Treatment Effects

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Welcome to Oxford!

Course Logistics

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Course Materials

https://www.treatment-effects.com/syllabus/

Housekeeping Notices

Toilets

On the 1st and 2nd floor: directions.

Fire Alarm

In case of a fire alarm, please exit the building as quickly as possible using the nearest fire exit: **out via main exit** or **left and out via cafe side exit**.

Emergencies

In case of any emergency, please report to reception.

Catering / Refreshments

All refreshments and lunches will be provided in the common room. Please use the common room to eat or take lunches outside if the weather is nice.

Fun Events!

Monday Welcome Drinks Reception

Tonight at 6pm at St Cross College (\approx 20 minute walk from here).

Thursday Dinner

At Hertford College (≈ 12 minute walk from here). Drinks at 7:30pm; dinner at 8:00pm.

Treatment Effects: Course Overview

Lectures: 9-11am

- 1. Partial Identification
- 2. Testing the LATE Assumptions
- 3. Marginal Treatment Effects I
- 4. Marginal Treatment Effects II
- 5. Spillovers

Applied Sessions: 11:30am-12:30pm

- 1. R Refresher
- 2. Simulation Basics in R
- 3. Running a Simulation Study
- 4. Testing the LATE Assumptions
- 5. Gaussian MTEs