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EDUCATION

2006-2009	University of Iowa Ph.D., Biostatistics. <i>Received July 2009.</i>	Iowa City, IA
2004-2006	University of Iowa M.S., Biostatistics. <i>Received May 2006.</i>	Iowa City, IA
2002-2004	Iowa State University M.S., Biochemistry. <i>Received August 2004.</i>	Ames, IA
1998-2002	Iowa State University B.S., Mathematics, with honors. <i>Received May 2002.</i> B.S., Physics, with honors. <i>Received May 2002.</i>	Ames, IA

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Methods for analyzing high-dimensional data
- Methods and algorithms for penalized likelihood models
- Analysis of genomic and genetic data
- Computational statistics

EMPLOYMENT

2017-Present	University of Iowa Associate professor, Department of Biostatistics	Iowa City, IA
2013-2017	University of Iowa Assistant professor, Department of Biostatistics	Iowa City, IA
2009-2013	University of Kentucky Assistant professor, Department of Biostatistics	Lexington, KY
2009-2013	University of Kentucky Assistant professor, Department of Statistics	Lexington, KY
2005-2006	Center for Public Health Statistics, University of Iowa Research assistant	Iowa City, IA

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- BREHENY, P. (To appear). Marginal false discovery rates for penalized regression models. *Biostatistics*.

- ZHANG, X., YOON, J.-Y., MORLEY, M., MCLENDON, J. M., MAPUSKAR, K. A., GUTMANN, R., MEHDI, H., BLOOM, H. L., DUDLEY, S. C., ELLINOR, P. T., SHALABY, A. A., WEISS, R., TANG, W. W., MORAVEC, C. S., SINGH, M., TAYLOR, A. L., YANCY, C. W., FELDMAN, A. M., MCNAMARA, D. M., IRANI, K., SPITZ, D. R., BREHENY, P., MARGULIES, K. B., LONDON, B. and BOUDREAU, R. L. (2018). A common variant alters SCN5A–miR-24 interaction and associates with heart failure mortality. *The Journal of Clinical Investigation*, **128** 1154–1163.
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- SPRACKLEN, C. N., SMITH, C. J., SAFTLAS, A. F., TRICHE, E. W., BJONNES, A., KEATING, B. J., SAXENA, R., BREHENY, P. J., DEWAN, A. T., ROBINSON, J. G., HOH, J. and RYCKMAN, K. K. (2017). Genetic predisposition to elevated levels of c-reactive protein is associated with a decreased risk for preeclampsia. *Hypertension in Pregnancy*, **36** 30–35. PMID: 27657194.
- ZENG, Y. and BREHENY, P. (2016). Overlapping group logistic regression with applications to genetic pathway selection. *Cancer Informatics*, **15** 179–187.
- PASHKOVA, N., PETERSON, T., KRISHNAMANI, V., BREHENY, P., STAMNES, M. and PIPER, R. (2016). DEEPN as an approach for batch processing of yeast 2-hybrid interactions. *Cell Reports*, **17** 303–315.
- HILL-BURNS, E. M., ROSS, O. A., WISSEMAN, W. T., SOTO-ORTOLAZA, A. I., ZAREPARSI, S., SIUDA, J., LYNCH, T., WSZOLEK, Z. K., SILBURN, P. A., MELICK, G. D., RITZ, B., SCHERZER, C. R., ZABETIAN, C. P., FACTOR, S. A., BREHENY, P. J. and PAYAMI, H. (2016). Identification of genetic modifiers of age-at-onset for familial parkinson’s disease. *Human Molecular Genetics*, **25** 3849.
- HUANG, J., BREHENY, P., LEE, S., MA, S. and ZHANG, C.-H. (2016). The Mnet method for variable selection. *Statistica Sinica*, **26** 903–923.

