# CURRICULUM VITAE

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# **EDUCATION**

- Ph.D. in Statistics and Operations Research, Stern School of Business, NYU, 2000.
- M.Phil. in Statistics and Operations Research, Stern/NYU, 1995.
- M.S. in Statistics and Operations Research, Stern/NYU, 1993.
- Diploma in Mining and Metallurgical Engineering, National Technical University of Athens, Greece, 1989.

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Spatial Data (identifying "hot spots" in spatial data).
- Financial data (statistical model in finance portfolio theory, pricing of options).
- Statistics Education.

# **EMPLOYMENTS**

- Senior Continuing Lecturer, UCLA Department of Statistics, 2015-present.
- Continuing Lecturer, UCLA Department of Statistics, 2012-15.
- Lecturer, UCLA Department of Statistics, 2006-12.
- Adjunct Assistant Professor, UCLA Department of Statistics, 2000-06.
- Instructor of Statistics, Stern/NYU, 1996-00.
- Research Assistant, Stern School of Business, NYU, 1993-99.
- Teaching Assistant, Stern School of Business, NYU, 01/92-05/93, Summer 95, Fall 95.
- Computer Consultant, Stern School of Business, NYU, 09/91-08/92.
- Mining Engineer, Geoinvest, Nicosia, Cyprus, 06-12/90.
- Quarry Manager, Mitseron Quarries, Nicosia, Cyprus, 04/89-12/90.

# **TEACHING**

- 1. Statistics 403: Mathematical Statistics (MAS graduate course), UCLA, (winter 17, 18, 19, 20).
- 2. Statistics 417: Models in Finance (MAS graduate course), UCLA, (winter 18).
- 3. Statistics C183/C283: Statistical Models in Finance, UCLA, (spring 04, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, summer 13).
- 4. Statistics C173/C273: Applied Geostatistics, UCLA, (spring 08, 09, winter 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20).
- Statistics 296 (Graduate Seminar), UCLA, (winter 07,09,11,10,12,14, spring 03, 07,08,09,10,11,13, fall 07, 08, 09, 10, 11,12,13).
- 6. Statistics 199 (Research Seminar), UCLA, (fall 04, 06, 07,11, 12, 13, 16, 19, winter 05, 09, 12, 14, 18, 19, spring 05, 07, 09,10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 18, summer 14, 15, 16).
- 7. Statistics 100A: Intro to Probability Theory, UCLA, (fall 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, summer 04, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, spring 11, fall 11).

- 8. Statistics 100B: Intro to Mathematical Statistics, UCLA, (winter 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, fall 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, spring 13, summer 09, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20).
- 9. Statistics 100C: Regression and Multivariate Analysis, UCLA, (spring 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, fall 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, winter 11, summer 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20).
- 10. Statistics 189: Advanced Honors Seminar, UCLA, (fall 04, 05, spring 18).
- Statistics 110A: Applied Statistics, UCLA, (fall 00, 01, winter 01, 02, 09, summer 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09).
- 12. Statistics 195, UCLA (spring 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, winter 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, summer 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, fall 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19)
- 13. Statistics 110B: Applied Statistics, UCLA, (fall 01, winter 03).
- 14. Statistics 89: Honors Seminar, UCLA, (fall 04, 06).
- 15. Statistics 10: Intro to Statistical Reasoning, UCLA, (spring 01, 15, fall 04, 15, summer 05).
- 16. Statistics M11/Econ M40: Intro to Statistical Methods for Business and Economics, UCLA, (winter 01, spring 01).
- 17. Statistics 12: Intro to Statistical Methods for Geography and Environmental Studies, UCLA, (spring 10, summer 10).
- 18. Statistics 13: Intro to Statistical Methods for the Life and Health Sciences, UCLA, (fall 06, 07, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, winter 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 16, spring 09).
- 19. Statistics 35A: Interactive and Computational Probability, UCLA, (spring 07).
- 20. Statistics 19: Fiat Lux Freshman Seminar, UCLA, (fall 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, winter 09).
- 21. B09.2405: Data Analysis and Modeling for Managers MBA course, Stern/NYU, (fall 99).
- 22. C22.0001: Statistics for Business Control, Stern/NYU, (fall 98).
- 23. Statistics C22.0103: Statistics for Business Control and Regression and Forecasting Models, Stern/NYU, (spring 96, 97, 98).

# PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH PAPERS

- 1. **Christou**, N., Paik-Schoenberg, R., (2017), "Design of a New Course in the Undergraduate Curriculum: Analysis of Spatiotemporal Data." Research paper (work in progress).
- 2. Christou, N., (2016), "Spatial Data in Undergraduate Statistics Curriculum." *Journal of Statistics Education*: https://doi.org/10.1080/10691898.2020.1844104.
- 3. Dinov, I.D., Siegrist, K., Pearl, D., Kalinin, A., **Christou, N.** (2016), "Probability Distributome: A Web Computational Infrastructure for Exploring the Properties, Interrelations, and Applications of Univariate Probability Distributions," *Computational Statistics*, Vol. 31, Issue 2, pp. 559-577.
- 4. Christou, N., (2014) "Linear Models." Manuscript (work in progress).
- 5. Dinov, I.D., Palanimalai, S., Khare, A., **Christou, N.** (2013), "Randomization-Based Statistical Inference: A Resampling and Simulation Infrastructure," *Teaching Statistics*, Volume 40, Issue 2, 64-73.
- 6. Christou, N., (2012) "Geostatistics for Stock Market Data." Research paper (work in progress).
- 7. Christou, N., (2012) "Locating Hot Spots in Spatial Data." Research paper (work in progress).
- 8. Dinov, ID, Siegrist, K., Pearl, D., Kalinin, A., **Christou, N.** (2014), "Probability Distributome: A Web Computational Infrastructure for Exploring the Properties, Interrelations, and Applications of Univariate Probability Distributions." Research paper (submitted).
- Dinov, ID, Kamino, S, Bhakhrani, B, Christou, N. (2013) Technology-enhanced Interactive Teaching of Marginal, Joint and Conditional Probabilities: The Special Case of Bivariate Normal Distribution, Teaching Statistics, in press, DOI: 10.1111/test.12012.
- Dinov, ID, Christou, N. (2011) "Web-based tools for modelling and analysis of multivariate data: California ozone pollution activity," *International Journal of Mathematical Education in Science and Technology* (JMEST), iFIRST:1-17, DOI: 10.1080/0020739X.2011.562315.

