



Survey Design and Data Analysis Graduate Certificate Program

GW's Survey Design and Data Analysis graduate certificate program is one of only a few programs of its kind in the nation geared toward working professionals across many disciplines. Students acquire expertise to manage all phases of the survey process in corporate, association, or government agency settings. In addition to teaching skills needed for today's changing survey research field, the program prepares students for further graduate study.

Survey Design and Data Analysis is part of the university's renowned Department of Statistics, the first department of its kind in the country. Located in the heart of the nation's capital, nearby government agencies and private companies employ a number of graduates and generate a high level of statistical activities and internship opportunities. The department boasts a strong record of statistical education and research, an internationally acclaimed faculty, and highly successful alumni.

Program Highlights

- Curriculum builds skills in sampling and designing surveys, collection and analyzing data, and critically analyzing public opinion
- Classes held on weekday evenings, designed for working professionals
- Convenient location at the Alexandria Graduate Education Center, near the King Street Metro
- Four-course program (12 credits) can be completed as quickly as two semesters

Curriculum

- STAT 6233 Questionnaire Design
- STAT 6234 Statistical Computing Packages for Survey Research
- STAT 6236 Applied Sampling Techniques for Survey Research
- STAT 6238 Survey Management

Apply Now

Applications are processed on a rolling basis, but it is recommended you apply by the fall deadline of August 1st or the Spring deadline of December 1st. No GRE or MAT scores are required; however, if you have not used statistics recently, we recommend taking a course in statistics prior to entering the program. Two recommendations are required along with all prior academic records from all colleges and universities attended. A statement of purpose and current resumé or curriculum vita are also required for admission into the graduate certificate program.

Contact Us

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