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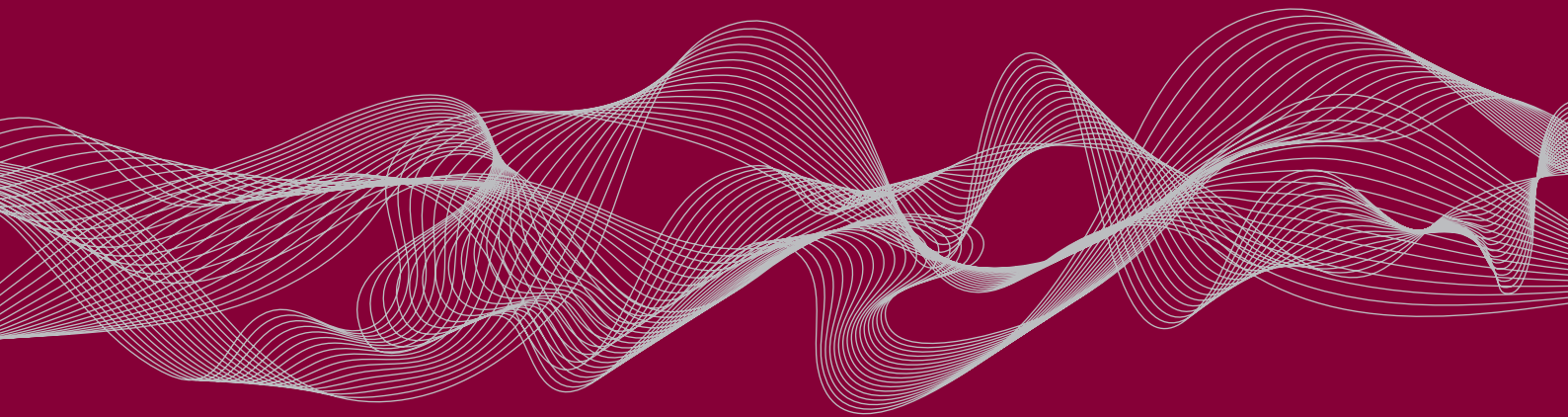
Statistics • Econometrics • Forecasting

Stata 2010 Public Attendance Training Calendar (UK & USA)  
User Group Meetings • Web Based Courses



STATA®

Time Series  
Panel Data  
Factor Models  
Programming  
Economic Modelling & Forecasting  
Medical Statistics  
User Group Meetings



## **Introduction**

Timberlake Consultants are pleased to announce our comprehensive Stata 2010 event schedule, which includes public attendance training courses, User Group Meetings, Conferences and Web Based Training. Full details of all events listed can be found on our website – [www.timberlake.co.uk](http://www.timberlake.co.uk), where you can also register your interest and reserve a place on any of our courses. Our dedicated training team is also on hand to discuss any requirements that you may have from questions relating to the courses that we offer to travel arrangements and recommendations for hotel accommodation.

More courses and events may be added throughout 2010. Please visit our website to keep up to date with developments of our training courses and events.

### **Timberlake On Site**

Timberlake Consultants also deliver tailored On Site training courses using Stata. All of our public attendance training courses can also be delivered on site. Please speak to our training team to discuss your requirements.

### **Web Based Courses & Web Demonstrations**

2010 has seen the introduction of our Web Courses and Web Demonstration services. Full details are shown on our website and examples of the services that we offer are discussed below. We also now offer technical support services via the Web. Contact us for more details. Stata NetCourses™ are also available to provide users with training using Stata software and delivered directly by StataCorp LP. Registrations are available via Timberlake Consultants.

## 2010 Training Calendar

Prices for all of our courses and events are shown on our Website.

