

King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals  
Department of Mathematics and Statistics  
**STAT 413: Statistical Modeling - Term 212 (3-0-3)**

**Course Description:**

Simple and Multiple Linear Regression, Polynomial Regression, Splines; Generalized Additive Models; Hierarchical and Mixed Effects Models; Bayesian Modeling; Logistic Regression, Generalized Linear Models, Discriminant Analysis; Model Selection.

**Course Objectives:**

Introduce statistical tools for modeling; develop models that learn from the observed data and implement statistical models based on the statistical analysis.

**Textbooks:**

*An Introduction to Statistical Learning with Applications in R* by R. Tibshirani (available online)

*Applied Regression Analysis and Generalized Linear Models* by John Fox

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**Office Hours:** UTR: (09:00-10:00am) or by appointment

**Assessment**

Assessment for this course will be based on attendance, term report, major exam and a comprehensive final exam, as follows:

Activity	Weight
Attendance, Participation	10%
Quizzes	15%
Group Project	35%
Exam	15%
Final Exam (Comprehensive)	25%

**IMPORTANT NOTE on GRADES:** There is no quota on the number of students who can get an A+ or other grades.

- ✓ **Attendance** on time is *very* important. Mostly, attendance will be checked within the *first five minutes* of the class. Entering the class after that, is considered as late (**2 lates= 1 Absence**) and
- ✓ **More than 10 minutes late = Absence** (regardless of any excuse).
- ✓ Only University Blue paper Official excuses will be accepted as valid excuse.

Letter grade	A+	A	B+	B	C+	C	D+	D	F	DN
Cut-off	90%	85%	80%	75%	67%	60%	55%	50%	<50%	≥ 9 absences

**Academic Integrity:** All KFUPM policies regarding **ethics** and **academic honesty** apply to this course.

**Tentative Schedule**

Week	Topics	Notes
1	Statistical Learning	
2	Simple and Multiple Linear Regression: Parameter estimation, assessing the accuracy of the model as well as the parameters.	
3	Logistic Regression	
4	Discriminant Analysis	
5	Resampling Methods	
6	Model Selection approaches	
7	Polynomial Regression	
8	Splines	
9	Generalized Additive Models	
10	Generalized Linear Models	
11	Generalized Linear Models	
12	Hierarchical and Mixed Effects Models	
13	Hierarchical and Mixed Effects Models	
14	Bayesian Modeling	
15	Bayesian Modeling	