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GST 200
Statistical Literacy

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Teacher: Dr. Milo Schield, Director of the W. M. Keck Statistical Literacy Project and US Representative to the International Statistical Literacy Project.

Syllabus: Available at: www.StatLit.org/pdf/2011-GST200-Online-Syl.pdf

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