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Inline resources	<p>Moodle website of the class : LSTAT2450 - Statistical learning. Estimation, selection and inference.  <a href="https://moodleucl.uclouvain.be/course/view.php?id=14890">https://moodleucl.uclouvain.be/course/view.php?id=14890</a></p>
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Faculty or entity in charge	LSBA

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)				
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes
Master [120] in Statistics: Biostatistics	BSTA2M	5		
Master [120] in Mathematics	MATH2M	5		
Master [120] in Statistics: General	STAT2M	5		
Master [120] in Data Science Engineering	DATE2M	5		
Certificat d'université : Statistique et science des données (15/30 crédits)	STAT2FC	5		
Master [120] in Data Science: Information Technology	DATI2M	5		