



Statistical Training Courses

Testimonials from our clients

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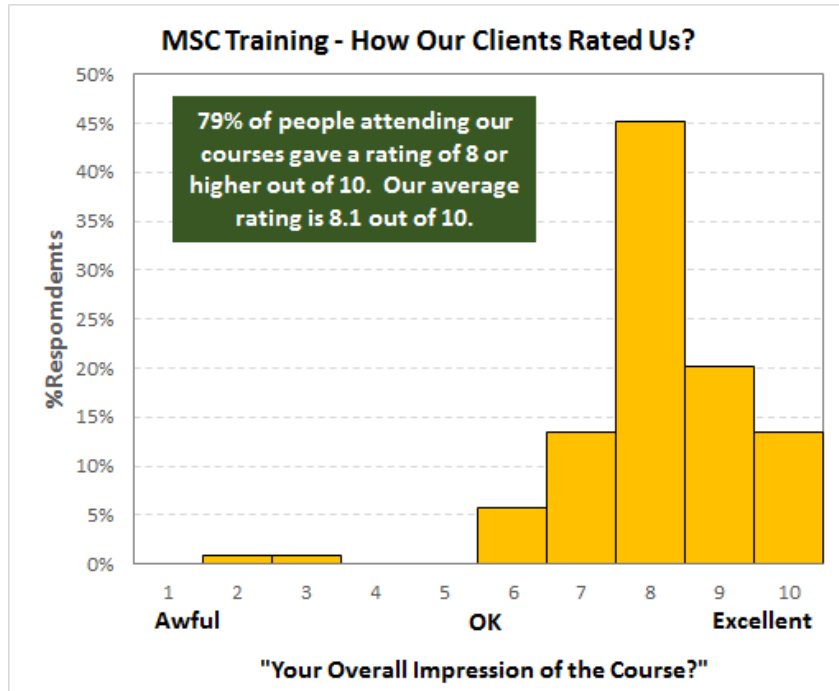
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1: Quantitative Feedback from those attending our courses

At the end of every course we ask those attending to complete a feedback form. We ask for a mixture of comments and quantitative scores. Our overall rating to date is shown in the chart below.



Other ratings show that our clients believe that our courses cover the right number of topics to the correct level of detail and that there ample time for questions. At first sight, the fact that 20% of our clients would like more time to explore the theory and practice our exercises might seem like bad news. However

when we look at the comments made by these people, it is clear our training is inspiring them to think about statistics in ways they would never have thought of and they want more time to explore these new ideas further. Clearly if our clients had unlimited budgets we would happily give them that extra time!

2: Named Testimonials

We are very grateful for all of these people allowing their names to be used alongside their comments.

"The practical examples using cards and dice will stick in the memory. It also added the fun to what could be a boring subject", Brian Newton, Print-Creative

"Very impressed by Nigel's energy and relaxed style of presentation", Paul Lewis, ICON Business Solutions

"Very good, excellent balance, Nigel is obviously a statistical genius but has the rare ability to listen and answer", Jo Francis-Pope, Appoint Recruitment

"Excellent teaching methods – the best way to make what could be a very boring topic interesting", James Harrison, Research Officer Intern, Worcestershire County Council

"It doesn't get bogged down in mathematical formulae but instead concentrates on teaching you when to use a particular method or test", Kim Elliott, Research Officer, Worcestershire County Council

"The course was very interesting. The case studies used were relevant and can be referred to in our own line of work", Emma Whitefield, Performance Analyst, Devon and Somerset Fire & Rescue Service

"Really useful statistical concepts applied to current, relevant & real life examples", Adrian Burgess, Planning & Performance Manager, Devon & Cornwall Police

“Very good class discussion often describing and contextualising police related issues”, Jonathan Borrett, Strategic Analyst, Devon & Cornwall Police

“Good handouts, friendly manner, good group discussion”, Sharon Moon, Health & Safety Executive

“Very relevant, pitched at the right level, would recommend”, James Brennan, Statistician, Department of Business, Innovation & Skills

“Excellent coverage of a complex subject with great practical examples”, James Scorey, Strategy & Planning Officer, International Baccalaureate

“The hands-on nature of the course, applied analysis with real data, the clear explanation of concepts which have previously seemed impenetrable. Very good levels of participation”, Mark Fransham, Social Research Officer, Oxford City Council

3: Anonymised Testimonials

Many of our clients have a policy of keeping testimonials anonymous. We will always respect such policies which is why no names appear on the following quotes.

“Thoroughly enjoyed the day and it has helped me think in new ways about the data I interpret”, Research Officer, Camden London Borough Council

“It was one of the most interesting training courses I have been on”, Research Officer, Camden London Borough Council

“Very well organised. Good variety and case studies. Better than other courses I have attended”, Statistical Analyst, Department of Communities & Local Government

“It did exactly what it said it would, it was interesting and interactive and used data relevant to our work”, Housing Researcher, Department of Communities & Local Government

“The course is really good fun which is not always the case when it comes to learning about statistics! If you want to get your head around statistical variances and P-value, demonstrated with wine, cheese and a pack of playing cards, then this is the course for you”, Non-governmental organisation, United Kingdom

“The method of teaching and explaining was very effective. I particularly liked the element of repetition. Nigel's explanations were very clear and informative”, Non-governmental organisation, United Kingdom

“Nigel was enthusiastic, well informed and very much knew his subject”, Financial Institution, United Kingdom

“The theoretical/classroom based teaching was excellent”, Financial Institution, United Kingdom

“Entertaining, Insightful, Informative”, Government Agency, North England