

# Poisson Regression with R

## Poisson regression

- ▶ At this point, we are ready to perform our Poisson regression model analysis using the `glm()` function.
- ▶ We fit the model and save it in the object `model1` and get a summary of the model.

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```
model1 <- glm(num_awards ~ prog + math,  
family="poisson", data=poisreg)  
  
summary(model1)
```

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Call:

```
glm(formula = num_awards ~ prog + math,  
     family = "poisson",  
     data = poisreg)
```

Deviance Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-2.204	-0.844	-0.511	0.256	2.680

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Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)

(Intercept)	-5.2471	0.6585	-7.97	1.6e-15 ***
progAcademic	1.0839	0.3583	3.03	0.0025 **
progVocational	0.3698	0.4411	0.84	0.4018
math	0.0702	0.0106	6.62	3.6e-11 ***

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(Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 287.67 on 199 degrees of freedom

Residual deviance: 189.45 on 196 degrees of freedom

AIC: 373.5

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 6