

# STAT40180 — Stochastic Models

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Week 1

Introduction

# Module Details

## Lectures:

- Online videos
- Discussion forum
- Problem sheets
- Code examples

## Assesment:

- Homework – 20%.
- Final Exam – 80%.

## Grading:

<http://mathsci.ucd.ie/tl/grading/en06>

- Lecture notes on blackboard.
- Videos available to stream (backup of videos available to download)
- Mixture of theory and practical examples.
- **Please** ask questions, answer questions and discuss material on blackboard.

# Assessment Format

- The module will have a number of assignments:  
Week 2, Week 5, Week 8, Week 11.
- The assignments will look at modeling problems of the type covered in class.
- The assignments will consist of a mixture of calculations, code and application.
- There will be two weeks to complete each assignment.

- The course topics will include:
  - Statistical Models
  - Inference
  - Developing Models
  - Smoothing & Flexible Regression Models
  - Time To Event Data
  - Stochastic Processes
  - ...