

Applied econometric analysis of stated choice data (MA and MAGKS course)

Lecturer:

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Office hours: Wednesday, 11.30-12.30 h (during the lecture period) (room 1119)

Planned schedule:

First part (April 04 – April 09, 2019)

April 04

Introduction to Stata (Engler)	10.00-12.00 h (Nora-Platiel 4, room 1215)
Lecture (Ziegler):	13.00-15.00 h (Nora-Platiel 6, room 0211)
Lecture and applications with Stata (Ziegler):	15.30-18.30 h (Nora-Platiel 4, room 1215)

April 05

Tutorial with Stata (Engler):	10.00-13.00 h (Nora-Platiel 4, room 1215)
Lecture (Ziegler):	14.00-16.00 h (Nora-Platiel 6, room 0211)
Lecture and applications with Stata (Ziegler):	16.30-18.30 h (Nora-Platiel 4, room 1215)

April 08

Lecture and applications with Stata (Ziegler):	10.00-12.00 h (Nora-Platiel 4, room 1215)
Tutorial with Stata (Engler):	13.00-16.00 h (Nora-Platiel 4, room 1215)
Lecture (Ziegler):	16.30-18.30 h (Nora-Platiel 6, room 0211)

April 09

Lecture and applications with Stata (Ziegler):	10.00-13.00 h (Nora-Platiel 4, room 1215)
Tutorial with Stata (Engler):	14.00-17.00 h (Nora-Platiel 4, room 1215)

Second part (July 11 – July 12, 2019)

July 11

Presentations:	10.00-18.00 h (room to be announced)
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July 12

Presentations:	10.00-18.00 h (room to be announced)
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Lecture slides:

On the website and in the moodle course “Applied econometric analysis of stated choice data”

Prerequisite for attending the course:

Deep knowledge of microeconomic models and methods

Requirements for earning 6 ECTS credits:

- For master students in Kassel: Successful attendance of an econometric master course
- Attendance and active participation throughout both parts of the course
- Writing of a seminar paper (about ten pages plus tables) and oral presentation in the second part of the course

Outline:

1. Introduction to multinomial discrete choice models
 - 1.1 Background
 - 1.2 General model structure
 - 1.3 Maximum Likelihood estimation
 - 1.4 Statistical testing
 - 1.5 Multinomial logit models
 - 1.6 Applications
2. Flexible multinomial discrete choice models
 - 2.1 Background
 - 2.2 Multinomial probit models
 - 2.3 Mixed logit models
 - 2.4 Latent class logit models
 - 2.5 Applications
3. Stated choice analyses
 - 3.1 Stated and revealed preferences
 - 3.2 Design of stated choice experiments
 - 3.3 Examples
 - 3.4 Econometric analysis
 - 3.5 Applications

Literature:

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