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Professionals	\$ 2,500.00 MXN + IVA
Students*	\$ 1,250.00 MXN + IVA

\*Requires Student ID Card

## Invitation to EUSMEX 2018

MultiON Consulting, Stata Corp., El Colegio de Tlaxcala A.C. and Instituto Nacional de Salud Pública, invite you to participate in EUSMEX 2018 (2018 Mexican Stata Users Group meeting), which will take place on August 17-18, at Tlaxcala Mexico. This year the conference will deliver two keynote lecturers: Professor David Drukker and Professor Arnab Acharya.

Professor David Drukker is a world-renowned leader in the fields of econometrics and is the Executive Director of Econometrics at Stata Corp. He obtained a Ph.D. in Economics from the University of Texas at Austin in 2000. David spends most of his time developing new methods for Stata, managing the econometrics group at Stata, and figuring out what new econometric methods should be added to Stata. He also does research in econometrics and has recently been working on new methods for estimating the parameters of spatial-autoregressive models.

Professor Arnab Acharya is a Policy Analyst, Academic Researcher and Administrator with a Ph.D. from the University of Illinois in Economics and an MPH (Master's of Public Health) from Harvard University. In addition to research in economics and public policy, he has skills specialization in Impact Evaluation, Cost-effectives Analysis and Health Systems Analysis.

## How to participate?

EUSMEX 2018 is an international gathering where the most relevant and innovative topics in econometrics and statistics are discussed in a keynote lecture and papers selected by the scientific committee.

## Call for presentations

Prepare your abstract for the 2018 Mexican Users Stata Conference (EUSMEX 2018).

## Presentation guidelines

All users are encouraged to submit abstracts, from which a subset will be chosen for either a short (15 minutes) presentation followed by 5 minutes for questions. All submitted proposals should demonstrate theoretical rigor and a hands-on approach.

The speaker should offer good details of the methods being used and provide one or two worked-out examples that show how the model can be solved with Stata. Rather than discussing the results for a specific empirical application, the speaker should focus on the methods and their implementation in Stata.



Discussing the implementation or use of a method with a real-life application is welcome. There is no need to use real data; using simulated data is acceptable.

For examples of past presentations, view the proceedings page: <https://www.stata.com/meeting/mexico16/>

## Arrangement of EUSMEX 2018

The conference will have two discussion panels. The first one is to any topic related to Stata or relevant to Stata users. The second panel is to any topic related to Evaluation (methods and experiences with the use of Stata), with an emphasis on the evaluation of public programs & policies. For the second panel, examples of the use of Stata on the evaluation of health programs or policies are particularly encouraged.

## Submitting your presentation

1. If you would like to discuss an idea for a presentation or have questions about the program format, please contact a member of the scientific committee.
2. Please submit an abstract of no more than 200 words (ASCII text, no math symbols) using the web submission form. [www.eusmex.multion.com](http://www.eusmex.multion.com)
3. The deadline for papers is March 30 (12:00 PM Mexico City). Proposals should be sent to a member of the scientific committee indicating whether you wish to give.
4. Please include a short, informative title. In addition, if your presentation has multiple authors, please identify the presenter, for whom the conference registration fee will be waived.
5. Presenters will be asked to provide the organizers with electronic materials (a copy of the presentation and any programs or datasets, where applicable) so that the materials can be posted on the Stata Corp website and in the Stata Users Group RePEc archive.

Presentation topics related only to Stata might include the following:

- Discussion of user-written Stata programs
- Case studies of research or teaching using Stata
- Discussions of data management problems
- Reviews of analytical issues
- Surveys or critiques of Stata facilities in specific fields
- After each submission, there will be a question-and-answer session with Stata's developers.

Presentation topics related only to Evaluation might include the following:

- Discussion of user-written Stata programs for evaluation, including process evaluation, Impact Evaluation and Cost-effectives Analysis.

- Case studies of research or teaching using Stata for evaluation, including process evaluation, Impact Evaluation and Cost-effectives Analysis.
- Discussions of data management problems in Public Policy diagnostics and analysis.
- Interaction of Stata with qualitative methods for Public Policy Evaluation.

## Registration

MultION Consulting will sponsor the cost of a single registration per selected paper regardless of number of authors involved.

## Organizers

### Scientific committee:

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### Logistics organizer:

MultION Consulting S.A. de C.V., the distributor of Stata in Mexico, Belize, Argentina, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua y Panama.

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