- 11. **Christou N.**, Dinov ID. (2011) "Confidence Interval Based Parameter Estimation A New SOCR Applet and Activity", *PLoS ONE* 6(5): e19178. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0019178.
- 12. Christou, N. Review of "Statistical Methods in e-Commerce Research," by Wolfgang, J., Shmueli, G., Journal of Statistical Software, (2011), Volume 39, Book Review 1.
- Al-Aziz, J., Christou, N., Dinov, ID. (2010) "SOCR Motion Charts: An Efficient, Open-Source, Interactive and Dynamic Applet for Visualizing Longitudinal Multivariate Data," *Journal of Statistics Education*, 18(3), 1-29.
- Christou, N., Dinov, ID (2010) "A Study of Students Learning Styles, Discipline Attitudes and Knowledge Acquisition in Technology-Enhanced Probability and Statistics Education", JOLT, 6(3), 546-572, September 2010.
- 15. Diez, D., Christou, N. (2009) stockPortfolio: An R Package for Stock Portfolio Modeling and Management.
- Dinov, ID, Christou, N. (2009) "It's Online, Therefore it Exists!", SOCR Workshop Handbook (ISBN 978-0-615-30464-9).
- 17. Dinov, ID, **Christou, N.**, Gould, R., (2009) "Law of Large Numbers: The Theory, Applications and Technology-based Education," *Journal of Statistics Education*, Volume 17, Number 1.
- Dinov, ID, Christou, N. (2009) "Statistics Online Computational Resource for Education," Teaching Statistics, Vol. 31, No. 2, 49-51.
- Dinov, ID, Christou, N., Sanchez, J. (2008) "Central Limit Theorem: New SOCR Applet and Demonstration Activity," Journal of Statistics Education, Volume 16, Number 2.
- Christou, N., Dinov, I.D. (2008), "Statistics Online Computational Resource for Education: www.SOCR.ucla.edu", 2008 Hawaii International Conference on Statistics, Mathematics and Related Fields, Proceedings.
- Dinov, I.D., Christou, N., Sanchez, J. (2007) "Handbook on Continuing Statistics Education with Technology Workshop" (2007): http://repositories.cdlib.org/socr/events/SOCR\_2007\_Workshop/workshop\_handbook2007.
- 22. Christou, N., Dinov, I.D., Sanchez, J., (2007), "Enhancing the Teaching of Statistics with Technology Using the Online Computational Resource (SOCR), 2007 Proceedings of the American Statistical Association, Section on Statistics Education [CD-ROM], Alexandria, VA: American Statistical Association.
- 23. **Christou, N.** "Enhancing the Teaching of Statistics: Portfolio Theory, an Application of Statistics in Finance," *Journal of Statistics Education*, Volume 16, Number 3 (2008).
- 24. Dinov, I.D., Sanchez, J., **Christou, N.** "Pedagogical Utilization and Assessment of the Statistic Online Computational Resource in Introductory Probability and Statistics." *Computers & Education*, (http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.compedu.2006.06.003), 50 (2008), 284-300.
- 25. Dinov, I.D., Sanchez, J., **Christou**, **N.** (2006), "Pedagogical Utilization and Assessment of the Statistics Online Computational Resource in Introductory Probability and Statistics Courses, 2006 Proceedings of the American Statistical Association, Section on Statistics Education [CD-ROM], Alexandria, VA: American Statistical Association.
- 26. **Christou, N.**, Simon, G. "Spatial Regression Models Using Inter-Region Distances in a Non-Random Context," *Communications in Statistics Simulation and Computation*, Vol. 37, Issue 7 (2008).
- 27. Christou, N. Review of "Spatial Statistics and Computational Methods," by J. Moeller, *Journal of Statistical Software*, (2005), Volume 12, Book Review 3.
- 28. Christou, N. "The True R-Squared and the Truth about R-Squared II," Joint Statistical Meetings, San Francisco 2003, Proceedings.
- 29. Christou, N. "The True R-Squared and the Truth about R-Squared I," 2003 Hawaii International Conference on Statistics, Proceedings.
- 30. **Christou, N.** "Spatial Regression Models Using Inter-Region Distances in a Non-Random Context," Ph.D. thesis, Stern School of Business, New York University, *UMI Dissertation Services, Bell & Howell Information and Learning Company, Catalog Number 9948051*, (2000), 149 pages, book.
- 31. **Christou, N.** "Exploitation of the Elikonas bauxite ore deposit," (in Greek), Diploma thesis, National Technical University of Athens, Greece, (1989), 176 pages, monograph.

# GRADUATE STUDENTS

#### • MS Students Advised:

Brian Ng (2004), Kimberly Duke(2005), Demertria Gianopoulos (2005), Ohjin Kwon (2005), Kathy Kam (2006), Robert Bexton (2010), Patrick Baghdasarian (2012), Yue Chen (2012), Yuyan Hu (2012), Han Bai (2013), Yu-Ching Chen (2013), Arturo del Valle (2013), Rui Luo (2013), Feng Zhao (2013), Tania Gleason (2014), Yuan Zhou (2014), Yiyang Luo (2014), Arturo Del Valle (2014), John Murphy (2015), Arturo Ramirez (2016), Tristan Wisner (2017), Soo Woo Choi (2017), Ryan Arellano (2018).

