

Guide to page and pop-out menus

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There are well over 100 web pages (including hidden pages) on survey research topics, with links to dozens of on-line resources or to *.pdf or other files held on the site.

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Survey Unit, Social Science Research Council (UK)
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. . plus information on the work of:

- 18 [Survey Unit, Social Science Research Council \(UK\)](#)
. . where I was Senior Research Fellow (1970 – 76)
- 19 [Survey Research Unit, Polytechnic of North London](#)
. . where I was Principal Lecturer in Sociology and Unit Director, Survey Research Unit (1976 – 92)

. . and (because I have lived here since 1994) some coverage of:

- 20 [Village Life in Normandy](#)

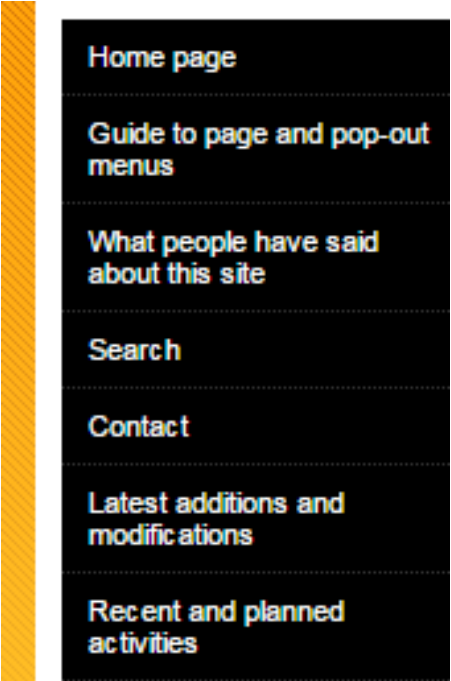
Hovering over menus will release pop-out sub-menus (if any) as per the guide below: these happen very fast, especially if your mouse tends to wander!

Clicking on menus will display the appropriate web page. Contents of menu pages are **different** from contents of any sub-menus, so be sure to read the main menu pages first..

All pages contain hyperlinks to sub-pages, but many pages have hyperlinks to files on hidden pages on this site or to relevant material on other sites. Most of the files on this site are in *.pdf format, either reports, questionnaires etc., or SPSS tutorials, but some are raw data files in *.txt format (from surveys) and others are SPSS syntax, saved or viewer files in *.sps, *.sav, *.spo or *.spv format: some are slide-shows in *.ppt format and one or two are Excel files in *.xlsx format.

To date there are more than 600 pages of SPSS and related tutorials in addition to any information on the web pages themselves.

The first six pages have no sub-pages



The longest chain of pop-outs looks like this:



Main pages (in sequence as listed in main menu)

(NB: Links are to **pages** on the actual site)

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What people have said about this site	What people have said about this site
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Contact	Contact (Form for submission of queries and comments)
Latest additions and modifications	Latest additions and modifications
Recent and planned activities	Recent and planned activities
About the author	About the author Brief details plus links to two to pdf files summary cv and (all 20 pages) of my full curriculum vitae

Sub-pages (level 1)

John F Hall: Career profile	Career profile covering the period from 1963 (graduation) and my subsequent career in conducting surveys and teaching survey methods:
John F Hall: Extra-curricular professional and political activities	plus details of: Extra-curricular professional and political activities

Main pages (contd.)

My personal pantheon (of the great and the good in survey research)

[My personal pantheon](#) (of the great and the good in survey research) carries brief profiles of valued colleagues from my years in survey research, plus a list of others who made major contributions to the discipline. Subpages carry more detail:

Sub-pages (level 1)

Mark Abrams

[Dr Mark Abrams](#)

Sub-pages (level 2)

Abrams publications

[Publications](#)

An interview with Mark Abrams (transcripts)

[Transcripts](#)

An interview with Mark Abrams (audio files)

[Audio files](#) (mp3)

Mark Abrams Prize

[Mark Abrams Prize](#)

Angus Campbell

Professor [Angus Campbell](#) (Director, ISR, Ann Arbor)

Sub-page (level 2)

SRU garden reception for Angus Campbell

[SRU reception for Angus Campbell 1978](#)

Has a short (silent) movie of a 1978 reception in my London garden, plus stills of SRU current and future research staff

