

# Boris Garbuzov

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## PROFILE HIGHLIGHTS

- **Ph.D. Statistics, data science instructor.** Specialization in time-series analysis.
- **Programming for Data Science** R, Stata, Excel, MatLab, Python. AWS, Azure, Colab. Keras, TensorFlow. Earned SAS base certificate CWJMPT1K2E4E1XKK.
- **Statistics and Machine Learning:** Time series, ARIMA, GARCH, logistic regression, SVM, decision trees, ensembles, clustering, hypothesis testing, classification, generalized linear models, experimental design, sampling
- **Data Visualization:** Dashboards with Tableau, PowerBI, ggplot2, matplotlib, plotly.
- **General programming:** Java, XML, JUnit, PostgreSQL, Git.
- **Site:** <https://borisgarbuzov.github.io>

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Data Science Instructor** Aug 2020 - Present  
*Schulich School of Business, York University*

- Lectures in neural networks and machine learning, using Python, R, Azure, Colab, GitHub.
- Student consulting teams supervision: OPG - OCR using CV2, Tesseract, EasyOCR. Cineplex - association rules using arules. Government of Canada (ISED) - Twitter REST API using requests. Web scraping using beautiful soup, selenium. Suncor - dashboards using Tableau, PowerBI. Rithnik - time series geo data using Grafana, InfluxDB.

**Teaching/Research Assistant** (part-time, while a graduate student) Sep 2009 - Jul 2020  
*U of Toronto, Western U, Simon Fraser U, Canada*

- Tutorials in math, statistics, and economics courses. Research and computations in R, Python, Stata, SPSS, Eviews and MatLab, using AWS machines. Continuous Integration of testthat unit tests in a Docker container.

**Assistant Statistical Methodologist** (on co-op term) May 2013 - Aug 2013  
*Business Survey Methodology Department, Statistics Canada, Ottawa, ON, Canada*

- SEVANI package, variance estimation due to imputation, SAS and SQL unit testing and benchmarking code

**Junior Java Programmer / Unit Tester** Mar 2002 - Aug 2004  
*Bluestream, BC, Canada*

- Java unit tests, 200 test cases, Ant, JUnit, XML, low level database engine development, web-statistics, class design

## EDUCATION

**Ph.D., Statistics, defended on 28 May 2020** Sep 2014 - Present  
*University of Toronto, Toronto, ON, Canada*

- Thesis "Second order inference for locally-stationary time series". Implementation in R and Python.

**Master of Statistics and Actuarial Science** Sep 2013 - Aug 2014  
*Western University, London, ON, Canada*

- Courses on survival analysis, risk management, GLM. Project on clinical trials for pharmacological products.

**Master of Economics** Sep 2009 - Aug 2011  
*Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, BC, Canada*

- Courses in micro and macro-economics, game theory, finance and econometrics. Programming in Stata.

**Bachelor of Business Administration, Finance, minor in Mathematics** Sep 2004 - Aug 2009  
*Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, BC, Canada*

- Recommendation system data mining project in text analysis.