High-Dimensional Non-Stationary Time Series Analysis



## IRTG 1792 Short Course

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## Econometric Modeling of Option Price and Implied Volatility Data

This class considers econometric methods to model option price and implied volatility data. Starting point is the Black-Scholes implied volatility surface (IVS). First, I will review the recent theoretical developments on IVS asymptotics both in strike and expiry dimension and discuss no-arbitrage relationships. This will be followed by a variety of modeling techniques of a call price surface, state price densities, and the IVS ranging from parametric approximate and constructive methods, to non and semiparametric techniques (smoothing splines, B-splines, semiparametric factor models). Finally, I will cover the theory of local volatility and the Dupire formula as well as estimation of local volatility.

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