My personal pantheon (of
the great and the good in
survey research)

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Whilst many other colleagues and pioneers are referred to on the page, three with whom I worked closely over many years deserve special mention

Sub-pages (level 1)

Cathie Marsh

Tony Coxon

Roger Jowell

Sub-pages (level 2)

Professor [Cathie Marsh](#) (1953 – 1993)

Professor [Tony Coxon](#) (1938 – 2012)

Professor Sir [Roger Jowell](#) (1942 – 2011)

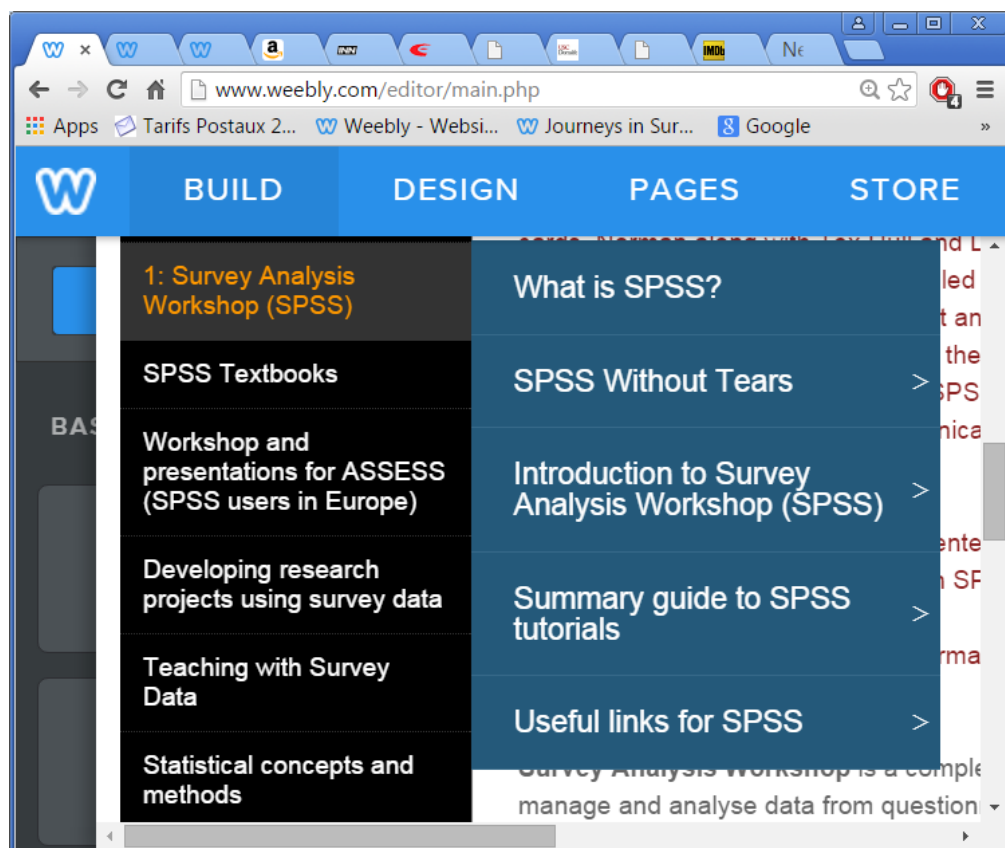
Norman Nie

Although I only met him once (at the international conference on SPSS I organised at LSE in 1974) the late [Norman Nie](#), original co-author of SPSS, deserves a place in the pantheon.

Main pages (contd.)

1: Survey Analysis Workshop (SPSS)

[1: Survey Analysis Workshop \(SPSS\)](#) details the origins and development of the course, versions of SPSS used and teaching materials available for free download.



Sub-pages (level 1)

What is SPSS?