#### • MAS Students Advised:

Jixuan Li (2018), Yasuhiro Yamaba (2020).

#### • MAS Students Committee:

Yujia Hao (2918), Qin Peng (2018), Luxi Li 92018), Siyuan Li (2018), Yuan Song (2018), Fan Ding (2018), Beichen Su (2018), Ruifu Jiang 92018), Yifan Sun (2018), Huanchen Wang (2018), Hui Zhang (2018), Yuan-Yi Chen (2018), Yueyan Gao (2019), Chang Han (2019), Yi Hu (2019), Muxin Chang (2019), Ah Sung Yang (2019), Chen Yi (2020), Shu Jiang (2020), Yichen Zhou (2020), Lumeng Chen (2020), Shaohua Xiao )(2020), Henry Jen-Hao Cheng (2020).

#### • MS Students Committee:

Sovia Lau (2004), Jamie Pompa (2005), Yang Wen (2005), Yi Zhou (2006), Kirsten Johnson (2006), John Bucci (2006), Weizhi Mo (2006), James Siu-Tak Lo (2007), Shuojun Wang (2007), Joshua Chang (2007), Yong Fu (2007), Ting Zhou (2008), Oliver Edmonds (2008), Judy Kong (2008), Rui Liu (2009), No Kang Myung (2009), Roman Semenov (2009), Angela Leung (2009), Shang Gao (2009), Hui Tang (2009), Jean Qian Wang (2009), Ran Guo (2010), Mingjie Sun (2010), Chuncui Fan (2010), Kevin Blatnik (2010), Charles Blum (2010), Darren Yu Ting Liu (2010), Ran Hao (2010), Yu Ching Chun (2011), Huang Li (2011), Fang Yan (2011), Xianting Ding (2011), Victor Louie (2011), Ye Gao (2011), Lok Hang Lam (2011), To Wang Ng (2011), Tracy Tam (2012), Chaojie Zhou (2011), Yangyi He (2011), Yuyu Su (2011), Bo Chang (2012), Anthony Howell (2012), Yuyan Hu (2012), Ling Jing (2012), Ho Yeung Michael Lam (2012), Francesco Macchia (2012), Ronald Martinez (2012), Lung Fai Ng (2012), Tracy Tam (2012), Xiaoxiao Tong (2012), Chaojie Zhou (2012), Anthony Howell (2012), Ling Jing (2012), Ho Yeung Michael Lam (2012), Xiaoxiao Tong (2012), Lung Fai Ng (2012), Kairong Wang (2013), Chen Chen (2013), Mengna Chen (2013), Joshua Gordon (2013) Jongvoon Lee (2013), Daniel Li (2013), Jia Lin Liu (2013), Xuening Liu (2013), Patrick Mccarthy (2013), Antonio Ramos (2013), Felipe Santos (2013), Peter Skipper (2013), Albert Wong (2013), Jianwen Xie (2013), Kevin Yin (2013), Victor Ying (2013), Daniel Lim (2013), Chenhui Wang (2014), Yuxi Zhou (2014), Alex Steiner (2014), Peter Skipper (2014), Jianwen Xie (2014), Yuan Zhou (2014), Yuxi Zhou (2014), Alexa Beylor (2015), Jia He (2015), Peng Huang (2015), Mengxin Tan (2015), Jiaming Wang (2015), Xinyue Wang (2015), Qiang Zhang (2015), Weikang Fan (2016), Xiaochen Lian (2016), Yiyang Luo (2016), Luis Sosa (2016), Xiaoxu, Wu (2016), Zsuzsanna Magyar (2017), Sibo Yan (2017), Brice Randolph (2017), Adam Chaffee (2017), Alex Krebs (2017), Jason Sopheap Tun (2018), George Derpanopoulos (2018), Woong Bae Kim (2018), Jeffrey Chao (2018), Maxim Ananyev (2018), Minxuan Xu (2018), Yue Fei (2020), Pengfei Wang (2020).

