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Syllabus

PFS0016 Stated preference methods: state-of-the-art modelling, 7.5 credits

Syllabus approved

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Subjects

Economy

Education cycle

Third cycle

Grading scale

Pass / Failed

The requirements for attaining different grades are described in the course assessment criteria which are contained in a supplement to the course syllabus. Current information on assessment criteria shall be made available at the start of the course.

Language

English

Prior knowledge

Participants should be familiar with an econometrics package. We will use e.g. LIMDEP for some examples, although knowledge of this particular program is not essential. Students should read the background materials (see literature) before the course starts.

Objective, including learning outcomes

The goal of the course is that the student should come away with a good idea of how to apply the most recent techniques that are used.

Content

This course focuses on the practical issues of contingent valuation and choice experiments. A significant amount of time is allotted to implementation within existing econometric packages. Examples and exercises make up a central part of the course. Course participants are presented with data sets originating from applications in resource economics, transportation and marketing research. Lecture notes and computer exercise instructions are delivered at class.

Requirements for examination

Written exam and/or assignment

Additional information

This is an intensive course. All lectures will be given in the first week. The number of participants is limited to 20 and the principle of first come, first served is used. The course will be offered if there are at least 5 participants.

Responsible department

Department of Forest Economics