MOOC_CS50

This is the repository for the CS50 MOOC analysis. The primary goal of this analysis is to

1. describe the basis information of CS50 MOOC participants;
2. Graphically present the trajectories of the MOOC participants moving from one milestone to another milestone.
3. Survival analysis (for regular participants) to find out predictors for dropout.

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As of 09/22/2017, the following *dataset* has been uploaded to the repository:

- CS50_raw_completed_pretest.RData and CS50_ChosenUsers_1_irt.csv : these two datasets are the same. They are the original dataset including all participants who had finished the pre-test. *Those who did not finish the pre-test isn't included, and will be included in a separate dataset in the future.*
- CS50_node_edge_link_incl_dropout_earlyfinal_popular50.RData: the dataset that include the node, edge and link (link is produced by merging node and edge) data.frames for four customized datasets:
  * the full sample ignoring dropout information;
  * the full sample including dropout information;
  * the sample of those early challengers (tried final exam right after the pre-test before doing any problem sets)
  * the trimmed sample only including the popular trajectories (>50)

The following codes has been uploaded to the repository:

- base_code_sankey.Rmd: this is the original R code that wrangled the raw data to data forms that are suitable for Sankey diagram.

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- CS50_MOOC_Survival_Analysis_Data_0.RData: The dataset to be used for survival analysis models. This dataset is created from the raw dataset using prepare_data_for_survival_analysis.Rmd file
- male_foreign_cubic_linear_point_data.RData: Datasets used to plot the log hazard and probability curves either by Male or by Foreign.