An Introduction to Stata – Section 8.1 Najib Mozahem

We have finally reached the end of this course. By this point, you should be able to:

- Navigate the Stata user interface
- Create a dataset using the Stata data editor
- Import a dataset from Excel or any other spreadsheet program
- List certain observations
- Display summary statistics of numeric variables
- Visualize categorical variables in tables
- Use the AND and OR operators to target certain observations
- Use the if and in qualifiers
- Rename variables
- Label variables and values
- Label the dataset
- Add and delete variables
- Generate new variables from old ones
- Create a do-file

I hope that you have enjoyed this course. Although I have taught at university level for more than three years, this is my first online course. Your feedback is very important for me, especially since I plan to create other courses that take off where this one has ended. Stata is a beautiful tool and I find a lot of joy in using it. It is also a very important tool, given the high level of interest in data analytics that we see today.

Finally, I would like to leave you with another interesting dataset that I had collected. The next section will explain what this dataset is and it will be up to you to import it, format it, and have a look at the story that is hidden in it.