

Statistics 111 Spring 2008

JMHH 463

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Course Description:

The goal of this course is to develop basic tools for data analysis, probability and statistical methods. Key topics covered in the course include exploratory data analysis, regression, probability, estimation, and hypothesis testing.

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Lectures:

Section 001, TTh 1:00-2:00, SHDH 350 Section 002, TTh 2:00-3:00, SHDH 350

Office hours: Tuesday 3:00-5:00 JMHH 463

Course Website: stat.wharton.upenn.edu/~stjensen/stat111.html

Required Textbook:

Introduction to the Practice of Statistics (5th edition) by D. Moore and G. McCabe

Required Software:

JMP IN 5 statistical software and handbook. JMP IN is available in the Wharton Computer Labs, located in JMHH F75 and JMHH F80

Evaluation:

Your course grade will be calculated as 30% homeworks, 10% recitation quizzes, 20% for the midterm examination, and 40% for the final examination.

Important Dates:

Thursday, January 17

Monday, March 3

Tuesday, March 11

Thursday, March 13

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Thursday, April 24

Monday, May 5

First day of class

Midterm Exam (6:00-8:00pm)

No Class -- Spring Break

Last day of class

Final Exam

Notes about Grading:

- Homework assignments will be assigned every two weeks or so and will be turned in for grading. No late homeworks will be accepted, for any reason whatsoever.
 However, your lowest homework score will not be used when calculating your final grade
- No make-up midterm will be given, so make sure that you do not have other commitments during the midterm time
- In addition to homework assignments, a quiz will be assigned and completed each week in Friday recitation. You may work on these in groups of up to 4 people. Since quizzes will only be given during recitation, no late quizzes will be accepted for any reason whatsoever. However, your lowest quiz score will not be used when calculating your final grade

Teaching Assistants and Recitations:

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