Modern Methods for I/O Psychologists

An Interactive Tutorial in R

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Learning Objectives

This workshop is designed so that participants will be able to:

- 1. Implement the most popular methods of regularized regression.
- 2. Evaluate the relative importance of predictors using several of the most prevalent statistical methods.
- 3. Recognize the controversy surrounding the attribution of "importance" to predictors.
- 4. Compute the subgroup differences corresponding to a composite of predictors and the adverse impact associated with a selection system.

Target Audience

- Background in basic to intermediate applied statistics. Familiarity with:
 - Regression
 - Correlation
 - Significance testing
- Intermediate R users. Users should be able to:
 - Set a working directory.
 - Run basic regression models in R.
- Advanced users may be bored.
- Novice users are welcome but may feel that the material moves a bit quickly.

Agenda

- Methods for predictor selection
- Methods for interpreting predictor importance
- Pareto Optimality