[What is SPSS?](#) is a brief history of the development of SPSS

[SPSS Without Tears](#) will appeal to those with a sense of humour, and to all baffled and nervous beginners

Sub-page (level 2)

My first time: in at the SPSS deep end (1972)

[My first time.](#)

1: Survey Analysis Workshop (SPSS)

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Sub-pages (level 1)

Introduction to Survey Analysis Workshop (SPSS) >

[Intro to Survey Analysis Workshop](#)

Sub-pages (level 2)

IBM® SPSS® Statistics (Overview)

[IBM® SPSS® Statistics \(Overview\)](#)

Note on SPSS tutorials on this site

[Note on SPSS tutorials](#)

Background to current project >

[Background to current project](#)

Sub-page (level 3)

Author's note

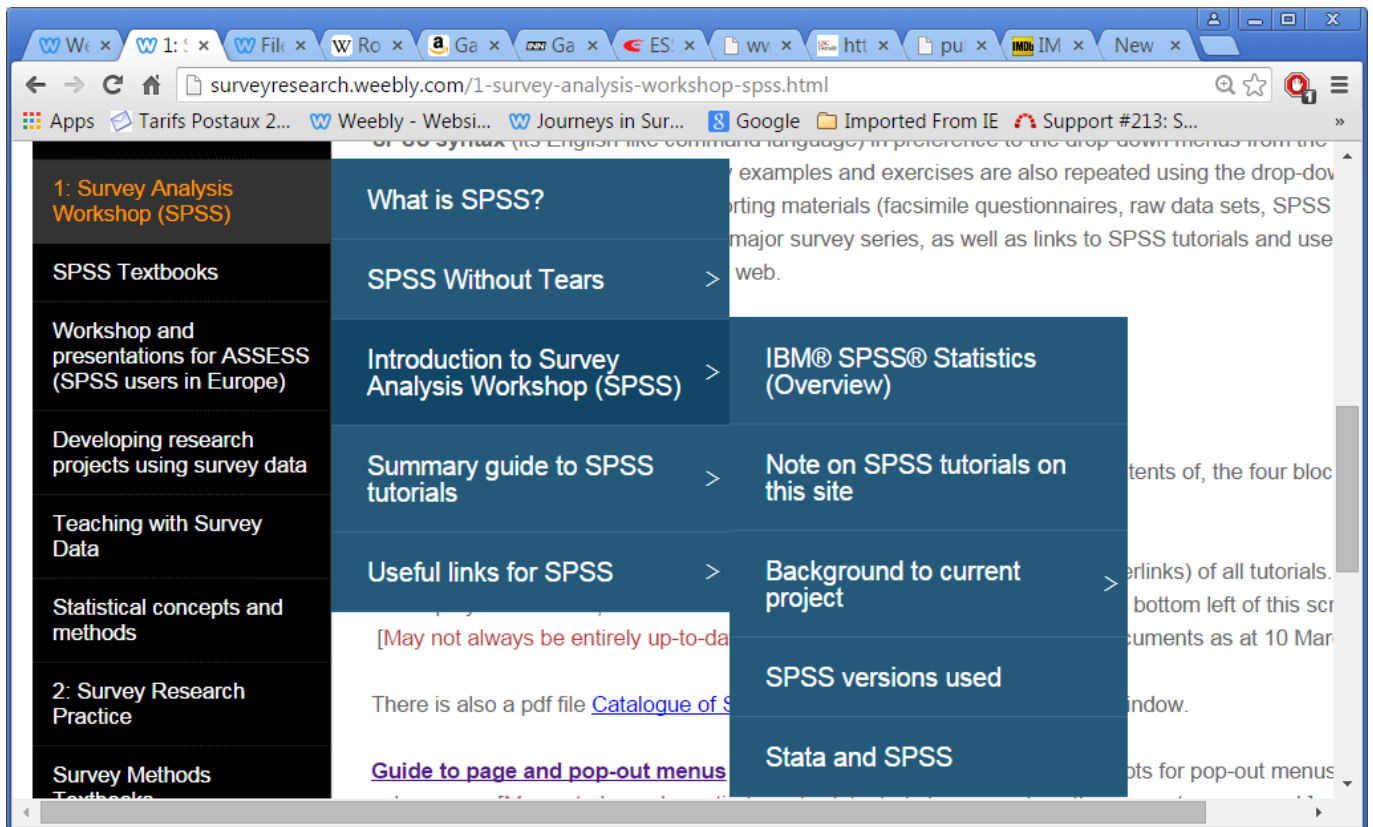
[Author's note](#): explains history and development of course and materials and acknowledges contributions from colleagues and students.

