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Statistics Programs @ U of T 1-2pm, March 1, 2022

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Statistical Sciences

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Why Statistics?

History of the world: Stone Age -> Bronze Age -> Iron Age -> Middle Age -> Industrial Age: Information Age

Statisticians & data scientists are at the forefront of navigating today's data-driven world! Statistician and Data Scientist are "top ranked professions". Why is that?

https://thisisstatistics.org/2021-statistician-best-job/

Information = Ability to extract knowledge from data -> Statistics and Data Science



Principled statistical methods + computationally efficient algorithms = impressive results

The best thing about being a statistician, is that you get to play in everyone's backyard. - John Tukey Statisticians and data scientists rely on a powerful cocktail of probability and statistics, computer science and mathematics

Statisticians and data scientists have widely applicable skills: finance, medicine, engineering, sociology but also history, climatology, literature, etc



Our department at a glance

42⁺ faculty (8 teaching-stream)





We provide the academic foundation & experiential learning experiences you need to succeed in your studies and beyond.



Founded in 1977

Ranked 1st in Canada and 14th in the World by QS and Shanghai Ranking





Our Statistics Programs

Specialist programs *:

- Statistical Sciences: Methods & Practice (10.5 - 11.0 FCEs + 2.0-3.5 Focus)
- Statistical Sciences: Theory and Methods (11.0 11.5 FCEs)
- Data Science Specialist (13.0 13.5 FCEs)

* These Specialist programs are eligible Arts & Science Internship Program (ASIP) in 2022

You need:

- 1 Specialist,
- 2 Majors, or
- 1 Major + 2 Minors

See the academic calendar:

artsci.calendar.utoronto.ca/

section/Statistical-Sciences

Statistics Major (7.0 - 7.5 FCEs)

Statistics Minor (4.0 FCEs)

Arts & Science Internship Program (ASIP) Overview

Enter in Fall Term of Year 2

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Work Term 1: Summer between Years 2 and 3 Work Term 2: 8, 12 or 16 months, between Years 3 and 4 Each 4-month block: =>420h, and/or >=12weeks (35h/week)

Students must complete a minimum of 12 months of paid work experience to successfully complete ASIP Stream, in addition to PDC1-4 courses

Professional Development Programming

• PDC220H1: Maximizing Your Experience: (Fall Term, Year 2) Articulate skills, career planning, goal setting, building, build personal marketing documents • PDC221H1: Essential Skills for ASIP Success: (Winter Term, Year 2) Interview preparation, tailoring resumes and cover letters, job search skills, health & wellness in workplace, workplace rights, EDI considerations • PDC320H1, PDC321H1: Skill Development 1 and 2: (Fall and Winter Term, Year 3)

Arts & Science Internship Program

·Soft skill development, transferrable to workplace •Students select topics from curated skills modules (e.g., communication skills, project management, conflict resolution, etc.)

•PD5: Post ASIP - Planning Your Next Steps (Fall Term, Year 5; optional module) Design thinking approach to "Designing Your Life", leveraging skills learned to support postgraduation career path, mentorship opportunities, community building

Courses are complemented by a series of optional events and programming to help students maximize their experience in the program and connect with industry professionals



Experiential Learning Commons, coming Summer 2022

Admissions & Eligibility

- Full-time students from ASIP-eligible programs who are going into Year 2 will apply in summer between Year 1 and 2
- · Applicants evaluated based on holistic admissions criteria and their resume, cGPA not included.

See full eligibility requirements and admissions process on the ASIP website

See website https://www.a rtsci.utoronto. ca/current/ac ademics/asip

PROGRAM ENROLMENT TIMELINES

The timeline below applies to all programs except <u>Collaborative Life Science programs</u> and the Arts & Science Internship Program.

PROGRAM APPLICATION ENROLMENT TYPE REQUIRED PERIOD

Open	No	March 1, 2022 – September 21, 2022

Limited Yes First Request Period

2022 ASIP	Apply between.
application deadline:	March 1, 2022 – April
July 11/22	29, 2022

Limited Yes

Apply between:Check results between:July 9, 2022 - AugustAugust 23, 2022 -

Second Request Period

23, 2022 – August August 23, 2022 – September 7, 2022

2022



* DS Specialist Enrolment <u>1st round only</u> & Requires Supplementary Application

Check results between:

April 30, 2022 - June 10,

Enrol by:

Enrol by:

2022

September 21,

July 8, 2022

2022 Stats program enrolment

Statistics Minor

Statistics Major Specialists:

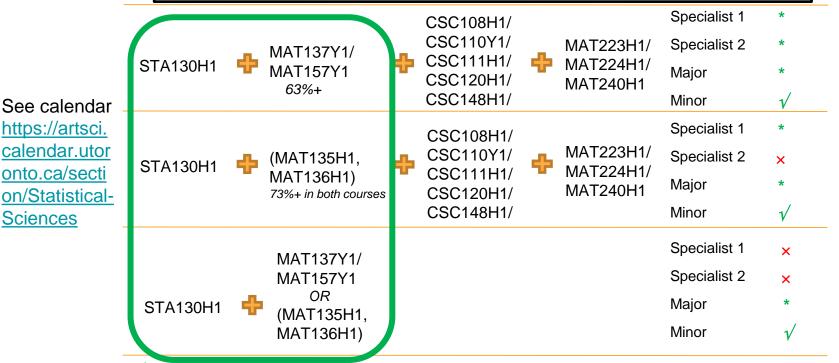
- Methods & Practice
- Theory & Methods
- Data Science*

Statistics Major Specialists:

- Methods & Practice
- Theory & Methods

Paths to a Stats Program - Eligibility at end of 1st year (completion of between 4.0 & 8.5 credits)

Specialist 1 = Specialist in Statistical Science: Methods and Practice (previous Applied Statistics Specialist) **Specialist 2** = Specialist in Statistical Science: Theory and Methods (previous Statistics Specialist)

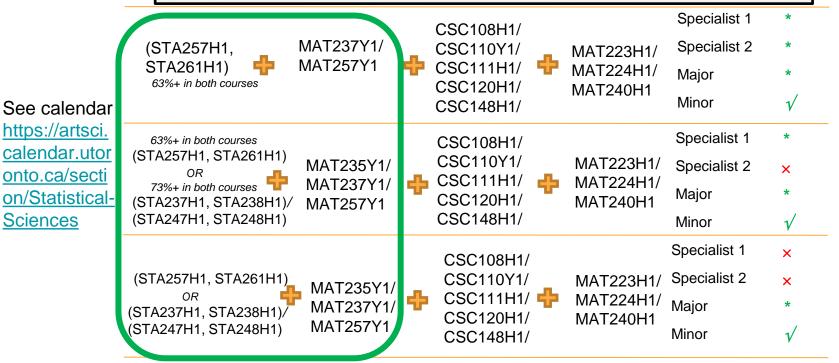


* Limited number of spaces availablecompetitive entry based on average of grades in calculus course(s) and STA130.

If missing <u>any</u> of these course requirements, eligible for Minor only. If MAT133Y1 taken toward Minor, need 70%+.

Paths to a Stats Program - Eligibility at end of 2nd year or later (completion of 9.0+ credits)

Specialist 1 = Specialist in Statistical Science: Methods and Practice (previous Applied Statistics Specialist) **Specialist 2** = Specialist in Statistical Science: Theory and Methods (previous Statistics Specialist)



* Limited number of spaces available- competitive entry based on average of grades in 2nd year calculus & STA courses above.

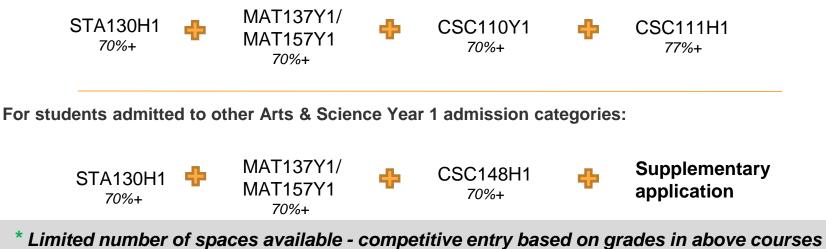
If missing <u>any</u> of these course requirements, eligible for Minor only. If MAT133Y1 taken toward Minor, need 70%+.





Paths to Data Science Specialist - Eligibility at end of 1st year or later (completion of 4.0+ credits)

For students admitted to Arts & Science in the Year 1 Computer Science (CMP1) admission category:



& supplementary application.

If missing STA130H1: STA261H1 will be used in place of STA130H1 for admission purposes & an additional 300+ level STA course will be needed later in the program to meet the STA130H1 program requirement.

Year 1 DS Specialist requirements: MAT137Y1/ MAT157Y1, MAT223H1/ MAT240H1 (MAT240H1 is recommended), STA130H1, (CSC108H1, CSC148H1)/ (CSC110Y1, CSC111H1) See calendar https://artsci.calendar.utoronto.ca/section/Statistical-Sciences



UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO Undergraduate Statistics Opportunities:

- Mentorship program
- Data competitions (e.g., DataFest)
- Independent Summer Statistics Community (IsSC)
- Research opportunities (summer research, courses)

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