### April 2010

Introduction to Time Series Analysis & Forecasting using Stata

April 2010, New York City, USA

Software: Stata

Course delivered by Prof. Robert Yaffee, NYU

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### May 2010

Applied Econometrics with Stata

May 2010, Washington DC, USA

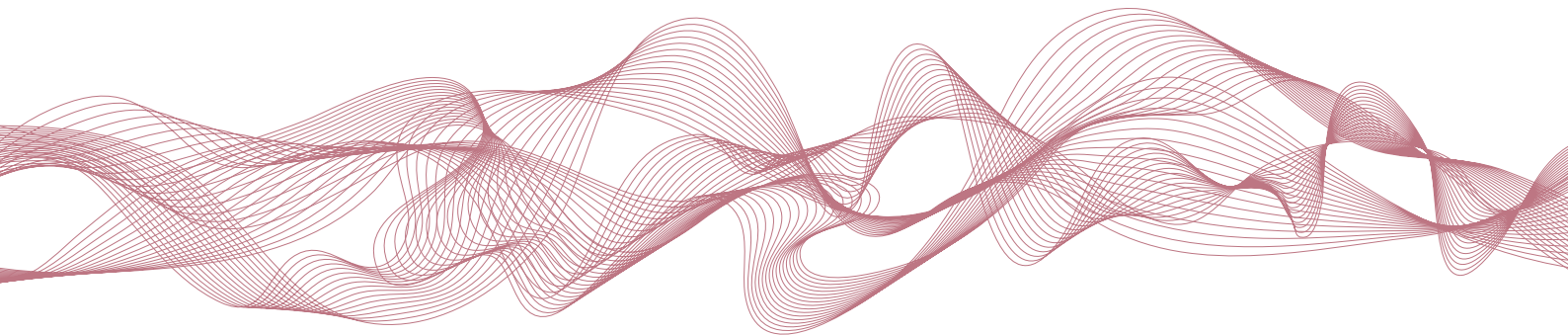
Software: Stata

Applied Econometrics with Stata

May 2010, Washington DC, USA

Software: Stata

Course Delivered by Prof. Sean Holly, University of Cambridge



**June 2010**

● **Applied Econometrics with Stata**

21-24 June 2010, Cass Business School, London

Software: Stata

Course Delivered by Prof. Sean Holly, University of Cambridge

**Course Overview:**

The fields of econometrics and statistics are constantly expanding providing as a result great advances in quantitative methods to analyse and forecast data. At the same time, econometrics and statistics are becoming more confusing in the sense that the modern menu of methods is so vast that a practitioner may find difficult to choose the appropriate methodology or the practice that best fits a quantitative task.

This course provides a review and practical guide to several major and popular econometric methodologies used in time-series and panel data analysis. The objective is to provide a practical and systematic approach to econometric modelling and make sense of the vast amount of available econometric techniques. Each methodology discussed is illustrated with real data examples in Stata.

**Who should attend?**

This course is aimed at economists and applied econometricians who deal with different types of data and projects in their day-to-day work. Professionals who are interested to learn different techniques and raise their awareness of possible methodologies that can be used in their current or future projects will greatly benefit from this course.

**Prerequisites:**

Basic knowledge of statistics and regression analysis. Previous work experience with econometrics is desirable as is familiarity with Stata fundamentals.

**POLAND: Stata User Group Meeting**

1 & 2 July 2010

Department of Economics, Warsaw University

**Applied Econometrics with Stata**

July 2010, California, USA

Software: Stata

**August 2010**

**Time Series Analysis & Forecasting in Stata**

3-Day Course, Cass Business School

Course delivered by Dr. Anthony Murphy, University of Oxford

**September 2010**

**Multi Level Modelling in Stata**

8 September 2010, Royal Mathematical Society, London

Software: Stata

Course delivered by Dr. James Carpenter, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

**16th London Stata User Group Meeting**

9 & 10 September 2010, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, London UK

Scientific Organisers: Dr. Nicholas J Cox & Prof. Patrick Royston

## 16th London Stata User Group Meeting

9 & 10 September 2010

London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, London WC1E 7HT, UK

The 2010 London Stata Users' meeting will be held at The London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, London on 9-10 September 2010. The London meeting is the longest-running series of Stata users meetings, having been established in 1995. The meeting is open to all interested; in past years, participants have travelled from around the world to attend the event. Representatives from StataCorp will also be in attendance.

