

**An Introduction to R  
(3 ECTS/2 SWS)  
Winter Semester 2014/15**

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**Place & Time:**

Lectures will take place **March 3, 2015 till March 12, 2015**. The lectures are accompanied with exercises.

**First lecture:**

Time: Tue, Mar 3: 14:00-17:00,  
Room: B 01.027

**Note that there will be NO course on March 2!**

**Then:**

Time: Wed, March 4 - Fr, March 6 AND Mon, March 9 - Thu, March 12: 9:00-12:00  
Room: B 01.027

In the afternoons, there is time for preparing the exercises. We will reserve computer rooms (13:00 – 17:00) for the afternoons and one of the instructors or a tutor will regularly be available for questions, however, you can work on the exercises where and when you like.

**Grading/Exams**

You can get a **graded certificate** (ECTS points) by passing a written exam at the end of the course.

Though we highly recommend to attend the lectures and prepare the exercises, attendance is not a necessary requirement for exam admission.

In case you are only interested in getting a **certificate of attendance** (without grade), active participation will be required. We will ask you to present at least one of the exercises in class and you should attend all lectures. We will tolerate only one absence.

**Final Exam:**

**March 13, 2015 (10:00 – 12:00, B 01.027)**

**Post-exam review (Klausureinsicht):**

**March 20, 2015 (10:00 – 11:00, B 01.015)**

A **make-up exam** will be offered on **March 30, 2015**. If you want to participate in the make-up exam, you must register with Sonja Grath (grath@bio.lmu.de) by **March 25, 2015**. Students may only participate and/or be able to improve their grades in the make-up exam if it is permitted by the exam regulations ("Prüfungsordnung") of their academic program.

The exam (final and make-up) will cover the contents of the lectures. During the exercise sessions, there is no new content presented, but the exercises are meant to deepen the understanding. To concentrate on preparing the exercises is therefore highly recommended.

**Course webpage & online material:**

[http://evol.bio.lmu.de/\\_statgen/Rcourse/ws1415/](http://evol.bio.lmu.de/_statgen/Rcourse/ws1415/)

**Please visit the webpage regularly. All material for the lectures and exercises will be deposited there and we will post important information (room/time change) at this place.**