### **PRESENTATIONS**

- 1. Presentation at Edward Roybal Learning Center (LAUSD high school), November 2019.
- 2. Presentation at Edward Roybal Learning Center (LAUSD high school), May 2019.
- 3. Presentation at Edward Roybal Learning Center (LAUSD high school), February 2018.
- 4. Presentation at Edward Roybal Learning Center (LAUSD high school), 13 October 2016.
- 5. Presentation at Edward Roybal Learning Center (LAUSD high school), 15 October 2015.
- 6. Presentation at Edward Roybal Learning Center (LAUSD high school), 05 November 2014.
- 7. Presentation at Edward Roybal Learning Center (LAUSD high school), 25 January 2013.
- 8. LAUSD teachers training on probability and statistics, UCLA, 19 October 2013.
- 9. Los Angeles Meetup Group GRASS, R, Spatial Data, UCLA, 15 February, 2011.
- 10. R in Finance, University of Illinois, Chicago, 16-17 April 2010.

- 11. Los Angeles R User Meetup, UCLA, September 2010.
- 12. Bruin Academic Experience, UCLA, 16 October 2010.
- 13. SOCR Continuing Education Workshop, UCLA, 13 August 2010.
- 14. Joint Statistical Meetings, Vancouver, BC, Canada, 2010.
- 15. MERLOT International Conference, San Jose, CA 2010.
- 16. 57<sup>th</sup> Session of the International Statistical Institute (ISI), Durban, South Africa, 2009.
- 17. SOCR Continuing Education Workshop, UCLA, 10-12 August 2009.
- 18. Joint Statistical Meetings, Washington, DC, 2009.
- 19. MERLOT International Conference, Minneapolis, MN, 2008.
- 20. Joint Statistical Meetings, Denver, 2008.
- 21. 7<sub>th</sub> Annual Hawaii International Conference on Statistics, Mathematics and Related Fields, Hawaii, 2008.
- 22. 56<sub>th</sub> Session of the International Statistical Institute (ISI), Lisbon, Portugal, 2007.
- 23. MERLOT International Conference, New Orleans, LA, 2007.
- 24. SOCR Workshop, UCLA, 6-8 August 2007.
- 25. Joint Statistical Meetings, Salt Lake City, 2007.
- 26. USCOTS, Columbus, 2007
- 27. University of Cyprus, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Demonstration and Assessment of the Statistics Online Computational Resource (SOCR), Nicosia, Cyprus, 2006..
- 28. Professor in the Union Program, UCLA, June 2004, "The Olympic Games: From Antiquity to Modern Times."
- 29. Joint Statistical Meetings, San Francisco, 2003.
- 30. Hawaii International Conference on Statistics and Related Fields, Hawaii, 2003.
- 31. UCLA Department of Statistics, 2000.
- 32. National Economic Research Associates Inc., Consulting Firm, New York, 2000.
- 33. Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, Department of Mathematics, 2000.
- 34. University of Northern Colorado, ASMR Department, School of Education, 2000.
- 35. University of Miami, Coral Gables, Department of Management Science, 2000.
- 36. Drew University, Department of Mathematics / Computer Science 2000.
- 37. Cornell University, Department of Statistical Science, 1999.
- 38. State University of New York, New Paltz, School of Business, 1999.
- 39. NYU, Stern School of Business, Department of Statistics, 1997.
- 40. SPRUCE IV International Conference, Enschede, The Netherlands, 1997.
- 41. NYU, Stern School of Business, Department of Statistics, 1996.

### SYNERGISTIC ACTIVITIES

- Participated at UCLA Fall 2020 Teaching Forum: Leaning into Remote Teaching, co-sponsored by CEILS, CAT, and EPIC.
- Participated at UCLA/HHMI (Howard Hughes Medical Institute) Institute for Inclusive Education workshop, 02/27/20-02/29/20.
- Participated at Peer-Assisted Reflections on Student Learning (PAROSL), organized by CAT, CEILS, CRESST, and EPIC, Fall 2019.
- Grant recipient, 2018-19 Mathematical Association of America, Dolciani Mathematics Enrichment Grants.
  Project title: "Mathematical Data Science for High School Students: A University Experience."
- UCLA Department of Statistics Liaison, Exploring Your Universe (EYU) outreach event for the Division of Physical Sciences, fall 17, 18, 19, 20.

