

Edinburgh SPM Course 2011 11th-14th April





This four-day course (11th – 14th April, 2011) offers comprehensive coverage of all MRI-related aspects of SPM. Days 1 and 2 are aimed at beginners with little or no SPM experience, and will cover all the basic analysis steps from spatial preprocessing to statistical analysis with the General Linear Model and data visualization and presentation. We offer practical sessions with 1 computer per participant and lots of time to learn how to use SPM. Days 3 and 4 are aimed at a more advanced audience, with topics ranging from new Bayesian analysis methods and multivariate pattern classification and effective connectivity analysis to SPM programming and integration using Nipype. Both parts of the course can be booked separately or as a whole.

Venue: George Square, Edinburgh, Scotland, UK.

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More information and registration @ http://www.sinapse.ac.uk/SPM/spm course home.html

Monday, 11 th April	Tuesday, 12 th April	Wednesday, 13 th April	Tuesday, 14 th April
Lectures:	Lectures:	Lectures:	Lectures:
- Preprocessing of fMRI data	 Statistical Inference 	- Bayesian inference	- Advanced experimental designs
- General Linear Model	- Random effects analysis	- Multivariate Bayes	- Covariance components
- Model estimation	 Multiple comparisons 	 Connectivity analyses 	- Pattern classification
	- Data Visualisation	- Dynamic Causal Modelling	- Deformation-/Voxel-based
	- Experimental Design		Morphometry
Practical:	Practical:	Workshop: Advanced design, VBM,	Workshop: Advanced design, VBM,
Data pre-precessing	Statistical analyses	DCM, MVPA, Bayesian inference,	DCM, MVPA, Bayesian inference,
		SPM Programming, Integration with	SPM Programming, Integration with
		Nipype, etc	Nipype, etc

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