

## Questionnaire

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#### Welcome to the IPSDS Online Admission Form

Please answer the following questions and fill in the necessary information.

#### PLEASE NOTE:

For complete application, you must

1. fill out and **submit this form** AND
2. **send in all required application documents** via e-mail to [ipsds@uni-mannheim.de](mailto:ipsds@uni-mannheim.de) **by January 22, 2018, midnight (CET)**.

The list of required documents can be found on our [website](#).

If you have any questions concerning this form or the application process, please contact us via e-mail [ipsds@uni-mannheim.de](mailto:ipsds@uni-mannheim.de).

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### 2 I Personal Information Form

#### Personal Information

Positions marked with an \* are mandatory.

\*Last name:

\*First Name:

#### Citizenship

- Please select-

  - Afghanistan
  - Albania
  - Algeria
  - Andorra
  - Angola
  - Antigua and Barbuda
  - Argentina
  - Armenia
  - Australia
  - Austria
  - Azerbaijan
  - Bahamas
  - Bahrain
  - Bangladesh
  - Barbados
  - Belarus
  - Belgium
  - Belize
  - Benin
  - Bhutan
  - Bolivia, Plurinational State of
  - Bosnia and Herzegovina
  - Botswana
  - Brazil
  - Brunei Darussalam
  - Bulgaria
  - Burkina Faso
  - Burundi
  - Cambodia
  - Cameroon
  - Canada
  - Cabo Verde
  - Central African Republic
  - Chad
  - Chile
  - China
  - Colombia
  - Comoros
  - Congo
  - Congo, the Democratic Republic
  - Costa Rica
  - Côte d'Ivoire
  - Croatia
  - Cuba
  - Cyprus
  - Czech Republic
  - Denmark
  - Djibouti
  - Dominica
  - Dominican Republic
  - Ecuador
  - Egypt
  - El Salvador
  - Equatorial Guinea
  - Eritrea
  - Estonia

Estonia  
Ethiopia  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Holy See (Vatican City State)  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran, Islamic Republic of  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Republic of  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyzstan  
Lao People's Democratic Republic  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Islands  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia, Federated States of  
Moldova, Republic of  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Montenegro  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Myanmar  
Namibia  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Palestine, State of  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Federation  
Rwanda  
Saint Kitts and Nevis  
Saint Lucia  
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines  
Samoa

San Marino  
 Sao Tome and Principe  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Serbia  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovakia  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Islands  
 Somalia  
 South Africa  
 South Sudan  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Republic  
 Taiwan, Province of China  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania, United Republic of  
 Thailand  
 Timor-Leste  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad and Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Tuvalu  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of  
 Viet Nam  
 Western Sahara  
 Yemen  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

**Permanent Address**

Positions marked with an \* are mandatory.

\*Street

\*Number

\*City

\*Postal Code

State/Province

**Country of Residence\* (Permanent Address)**

Positions marked with an \* are mandatory.

-Please select-  
 Afghanistan  
 Albania  
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 Bhutan  
 Bolivia, Plurinational State of  
 Bosnia and Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Brunei Darussalam

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Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
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Côte d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Republic  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Republic  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Holy See (Vatican City State)  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran, Islamic Republic of  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Republic of  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyzstan  
Lao People's Democratic Republic  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Islands  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia, Federated States of  
Moldova, Republic of  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Montenegro  
Morocco

Mozambique  
Myanmar  
Namibia  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Palestine, State of  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
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Saint Vincent and the Grenadines  
Samoa  
San Marino  
Sao Tome and Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Serbia  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovakia  
Slovenia  
Solomon Islands  
Somalia  
South Africa  
South Sudan  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Republic  
Taiwan, Province of China  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania, United Republic of  
Thailand  
Timor-Leste  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad and Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of  
Viet Nam  
Western Sahara  
Yemen  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

