Actividad 1

Ejercicio CEF.

- a) Si e = Xu, donde X y u son independientes N(0,1). Demuestre que, condicional en X, el error tiene distribución $N(0,X^2)$
- b) Lo anterior qué significa en terminos de la independencia entre e y X (vea BH, p.24-25). Relacione esto con el concepto de homocedasticidad.
- c) Pruebe que: $var[Y] \ge var[Y [E|X]] \ge var[Y [E|X_1, X_2]]$ (vea BH 2.33)
- d) Pruebe que Q_{XX} es una matriz positiva semidefinida (vea BH p.39)
- e) Consider the linear projection:

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\mathcal{P}[log(wage)|experience] = 0.046 experience - 0.07 experience^2 + 0.11 education + 2.3
```

Formally (using derivatives), what is the effect of one extra year of experience on log(wage)?

f) Consider the linear projection

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\mathcal{P}[log(wage)|experience] = 0.046 experience - 0.07 experience^2 - 0.09 female + 0.11 education + 0.07 education * female + 1.00 female + 0.00 female + 0
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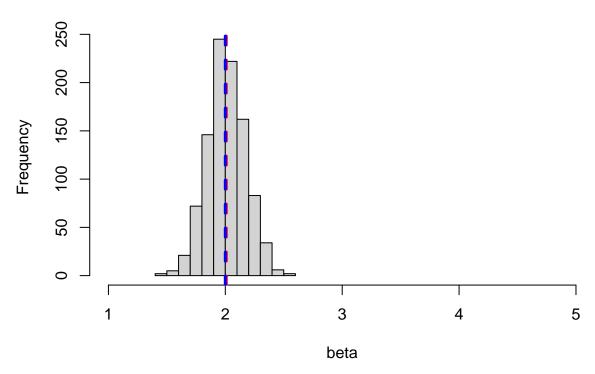
Formally (using derivatives), what is the return to one extra year of education on log(wage) for males? and for females?

- g) Draw a two-dimensional graph showing the linear projections onto education by gender.
- h) This is a piece of code simulating an unbiased estimator β_1 and β_2 .

```
repet <- 1000
n <- 200
beta <- NULL

for (i in 1:repet){
    x <- rnorm(n)
    x2 <- rnorm(n)
    u <- rnorm(n,0,1)
    y=2+2*x+2*x2+u
    beta[i] <- lm(y~x)$coef[2] #
}
hist(beta, main="Unbiased Estimator, n=200", xlim = c(1,5) )
abline(v = mean(beta), col="red", lwd=3, lty=2,)
abline(v = 2, col="blue", lwd=3, lty=2)</pre>
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Unbiased Estimator, n=200



- Modify the code so that it shows a **biased** estimator of β_1 .
- \bullet While keeping this modification make the bias go (see BH 2.24)
- i) Give a concrete example of a linear projection on which we most likely suffer from OVB.