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## Spring Hours

Computer Rooms (135, 137, 139, 141, 143)  
Monday through Thursday: 8:00AM—9:00PM  
Friday: 8:00AM—5:00PM  
We will be closed on Saturday and Sunday.

Administrative Office  
Monday through Friday: 8:00AM—NOON  
1:00PM—5:00PM

## New Online data:

Mannheim Eurobarometer Trend File 1970-1999.  
Eurobarometer 35.0: Foreign Relations, the Common Agricultural Policy and Environmental Concerns, Spring 1991.  
Eurobarometer 39.1: Energy Policies, Biotechnology and Genetic Engineering, May-June 1993.  
National Organizations Survey (NOS), 1996-1997.  
Northern Ireland Loyalty Study 1968.  
Comparative Study of Freedom, 1972-1976.  
National Survey of Substance Abuse Treatment Services (N-SSATS), 2002: [US].  
Chinese Longitudinal Healthy Longevity Survey: 1998-2000.  
Politbarometer [West Germany], Partial Accumulation 1977-1998.  
US Census 2000 Summary 3 (state files in SPSS format).  
Census 2000 5-Percent PUMS Migration File from the State of Washington

## New CD-ROMs/DVDs:

US Exports of Merchandise Dec 2001, Oct 2003-Dec 2003  
U.S. Imports of Merchandise Dec 2001, Oct 2003-Dec 2003  
LandView 6 on DVD  
U.S. Census 2000 Summary File 4  
U.S. Census 2000 Summary File 4: National File

## From the Director

Welcome back Spring!

We had the busiest Winter quarter in five years and have now engaged the new Spring set of classes. Dominate themes this Spring are the same as last quarter: Viruses, hackers and scheduling constraints. Please be adamant about keeping your virus checkers and other security software up-to-date. This is especially true of laptops that you might move from one environment to another. Also, room scheduling at CSS-CR continues to be tight; reserve early and let us know if you no longer need resources already scheduled.

CSSCR has received another Student TechFee Grant of \$148,246. This grant will update our three drop-in labs. This new grant brings our total for all of our grants over the last few years to close to a million dollars! The new equipment and software will be installed this Summer. Thank you Students!

Have a glorious Spring.

Fred † Nick

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Michael Strausz, Political Science  
Marcos Torres, Communication  
Markus Tsai, Psychology,  
Nalina Varanasi, Economics

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# CSSCR Spring 2004 Spring Classes

Here are the ways you can sign up for classes: Call 543-8110; stop by 145 Savery during office hours; send e-mail to [ascocarp@u.washington.edu](mailto:ascocarp@u.washington.edu), including the class you wish to take, your name and department; or sign yourself up on our Web page.

<http://julius.csscr.washington.edu/>

## **Dissertation Formatting Tips and Tricks**

Instructor: Dixielynn Gleason  
Date: Thursday, April 22  
Time: 8:30AM to 9:30AM  
Place: Savery 149

## **Advanced Powerpoint**

Instructor: Theresa Nalty  
Date: Thursday, May 13  
Time: 10:00AM to 11:00AM  
Place: Savery 135

## **Introduction to Stata 7.0**

Instructor: Markus Tsai  
Date: Thursday, April 29  
Time: 3:00PM to 4:30PM  
Place: Savery 137

## **Introduction to Excel**

Instructor: Deborah Lambert  
Date: Friday, May 14  
Time: 10:30AM to 11:30AM  
Place: Savery 149

## **Introduction to ArcMAP**

Instructor: Chris Fowler  
Date: Friday, May 7  
Time: 11:30AM to 1:00PM  
Place: Savery 149

## **Introduction to Atlas.ti**

Instructor: Michael Strausz  
Date: Monday, May 17  
Time: 10:30AM to NOON  
Place: Savery 137

## **Introduction to SPSS**

Instructor: Nalina Varanasi  
Date: Tuesday, May 11  
Time: 9:00AM to 10:30AM  
Place: Savery 137

## **Introduction to LandView 6**

Instructor: Grace Ning Gu  
Date: Wednesday, May 19  
Time: 2:30PM to 3:30PM  
Place: Savery 137

## **Intermediate Dreamweaver**

Instructor: Jon Agnone  
Date: Wednesday, May 12  
Time: 10:00AM to 11:00AM  
Place: Savery 149