The Scientific organisers for this year's meeting are:

- Nicholas J. Cox ([n.j.cox@durham.ac.uk](mailto:n.j.cox@durham.ac.uk))
- Patrick Royston ([pr@ctu.mrc.ac.uk](mailto:pr@ctu.mrc.ac.uk))

The final programme will be announced later in July. The registration fee will be: £80.00 for both days; £55.00 for one day. (There are reduced rates for students and for paper presenters).

### Logistics:

Logistics are organised by Timberlake Consultants, Authorised Distributors of Stata in the UK, Ireland, Spain, Portugal, Poland and Brazil.

### Presentation topics might include:

- Discussion of user-written Stata programs
- Case studies of research or teaching using Stata
- Discussions of data management problems
- Reviews of analytical issues
- Surveys or critiques of Stata facilities in specific fields, etc.

Please contact Nicholas J. Cox ([n.j.cox@durham.ac.uk](mailto:n.j.cox@durham.ac.uk)) if you are interested in presenting a paper, indicating whether you wish to give:

1. a 20 min talk (followed by 10 min discussion)
2. a 10 min talk (5 min discussion), or
3. a longer review or tutorial (about an hour).

The meeting will include the usual "*wishes and grumbles*" session at which you may air your thoughts to Stata developers, and (at additional cost) an informal meal at a London restaurant is arranged on Thursday evening, the 9th September 2010.

Timberlake Consultants generously sponsor registration fee waivers for presentations (one fee waiver per presentation, regardless of number of authors involved). We will also pay a small fee to a presenter of a longer review or tutorial paper.

The Scientific Organisers look forward to hearing from you with presentation offers or to discuss the suitability of a potential contribution. Please contact the Scientific Organisers with early offers for papers.

### Meeting fees:

Timberlake Consultants sponsor registration fee waivers for presentations (one fee waiver per presentation, regardless of number of authors involved). However, presenters still need to register.

Non-students - attendance to both days £80.00 Excluding VAT  
Non-students - attendance to one day only £55.00 Excluding VAT  
Students - attendance to both days £55.00 Excluding VAT  
Students - attendance to one day only £40.00 Excluding VAT  
Dinner (optional) £30.00 Excluding VAT

- **Introduction to Medical Statistics using Stata**

13-16 September 2010

Software: Stata

Course delivered by Prof. Stephen Evans & Tim Collier, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

**Overview:**

The aim of this course is to introduce the use of Stata for dealing with the analysis of data that typically arise in medical research. The emphasis is practical so that participants should understand both the principles of analyses and how to carry them out using Stata. Participants should, by the end of the course, be able to use Stata for carrying out their own analyses for the most common types of problem encountered in medical statistics. Examples from published research will be used wherever possible, and participants are encouraged to bring their own data if they wish. Stata 11 will be used throughout the course.

Each session will begin with an introductory talk and demonstration, following which participants will work through examples under supervision.

**Who should attend?**

The course is aimed at either medical researchers who have had minimal exposure to statistical methods or at statisticians who wish to learn how to use Stata.

