# **Reference group meeting TMA4267 Linear statistical methods**

**Location:** Room 738, SBII, NTNU Gløshaugen **Date:** January 26<sup>th</sup> 2017

**Time and duration:** 4 p.m. -5 p.m.

**Present:** Lecturer Mette Langaas, teaching assistant Jacob Skauvold (Only present first 15 minutes), Emma Skarstein (BMAT), Elisabeth Hetlelid (MTFYMA), Jens Andreas Teigland Holck (MTFYMA) and Gina Magnussen (MTFYMA).

## 1) Plan for the course:

- Good partitioning of the curriculum into clear parts.
- Smart with compulsory exercises after each part (Will make students work more evenly throughout the course.).
- Repetition/summary of the curriculum in week 17.

### 2) Deadlines:

- Deadline for compulsory exercise 4 can be discussed (Today the deadline is set to April 28<sup>th</sup> 2017).

### **3)** Feedback from students:

- Course/lectures:
  - Topics are presented in a clear and understandable way
  - Level of lectures OK
  - Good with review of previous known material
  - Use of iPad OK

If material is added to the classnotes after the lectures, this will be written in the table where the notes are published in BlackBoard.

- Teaching material:
  - Härdle & Simar: Summary after each section is a plus.
- Exercises:
  - Recommended exercises a bit too difficult? Advised to do recommended exercises before doing compulsory exercises.
  - LF ok or more thorough explanations? Want feedback.

Compulsory exercises must be delivered to be allowed to take the exam.

- BlackBoard: Ok so far. Discussed pros and cons for open wiki-pages vs. BlackBoard.

#### 4) Other:

- Padlets: One for matrix algebra and one for each of the four parts of the curriculum. (Can be found in BlackBoard)
- Want to make Pencast for additional material that is not covered in the lectures.