STATISTICAL ANALYSIS OF RESEARCH DATA

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Course sessions are on January 8, 10, 13, and 15, 2025, from 9am-1pm EST, via online instruction. We will take short breaks every 75-90 minutes.

AGENDA

January 8, 2025: Univariate Statistics I

- Descriptive statistics and normal distributions (of data)
- Random sampling and sampling distributions of the mean
- Estimating a population mean with an interval estimate
- Small vs. large sample considerations

January 10, 2025: Univariate Statistics II

- Inferential statistics and hypothesis testing (including errors)
- Two-sample tests of means: paired and independent samples
- Small vs. large sample considerations

January 13, 2025: Bi- and Multivariate Statistics I

- Bivariate statistics: covariance, correlation, etc.
- Simple linear regression (one input)
- Regression diagnostics
- Multiple regression (two or more inputs)

January 15, 2025: Multivariate Statistics II

- Multiple regression (continued)
- Multivariate regression diagnostics
- Nonparametric statistics: Chi-squared test for randomized response (time permitting)

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