**Statistician: Dah Htoo Version: B**

**Directions**

The final exam will consist of several questions related to the following topics – univariate EDA (quantitative & categorical), bivariate EDA (quantitative & categorical), linear regression, one-sample t-test, two-sample t-test, and chi-square. You will be asked to answer questions from results that you prepared prior to the exam using R.

The data that you will examine is introduced below, including actual questions that will be on the exam. You should use R to create output that can be used to answer each question. Your R input and output should be printed and brought to the exam to be used to answer the exam questions. The document that you bring to the exam must meet the following strict criteria:

* The document must be produced by you and you alone!! You may not ask anyone but me (including the tutors) for specific help on using R. If you have questions, I will be available in my office or via e-mail.
* The document can only contain R commands related to expressions, assignments, functions, or objects; R output; or R created graphics. You may not type or write ***any other*** material on the document (including labeling figures, tables, output, or sections). You may not type any “notes” (i.e., non-R-related expressions, assignments, functions or objects) as “R code.” You cannot use R comments. The document should contain no code that results in errors.
* The document must be produced by compiling your script in RStudio (as described in a FAQ on the class webpage).

Failure to follow all of these criteria will result in a 0 for the final exam!!

**Data Set -- BatMorph**

The Hawaiian hoary bat, *Lasiurus cinereus semotus*, is an endemic subspecies of the North American hoary bat; the mainland subspecies is *L. c. cinereus*. Researchers in Hawaii and on the mainland recorded a variety of morphological (body) characteristics on bats collected from three different types of habitat. These data are in **Batmorph.csv**, with information about these data in **Batmorph\_meta.txt**. You should prepare results for each of these items …

1. Univariate EDA for body mass, height of canine tooth, wingspan, and habitat.

2. Bivariate EDA for each pair of body mass, skull length, and wingspan. [*May use one graph and one table.]*

3. Bivariate EDA for subspecies and habitat.

4. Linear regression results (equation results and r2) for predicting the height of the coronoid process from the height of the canine tooth.

5. Results for testing the following research hypotheses (use 5% level for each)

a. The mean height of the canine tooth is less than 0.33 cm.

b. The distribution of individuals into the three habitats differs between the two subspecies.

c. The mean height of the canine tooth is different between the two subspecies of bats.

d. The mean body mass of the ***L. c. cinereus*** subspecies is greater than 35 g.

e. The mean wingspan differs between bats captured in **habitat A** and those captured in **habitat B**.

1. Describe the importance of statistics (as a field of study or a collection of methods). Make sure you **DESCRIBE** the two major goals of statistics, at least three major concepts or ideas of statistics, and how methods that you learned this semester illustrate or are related to why you think statistics is important. [*This question is not specific to these data. An answer with <400 thoughtful words is probably inadequate.*]