


NUS SOC Summer Workshop 2021

Analytics & IoT

Web Mining

Course Information

Learning content and Teaching

 What will be covered during “trial” lectures?

Lecture 1: Introduction (3 hours):

- Introduction to Analytics
- Types of Decision Problem
- Statistical Learning
- Applications of Analytics
- Data Mining Process
- Introduction to Web Mining

Lecture 2: Mining Web Content I (3 hours):

- Introduction to Web Content Mining
- Web Basics
- Techniques for performing Web Content Mining
- Extracting Content from HTML Source

 What will be covered during the “advanced” seminars?

Lecture 3: Regression

- Simple Linear Regression
- Multi Linear Regression
- Coding Scheme for Categorical Variables
- Problems with Linear Regression

Lecture 4: Classification and Clustering

- Introduction to Classification
- Various Classification Techniques
- Assessing Model Accuracy
- Resampling Methods

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Lecture 6: Mining Web Content II

- Document Object Model (DOM)
- XPath
- CSS Selectors
- Extracting Content using HTML Parser
- GUI Web Scrapers

Lecture 6: Mining Web Content III

- Web Application Design
- Mining Web Data using APIs
- Scraping using an actual browser/headless browser

Lecture 7: Recommender Systems

- Introduction to Recommender Systems
- Content-based Recommender Systems
- Collaborative Filtering Recommender System