From the Director

Welcome to another new year! CSSCR has had a busy Fall and is now experiencing a very busy Winter. We have had a tremendous demand for teaching time in our Labs this quarter. So if you are beginning to plan next quarter's classes remember to reserve your time in CSSCR labs early.

Our new fast machines are quite popular with our student clients and have turned out to be great number crunchers. CSSCR has 73 server-class machines available for you, our clients. So please use and enjoy! As always let us know if we can be of service. Have a great Winter!

Fred Nick

From the Archivist

New Online data:
Contentious Gathering in Britain 1758-1834.

New CD-ROMs:
U.S. Exports of Merchandise Dec 2001, Jul-Sep 2002
Census Transportation Planning Package 2000 Place of Residence Profile
Census 2000 American Indian and Alaska Native Demographic Profiles
Census 2000 Modified Race Data Summary File 2000
Census 2000 Block Maps - PDF Files
LandView 5 on DVD: A Viewer for EPA, Census and USGS Data and Maps
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, including the class you wish to take, your name and department; or sign yourself up on our Web page. 

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**Introduction to NU*DIST**
Instructor: Annie Windrem  
Date: Thursday, January 23  
Time: 4:00PM to 5:00PM  
Place: Savery 137

**Beginning Web Design (Dreamweaver)**
Instructor: Nadia Morgen  
Date: Friday, January 24  
Time: 10:00AM to 11:15AM  
Place: Savery 149

**Introduction to SPSS**
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Instructor: Grace Ning Gu  
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**Introduction to SAS 8.0**
Instructor: Yi-Chi Chen  
Date: Tuesday, February 4  
Time: 2:00PM to 4:00PM  
Place: Savery 137

**Introduction to Stata 7.0**
Instructor: Michael Strausz  
Date: Friday, February 7  
Time: 10:00AM to 11:30AM  
Place: Savery 137

**Advanced Excel**
Instructor: Chia-Han Tsai  
Date: Friday, February 7  
Time: 2:00PM to 3:30PM  
Place: Savery 137

**Intermediate Atlas-TI**
Instructor: Emory Morrison  
Date: Thursday, February 13  
Time: 1:00PM to 3:00PM  
Place: Savery 135

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.
Introduction to NU*DIST

NU*D IST is a qualitative data analysis program which deals with textual data. NU*D IST is used for handling non-numerical, Unstructured Data by Indexing, Searching and Theorizing.

Instructor: Annie Windrem
Date: Thursday, January 23
Time: 4:00pm to 5:00pm
Place: Savery 137

Making Sense of Web Design (Dreamweaver)

In this introductory lecture I will teach you web lingo (in translation), explain file structure, and walk you through key features of Dreamweaver. This course is intended for students who have never used Dreamweaver specifically, and are new/relatively new to web design in general.

Instructor: Nadia Morgen
Date: Friday, January 2
Time: 10:00am to 11:15am
Place: Savery 149

Introduction to SPSS

Do you have some data that you want to make sense of? SPSS will be the ideal place for you to start if you have a little statistical knowledge and don't know other statistical software. This class will introduce you to the basic features of the newest version of SPSS, such as data manipulation, statistical analysis and output management.

Instructor: Elena Verdolini
Date: Monday, January 27
Time: 5:30pm to 7:00pm
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: Jeanette Burkett
Date: Wednesday, Jan 29
Time: 10:00am to 11:00am
Place: Savery 135

Kill the Paper Clip!!!

In this lecture, I will show you some of the undocumented features and non-intuitive procedures users of Word for Windows 2000 commonly encounter.

Instructor: Dixielynn Gleason
Date: Wednesday, Jan 29
Time: 8:30am to 9:30am
Place: Savery 149

Introduction to ArcGIS

This lecture will introduce you to the basic features of the ArcGIS package: ArcMap, ArcCatalog, and ArcToolbox. We will focus primarily on ArcMap and you will learn how to display data, conduct queries, perform simple spatial operations, and make maps.

Instructor: Catherine Veninga
Date: Thursday, January 30
Time: 10:00am to 11:00am
Place: Savery 149

Introduction to Census Data Products

This seminar will introduce some recently released data products from Census 2000. We will look at the data contents and geographic coverage of these data files. We will also navigate the Census website and learn how to find and acquire the data online.

Instructor: Grace Ning Gu
Date: Friday, January 31, 2:30pm to 3:30pm
Place: Savery 137

Introduction to SAS 8.0

SAS stands for Statistical Analysis System but this program can be used for more than data analysis, including data management, table and graph generation. We will explore some of these functions with an emphasis on efficient use of SAS in specific research situations.

Instructor: Yi-Chi Chen
Date: Tuesday, February 4, 2:00pm to 4:00pm
Place: Savery 137

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: Michael Strausz
Date: Friday, February 7, 10:00am to 11:30am
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: Chia-Han Tsai
Date: Friday, February 7, 2:00pm to 3:30pm
Place: Savery 137

Introduction to Atlas-TI

In this lecture, 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: Emory Morrison
Date: Thursday, Feb 13, 1:00pm to 3:00pm
Place: Savery 135