

Here is a special edition of the weekly DS newsletter all about Summer 2023 enrollment!

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Keep an eye out for our upcoming Fall Enrollment email for even more important updates!

### **Important Dates and Deadline**

- March 27 Summer term enrollment appointment times assigned to students throughout this week
  - Check your MyUW Student Center or @wisc.edu inbox for your appointment
- April 3 Students begin enrolling for Summer 2022 term courses according to appointment times

# **Course Equivalency/Taking Courses Outside UW**

- Courses taken outside of UW are allowed: be sure to <u>check the Transferology portal</u> to find out if/how your planned class will transfer back to UW
- Can't find your course in Transferology? <u>Submit a request to the Course Equivalency</u>
   Service through May 1<sup>st</sup> for course evaluations
  - Please allow 4-6 weeks for evals to be completed submit your request ASAP!
- Transfer courses are subject to summer term credit limits (see below for details)

## **UW Enrollment Requirements**

- Students can enroll in 1 credit per week of session, per <u>university enrollment policy</u> (some exceptions apply)
  - Example: enrolled in a 4-week summer session? You are allowed to enroll in up to 4 credits maximum
  - Exception: if you're enrolling in the 8-week general session, you may take 9 credits
- Course Search & Enroll does NOT allow you to enroll for more credits than the session limit
- Maximum summer term credit limit: 12
- Inquire with your school/college Academic Deans office to inquire about exceptions
  - Follow the <u>summer credit overload policy</u> if pursuing an exception after contacting the deans
- Credit limits apply even if you are taking courses outside of UW-Madison

# F1/J1 Student Information

Summer enrollment is generally not required for continuing students with several exceptions including:

- 1. Students pursuing <u>Summer Curricular Practical Training (CPT)</u>:
  - a. Must enroll in an internship course
    - i. DS/CS students: check out <u>STAT/CS 403 Internship Course</u> for 1 credit during the summer
      - 1. Follow the steps listed on the course website (linked above) to request enrollment in STAT 403
- 2. Students with a summer program end date:
  - a. Please visit the <u>ISS Full-Time Enrollment webpage</u> for info about your permitted summer enrollment

### Reduced Course Load Form Information for Summer 2023 Graduating Students:

- Graduating this summer? You may enroll in less than 12 credits while maintaining your visa status!
  - Compete our <u>Statistics Department RCL Qualtrics form</u> to request an RCL from your advisor
    - Once your information has been reviewed you will be contacted by your advisor and may need to schedule an appointment, provide more information, or be asked to submit your Terra Dotta form
- Complete the Reduced Course Load Form in Terra Dotta to qualify
  - Fill this out **before** spring term ends; failure to submit the form may impact refunds on courses you drop

# **Advising**

- Visit the Data Science Major website for information on:
  - Scheduling individual advising appointments with Dana or Sara
  - Attending virtual drop-in advising
- Quick questions? Send DS advisors an email!

### **Data Science Major Courses**

- Currently planned Summer classes for the DS major:
  - Foundation courses:
    - STAT 240
    - COMP SCI 220 or COMP SCI 300
    - COMP SCI 320
    - L I S 461 (both 3 credit non-Comm B and 4 credit Comm B sections are available)
  - Additional courses to consider:
    - foundational Math classes (MATH 221, MATH 222)
    - upper-level electives offered from a variety of departments such as:
      - **❖** STAT 451
      - COMP SCI 400, 524, 525, 532, 539, 540, 564, 577
      - ❖ MATH 320, 340, 341, 431, 632
      - ❖ ECON 315, 410
      - **❖** E C E 203
      - **❖** ISY E 512; 575
  - NOTE: this list is not exhaustive so please check <u>Course Search and Enroll</u> for other courses that may be taught
- Advisor recommendations: maximum 1 quantitative/coding class in summer term.
  - Planning to work or travel? Please plan ahead give yourself enough time to complete your coursework
  - Summer classes are fast-paced and there is a high work load

## **Enrollment Holds**

- View your and clear your holds in the MyUW Student Center: holds may impact your ability to enroll in fall term
  - Check occasionally between now and your enrollment appointment time!
- See step-by-step instructions for Viewing Your Holds in Student Center

As always, if you have issues preventing you from enrolling at your enrollment time (either technical or personal), please contact the Data Science advisors (<a href="mailto:dsmajor@stat.wisc.edu">dsmajor@stat.wisc.edu</a>, please include your campus ID number) as soon as possible.

Sara and Dana