- SINGLETON, M. D. and BREHENY, P. J. (2016). Nonlinear hierarchical modeling of experimental infection data. *Preventive Veterinary Medicine*, **130** 129 – 136.
- SMITH, C. J., SAFTLAS, A. F., SPRACKLEN, C. N., TRICHE, E. W., BJONNES, A., KEATING, B., SAXENA, R., BREHENY, P. J., DEWAN, A. T., ROBINSON, J. G., HOH, J. and RYCKMAN, K. K. (2016). Genetic risk score for essential hypertension and risk of preeclampsia. *American Journal of Hypertension*, **29** 17–24.
- BREHENY, P. (2015). The group exponential lasso for bi-level variable selection. *Biometrics*, **71** 731–740.
- BREHENY, P. and HUANG, J. (2015). Group descent algorithms for nonconvex penalized linear and logistic regression models with grouped predictors. *Statistics and Computing*, **25** 173–187.
- LEE, S. and BREHENY, P. (2015). Strong rules for nonconvex penalties and their implications for efficient algorithms in high-dimensional regression. *Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics*, **24** 1074–1091.
- YI, H., BREHENY, P., IMAM, N., LIU, Y. and HOESCHELE, I. (2015). Penalized multi-marker vs. single-marker regression methods for genome-wide association studies of quantitative traits. *Genetics*, **199** 205–222.
- MILLER, M., MA, D., SCHAPPET, J., BREHENY, P., MOTT, S., BANNICK, N., ASKELAND, E., BROWN, J. and HENRY, M. (2015). Downregulation of dystroglycan glycosyltransferases LARGE2 and ISPD associate with increased mortality in clear cell renal cell carcinoma. *Molecular Cancer*, **14** 141.
- SPRACKLEN, C. N., SAFTLAS, A. F., TRICHE, E. W., BJONNES, A., KEATING, B., SAXENA, R., BREHENY, P. J., DEWAN, A. T., ROBINSON, J. G., HOH, J. and RYCKMAN, K. K. (2015). Genetic predisposition to dyslipidemia and risk of preeclampsia. *American Journal of Hypertension*, **28** 915–923.
- VANDERPOOL, R. C., BREHENY, P. J., TILLER, P. A., HUCKELBY, C. A., EDWARDS, A. D., UPCHURCH, K. D., PHILLIPS, C. A. and WEYMAN, C. F. (2015). Implementation and evaluation of a school-based human papillomavirus vaccination program in rural kentucky. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, **49** 317 – 323.
- HOVEY, A. M., DEVOR, E. J., BREHENY, P. J., MOTT, S. L., DAI, D., THIEL, K. W. and LESLIE, K. K. (2015). mir-888: A novel cancer-testis antigen that targets the progesterone receptor in endometrial cancer. *Translational Oncology*, **8** 85 – 96.
- BADA, H., SITHISARN, T., GIBSON, J., GARLITZ, K., CALDWELL, R., CAPILOUTO, G., LI, Y., LEGGAS, M. and BREHENY, P. (2015). Morphine versus clonidine for neonatal abstinence syndrome. *Pediatrics*, **135** e383–e391.
- LAHAM, J. L., BREHENY, P. J. and RUSH, A. (2015). Do clinical parameters predict first planned extubation outcome in the pediatric intensive care unit? *Journal of Intensive Care Medicine*, **30** 89–96.

- MCCLINTOCK, T. S., ADIPIETRO, K., TITLOW, W. B., BREHENY, P., WALZ, A., MOMBAERTS, P. and MATSUNAMI, H. (2014). *In Vivo* identification of eugenol-responsive and muscone-responsive mouse odorant receptors. *The Journal of Neuroscience*, **34** 15669–15678.
- CAMPOS, J. R., BREHENY, P., ARAUJO, R. R., TROEDSSON, M. H., SQUIRES, E. L., TIMONEY, P. J. and BALASURIYA, U. B. (2014). Semen quality of stallions challenged with the Kentucky 84 strain of equine arteritis virus. *Theriogenology*, **82** 1068 – 1079.
- STOKES, S., BREHENY, P., RADULESCU, A. and RADULESCU, V. C. (2014). Impact of obesity on the risk of venous thromboembolism in an inpatient pediatric population. *Pediatric Hematology-Oncology*, **31** 475–480.
- LAHAM, J. L., BREHENY, P. J., GARDNER, B. M. and BADA, H. (2014). Procalcitonin to predict bacterial coinfection in infants with acute bronchiolitis: A preliminary analysis. *Pediatric Emergency Care*, **30** 11–15.
- CRAWFORD, T. N., SANDERSON, W. T., BREHENY, P., FLEMING, S. T. and THORNTON, A. (2014). Impact of non-HIV related comorbidities on retention in HIV medical care: Does retention improve over time? *AIDS and Behavior*, **18** 617–624.
- LI, Y. and BREHENY, P. (2013). Kernel-based aggregation of marker-level genetic association tests involving copy-number variation. *Microarrays*, **2** 265–283.
- SANZ, M., LOYNACHAN, A., SUN, L., OLIVEIRA, A., BREHENY, P. and HOROHOV, D. (2013). The effect of bacterial dose and foal age at challenge on rhodococcus equi infection. *Veterinary Microbiology*, **167** 623–631.
- HERON, P., STROMBERG, A., BREHENY, P. and MCCLINTOCK, T. (2013). Molecular events in the cell types of the olfactory epithelium during adult neurogenesis. *Molecular Brain*, **6** 49.
- OWEN, C., BREHENY, P., INGRAM, R., PFEIFLE, W., CAIN, J. and RYAN, M. (2013). Factors associated with pharmacy student interest in international study. *American Journal of Pharmaceutical Education*, **77** 54.
- BREHENY, P., CHALISE, P., BATZLER, A., WANG, L. and FRIDLEY, B. L. (2012). Genetic association studies of copy-number variation: Should assignment of copy number states precede testing? *PLoS ONE*, **7** e34262.
- BREHENY, P., LI, Y. and CHARNIGO, R. (2012). Statistical challenges and opportunities in copy number variant association studies. *Journal of Biometrics & Biostatistics*, **3** e118.
- HUANG, J., BREHENY, P. and MA, S. (2012). A selective review of group selection in high-dimensional models. *Statistical Science*, **27** 481–499.
- SMITH, K. L., LI, Y., BREHENY, P., COOK, R. F., HENNEY, P. J., SELLS, S., PRONOST, S., LU, Z., CROSSLEY, B. M., TIMONEY, P. J. and BALASURIYA, U. B. R. (2012). New real-time PCR assay using allelic discrimination for detection and differentiation of equine herpesvirus-1 strains with A_{2254} and G_{2254} polymorphisms. *Journal of Clinical Microbiology*, **50** 1981–1988.

