

QUANTITATIVE METHODS



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QMSS provides intensive training in quantitative methods for the study of linguistic and cultural evolution.

WHERE

8th-14th May 2017

WHEN

Max Planck Institute for the Science of Human History
Jena, Germany

FOR

The QMSS is for postgraduate and early-career researchers studying linguistic and cultural evolution and the sciences of human history.

LEARN

Software pipelines + databases, statistical thinking, phylogenetic tree inference, comparative methods, integrating data from different disciplines, and asking good research questions.

DO

Five days of residential training in a range of methods from expert tutors. You'll cover theoretical and conceptual material, do hands-on practical exercises using R, and get expert feedback on your own research.

HOW TO APPLY

Places are competitive by application and limited to 15 students.
All your on-site accommodation and economy travel will be covered.

Download and submit the application at www.shh.mpg.de/qmss

In the application, you need to provide a one-page outline of your proposed or current research and detail how the QMSS will benefit your projects.

Applications close January 20th 2017. Successful students will be notified early February.