Automated Content Analysis for Social Science

University of Kentucky, March 9, Wednesday

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm, President's Room, Singletary Center

Daniel Hopkins (Political Scientist, Georgetown), co-author (with Gary King, Harvard) of a nonparametric method of automated content analysis of digitized text. Article is linked here.

Digitized text is everywhere, yet hand coding thousands of blogs, speeches, government records, newspapers, and other sources of unstructured text is infeasible. Professor Hopkins is co-author of a method of automatic content analysis for social scientists. He will illustrate his method with a variety of data sets, and make the software available for easy use.

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