Course #: STAT 4380
Course Title: Statistics I
Credit Hrs: 3
Term: Fall 2016
Course Meetings & Location: TR 9:00 - 10:20am LART 306
Prerequisite Courses: STAT 3330 or equivalent
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Course Objectives (Learning Outcomes): A calculus-based development of statistical concepts and methods. Distribution theory, point and interval estimation and hypothesis testing in parametric statistical models, chi-square goodness-of-fit and contingency table analysis, simple linear regression analysis, and introduction to analysis of variance. Through assigned homework, class discussions and hands-on labs, students will also acquire skills to identify real problems that require advanced mathematical and statistical knowledge.

Course Activities/Assignments: Homework and data analysis projects will be assigned throughout the semester. You may do the exercises with your partner, but each student must answer the questions individually. ZERO grades will be obtained for those whose solutions are the exact copies of someone else’s. NO LATE HOMEWORK WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Assessment of Course Objectives: Homework, Exam Graduate students taking this class will be assigned additional main exercises, in accordance with university policy.

Course Schedule: Midterm I: TBD
Midterm II: TBD
Final Exam: 12/06/16 10:00-12:45pm
Drop/Withdrawal Deadline: 10/28/16

Grading Policy: Homework & Quiz 20%
Midterm Exams 40%
Final Exam 40%
The final grade is based on a scale of 90-100 = A, 80-89 = B, 70-79 = C, 60-69 = D, below 60 = F. Attendance and class participation will be used to help decide borderline grades.

Make-up Policy: IF you notify me BEFORE the exam AND have a university excuse for missing the exam, you may take the make-up exam arranged by the instructor.

Attendance Policy: Class attendance is required.

Civility Statement: Please turn off cell phones during classes.
Disability Statement: If a student has or suspects she/he has a disability and needs an accommodation, he/she should contact the Disabled Student Services Office (DSSO) at 747-5148 or at <dss@utep.edu> or go to Room 106 Union East Building. The student is responsible for presenting to the instructor any DSS accommodation letters and instructions.
Military Statement: If you are a military student with the potential of being called to military service and/or training during the course of the semester, you are encouraged to contact as soon as possible.