- NICKELL, M. D., BREHENY, P., STROMBERG, A. J. and McCLINTOCK, T. S. (2012). Genomics of mature and immature olfactory sensory neurons. *Journal of Comparative Neurology*, **520** 2608–2629.
- PODZIELINSKI, I., RANDALL, M. E., BREHENY, P. J., ESCOBAR, P. F., COHN, D. E., QUICK, A. M., CHINO, J. P., LOPEZ-ACEVEDO, M., SEITZ, J. L., ZOOK, J. E. and SEAMON, L. G. (2012). Primary radiation therapy for medically inoperable patients with clinical stage I and II endometrial carcinoma. *Gynecologic Oncology*, **124** 36–41.
- SCOTT, S. L., MCSPIRIT, S., BREHENY, P. and HOWELL, B. M. (2012). The long-term effects of a coal waste disaster on social trust in Appalachian Kentucky. *Organization & Environment*, **25** 402–418.
- SRINIVASAN, J. and BREHENY, P. J. (2012). Meditation for quality improvement of medical encounters: Single-intervention, vedanta-based meditation effects on vital signs and mood indices. *Journal of Evidence-Based Complementary & Alternative Medicine*, **17** 96–103.
- FARDO, D., DRUEN, A., LIU, J., MIREA, L., INFANTE-RIVARD, C. and BREHENY, P. (2011). Exploration and comparison of methods for combining population- and family-based genetic association using the genetic analysis workshop 17 mini-exome. *BMC Proceedings*, **5** S28.
- BREHENY, P. and HUANG, J. (2011). Coordinate descent algorithms for nonconvex penalized regression, with applications to biological feature selection. *Annals of Applied Statistics*, **5** 232–253.
- GODE-POTRATZ, C., KUSTUSCH, R., BREHENY, P., WEISS, D. and MCCARTER, L. (2011). Surface sensing in vibrio parahaemolyticus triggers a programme of gene expression that promotes colonization and virulence. *Molecular Microbiology*, **79** 240–263.
- BREHENY, P. and HUANG, J. (2009). Penalized methods for bi-level variable selection. *Statistics and Its Interface*, **2** 369–380.
- OLESON, J., BREHENY, P., PENDERGAST, J., RYAN, S. and LITCHFIELD, R. (2008). Impact of travel distance on wisewoman intervention attendance for a rural population. *Preventive Medicine*, **47** 565–569.
- GFELLER, K., OLESON, J., KNUTSON, J., BREHENY, P., DRISCOLL, V. and OLSZEWSKI, C. (2008). Multivariate predictors of music perception and appraisal by adult cochlear implant users. *Journal of the American Academy of Audiology*, **19** 120.
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 MANUSCRIPTS IN SUBMISSION

- ZENG, Y. and BREHENY, P. (In submission). The biglasso package: A memory- and computation-efficient solver for lasso model fitting with big data in R.

