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EST 814: PRINCIPLES OF BIOSTATISTICS

Workload: 60 h

Credits: 04

Nature: Optional Master and PhD

Professor from EST

Discipline Syllabus: Descriptive statistics. Elements of probability. Statistical inference: confidence interval and hypothesis tests. Classical statistical tests: chi-square, t for one and two samples, simple linear regression and correlation, analysis of variance.

Program:

- 1. Scales, diagrams, data processing, summary of numerical data.
- 2. Measures of central tendency, measures of variation.
- 3. Probability.
- 4. Population and sample.
- 5. Standard deviations of means, proportions and differences between means and proportions.
- 6. Statistical Inference. Confidence interval.
- 7. Statistical Inference. Concepts.
- 8. Inference in proportions.
- 9. Comparison of two means.
- 10. Comparison of two proportions.
- 11. Tables 2x2. Chi-square test.

- 12. Comparisons of various proportions (tables Kx2 and RxC)
- 13. Simple linear regression.
- 14. Correlation.
- 15. Introduction to Experiment Planning and Analysis of Variance

Bibliographic References:

ARMITAGE,P. & BERRY, G. Statistical methods in medical research. 2nd Ed. New York, Oxford, Balckwell Scientific Publications, 1987.

BERQUÓ, E.S.; SOUZA, J.M.P.; GOTLIEB, S.L.D. Biestatística. São Paulo, Editora Pedagógica e Universitária, 1981.

SNEDECOR,G.W. & COCHRAN, W.G. Statistical methods. 7th Ed. Ames, Iowa State University Press, 1980.