



Congratulations from your Programme Director!

I am [Kostas Kalogeropoulos](#), Programme Director for the [MSc Statistics](#) and [MSc Statistics \(Research\)](#) Programmes at [London School of Economics and Political Science](#). We are delighted to have offered you a place on our programme and we very much hope that you will be able to join us in September.

We would be very grateful if you could let us know your intentions by filling in the [Offer Reply Form](#) at your earliest convenience.

#### **Why should you join the MSc Statistics or MSc Statistics (Research) Programme at LSE?**

- Our campus is in the heart of London, one of the world's most historic cities and the origin of modern statistics.
- The [Department of Statistics](#) is home to internationally respected experts in statistics and data science, who will be your teachers and supervisors.
- The programmes offer a compulsory course on statistical inference to provide you with a solid foundation for studying statistics.
- The programmes also provide wide choices of theoretical and applied courses so that you can tailor the choice according to your interests. These courses cover statistical modelling and data analysis, data science and machine learning, probability and mathematics, and economics.
- The Department organises many social events, through which you will enjoy the city of London and make new friends.
- The programme will not only provide you with advanced training in theory and application of modern statistical methods, but also transferable skills such as teamwork, oral and written communication, and problem-solving skills.
- The training and reputation of the programmes - as well as LSE's location - will increase your chance of finding jobs in relevant sectors, such as finance and banking, information technology, business and marketing, education, and the pharmaceutical industry in London, as well as other places in the world.
- With the solid training from the programme, you may also consider pursuing a PhD degree in statistics and related fields and become a quantitative researcher.

#### **What are your next steps?**

- **Accept your offer:** Fill in the [Offer Reply Form](#) and financial undertaking form within 6 weeks of receiving your offer, if possible. Further details can be found on the [Offer Holders](#)

[webpages](#). If you have questions about your application or the conditions of your offer, please direct them to the [Graduate Admissions Team](#).

- **Read the Graduate Admissions Offer Pack:** Alongside the [Knowledge Base](#), the [Offer Pack](#) is your go-to resources for frequently asked questions about admission timelines, your offer, accommodation, scholarships and financial support and much more.
- **Join our LSE Statistics Community:** follow our [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#) accounts and keep up to date via our [News](#) webpage.

I hope the reasons outlined help you to make the decision to join us at LSE, but if you have any further queries then you are of course welcome to contact me at [k.kalogeropoulos@lse.ac.uk](mailto:k.kalogeropoulos@lse.ac.uk).

I look forward to talking to you more in the future.

Best wishes,

Kostas Kalogeropoulos

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