SPSS versions used

[SPSS versions used](#)

Stata and SPSS

[Stata and SPSS](#)



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Sub-pages (level 1)

Summary guide to SPSS
tutorials >

[Summary guide to SPSS tutorials](#) is a page with links to, and summarising the contents of, the four blocks of tutorials

Sub-pages (level 2)

Block 1: From questionnaire
to SPSS saved file

[Block 1: From questionnaire to SPSS saved file](#)

Block 2: Analysing one
variable >

[Block 2: Analysing one variable](#)

Sub-pages (level 3)

2.1: Nominal and ordinal
variables

[2.1: Nominal and ordinal variables](#)

2.2: Interval scale variables

[2.2: Interval scale variables](#)

2.3: Data transformations

[2.3: Data transformations](#)

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Sub-pages (level 2)

Block 3: Analysing two
variables (and sometimes
three) >

[Block 3: Analysing two variables
\(and sometimes three\)](#)

Sub-pages (level 3)

3.1 Two variables
(CROSSTABS)

[3.1 Two variables
\(CROSSTABS\)](#)

3.2 Three variables

[3.2 Three variables](#)

3.3 Multiple response
(MULT RESPONSE)

[3.3 Multiple response](#)

3.4 Conditional data
transformations (IF and DO
IF)

[3.4 Conditional data
transformations](#)

3.5 Derived variables
(COUNT and COMPUTE) >

[3.5 Derived variables
\(COUNT and COMPUTE\)](#)

Sub-pages (level 4)

[3.5.1 An introduction to
COUNT and COMPUTE](#)

3.5.1 Introduction to
COUNT and COMPUTE

[3.5.2 Teenage Attitudes
\(Tutorials\)](#)

3.5.2 Teenage Attitudes
(Tutorials)

1: Survey Analysis Workshop (SPSS)

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Sub-pages (level 1)

Summary guide to SPSS tutorials >

[Summary guide to SPSS tutorials](#)

Sub-pages (level 2)

Block 4: Hypothesis testing

[4: Hypothesis testing](#)

Page still under development, but there is a very detailed worked example of chi-square and a novel and graphic explanation of correlation and regression.

SPSS files and documentation used for tutorials and exercises >

[SPSS files and documentation used for tutorials and exercises](#)

Sub-pages (level 3)

Data sets used in Survey Analysis Workshop >

[Data sets used in Survey Analysis Workshop](#)

Sub-pages (level 4)

[Pre-course questionnaire on interests and experience](#)

[Quality of Life in Britain](#)

Pre-course questionnaire on interests and experience

Quality of Life in Britain

Main pages (Contd.)

SPSS Textbooks

Highly recommended SPSS > textbooks

[Highly recommended SPSS textbooks](#)

Marsh and Elliott (2008)

[Exploring Data](#)

Sweet and Grace-Martin

[Data Analysis with SPSS: A First Course in Applied Statistics](#)

Babbie, Halley, Wagner and Zaino 2013

[Adventures in Social Research: Data Analysis Using IBM SPSS Statistics](#)

Julie Pallant, SPSS Survival Manual >

[SPSS Survival Manual: A Step by Step Guide to Data Analysis using SPSS for Windows](#)

Andy Field

[Discovering Statistics Using SPSS](#)

Boslaugh 2005

[An intermediate guide to SPSS programming: using syntax for data management](#)

Pallant 2001 (review)

[Critical review of 1st edition](#)

Pallant 2005 review

[Critical review of 2nd edition](#)

Pallant 2007 (3rd edition)

[Comment on 3rd edition](#)

Pallant 2010

[Brief comments on 4th edition](#)

SPSS textbooks worth a look

[SPSS textbooks worth a look](#)
(Get library to buy or buy to share)

On-line SPSS textbooks

[On-line SPSS textbooks](#)
(Four really good freebies)

Textbooks requested or awaiting review

[Textbooks requested or awaiting review](#)

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Workshop and presentations for ASSESS (SPSS users in Europe)

[Presentations for ASSESS](#)

Old Dog, Old Tricks: Using SPSS syntax to beat the mouse-trap

[Old Dog, Old Tricks: Using SPSS syntax to beat the mouse-trap](#) (From SPSS mainframe (1971) to SPSS for Windows; syntax vs point-and-click; uses and abuses; fun video clips and slides.

