STATISTICAL ANALYSIS OF RESEARCH DATA

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AGENDA

Mar 6, 2017 Univariate Data Analysis

9:00 a.m. • Introduction and case overview (including review of first assignment)

• Descriptive Statistics

• Data/probability distributions (with focus on Normal)

• Sampling distributions (mean and variance)

10:30 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m. • Sampling distributions (mean and variance, continued)

12:00 noon Lunch Break

1:00 p.m. • Small vs. large samples

• One-sample inferential statistics: means, variances, confidence intervals

3:00 p.m. Break

3:15 p.m. • Two-sample inferential stats: two-sample t-tests (paired vs.

independent; means and proportions)

Tutorials: Excel tutorials on descriptive statistics, histograms, two-sample tests of

means

5:00 p.m. Close

Mar 7, 2017 Bivariate Data Analysis

9:00 a.m. • Review of univariate analysis

• Bivariate statistics (covariance, correlation, etc.)

10:30 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m. • Simple linear regression

12:00 noon Lunch Break

1:00 p.m. • Multiple linear regression

3:00 p.m. Break

3:15 p.m. • Non-parametric tools: Chi-squared, Wilcoxon, Mann-Whitney goodness

of fit tests (as time permits)

Tutorials: Regression, Chi-Squared, and ANOVA tests (as time permits)

3:45 p.m. Close

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