- Participated at "Major Blast" at UCLA, fall 17, 18, 19.
- Participated at Physical Sciences event for incoming freshmen and first year transfer students, "How To Thrive in the Sciences at UCLA and Beyond," fall 17, 18, 19, 20.
- Participated at CEILS workshop "2017 Faculty Workshop on Best Practices in Teaching," fall 17, 18, 19.
- Participated at CEILS symposium, Exploring Practical Ways to Incentivize and Reward Teaching Effectiveness and Instructional Innovation, spring 18
- Chair, Non Senate Faculty Professional Development Award Selection Committee, 2015-16.
- Member, Faculty Committee on Educational Technology (FCET): 2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15.
- MS admissions committee/Assist admissions committee: 2013-present.
- Statistics Club advisor 2005-present.
- Bruin Day (a welcome event for prospective students): 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020.
- UCLA Bruin Transfer Day (a welcome event for prospective transfer students): 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020.
- Outreach visit to and from local high schools in Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD): 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019.
- Participant in Success in Science Seminar for recruiting underrepresented minorities, 2015.
- Participated in College Commencement: 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019.
- Participated in all Department's commencement ceremonies from 2001-present.
- Participated in UCLA Alumni Day: 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017.
- Co-Director: Statistics Online Computational Resource (SOCR http://www.socr.ucla.edu).
- American Statistical Association, Members Initiative grant recipient (2012).
- Journal of Environmental Statistics, http://www.jenvstat.org/, Founding Editor (with Rick Paik-Schoenberg),
  January 2009 to present.
- Honorary Member, Golden Key International Honour Society, UCLA Chapter, Since April 2004.
- Nominated for the UCLA 2009-10 UCLA Distinguished Lecturer Award.
- Award recipient, 2007-08 Brian P. Copenhaver Award for Innovation in Teaching with Technology, UCLA.
- Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Grant (0716055), 2007-11, (http://www.nsf.gov/awardsearch/showAward.do?AwardNumber=0716055).
- Center of Environmental Statistics, UCLA Department of Statistics.
- Nominated for the 2003-04 Brian P. Copenhaver Award for Innovation in Teaching with Technology.
- NYU Outstanding Teaching Award (1995-96, 1996-97).
- Edward Deming Fellowship in Statistics, Stern/NYU, Fall 1996.
- Elected Ph.D. Student Representative, Stern/NYU, 1994-95 and 1995-96.

### CONSULTING

- TNS Media Intelligence, Los Angeles, CA (Fall 2003).
- Silver and Baryte Ores Mining Co. SA, Athens, Greece, Fall 2003.
- Speech and Language Pathology and Audiology, NYU, (Spring 2000).
- Consultant, Mandee Annie sez, Retail Clothing, New York, NY (Fall 1995).

### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

- Member of the American Statistical Association.
- Member of the Society for Mining, Metallurgy, and Exploration (USA).
- Member of the Cyprus Association of Geologists and Mining Engineers.
- Member of the Technical Chambers of Cyprus.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- 1. Reviewer of several textbooks and journal papers in statistics and probability theory.
- 2. Computer languages: Fortran, R, Stata, SAS, Latex, GRASS, and other statistical packages and spreadsheets.
- 3. Military Service, Cyprus Army Armored Corps, Second Lieutenant 1981-83.
- 4. Fluent in Greek.
- 5. Marathon runner.

# REFERENCES

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- Rick Paik Schoenberg, Professor, UCLA Department of Statistics, 8125 Math Science Bldg., Los Angeles, CA 90095, frederic@stat.ucla.edu.
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- Bikas Sinha, Retired Professor of Statistics, Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata, India.