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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS AND ACTUARIAL SCIENCE THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG

Departmental Seminar

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will give a talk entitled

SCORE TESTS WITH INCOMPLETE COVARIATES AND HIGH-DIMENSIONAL AUXILIARY VARIABLES

Abstract

Analysis of modern biomedical data is often complicated by the presence of missing values. To improve statistical efficiency, it is desirable to make use of potentially high-dimensional observed variables to impute or predict the missing values. Although many methods have been developed for prediction using high-dimensional variables, it is challenging to perform valid inference based on the predicted values. In this presentation, we develop an association test for an outcome variable and a potentially missing covariate, where the covariate can be predicted using selected variables from a set of high-dimensional auxiliary variables. We establish the validity of the test under general model selection procedures. We demonstrate the validity of the proposed method and its advantages over existing methods through extensive simulation studies and provide an application to a major cancer genomics study.

on

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2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

via Zoom

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All interested are welcome