

## COURSE DETAIL

### INFORMATION THEORY FOR DATA SCIENCE

**Country**

Korea, South

**Host Institution**

Yonsei University

**Program(s)**

Yonsei University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Statistics

**UCEAP Course Number**

109

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

INFORMATION THEORY FOR DATA SCIENCE

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

INFO THRY/DATA SCI

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

This course covers basic concepts of information theory, and discusses how these concepts are used in machine learning and data science. The first part of the course introduces various information-theoretic quantities including Entropy, Mutual Information, KL-divergence, and provides two main components of information theory: source coding and channel coding. The second part covers how information theory is used in machine learning and data science. Topics include various applications including recommendation systems, supervised learning, generative models, neural network compression, and distributed machine learning.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

STA4122

### Host Institution Course Title

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### Host Institution Course Details

<https://portal.yonsei.ac.kr/ui/index.html>

### Host Institution Campus

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

### Course Last Reviewed

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