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Formative creed detail	Scope disciplinary	SSD	Credits	
	Statistics	SECS-S0/1	Six	
Main information on teaching				
Title teaching	Statistical Methods for Market Research			
Study course	Master's Degree in Planning and Management of Tourism and Cultural Systems			
Formative credits	Six			
English name	Statistical Methods for Market Research			
Frequency obligation	It is strongly recommended			
Delivery language	Italian			
Delivery mode				
Delivery period	First semester			
Year of study	Second			
Delivery mode	Frontal lessons			
Tooching organization				
Teaching organization Total hours	42			
Hours of lectures	32			
Hours of exercises and workshops	10			
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Calendar				
Beginning of educational activities	23 September 2019	9		
End of teaching activities	15 December 2019)		
Syllabus				

Prerequisites

A basic knowledge of descriptive and inferential statistics is required. However it is provided reminders Getting the

to fill any gaps of students from humanities courses

Expected	learr	ning o	utcomes			
(declines	you	with	respect	to	the	Dublin
Descripto	rs)					

The course aims to provide knowledge and skills for the statistical analysis of quantitative data deriving from market analysis and / or customer surveys.

In particular the target to be reached will cover the design of the surveys, with particular reference to those sample, the data organization, the patterns data mining designed to maximize the information that can be derived from empirical investigations

Teaching content

Ample space is dedicated to the statistical analysis of purchasing and consumption behaviors, emphasizing the characteristics and potential uses of official and non-official statistical documentation, from which it is possible to derive differential profiles and follow trends over time for families that differ in size and type, disposable income and environmental conditions.

Program

1. Market research

- Stages of market research
- Classification of market research
- Examples of market research and sources of information for market analysis.

2. Searches by sample

- Types of sample surveys in market research
- Probabilistic samples: types and characteristics
- Random sample extraction
- Empirical rules for determining the sample size
- Complex sampling plans

3. Market decisions in conditions of uncertainty

- Hypothesis testing: procedure
- Verification of the hypothesis on the average or proportion of the population
- Comparison between means and sample proportions

4. Error profile and data quality

• Non-sampling errors and reduction of distortions

	Failure to observe			
	Other types of errors			
	5. Construction of Questionnaires and			
	Investigation Techniques			
	6. Analysis of data from market research			
	 Data collection and classification Monovariate analysis			
	 Average and variability indexes 			
	o Graphic representations.			
	Bivariate analysis			
	o Relationships between market phenomena:			
	connection, regression and correlation.			
	• Introduction to multidimensional data analysis			
	 Multiple regression 			
	 The factor analysis model 			
	 Cluster analysis 			
Referral texts	Material and handouts provided during the course			
Teaching methods	Frontal lessons with slide projection and practical case studies			
Evaluation methods	Oral examination with reference to the construction of questionnaires, sampling techniques and data analysis			
Evaluation criteria	The evaluation aims to verify whether examinees will be able to locate, and at what level, an appropriate survey design objective of marketing to be carried out, determine the type and the size of the sample required or to estimate a parameter of the market with a date precision. Moreover, if they will be able to analyze the answers to a questionnaire with a combination of statistical methods and techniques.			
Other				