The Beginners' Guide to Survey Analysis Using SPSS

[The Beginners' Guide to Survey Analysis Using SPSS](#)

Close Encounters of the Fourth Kind: working with alien SPSS files

[Close Encounters of the Fourth Kind: working with alien SPSS files](#)

ASSESS 2014 Links to Contents

[ASSESS 2014: Links to files for John Hall's sessions](#)

Developing research projects using survey data

[Developing research projects](#)

Teaching with Survey Data

[Teaching with survey data](#)

ONS National Well-being

[ONS National Well-being](#)

SN 28: Relative Deprivation and Social Justice 1962-63

[SN 28 Relative Deprivation and Social Justice](#)

Statistical concepts and methods

[Statistical concepts and methods](#)

Statistics textbooks for social research

[Statistics textbooks for social research](#)

Main pages (Contd.)

2: Survey Research Practice

[2: Survey Research Practice](#)

Survey Research Methodology, Practice and Training >

- The place of survey research in the social sciences
- Survey Research and Social Action
- Academic centres specialising in survey research >

- Lectures in
United Kingdom
- USA and Canada
- Europe

- Professional and Voluntary Associations
- Survey research organisations
- Journals for survey research
- Articles on survey research

Courses in Survey Methods >

(United Kingdom) Degrees, diplomas and certificates

(USA) Degrees, diplomas and certificates

Summer schools for survey methods

Short courses for survey research

Major survey series



United Kingdom 1 (Major survey series: government)

United Kingdom 2 (Major survey series: academic and other)



British Social Attitudes

Europe (Major survey series)

USA (Major survey series)

Web-based resources for survey research



Survey Resources Network

On-line surveys

Question Banks

Survey methods guides and tutorials

Clips, tips and blogs

Useful links for Survey Research

Survey Methods Textbooks

Crouch & Housden (2003)

Andres (2012)

Blair, Czala and Blair (2014)

de Vaus (2014)

Hoinville, Jowell et al (1977)

Marsden & Wright [Eds]
(2010)

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Contributors to Handbook of
Survey Research

Marsh (1982)

Moser & Kalton (1971)

Oppenheim (1992)

3: Subjective Social Indicators (Quality of Life)

3: Subjective Social Indicators

Quality of Life:
Measurement and
methodology

Measures of psychological
well-being

Values and Quality of Life

SSRC Survey Unit Quality
of Life in Britain surveys
1971-1975

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Abstracts, data and
documentation

Publications based on the
SSRC Quality of Life in
Britain surveys

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Bibliography for Quality of
Life in Britain and related
surveys

Quality of Life of the Elderly
in Residential Care

Surveys in schools

>

"Trinians" survey

Playground to Politics

Survey Unit, Social
Science Research Council
(UK)

[4: Survey Unit, Social Science Research Council \(UK\)](#)

Surveys by SSRC Survey
Unit

Publications: SSRC Survey
Unit

Courses, Conferences and
Seminars

Survey Research Unit,
Polytechnic of North
London

5: Survey Research Unit, Polytechnic of North London

Survey Research Unit

Training courses in survey
methods

The place of SRU within
PNL

Director's Working Group on
the Survey Research Unit

Village life in Normandy

Notre Dame de Cenilly >

War and Peace in N D de
Cenilly >

Armistice Day

German Occupation (1940 -
1944)

D-Day (6th June 1944) >

D-Day ceremony 9 June
2013

D-Day 70th Anniversary
2014

Monument to Lancaster
bomber crew >

Lancaster bomber crew
(Memorial Ceremony 8 June
2011)

Lancaster bomber crew
(Memorial Ceremony 8 June
2014)

Lancaster bomber crew
(Memorial Ceremony 7 June
2015)

Liberation July 1944



Field hospital in N D de
Cenilly

Liberation celebrations (July
2006)

Visit of US 2nd Armored
Division veterans (2 Sep
2009)

Liberation celebrations 2014

Unveiling of new monument
(13 June 2015)

Re-enactment camp
(Gavray, 11 July 2015)

Fête St Clair 2007

Fête St Clair 2010

Fête St Clair 2012 National
pedal-car championships

La Noslière de Bas

Midsummer music