



## Special Topics Course in Pharmacometric Methods

September 21st-22nd, 2022

### Workshop Overview

This intermediate-level pharmacometric training workshop has been designed to provide in-depth coverage of material beyond that which is included in a typical introductory workshop on non-linear mixed effects modeling / population methods. Each topic will be presented from both a theoretical and practical perspective, with a high-level introduction to the topic and then more detailed material and code examples included where possible (depending on the topic, code will be provided using NONMEM, Monolix, or R).

### Learning Objectives

Topics will include but are not limited to the following:

- Covariance Terms
- Residual Variability: coding and interpretation for a variety of models
- Methods for handling data below the limit of quantitation
- Mixture Modeling
- Overview of modeling categorical endpoint data
- Time-to-event modeling

### Course Instruction

Course instructors will include experienced pharmacometricians from the Cognigen division of Simulations Plus.

### Agenda (all times are Eastern Standard Time)

#### Wednesday

- 11:00 - 11:15 **Welcome and Introduction to the Workshop**  
11:15 - 12:15 **Including Covariance Terms of the OMEGA Matrix: Why, When and How**  
12:15 - 12:30 Screen Break (15 min)  
12:30 - 13:45 **Coding, Interpreting and Diagnosing the Appropriateness of Residual Variability Error Models**  
13:45 - 14:45 **Methods for Handling Data Below the Limit of Quantitation**  
14:45 - 15:00 **Discussion and Open Q&A**

#### Thursday

- 11:00 - 11:05 **Intro and Follow-up Questions**  
11:05 - 12:05 **Mixture Modeling**  
12:05 - 12:20 Screen Break (15 min)  
12:20 - 14:05 **Overview of Methods for Modeling Categorical Endpoint Data**  
14:05 - 15:05 **Time-to-Event Modeling**  
15:05 - 15:15 **Discussion and Concluding Q&A**

### Virtual Platform/Requirements

The course will be delivered remotely via the Microsoft Teams platform over a proposed schedule of two half-days. In addition to a moderated chat stream for use during the live lectures, each lecture topic will include time for Q&A with the presenter. The chat stream will be provided to all participants following the course. Attendees are requested to mute their lines and turn off cameras during lectures but are encouraged to unmute and turn on cameras during discussions, Q&A, and breaks.



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