

STAT 7350 Advanced Topics in Statistics (Fall 2012):  
Measurement Error Models

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<b>Class time &amp; place</b>	Tuesday & Thursday: 11:30 am - 12:45 pm, in room 316 Machray Hall
<b>Office hours</b>	By appointment
<b>References</b>	Fuller, WA (1987). <i>Measurement Error Models</i> . Wiley, New York.  Cheng, CL; Von Ness, J (1999). <i>Statistical Regression with Measurement Error</i> . Arnold Publisher, London.  Carroll, RJ; Ruppert, D; Stefanski, LA; Crainiceanu, CM (2006). <i>Measurement Error in Nonlinear Models</i> . Chapman & Hall/CRC.
<b>Grading scheme</b>	The final grade will consist of assignments (70%) and one project report (30%).
<b>Topics</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Linear models with measurement error<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introduction to the measurement error</li><li>• Model identifiability</li><li>• Maximum likelihood estimation</li><li>• Total least squares method</li><li>• Instrumental variable method</li></ul></li><li>2. Nonlinear models with measurement error<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ME problems in nonlinear models</li><li>• Approximate estimation methods</li><li>• Instrumental variable method</li><li>• Second-order least squares method</li><li>• Simulation-based estimation</li></ul></li><li>3. Additional topics</li></ol>

**Miscellaneous:** Please refer to the sections in the *University of Manitoba Undergraduate Calendar* dealing with academic dishonesty, including plagiarism, cheating and examination impersonation.