Econometrics of Human Capital

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Human capital is defined as:

The knowledge, skills, competencies and attributes embodied in individuals that facilitate the creation of personal, social and economic well-being.

- OECD (2001)

Figure: Foundational work

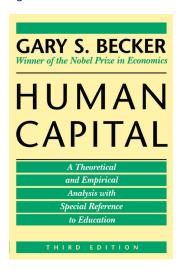


Table: Lecture plan

Date	Topic
11/10/18	Introduction to the Econometrics of Policy Evaluation
18/10/18	Generalized Roy model
25/10/18	Parameters of interest
08/11/18	Estimation methods
15/11/19	grmpy Tutorial
22/11/19	Monte-Carlo explorations

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Course Website

You find all information about the course on our website.

This includes the lecture dates, topics, reading list, and the slides.

If you have further questions, please feel free to contact us using *slack.

Course Website

► The slides will be continuously updated, so please make sure you have their most recent versions.

Open Source Economics

- respy, an open-source package for the simulation and estimation of a canonical model of human capital investment
- grmpy, an open-source package for the simulation and estimation of the generalized Roy model
- ▶ **NLSY Dataset**, groomed version of the National Longitudinal Survey of Youth (1979) for life-cyle histories of a variety of economic choices

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https://github.com/OpenSourceEconomics

If you are interested to contribute, be sure to let us know!

Related Courses

We offer several other courses on the material presented here.

https://github.com/HumanCapitalAnalysis

- Economics of human capital
- Research seminar

Related Issues

- ▶ Thesis projects
- ▶ Reference letters

Appendix

References

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