# Stat 432- Statistical Computer Packages and Their Applications: SAS

#### **Summer 2014**

#### **Basic Information**

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- Time and location of classes: Stat 432 is a 1-credit four-week course from July 8, 2014 to July 29, 2014, Tuesday 6:00pm-9:10pm in ENGR 021.
- Prerequisites: A grade of C or better in Stat 350, Stat 351, Stat 355, Stat 453 or instructor approval.
- Grading policy: Your grade in this course will be based on your performance in the class and home assignments which you will be doing in this course. Letter grades for the course will be decided using the following:

Score above	90%	80%	65%	50%	otherwise
Letter grade	A	В	C	D	F

• Please note that the syllabus is subject to change by announcement.

### **Learning Goals**

Upon completion of this class you should

- be able to use basic data steps,
- know descriptive statistics procedures,
- know how to create different types of charts,
- know how to use SAS for hypothesis testing and regression analysis,
- be familiar with SAS MACRO features,
- be able to produce presentable SAS output.

#### **List of the Topics Covered**

Lecture Day Date Main Topic(s)

- Tu 07/08/2014 SAS Enterprise Guide 5.1
- Tu 07/15/2014 SAS 9.3 Basics (Introduction to Data Step, Introduction to SAS Procedures, Base SAS Procedures, SAS/STAT Procedures)
- Tu 07/22/2014 SAS 9.3 (Storage bins for collections of values), Introduction to SAS MACROS
- 4 Tu 07/29/2014 Introduction to R

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