

Research Methods Workshop Series

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Announcing – "Thank R It's Friday!" (TRIF)

This academic year, the <u>TREC@WUSTL Statistical Methods and Bioinformatics Core</u> will provide introductory and special topic seminars on using the R statistical language. These will take place the last Friday of the month from 3 to 4 p.m. in The David Satcher Teaching Room 2131, second floor Taylor Avenue Building. All members of the Washington University School of Medicine community are invited. We will start at a basic level so new users can be comfortable using R immediately.

The Fall 2013 schedule of topics is: September 27: "Downloading R, using basic commands, and loading data" October 25: "Basic data analysis and introduction to graphics" November 22: "Running regression models in R"

The Spring 2014 schedule (January to May) will feature specialized modeling and graphics topics. To get the most value for your time, bring a laptop. We also expect informal conversation and social time afterwards (TRIF).

For those new to R, it is the most fully featured, extensible, and advanced software package on the planet for statistical analysis. And it's free. R is the default choice for academic research statisticians, but it is also very useful for all types of applied researchers working with data. We will also discuss the amazing range of free tutorials and guides available for developing R skills.

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