# STAT 3480 Statistical Methods for Research Workers 2 Winter 2019

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If the above times are not convenient for you, please call, email or speak to me to arrange an alternate time to meet. I will do my best to return all email or telephone messages within 24 hours.

## Calendar Description

Analysis of variance, randomized block design, nested and Latin square experiments, analysis of covariance. Not to be held with STAT 3000 or the former STAT 3130. Prerequisite: STAT 3470 (C).

## Textbook

A First Course in the Design of Experiments: A Linear Models Approach by Donald C. Weber and John H. Skillings, CRC Press (2000). (On reserve in Science Library)

#### Software

We will be using SAS in this course. SAS is available in the open area computer labs or you can install a free copy of SAS University Edition on your personal computer.

#### Evaluation

Assignments	20%
Midterm Test	30%
Final Examination	50%

Marks will be posted on the Statistics Gradebook (see the web link above).

The following are the minimum percentage grades required to receive each of the various letter grades:  $A^+$  (90%), A (80%), B<sup>+</sup> (75%), B (70%), C<sup>+</sup> (65%), C (60%), D (50%).

#### **Exam Information**

The midterm test will be held **Tuesday February 26, 2019**, in-class. There will be no make-up midterm. Students missing the midterm test for a valid reason (and with documentation) will have the midterm weight added to the final exam.

The final exam will be 3 hours in duration and will be scheduled by the Registrar's Office. It will cover the entire course, with emphasis on the material after the midterm test.

For the midterm test and the final examination: (i) nonprogrammable handheld calculators are permitted (graphing calculators are **not** permitted), (ii) electronic devices, such as cell phones or headphones, are prohibited, and (iii) statistical tables will be provided.

## Assignments

There will be four assignments, each counting equally (5%) toward your final grade. Assignments may include data analysis using SAS. Assignments are due at the beginning of class on the due date; late assignments will not be accepted. You are encouraged to discuss assignments with your classmates and me, but final submission must be written independently.

## Voluntary Withdrawal

The voluntary withdrawal date is March 20, 2019.

## Academic Dishonesty

It is important that you understand what constitutes academic dishonesty and that you are familiar with the very serious consequences. Links to resources that describe academic dishonesty (including plagiarism, cheating, inappropriate collaboration and examination impersonation, as well as typical penalties) can be found at:

http://umanitoba.ca/science/undergrad/resources/webdisciplinedocuments.html

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## **Class Communication**

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http://umanitoba.ca/admin/governance/governing\_documents/community/electronic\_ communication\_with\_students\_policy.html

You are required to obtain and use your U of M email account for all communication between yourself and the university.

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http://umanitoba.ca/student/saa/accessibility/

# **ROASS Schedule A**

Schedule A of the Responsibilities of Academic Staff with regards to Students (ROASS) policies of the University of Manitoba lists resources and policies for students. It is important that you familiarize yourself with these resources and policies. Schedule A will be posted on your instructor's UM Learn page.

#### **Course Outline**

The course aims to provide a solid understanding of the concepts of Design and Analysis of Experiments including the following areas.

- Introduction to the Design of Experiments (Chapter 1)
- The Completely Randomized Design (Chapter 7)
- Planned Comparisons and Multiple Comparisons (Chapters 8 and 9)
- Randomized Complete Block Design (Chapter 10)
- Incomplete Block Designs (Chapter 11)
- Latin Square Designs (Chapter 12)
- Factorial Experiments with Two Factors (Chapter 13)
- Analysis of Covariance (Chapter 15)
- Random and Mixed Models (Chapter 16)