Economics 240B, Second Half, 1999 GSI: Tiago Ribeiro

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# COURSE OUTLINE AND SYLLABUS

#### **Textbooks:**

William Greene, *Econometric Analysis*, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition Daniel McFadden, *Reader*, available from Copy Central or at class website (PDF file)

## Oct. 19-21. Discrete Response Models

Greene, Chap. 19.1-19.4, 19.6-19.7,20 and McFadden, Chap. 1

#### Oct. 26-28. Sampling and Selection

McFadden, Chap. 2

### Nov. 2-4. Generalized Method of Moments (GMM)

Greene, Chap. 10,11 and McFadden, Chap 3

#### Nov. 9-11. Instrumental Variables

Greene, Chap 9, especially 9.5 and McFadden, Chap. 4

### Nov. 16-23. Systems of Equations and Simultaneous Equations

Greene, Chap. 14, 15, 16 and McFadden, Chap. 5, 6

#### Nov. 30-Dec. 3. Robust Methods.

McFadden, Chap. 7

**Final Examination, Tuesday, December 14, 12:30-3:30, open notes**. The exam will be designed to be written in 90 minutes, but you can use up to the full three hours if needed.

Your grade in the two halves of the course will be averaged. The second half grade will be based on five problem sets (50%) and your final exam grade (50%).