

Introduction to Statistics 2

STA3024 - Section 1053 (Summer A 2012)

Meeting Time: MTWRF 2nd Period (9:30-10:45am)
and Location: Pugh Hall 170

Instructor: Russell Yu
Office: Griffin-Floyd 117A
Hours: MTWR (10:45 AM-5:30 PM) by appointment

Teaching Assistants:

Xueying Tang
Griffin-Floyd 116D
MTW 1:00-2:00 PM

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MWF 10:45-11:45 AM

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Griffin-Floyd 202
MTR 12:00-1:00 PM

Zhiguo Chen
Griffin-Floyd 116D
TWR 2:00-3:00 PM

Textbook:

Statistics: The Art and Science of Learning from Data, by Alan Agresti and Chris Fanklin, Prentice Hall, second edition (2008).

Exams:

There will be four exams over the course of the semester:

- Exam 1 - Wednesday, May 23rd
- Exam 2 - Friday, June 1st
- Exam 3 - Wednesday, June 13th
- Exam 4 - Friday, June 22nd (last day of class)

Homework:

There will be suggested homework assignments worth extra points to be turned in the day before each exam. These assignments are not mandatory; however, they are a great resource for developing a better understanding of the material.

Attendance:

Attendance is expected, however, there will be no attendance component to the grade. You are responsible for all of the content covered in class.

Calculators:

For exams and homework assignments, you will need a calculator that can at least do arithmetic and square roots. Any scientific calculator will work or graphing calculators will work, but devices with the ability to save notes or communicate will not be allowed. Essentially, if it worked for STA 2023 it will work for this class. If you have any questions about if a particular calculator is permitted, please post in the discussions.

Grading:

The grading scale for this class is as follows:

- 88% and above: A
- 84% and above: A-
- 80% and above: B+
- 77% and above: B
- 72% and above: B-
- 69% and above: C+
- 61% and above: C
- 57% and above: D
- Below 57% : E

Note that the grading scale may be changed depending on overall class performance. The cutoffs will not increase for any reason.

Extra Help:

The Teaching Center, located in Broward Hall, provides free tutoring for UF students in a variety of subjects including this course. More information, particularly the tutoring times for this course, can be found at

<http://teachingcenter.ufl.edu>. Both walk-in tutoring (no appointment necessary) and private appointments are available.

Incomplete Grades:

An incomplete grade will only be given under extraordinarily extenuating circumstances that prevent the student from completing the course requirements. Having a failing grade in the course is not by itself an extraordinarily extenuating circumstance

Students with Disabilities:

Any student requesting accommodation for disabilities must first register with the Dean of Students Office, who will provide documentation to the student, who must then provide this documentation to me privately as soon as possible.

Privacy Policies:

Student records are confidential. Only information designated as UF directory information may be released without your written consent. This includes requests from parents or anyone else who contacts me about your performance in the class.

Academic Honesty:

All students are required to abide by UF's academic honesty guidelines. For students in this course, the relevant portions can be summarized as follows: Do not cheat.