

Module description

Module title					Abbreviation
Advanced module: Data Analysis 1A					06-AM-DA1A-112-m01
Module coordinator				Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Quantitative Methods in the Social					
Sciences					
ECTS Method of grading		Only after succ. compl. of module(s)			
5 numerical grade		-			
Duration		Module level	Other prerequisites		
1 semester		undergraduate	Not to be combined with o6-AM-DA1B.		
Contents					
Techniques of ordinary least squares regression using statistical software like SPSS, SAS, R, or STATA: deducti- on of hypotheses from theories in social stratification and social inequality; construction of hierarchical models;					
calculation and interpretation of f-tests and increment f-tests; R^2 as a measure of explained variance; t-tests for					
linear effects, effects of categorial factors, nonlinear effects, and interaction effects; calculation of conditional predicted values; prerequisites of ols regression models; oral and written discussion and presentation of ols-re-					
gression models					
Intended learning outcomes					
Participants aquire the competency to use techniques of OLS regression and logistic regression. modelling in					
statistical software in order to test hypotheses deducted from scientific theories and to present findings both in oral and written form in the scientific community.					
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)					
S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)					
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether					
module is creditable for bonus)					
a) presentation (maximum 90 minutes) and exercises, weighted 2:1 or b) presentation (maximum 90 minutes)					
and written examination (approx. 30 minutes), weighted 2:1 or c) term paper (approx. 10 pages) and written ex- amination (approx. 30 minutes), weighted 2:1 or d) term paper (approx. 15 pages) and exercises, weighted 2:1;					
numerical grade for all assessments					
Language of assessment: German, English and other language where required					
Allocation of places					
Additional information					
Workload					
Teaching cycle					
Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)					
Module appears in					
Bachelor's degree (1 major) Political and Social Studies (2011)					
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Political and Social Studies (Minor, 2011)					
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Political and Social Studies (2013)					
Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Political and Social Studies (2011)					
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