**Time Zone**

UTC

- Please select -
- +13 (TKT/TOT/WST)
- +12 (FJT/GILT/IDLE/MHT/ANAT/
- +11:30 (NFT)
- +11 (NCT/PONT/GBT/VUT)
- +10 (AEST/CHST/CHUT/VLAT/PG
- +9:30 (ACST)
- +9 (TLT/EITJST/KST/PWT/YAKT)
- +8 (AWST/BNT/CIT/CST/IRKT/M
- +7 (CXT/ICT/HOVT/KRAT/WIT)
- +6:30 (CCT/MMT)
- +6 (KGT/BDT/BTT/OMST/QYZT)
- +5:45 (NPT)
- +5:30 (IST)
- +5 (AQT/MVT/PKT/TJT/TMT/UZ
- +4:30 (AFT)
- +4 (AMT/AZT/GET/GST/MUT/RE
- +3 (AST/EAT/FET/MSK/IRST)
- +2 (EET/IST/USZ1/SAST)
- +1 (CET/WAT)
- +0 (GMT/WET)
- 1 (AZOT/CVT/EGT)
- 2 (FNT)
- 3 (ART/BRT/GFT/PMST/SRT/UY
- 3:30 (NST)
- 4 (AMT/AST/BOT/CLT/FKT/GYT/
- 4:30 (VET)
- 5 (ACT/COT/EST/ECT/PET)
- 6 (CST)
- 7 (MST)
- 8 (PST)
- 9 (AKST)
- 10 (CKT/HST/TAHT))
- 11 (NUT)
- 12 (IDLW)

**Contact**

Positions marked with an \* are mandatory.

Home Phone:

Mobile Phone:

\*E-Mail:

**How much time on average will you be able to dedicate to program-related work?**

Please estimate hours per week in whole numbers.

hours per week

**Are you currently employed and/or studying?**

If currently employed, employer:

If currently employed, position:

If currently employed, short job description:

If currently student, university:

If currently student, type and field of degree pursued:

**3 II Academic and Professional Background**

**Academic Degrees**

Please fill in the information about your academic degrees **starting with the earliest**.

	Type of Degree (e.g. BA, MSc, PhD):	Field of Degree (e.g. Sociology, Statistics):	Year degree obtained; YYYY (e.g. 1985, 2002):	Unive
1st Academic Degree	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
2nd Academic Degree	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3rd Academic Degree	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
4th Academic Degree	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
5th Academic Degree	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**Work Experience**

Please fill in information about your professional experience, **starting with the earliest.**

	<b>Employer:</b>	<b>Position:</b>	<b>From MM/YYYY (e.g. 05/1999, 12/2002):</b>	<b>Until MM/12</b>
Employment 1	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Employment 2	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Employment 3	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Employment 4	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Employment 5	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Employment 6	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**4 III Self Assessment**

**Self Assessment**

To better understand the diverse background of our applicants and their needs, we would ask you to rate your own knowledge and experience along the following. This information will help us in supporting you in your application and during the program. This is not a test.

**English Proficiency\***

Positions marked with an \* are mandatory.

	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Poor</b>
English reading comprehension	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
English writing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
English conversation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**Experience with Statistical/Mathematical Methods**

	<b>A lot experience</b>	<b>Some experience</b>	<b>A little experience</b>	<b>No experience</b>
Linear Algebra	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Descriptive Statistics	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Inferential Statistics	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Regression (ANOVA, Linear Regression, Logistic Regression)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Structural Equation Modelling	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**Software and Programming Experience**

	<b>A lot experience</b>	<b>Some experience</b>	<b>A little experience</b>	<b>No experience</b>
Office Software (e.g., Word, Excel, PowerPoint)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
SPSS	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
SAS	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Stata	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
MPlus	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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SQL	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Python	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
LaTeX	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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**General Computer Skills and Online Competence**

	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Poor</b>
General Computer Usage (e.g., storing files, folder management)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
General Browser Usage (e.g., downloading and uploading files, allowing Plugins)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
General Software Usage (e.g., installing software, configuration of software using normal user interface)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
General Hardware Usage (e.g., installing a microphone or webcam, configuration of microphone/webcam using normal user interface/user software)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Online Video Chat Platforms (e.g., Skype, Google Hangout)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**5 IV Checklist for a Complete Application**

**Application Documents**

Please make sure to send in all required documents. Use the checkboxes to confirm you have prepared the documents for your application. Documents marked with an \* are mandatory.

All required documents are to be sent as PDFs via e-mail to [ipsds@uni-mannheim.de](mailto:ipsds@uni-mannheim.de) **by January 22, 2018, midnight (CET)**.

We appreciate it, if you merge your documents to one PDF-file, following the order listed below.

- \*CV [PDF]**
- \*Copies of all academic degree certificates (e.g., bachelor's, master's, doctoral) [Scan PDF]**
- \*Copies of your official university undergraduate and graduate transcripts [Scan PDF]**
- If not included in transcripts, proof of at least 12 ECTS/6 credits in mathematical/applied statistics [Scan PDF]
- If available, proofs of additional relevant training (e.g., summer school certificates, further training certificates) [Scan PDF]
- If available, evidence of English proficiency (e.g., TOEFEL, IELTS, Cambridge Certificate, TOEIC) [Scan PDF]
- \*At least one letter of recommendation (up to three) [Scan PDF]**
- \*An essay describing applicant's experience and interest in survey and data science (max. 500 words) [PDF]**

## 6 Check Information

Please check your information and confirm that everything is correct.