- ZENG, Y., BREHENY, P. and YANG, T. (In submission). Efficient feature screening for lasso-type problems via hybrid safe-strong rules.
- MILLER, R. and BREHENY, P. (In submission). Marginal false discovery rate control for likelihood-based penalized regression models.

PH.D. DISSERTATION

- BREHENY, P. “Regularized methods for high-dimensional and bi-level variable selection”. Dissertation advisor: Professor Jian Huang. Defended May 2009.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- BREHENY, P. (2014). Review of *Genomic Clinical Trials and Predictive Medicine*, by Richard Simon. *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, **109** 868–869.
- SCHOFIELD, M. and BREHENY, P. (2014). Review of *The BUGS Book: A Practical Introduction to Bayesian Analysis*, by David Lunn, et al. *The American Statistician*, 68: 63.
- BREHENY, P. (2011). Review of *Intuitive Biostatistics: A Nonmathematical Guide to Statistical Thinking*, by H. Motulsky. *The American Statistician*, 65: 67-68.
- *2005 Iowa Health Fact Book*, University of Iowa College of Public Health and the Iowa Department of Public Health.

SOFTWARE

Primary author and maintainer:

- [grpreg](#), an R package for computing regularized paths for regression models with grouped covariates.
- [ncvreg](#), an R package for fitting MCP- and SCAD-penalized regression models.
- [visreg](#), an R package for visualizing regression models.

Contributor:

- [grpregOverlap](#), extends the [grpreg](#) package to the case of overlapping groups.
- [biglasso](#), an R package for fitting lasso- and elastic-net-penalized regression models for big data (too large to fit into RAM).

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

- Marginal False Discovery Rates for Penalized Regression Models. Invited. Joint Statistical Meetings. Baltimore, MD. August 2017.
- Medicine, likelihood, and the mathematics of learning from experience. Keynote lecture. Mathematics Undergraduate Math Symposium, Simpson College. Indianola, IA. April 2016.

- Estimating false inclusion rates in penalized regression models. Invited. ENAR Spring Meeting. Austin, TX. March 2016
- Penalized regression approaches for genomics and genetic association studies. Iowa Institute of Human Genetics Bioinformatics Short Course 2014. Iowa City, IA. July 2014.
- Estimating false inclusion rates in penalized regression models. Invited. International Society for Nonparametric Statistics (ISNPS II). Cádiz, Spain. June 2014.
- Kernel-based aggregation of marker-level genetic association tests involving copy-number variation. Invited. Joint Statistical Meetings. Montreal, Canada. August 2013.
- Visualizing Regression Models using `visreg`. Joint Statistical Meetings. Montreal, Canada. August 2013.
- Group descent algorithms for nonconvex penalized linear and logistic regression models with grouped predictors. Joint Statistical Meetings. San Diego, CA. July 2012.
- Visualizing Regression Models using `visreg`. International R Users Meeting (useR). Nashville, TN. June 2012.
- Group exponential penalties for bi-level variable selection. Joint Statistical Meetings. Miami, FL. July 2011.
- Genetic association studies of copy-number variation: should assignment of copy number states precede testing? International Genetic Epidemiology Society Meetings. Boston, MA. October 2010.
- The MNet estimator. Joint Statistical Meetings. Vancouver, British Columbia. August 2010.
- Coordinate descent algorithms for nonconvex optimization. ENAR Spring Meeting. New Orleans, LA. March 2010.
- Coordinate descent algorithms for nonconvex penalized regression methods. Joint Statistical Meetings. Washington, D.C. August 2009.
- Statistical graphics and visualization using R and `GGobi`. Biostatistics Student Organization Seminar. Iowa City, IA. March 2009.
- A short guide to SAS macros. Iowa SAS Users Group. Iowa City, IA. February 2009.
- Bilevel feature selection with applications to genetic association studies. Invited. Fall Conference on Statistics in Biology. Ames, IA. October 2008.
- A general framework for bi-level variable selection. Joint Statistical Meetings. Denver, CO. August 2008.
- Impact of travel distance on WISEWOMAN intervention attendance. University of Iowa Research Week. Iowa City, IA. April 2008.
- Extending regression models using penalized approaches. Biostatistics Student Organization Seminar. Iowa City, IA. November 2007.