## **Advanced Excel**

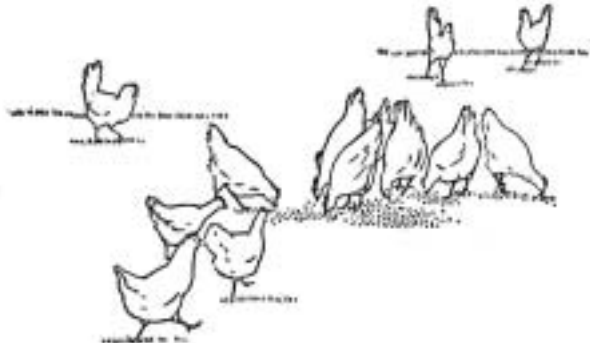
Instructor: Jeffrey Bowan  
Date: Wednesday, May 19  
Time: 11:30AM to 12:30PM  
Place: Savery 149

## **Introduction to iMovie/iDVD**

Instructor: John Rigg  
Date: Wednesday, May 12  
Time: 10:00AM to NOON  
Place: Savery 143A

## **Introduction to Photoshop**

Instructor: Marcos Torres  
Date: Friday, May 21  
Time: 10:30AM to 11:30AM  
Place: Savery 149



If you would like to request academic accommodations due to a disability, please contact Disabled Student Services, 448 Schmitz, 543-8924 (V/TDD).

If you have a letter from Disabled Student Services indicating you have a disability that requires academic accommodations, please present the letter to Fred Nick at CSSCR so we can discuss the accommodations you might need for class.

# CSSCR Classes Spring Quarter 2004

CSSCR offers free, non-credit classes to UW faculty, students and staff. Computer classes are also offered by University Computing Services (543-5970), UW Extension (543-2300) and the College of Engineering Continuing Education (543-5539). To sign up for CSSCR classes, call 543-8110, or stop by 145 Savery Hall during office hours, or use our Web page: <http://julius.csscr.washington.edu/> Please note the room number for the location of your class!

## Dissertation Formatting Tips and Tricks

This lecture will help you format your thesis/dissertation to conform with UW Graduate School Style and Policy Manual for Theses and Dissertations.

Instructor: Dixielynn Gleason  
Date: Thursday, April 22  
Time: 8:30AM to 9:30AM  
Place: Savery 149

## Introduction to Stata 7.0

In this hands-on class we will explore some of the basics of Stata use, including importing data, the treatment of different kinds of variables (numerical, time and string), as well as generating descriptive statistics and graphics.

Instructor: Markus Tsai  
Date: Thursday, April 29  
Time: 3:00PM to 4:30PM  
Place: Savery 137

## Introduction to ArcMAP

This course is designed for people who want to know if a Geographic Information System (GIS) can help them in their research. We will consider the topics necessary to start your own project including: data collection and formatting, linking spatial data with other data sets, and the creation of basic thematic maps.

Instructor: Chris Fowler  
Date: Friday, May 7  
Time: 11:30AM to 1:00PM  
Place: Savery 149

## Introduction to SPSS

This beginning class in SPSS will teach you the basics of quantitative analysis. We will explore how to enter data, how to recode variables, to produce descriptives, to assess basic relationships between two variables and to produce nifty and cool-looking graphs. At the end of the one-hour session, you will be able to recognize and use the basic functions of SPSS.

Instructor: Nalina Varanasi  
Date: Tuesday, May 11  
Time: 9:00AM to 10:30AM  
Place: Savery 137

## Intermediate Dreamweaver

After a quick review of some of the basic features of Dreamweaver, we will discuss generating online forms with pull-down menus and radio buttons. We will also spend time creating a simple web questionnaire and setting up the database to retrieve the data once submitted.

Instructor: Jon Agnone  
Date: Wednesday, May 12  
Time: 10:00AM to 11:00AM  
Place: Savery 149

## Beginning iMovie

iMovie is Apple's critically acclaimed, proprietary video editing software. Though it comes standard with OSX, many Apple users are unaware of its capabilities and don't use it. This class will change all that.

In this introduction to iMovie class, students will learn to edit digital video media, add captions and special effects to their clips, do voice-overs, and add sound effects.

Instructor: John Rigg  
Date: Wednesday, May 12  
Time: 10:00AM to NOON  
Place: Savery 143A

## Advanced Powerpoint

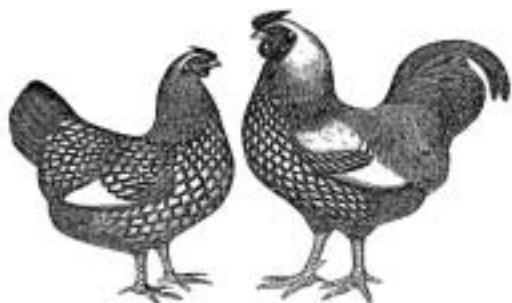
This class will feature hands-on application of Power-Point's sound, animation and embedded movie capabilities. We will also look at advanced graphics, and convert a line graph to display portions with mouse activation.

