

COURSE OUTLINES (SYLLABUS) SS857 t Data Analysis

1. General Course Information

Course Information 07:30-11:30 AM Friday

10:30 AM-11:30 AM WSC 240;

Prerequisite Requirements
SS2858A/B

4. Course Materials

Text Book(s)

An Introduction to Statistical Learning -- with applications in R, by Gareth James, Daniela Witten, Trevor Hastie and Robert Tibshirani, Springer, ed. 2013 edition
Textbook website <http://www-bcf.usc.edu/~gareth/ISL/>

Students should check OWL (<http://owl.uwo.ca>) on a regular basis for news and updates. This is the primary method by which information will be disseminated to all students in the class. Students are responsible for checking OWL on a regular basis.

5. Methods of Evaluation

Assignments: There will be 4 assignments and a data analysis project. Students are required to present their results for the assignments and the project in class.

Midterms or Tests

No midterm exam.

Final Exam

The date and time for the four final exam will be announced by the registrar's office, usually near the first part of November. Students are required to wait until the final exam schedule is posted before making arrangements for travel over the Christmas period. Exams will NOT be moved to accommodate students who ignore this requirement.

The Course Grade

The overall course grade will be calculated as listed below:

Assignments	20%
Project	20%
Final Exam	40%
Presentations	20%

6. Course Website Information

Western's learning management system OWL will be used. Please check this webpage regularly for lecture notes, exam materials and announcements. A copy of this course outline is also posted.

7. Accommodation and Accessibility

7.4 Classroom Environment

The Department has adopted a "Mutual Expectations" policy governing the classroom environment and all work submitted by students. The full text of the policy can be found at: