

**ATTACHMENT 5.** 

# T6. COURSE SPECIFICATIONS (CS)

# **THEORY OF STATISTIC (1)**

# **STAT 340**



Institution:	King	Saud	University	
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Date: 3/2/2018

College/Department : Faculty of Science / Department of Statistics and Operations Research

# A. Course Identification and General Information

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	1. Course title and code: Theory of Statistic (1) (STAT 340)				
	2. Credit hours: 3(2+2+0)				
	3. Program(s) in which the course is offered.				
	(If general elective available in many programs indicate this rather than list programs)				
	Compulsory Course in the Bs.C of Statistic & OR				
	Elective for Actuarial and Financial Mathematics				
	4. Name of faculty member responsible for the course: <b>Prof. Fayz Abokalam</b>				
	5. Level/year at which this course is offered:				
	Level 6 / Year 3 for <b>Bs.C of Statistic</b>				
	Level 8/ Year 4 for <b>Bs.C of OR</b>				
	6. Pre-requisites for this course (if any): <b>STAT 332</b>				
	7. Co-requisites for this course (if any): <b>None</b>				
	8. Location if not on main campus: Main campus / Faculty of Science				
	9. Mode of Instruction (mark all that apply):				
	a. traditional classroom $$ What percentage? 100				
	b. blended (traditional and online) What percentage?				
	c. e-learning What percentage?				
	d. correspondence What percentage?				
	f. other What percentage?				
	Comments:				



# **B** Objectives

1. What is the main purpose for this course?

The aim of this course and the main learning outcomes for students enrolled in the course:

Reviewing the methods and Properties of point estimators of parameters.

2. Briefly describe any plans for developing and improving the course that are being implemented. (e.g. increased use of IT or web based reference material, changes in content as a result of new research in the field)

- The theoretical parts will be development and more recent topics are to be introduced.
- Updating books and the web site of the course periodically.
- Using several references
- Encouraging students to search for the information related to the subjects of the course in the Internet

C. Course Description (Note: General description in the form used in Bulletin or handbook)

Course Description: Parametric estimation methods and properties.

1. Topics to be Covered					
List of Topics	No. of Weeks	Contact hours			
Reviewing Some Important Aspects	1	4			
(Sampling-Distribution of Some Random Variables)	1				
Properties of estimators-Accuracy-Precision	1	4			
Unbiasedness-MSE	1	4			
Consistencies	1	4			
UMMSE	1	4			
UMVUE -CR Inequality	1	4			
Fisher's Information – CRLB- Efficiency	1	4			
Sufficient Statistic –Completeness	1	4			
Exponential family	1	4			
Lehmann-Sheffe theorem	1	4			
<b>MLE</b> Estimators	1	4			
Invariance Property- Asymptotic properties	1	4			
Moments Estimators	1	4			
Bayes Estimators	1	4			
Confidence interval estimators, Pivotal methods	1	4			

2. Course components (total contact hours and credits per semester):							
		Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory/ Studio	Practical	Other:	Total
Contact	Planed	30	30		0	0	60
Hours	Actual	30	30		0	0	60
Cradit	Planed	45	15		0	0	60
Clean	Actual	45	15		0	0	60

Course Specifications, Ramadan 1438H, June 2017.



# 3. Additional private study/learning hours expected for students per week. 3 hours

4. Course Learning Outcomes in NQF Domains of Learning and Alignment with Assessment Methods and Teaching Strategy

#### On the table below are the five NQF Learning Domains, numbered in the left column.

**First**, insert the suitable and measurable course learning outcomes required in the appropriate learning domains (see suggestions below the table). **Second**, insert supporting teaching strategies that fit and align with the assessment methods and intended learning outcomes. **Third**, insert appropriate assessment methods that accurately measure and evaluate the learning outcome. Each course learning outcomes, assessment method, and teaching strategy ought to reasonably fit and flow together as an integrated learning and teaching process. (Courses are not required to include learning outcomes from each domain.)

Code	NQF Learning Domains	Course Teaching	Course Assessment
#	And Course Learning Outcomes	Strategies	Methods
1.0	Knowledge		
1.1	<ul> <li>Understand the elements of the estimation problem under investigation.</li> <li>Use mathematics for making estimation.</li> <li>Make the suitable type of estimation among various inference techniques in the field.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Textbook</li> <li>References</li> <li>Notes</li> </ol>	Mid-term exams Home works Final exam Projects
1.2			
2.0	Cognitive Skills		1
2.1	<ul> <li>Demonstrate capability of choosing the appropriate statistical inference for a particular application.</li> <li>Formulate significant research questions, use appropriate statistical inference method, and interpret the results.</li> <li>Read, evaluate, and interpret numerical, statistical and general scientific information.</li> <li>Comparing things should always be performed.</li> <li>Reaching the appropriate conclusions from the used analysis.</li> </ul>		
2.2			
3.0	Interpersonal Skills & Responsibility		
3.1	<ul> <li>Students were encouraged to raise questions.</li> <li>Students were encouraged to participate in the class and not to miss a lecture.</li> <li>Working homework jointly and individually in class and out</li> </ul>		



	• Encouraging students to ask questions any			
	time during lectures and office hours.			
4.0	Communication, Information Technology, Numerical			
4.1	Short cut computation methods were			
	illustrated in the class.			
5.0	Psychomotor			
5.1	None			

5.5	5. Schedule of Assessment Tasks for Students During the Semester					
	Assessment task (i.e., essay, test, quizzes, group project, examination, speech, oral presentation, etc.)	Week Due	Proportion of Total Assessment			
1	Home works	Regularly	10%			
2	First mid-term test	6	25%			
3	Second mid-term test	11	25%			
4	Final exam	16	40%			

# D. Student Academic Counseling and Support

1. Arrangements for availability of faculty and teaching staff for individual student consultations and academic advice. (include amount of time teaching staff are expected to be available each week)

Office hours: 5 hours/ week Communications by e- mail

## **E Learning Resources**

1. List Required Textbooks

- Introduction to Mathematical Statistics. Last Edition, by Hogg, McKean, and Craig, Prentice Hall.
- Introduction to Theory of Statistics by A. Mood, F. Graybill & B. Boes. McGraw Hill; 3rd edition (1974)
- > Principals of Statistical Inference (Jalal Al Sayad)(1993) دار المريخ للنشر الرياض (1993)
- Mathematical Statistics by Steven Arnold. Prentice Hall; First Edition (1990)
- Fundamentals of the theory of Estimation, 1st edition, King Saud University Press, 2007. By Abdullah Abdulkarim Al-Shiha,
- 2. List Essential References Materials (Journals, Reports, etc.)
  - Lectures' Notes.

3. List Electronic Materials, Web Sites, Facebook, Twitter, etc.

Encouraging students to obtain related information from the Internet

4. Other learning material such as computer-based programs/CD, professional standards or regulations and software.

- Lectures' Notes.
- Power point presentations and other handouts posted on the course web site.

## F. Facilities Required

Indicate requirements for the course including size of classrooms and laboratories (i.e. number of seats in classrooms and laboratories, extent of computer access, etc.)

1. Accommodation (Classrooms, laboratories, demonstration rooms/labs, etc.)



#### Classroom

2. Technology resources (AV, data show, Smart Board, software, etc.)

- data show
- Smart Board

3. Other resources (specify, e.g. if specific laboratory equipment is required, list requirements or attach list)

## **G** Course Evaluation and Improvement Processes

1. Strategies for Obtaining Student Feedback on Effectiveness of Teaching

- Course evaluation by students.
- Faculty students general gathering.
- 2. Other Strategies for Evaluation of Teaching by the Instructor or by the Department
  - Faculty periodical evaluation of syllabus
  - Peer consultation on teaching
  - Departmental council discussions
- 3. Processes for Improvement of Teaching
  - Providing samples of all kind of assessment in the departmental course portfolio of the course.
  - Conducting exams of the similar courses at different well known universities.
  - Using diverse references
  - Revising the textbook, Notes that are used in teaching the course

4. Processes for Verifying Standards of Student Achievement (e.g. check marking by an independent member teaching staff of a sample of student work, periodic exchange and remarking of tests or a sample of assignments with staff at another institution)

5. Describe the planning arrangements for periodically reviewing course effectiveness and planning for improvement.

- The course material and learning outcome are periodically reviewed and the changes to • be taken are in the departmental and higher councils.
- Faculty periodical evaluation of syllabus

Name of Course Instructor: Prof. Fayz Abokalam\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Specification Completed: 21/2/2018

Program Coordinator:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_