

TENTATIVE COURSE SCHEDULE

Class	Day	Date	Topic	Textbook Sections or notes	Assigned	Due
1	Mon.	Jan. 11	What econometrics is about	1.1-1.2; Ch. 2-3 review probability and statistics.		
2	Wed	Jan. 13	Two-variable linear model	Ch. 4	PS1	
	Mon	Jan. 18	MLK DAY, NO CLASS			
3	Wed	Jan. 20	Two-variable linear model	Ch. 5	PS2	PS1
4	Mon	Jan. 25	Multivariate linear model	6.1 6.2, 6.3, 6.7, 7.1, 7.2		
5	Wed	Jan. 27	Least absolute deviations estimation Functional forms	5.5, 6.7, 8.1,8.2, 8.3	PS3	PS2
6	Mon	Feb. 1	Functional forms Dummy variables	5.3, 6.7, 8.1, 8.2, 8.3		
7	Wed	Feb. 3	Panel data	10.1-10.5	PS4	Proposal
8	Mon	Feb. 8	Panel data	10.1-10.6		PS3
9	Wed	Feb. 10	Presentation of proposals		PS5	PS4
10	Mon	Feb. 15	Instrumental variables	Ch. 12		
11	Wed	Feb. 17	Instrumental variables	Ch. 12		PS5
12	Mon	Feb. 22	Simultaneous equations Goodness of fit and specification testing	Sec. 9.2; slides	PS6	
13	Wed	Feb. 24	Goodness of fit and specification testing	Slides		
14	Mon	Mar. 1	Causality	13.1-13.5	PS7	PS6
15	Wed	Mar. 3	Causality	13.1-13.5		
16	Mon	Mar 8	Binary response models	Ch. 11		
17	Wed	Mar 10	Binary response models	Ch. 11		PS7, Paper
	Fri.	Mar. 19	FINAL CONFERENCE, 3-5 PM			