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For background, see the Reference Manual on Scientific Evidence chapters on Statistics and Multiple Regression available here: <https://www.fjc.gov/sites/default/files/2015/SciMan3D01.pdf>

The papers below are all available at <https://www.law.upenn.edu/faculty/jonathan-klick/research.php>

- January 13: Descriptive Statistics (No reading)
- January 18: Statistical Inference (No reading)
- January 20: Hypothesis Development  
"Salvation as a Selective Incentive," International Review of Law and Economics, 26(1): 15-32 (2006).
- January 22: Cross Sectional Regression  
"The Effect of Judicial Expedience on Attorney Fees in Class Actions," Journal of Legal Studies, 36(1): 171-187 (2007).
- January 25: Time Series Regression  
"Agency Costs, Charitable Trusts, and Corporate Control: Evidence From Hershey's Kiss-Off," Columbia Law Review, 108(4): 749-838 (2008).
- January 27: Introduction to Causality  
"Sobering Up After the Seventh Inning: Alcohol and Crime Around the Ballpark," Working Paper.
- January 29: Fixed Effects  
"Do Spa Visits Improve Health: Evidence from German Micro Data," Eastern Economic Journal, 34(3): 364-374 (2008).
- February 1: Natural Experiments  
"Using Terror Alert Levels to Estimate the Effect of Police on Crime," Journal of Law and Economics, 48(1): 267-279 (2005).
- February 3: Regression Discontinuity  
"The Effect of Private Police on Crime: Evidence from a Geographic Regression Discontinuity Design," Journal of the Royal Statistical Society Series A, 179(3): 831-846 (2016).
- February 5: The Literature Is Greater than the Sum of Papers

"The Effect of Abortion Legalization on Sexual Behavior: Evidence from Sexually Transmitted Diseases," *Journal of Legal Studies*, 32(2): 407-434 (2003).

"Abortion Access and Risky Sex Among Teens: Parental Involvement Laws and Sexually Transmitted Diseases," *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, 24(1): 2-21(2008).

"The Relationship between Abortion Liberalization and Sexual Behavior: International Evidence," *American Law and Economics Review*, 14(2): 457-487 (2012)