Instructor: Theresa Nalty  
Date: Thursday, May 13  
Time: 10:00AM to 11:00AM  
Place: Savery 135

## Introduction to Excel

In this hands-on course, you will learn the fundamentals of using Excel including: data entry, basic computation, elementary charts and graphs, and some statistical functions. Prior knowledge of Excel is not necessary.

Instructor: Deborah Lambert  
Date: Friday, May 14  
Time: 10:30AM to 11:30AM  
Place: Savery 149



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## Class descriptions continued from Page 3.

### Introduction to Atlas.ti

In this class, I will go over the basics of Atlas.ti, such as importing and analyzing documents, basic tools and most important, discussing the terminology of Atlas.ti.

Instructor: Michael Strausz  
Date: Monday, May 17  
Time: 10:30AM to NOON  
Place: Savery 137

### Introduction to LandView 6

LandView is an electronic geographic reference tool that searches and maps selected information from the EPA, US Census Bureau, and US Geological Survey. LandView version 6 also contains selected SF3 data items from Census 2000. We will look at how to access the LandView 6 databases, how to use the mapping application and perform basic navigational tasks.

Instructor: Grace Ning Gu  
Date: Wednesday, May 19  
Time: 2:30pm to 3:30pm  
Place: Savery 137

### Advanced Excel

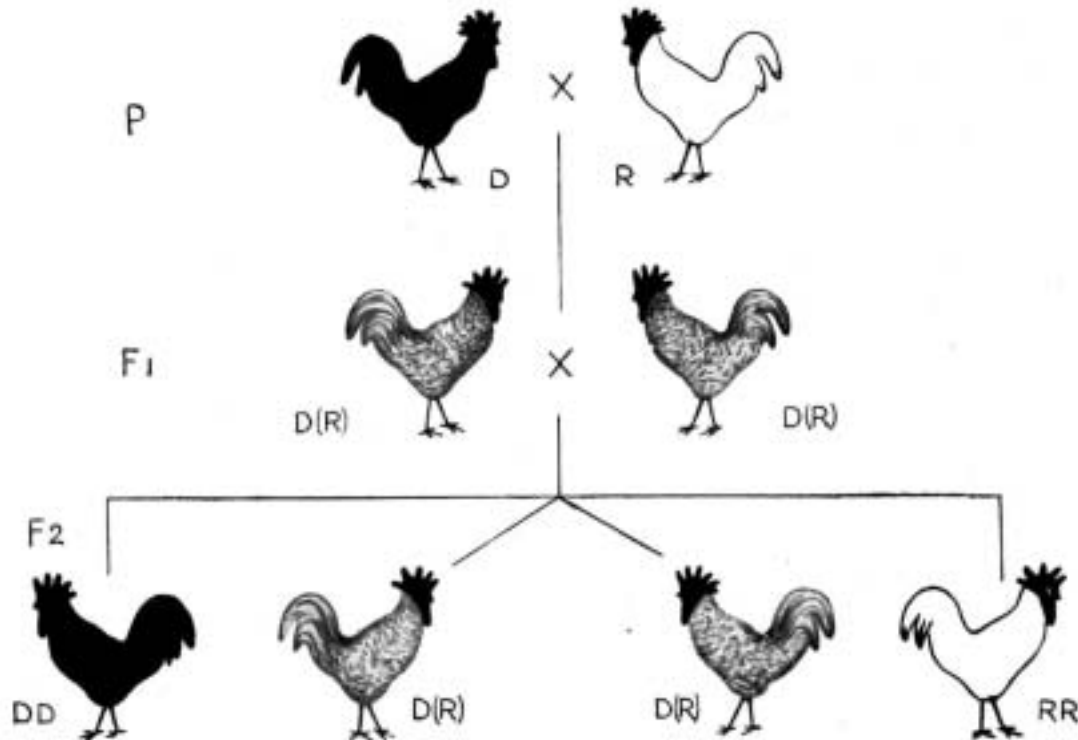
We will walk through some of the essential data analysis tools, function wizards and large data set management options that are built into Excel and can help you manage large chunks of data.

Instructor: Jeffrey Bowan  
Date: Wednesday, May 19  
Time: 11:30AM to 12:30PM  
Place: Savery 149

### Introduction to Photoshop

This course will provide information on working with some of the more basic tools of the Photoshop software. As part of this primer, we will also go over some basic information about scanning images using the equipment available here at CSSCR.

Instructor: Marcos Torres  
Date: Friday, May 21  
Time: 10:30AM to 11:30AM  
Place: Savery 149



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