Bayesian Statistics Statistics W640 — Spring 2016

Assignment 2

Reading:

By Friday Feb 12, read Chapters 4–5 of Bayesian Data Analysis, third edition; by Gelman et al.

Homework 2:

The following problems from Gelman et al. are due in class on Friday, February 19. Homework can also be submitted to the course mailbox in Room 904 SSW by 6:00pm on Monday, February 22.

- 1. Chapter 2 Exercise 22.
- 2. Chapter 3 Exercise 3.
- 3. Chapter 3 Exercise 7.
- 4. Chapter 3 Exercise 8.
- 5. Chapter 3 Exercise 11.
- 6. Chapter 4 Exercise 1, but use the data and model from Exercise 2.11; that is, assume the prior distribution for θ is uniform on [0, 100] instead of [0, 1], and take the observed data to be y = (43, 44, 45, 46.5, 47.5).