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DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Introduction to statistics with R (part II): linear and logistic regression models

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Title

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Teacher

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Language

English

Short description

Objectives

The course, through lectures and computer lab sessions, aims to illustrate the fundamentals of statistical modeling with multiple covariates focusing on the linear and logistic regression models.

A brief overview will be provided regarding the main purposes of a statistical analysis that employs regression models: i) descriptive purpose, ii) predictive purpose, iii) causal purpose.

At the end of the course the participants should be able to recognize when to perform a linear or logistic

regression, check the validity of the assumptions required, fit the model to the data, correctly interpret the model coefficients and evaluate the goodness of fit.

Course program

Day 1:

Brief overview of the main aims of a statistical analysis

Correlation and simple linear model

Multiple linear model

Lab session with R

Day 2:

Introduction to generalized linear models

Logistic regression model

Lab session with R

Target audience

Doctoral students of any discipline who are interested in the practical application of basic statistical modeling for data analysis in scientific research

Maximum number of participants

50

Assessment method

Test with multiple choice questions

CFU / Hours

1 CFU / 8 hours

Teaching period and mode

February 2027, time slots to be defined.

Sustainable Development Goals

QUALITY EDUCATION