If you want to change any of your information, please use the "Back" button below to correct the information.

### Personal Information

\*Last name: #v\_1#

\*First Name: #v\_2#

### Citizenship

Citizenship: #v\_161#

### Permanent Address

\*Street: #v\_6#

\*Number: #v\_7#

\*City: #v\_8#

\*Postal Code: #v\_9#

State/Province: #v\_187#

Country: #v\_173#

Time Zone: #v\_175#

### Contact

Home Phone: #v\_12#

Mobile Phone: #v\_13#

\*E-Mail: #v\_14#

### Academic Degrees

1st Degree: Type: #v\_30#  
Field: #v\_31#  
Year: #v\_32#  
Institution: #v\_176#

2nd Degree: Type: #v\_35#  
Field: #v\_36#  
Year: #v\_37#  
Institution: #v\_177#

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Field: #v\_41#  
Year: #v\_42#  
Institution: #v\_178#

4th Degree: Type: #v\_45#  
Field: #v\_46#  
Year: #v\_47#  
Institution: #v\_179#

5th Degree: Type: #v\_50#  
Field: #v\_51#  
Year: #v\_52#  
Institution: #v\_180#

### Work Experience

Employment 1: Employer: #v\_85#

Position: #v\_86#

From: #v\_87#



Employment 2:      Until:      #v\_88#  
Employer:   #v\_90#  
Position:   #v\_91#  
From:       #v\_92#  
Until:      #v\_93#

Employment 3:      Employer:   #v\_95#  
Position:   #v\_96#  
From:       #v\_97#  
Until:      #v\_98#

Employment 4:      Employer:   #v\_100#  
Position:   #v\_101#  
From:       #v\_102#  
Until:      #v\_103#

Employment 5:      Employer:   #v\_105#  
Position:   #v\_106#  
From:       #v\_107#  
Until:      #v\_108#

Employment 6:      Employer:   #v\_110#  
Position:   #v\_111#  
From:       #v\_112#  
Until:      #v\_113#

**Self Assessment****English Proficiency\***

English reading comprehension:                   #v\_114#  
English writing:                                       #v\_115#  
English conversation:                               #v\_116#

**Experience with Statistical/Mathematical Methods**

Linear Algebra                                       #v\_119#  
Descriptive Statistics                               #v\_120#  
Inferential Statistics                               #v\_121#  
Regression (ANOVA, Linear Regression, Logistic Regression) #v\_122#  
Structural Equation Modelling                    #v\_123#

**Software and Programming Experience**

Office Software (e.g., Word, Excel, PowerPoint) #v\_124#  
SPSS:   #v\_125#  
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Mplus:    #v\_128#  
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Python:   #v\_131#  
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**General Computer Usage:**                       #v\_139#  
General Browser Usage:                            #v\_140#  
General Software Usage:                           #v\_141#  
General Hardware Usage:                          #v\_142#  
Online Video Chat Platforms:                     #v\_143#

**Checklist: Application Documents**

\*CV:   #v\_23#  
\*Copies of all academic degree certificates:    #v\_24#  
\*Copies of your official university undergraduate and graduate transcripts:           #v\_25#  
If not included in transcripts, proof of at least 12 ECTS/6 credits in mathematical/applied statistics: #v\_26#  
If available, proofs of additional relevant training:                                       #v\_27#  
If available, evidence of English proficiency:   #v\_28#  
\*At least one letter of recommendation:    #v\_29#  
\*An essay describing applicant's experience and interest in survey and Data Science:   #v\_144#

**\*Statement of Accuracy:**

You must confirm the *Statement of Accuracy* by clicking the checkbox.

I hereby certify that the information contained in this application is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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## 7 V Statement of Accuracy/Declaration of Consent \*Statement

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### \*Declaration of Consent

You must confirm the *Declaration of Consent* by clicking the checkbox.

I agree that my data may be electronically stored and processed by the University of Mannheim and the University of Maryland.

### \*Date of Confirmation

Please enter the date of your confirmation to the *Statement of Accuracy* and the *Declaration of Consent*.

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## 8 Endseite

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**Thank you for submitting your application form!**

Please remember to submit your admission documents.

We will be back in touch with you in February, 2018 to inform you about the outcome of the application process.

Sincerely,  
The IPSDS team

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