Syllabus
for ECON 4818

MegaStat for Mac. The cost is low – around $15. When you purchase the download you may see a message that you have only about 10 days to use the downloaded software but you will actually have it for the life of your computer. You can purchase MegaStat here: http://highered.mcgraw-hill.com/sites/0077425995/information_center_view0/

We will have in-class Excel labs for which you will have to bring a laptop in order to complete the assigned Excel work. Some of the Excel labs will be targeted at improving your general Excel skills. In other labs you will practice doing statistical analysis in Excel. Your Excel work will not be graded.

In class I will regularly demonstrate regression analyses and statistical tests using Excel. I will

At the end of the semester, your contribution to the team work will be subject to <u>confidential peer evaluation</u>. Your homework score will be weighed by your teammates' evaluations.

End-of-Chapter Practice Problems:
I will post answers to the odd-number end-of-chapter problems in the textbook. You are expected to work through these problems to ensure mastery of the material. Try to do the problems without looking at the answers right away. <u>I will not collect</u> your work on these problems. These are good practice problems for the exams so you are advised to work on those problems.

Attendance and in-class participation:
I will take attendance. I will take attendance either at the beginning or at the end of class. It is your responsibility to be in class on time and to sign the attendance sheet. If you are late to class and attendance has already been taken, you can't sign the attendance sheet for that day. You are allowed to miss <u>two classes</u>. Each additional recorded absence will reduce your attendance score. <u>If you miss more than 20% of classes (6 classes) you will receive an F grade for this</u> course. These absences include both valid (sickne

Classroom Behavior:

Please turn off your laptop and your phone before the beginning of class. Please do not engage in any non course

misconduct, discrimination, harassment or related retaliation against or by any employee or student. CU's Sexual Misconduct Policy prohibits sexual assault, sexual exploitation, sexual harassment, intimate partner abuse (dating or domestic violence), stalking or related retaliation. CU Boulder's Discrimination and Harassment Policy prohibits discrimination, harassment or related retaliation based on race, color, national origin, sex, pregnancy, age, disability, creed, religion, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, veteran status, political affiliation