

Statistics Lab

Applied Statistics Workshop



Goals

- Learning in a **realistic setting**.
- **Apply** theoretical knowledge in a **consulting situation**.
- The real deal:
 - carry out a **consulting session**
 - work on an **applied** problem
 - **write a report**
 - do a final **presentation**
 - **explain** results to client

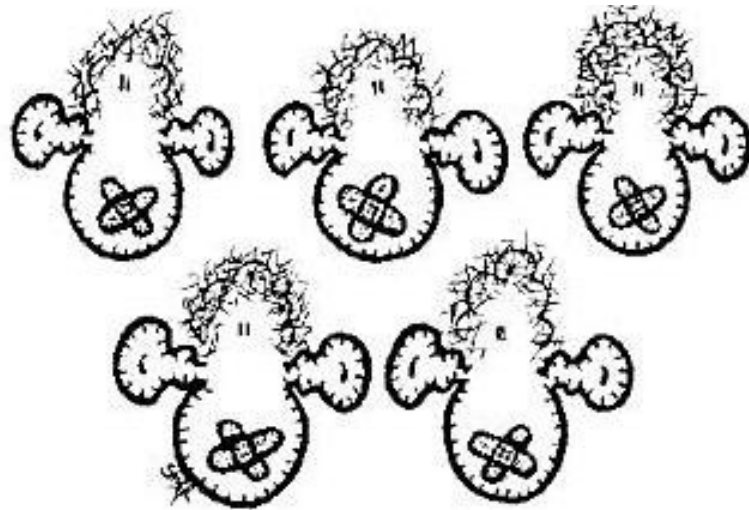
Outline

- Projects are assigned in pairs
- **Meet your client** in a consulting session that **you will lead** in order to get familiar with the details of your problem.
- **Present** your problem (initial presentation).
- **Work** (hard) on your problem / write **report** / final **presentation** (both to students and to client).

Asking questions – part 1



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Asking questions – part 2

- For each team “A” we will assign a team “B”; team “B” is responsible for asking questions when team “A” is presenting
- Feedback: Written, anonymous feedback on presentation technique from everybody after each talk
Goal:
 - one comment on what went well
 - one comment on what could be improved

Next steps

- Projects and Schedule are on our webpage:
<http://stat.ethz.ch/education/semesters/ss2015/StatsLab>
- Give us your project preference on paper today
- List the projects with respect to **decreasing** popularity.
- E.g. 8 – 3 – 2 – 1 – 6 – 7 – 4 – 5 means that project 8 is your most preferred project, followed by project 3 etc.
- Your supervisor will contact you to make an appointment for the first meeting with the “real” client.
- You'll get the final assignment online soon