



UNIVERSITÀ  
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

## SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

### Statistica per la Ricerca - 1

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#### Aims

Acquisition of foundational knowledge of the main statistical and methodological tools for study design and descriptive statistics, along with their practical implementation.

#### Contents

Foundations of probability calculus  
Frequentist estimation of probability

#### Detailed program

1. Understand and correctly use the fundamental concepts of probability.
2. Identify events, sample spaces, and relationships between events (compatibility, disjointness, independence).
3. Calculate simple, compound, conditional, and joint probabilities.
4. Estimate a probability using classical, empirical, and subjective methods.
5. Construct and interpret point estimates and confidence intervals for proportions.
6. Understand and calculate the main performance measures of a diagnostic test (sensitivity, specificity).
7. Apply statistical concepts to clinically relevant examples in obstetrics (type of delivery, complications, blood loss, diagnostic tests).

## **Prerequisites**

None

## **Teaching form**

8 hours of Lectures and 5 hours of interactive lessons with exercises.

## **Textbook and teaching resource**

Slides shown during lectures.

Textbook (not mandatory): Fowler J, Jarvis P, Chevannes, Statistica per le professioni sanitarie , Edises 2006.

## **Semester**

II semester

## **Assessment method**

Written exam with exercises and multiple choice questions.

There are no examinations in progress.

## **Office hours**

On appointment upon e-mail request.

## **Sustainable Development Goals**

GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

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