



Programme

Introductory course on Epidemiology

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Daily Program

Thursday 2 September

8.30	Registration	
9.00	Welcome	I. Mucsi
9.05	Course presentation (lecture)	K. Jager
9.15	Measuring disease occurrence (lecture)	R. Kramar
9.45	Measuring disease occurrence (hands on session)	K. Jager
10.00	Measuring disease occurrence (hands on session)	Hands-on faculty
10.30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
10.45	Cohort and case control studies (lecture)	V. Stel
11.30	Study design (hands on session)	F. Dekker
12.45	<i>Lunch</i>	
13.45	Simple analysis of risk and prevalence data (lecture)	R. Kramar
14.15	Bias and confounding in epidemiologic studies (lecture)	V. Stel
15.00	Confounding (hands on session)	Hands-on faculty
15.15	<i>Coffee break</i>	
15.45	Ways to address confounding: stratification and regression (lecture)	K. Jager
16.30	Stratification (hands on session)	Hands-on faculty
17.00	Session end	

Friday 3 September

8.30	Prediction and correction for confounding (lecture)	F. Dekker
9.30	Introduction to SPSS: linear regression and stratification (hands-on session)	Hands-on faculty
10.30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11.00	Survival analysis I – Kaplan Meier (lecture)	F. Dekker
12.00	Survival analysis I – Kaplan Meier (hands-on session)	Hands-on faculty
13.00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14.00	Survival analysis II – Cox regression (lecture)	F. Dekker
15.00	Survival analysis II – part 1, survival curves (hands on session)	Hands-on faculty
15.30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
16.00	Survival analysis II – part 2, Cox regression (hands on session)	Hands-on faculty
17.00	Various (lecture)	F. Dekker
17.45	Closing	K. Jager

Course Faculty

Kitty Jager	ERA-EDTA Registry Director and Senior Epidemiologist
Friedo Dekker	ERA-EDTA Registry Senior Epidemiologist
Reinhard Kramar	Former ERA-EDTA Registry Committee Member
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