**PORTUGAL: 1st Stata User Group Meeting**

17 September 2010

School of Economics and Management at the University of Minho, Braga, Portugal

**SPAIN: 3rd Stata User Group Conference**

14 September 2010

Carlos III University, Madrid, Spain

**Introduction to Programming in Mata**

27 September 2010

Software: Stata

Course delivered by Dr. Alfonso Miranda, Imperial College London

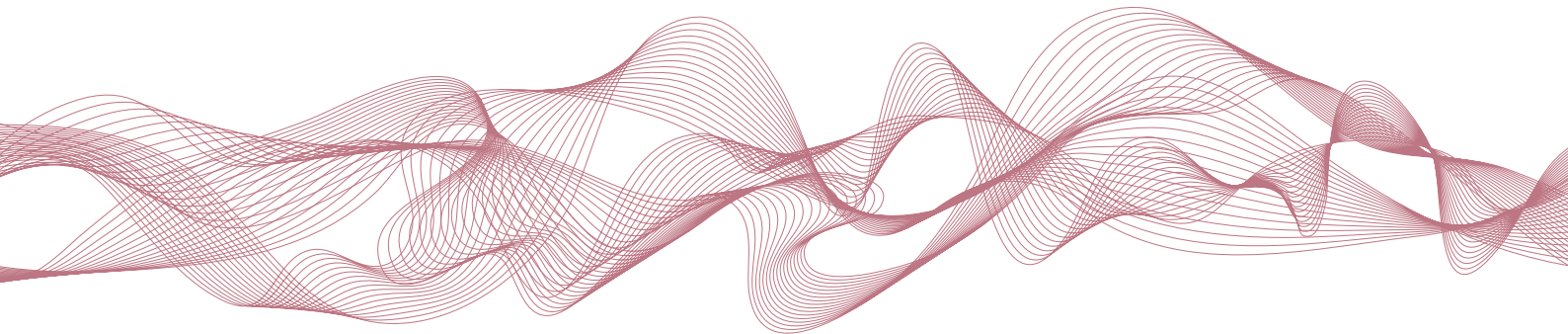
**October 2010**

**Introduction to Meta Analysis**

12 October 2010, Cass Business School, London

Software: Stata

Course delivered by Prof. Aurelio Tobias



## **November 2010**

### **Dynamic Factor Models & Time Series Analysis in Stata**

3-Day Course, Cass Business School

Software: Stata

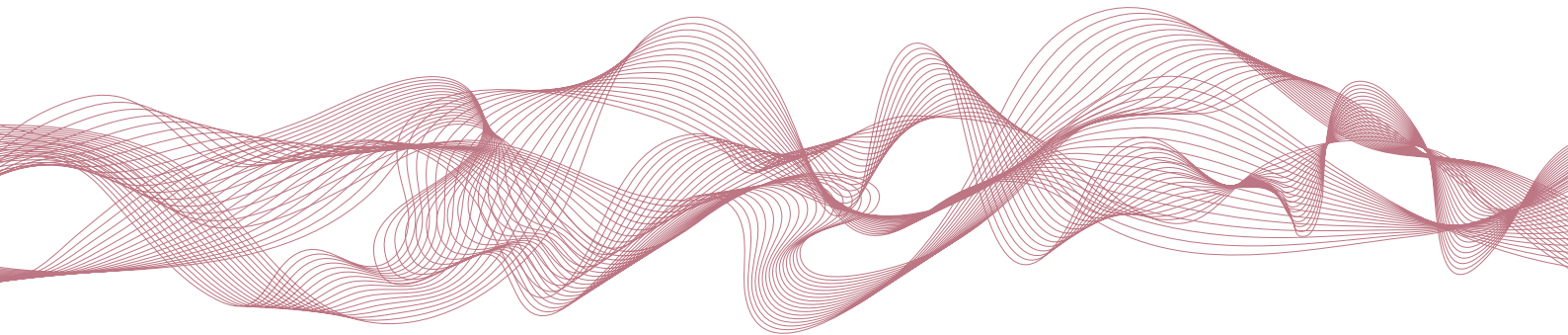
Course delivered by Dr. Arnab Bhattacharjee, University of St Andrews

### **Panel Data Analysis in Stata**

3-Day Course, Cass Business School, London

Software: Stata

Course delivered by Dr. Arnab Bhattacharjee, University of St Andrews



## Web Based Courses

Interactive courses, delivered over the internet to a time convenient to you....

- Stata Fundamentals

**Overview:**

STATA is a powerful tool for data management, statistical analysis and model building. Typically, before performing any type of analysis, one has to import, prepare and manipulate data. This course aims to introduce Stata's most popular and useful commands and procedures to import, manipulate, transform and manage data as well as to perform some commonly used statistical routines. It is ideal for new or beginner level users who want to have a head-start and learn how to use Stata efficiently.

**Who should attend?**

New or beginner-level users of Stata 11 or any previous version. This is a course for those who are considering purchasing or already own Stata.

**Prerequisites:**

Analytical thinking is essential.

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