Fundamentals of Questionnaire Design and Analysis using lab.js and R				
EES/ESS, Life Sciences, Electives			Block II	
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Open to Students		Credit Points	Max. Enrollment	Course Number
Year(s) 2,3,4		6	20	00LE62S-LAS-LSEE0009
Module(s) StuPo 2015			Module(s) StuPo 2020	
Life Sciences: N EES: Analytical			Life Sciences: Methods I or II ESS: Methods I or II	
Prerequisites	Dealing with Numerical Information			
Format, Dates, Times and Rooms	Seminar Tue, 9-12h, HH9 HS 00 003 A Thu, 9-12h, KG 1236			
Course Description	A questionnaire is a standardised technique for collecting data in which a respondent provides answers to a series of questions. Questionnaires are widely applied in the context of attitudinal research and many well known surveys like the European Social Survey are regularly collected and provide valuable insights in important societal trends. To develop a questionnaire we will collect data and a step-by-step approach to questionnaire development is taught. You will learn a variety of theory and statistical methods to develop and analyse your own questionnaire in the future. The statistic Software R will be used.			
Remarks	Students will develop an online questionnaire or experiment, collect data and analyze it. We will use the mindprobe server and the lab.js software. The course is open to students from all majors, but LS and ESS students get priority.			
Examination Dates	Project report (rmarkdown) due on Feb 28, 2022			
Recommended Reading	Boateng, G. O., Neilands, T. B., Frongillo, E. A., Melgar-Quiñonez, H. R., & Young, S. L. (2018). Best practices for developing and validating scales for health, social, and behavioral research: a primer. Frontiers in public health, 6, 149. Hair, J. F., Black, W. C., Babin, B. J., Anderson, R. E., & Tatham, R. L. (2019). Multivariate data analysis, Eighth Edition. https://mindprobe.eu/ https://lab.js.org/			

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