

Evaluation of the workshop "Statistics with R - an Introduction"

Lecturer: Dr. Paul Schmidt

Attendance: 23 (21 filled out the evaluation)

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The total may deviate from 100% due to rounding.



What did you especially like?

- The explanations. The lecturer took the time to explain. He was very patient. He adapted his script to the group
- Paul was very clear and explained things well. He made a complex topic very clear to understand.
- The online format allowed me to participate despite the workshop beginning so early in the morning.
- very structured, easy to understand, questions where always answered
- That the lecturer took time for every question.
- I really liked the lecturer, he explained all the concepts really patiently and well. I
 could totally follow it and do the exercises.
- Very good instructor
- simplicity
- Practical and understandable coding
- the practical sesions and the committed tutor.
- The lecturer tried hard to help every newbie.
- That the course started from 0 and everything was explained in a clear and detailed way. Without prior knowledge I was able to follow everything without any problems.
- Excellent information background with his webside was provided!
- I liked the fact that the coursework was clearly structured including the need to have multiple screens. This really helped in the preparation of the lecture. In instructor



went slow on the basics and then let us plot our data by the end of the day 2 which was helpful as even if we coded differently we could see how our end-product matched. And lastly, the materials that were shared as part of the course as on request are very clearly structured and I was able to read them and implement the instruction even after the lecture.

- Very didactic and comprehensive
- The fact that theoretical and practical parts were well balanced

What do you think could be improved?

- nothing, i liked it the way it was
- I would announce a bit clearer that it is mostly for people who haven't worked with R so far.
- Very basic and therefore a bit slow for my personal taste. It was appropriate for people with limited statistical knowledge, but if you have more experience in stats it should be faster & more advanced.
- Each participant must be allocated a maximum amount of questions they may ask
 throughout the course. Once the questions contingent is depleted, no more questions
 from this participant will be taken. This helps to make the flow of the course much
 more dynamic, instead of answering every single small questions from only a handful
 of participants.
- include more content on basic statistical analyses -even if it requires an additional day
- more time for more practicals and cover more content
- Perhaps a further workshop on advanced statistics for general researchers would be appreciated.
- Maybe one day longer
- I would probably like to have more on the regression models. But the material shared was helpful. And
- More aspects on statistics to be covered in case the workshop is possible to be extended
- more exercises could be added

Comments on the extent of the workshop

- I would have wanted to even learn more
- at least one more day is needed
- I think the extent of the workshop was good for the program but I found it so good and helpful that I wish it was longer and the we could cover more topics.
- it would be nicer if it can include more content on basic statistical analyses -even if it requires an additional day



- Maybe just have one "longer" break in the morning and afternoon, rather than multiple short breaks during the morning and afternoon session.
- very relevant, looking forward to more sessions
- I would have appreciated if theoretically deeper contents were discussed even though I admit that this is supposed to be an introduction to R.
- Could also be a day longer. Compared to the CUBA-R-workshot ist much more practical usable for most of the participants but much shorter.
- But would have liked a little longer as I needed to recheck some visualisation of data part more frequently than the rest.
- I would prefer this to last a bit more so that it could cover more principles on statistics

The exact wording (including abbreviations, punctuation, etc.) has been adopted.

Online Format:







