 15% Two Term Test – 15% each Final Exam – 35%

Grading is subject to change.

Students should be aware that they have certain rights to confidentiality concerning the return of course papers and the posting of marks. Please pay careful attention to the options discussed in class at the beginning of the semester. Students are reminded that Academic Honesty is a cornerstone of the acquisition of knowledge. Scholarly integrity is required of all members of the University. Students are encouraged to review policies pertaining to academic integrity available on Student Services webpage at http://students.sfu.ca/academicintegrity.html

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