TEACHING

Instructor, University of Iowa

- BIOS 4120: Introduction to Biostatistics (S18, S17, S15, S14, Su09)
- BIOS 7210: Survival Data Analysis (F17, F15)
- BIOS 5710: Biostatistical Methods I (F16, F14)
- BIOS 7600: High-Dimensional Data Analysis (S16)

Guest lecturer, University of Iowa

- EPID 6250: Genetics and Epidemiology (F17)
- EPID 5560: Molecular Epidemiology (S16, S15)
- BIOS 4110: General Biostatistics (Su16, Su15, Su14)
- BIOS 5510: Biostatistical Computing (F08, F07)
- BIOS 7120: Theory of Biostatistics II (S09)
- BIOS 5720: Biostatistical Methods II (S08)

Instructor, University of Kentucky

- STA 580: Biostatistics I (S12, F10, S10, F09)
- BST 760: Advanced Regression (S13, S11)
- STA 621: Nonparametric Statistics (F12, F10)
- BST 701: Bayesian Modeling in Biostatistics (S13)
- BST 764: Applied Statistical Modeling for Medicine and Public Health (F11)
- STA 715: Readings in Statistics: Penalized Regression (F11)
- STA 715: Readings in Statistics: Analysis of Copy-Number Variation (S12)

Guest lecturer, University of Kentucky

- BST 675: Biometrics I (F12)
- CPH 701: Current topics in Public Health (F11)
- CPH 786: Doctoral Seminar (F10)

Teaching assistant, University of Iowa

- BIOS 5110: Introduction to Biostatistics (S05, F04)

Teaching assistant, Iowa State University

- BBMB 301: Survey of Biochemistry (S04)

Supplemental instructor, Iowa State University

- Math 166: Calculus II (S01, F00)

ADVISING

- Advisor for three completed Ph.D. dissertations:
 - “Scalable sparse machine learning methods for big data,” Yaohui Zeng, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, November 2017.
 - “Nonlinear hierarchical models for longitudinal experimental infection studies,” Michael Singleton, Department of Biostatistics, University of Kentucky, March 2015.
 - “Genetic association testing of copy number variation,” Yinglei Li, Department of Statistics, University of Kentucky, October 2014.
- Currently serving as doctoral dissertation advisor for:
 - Ryan Miller (Ph.D. in Biostatistics, University of Iowa)
 - Biyue Dai (Ph.D. in Biostatistics, University of Iowa)
- Advisor for six completed preceptorship projects:
 - “Using CADD Scores to Inform Bayesian Analysis of Genetic Variants Implicated in Preterm Birth”, Michael Brumm, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, May 2018.
 - “Understanding the Sense of Smell through Identification of Olfactory Receptors Activated by Various Scents”, Ziqian Chen, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, May 2017.
 - “Empirical Bayes Analysis of Overdispersed High-Dimensional Protein Interaction Data”, Anna Reisetter, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, May 2017.
 - “Comparing Cross-Validation Methods in Penalized Cox Regression,” Biyue Dai, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, November 2016.
 - “Rare Variant Analysis of Paired, Case-Only, Whole-Exome Sequencing Data from a Study of Preterm Birth,” Anthony Rhoads, University of Iowa, December 2015.
 - “Improving the Accuracy of Gene Expression Classifiers by Incorporating Pathway Information: A Latent Group Selection Approach,” Yaohui Zeng, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, December 2014.
- Advisor for one completed M.P.H. capstone:
 - “Statistical analysis of metabolite concentrations in heart tissue from four groups of mouse models in response to Adriamycin treatment,” Zhenyu Huang, College of Public Health, University of Kentucky, November 2011.
- Currently serving on six doctoral committees
- Committee member for three completed M.P.H. capstones
- Committee member for thirteen completed Ph.D. dissertations
- Committee member for one completed Dr.P.H. capstone

FUNDING (ACTIVE)

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- Small Business Innovation Research grant G968100-CG, “Improved Detection of Bladder Cancer Recurrence using a Biophysical Marker”. PI: Dr. Michael O’Donnell. 9/2017-9-2018. Role: Co-investigator (0.6 calendar).
 - National Institutes of Health grant 1-R01-DK110023, “C3 Glomerulopathy – A Collaborative Study”. Contact PI: Dr. Richard Smith. 4/2017-3/2021. Role: Co-PI (1.2 calendar).
 - National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders grant 1- R01-DC014468, “In vivo patterns of receptor activation by odorants”. PI: Dr. Timothy McClintock. 12/2015-11/2020. Role: Co-investigator (1 calendar).
 - National Cancer Institute grant 5-P30-CA086862, “Cancer Center Support Grant”. PI: Dr. George Weiner. 10/2013-3/2021. Role: Co-investigator (1.68 calendar).
 - National Institutes of Health grant 1-R25-HL131467, “Iowa Summer Institute for Research Education in Biostatistics”. PI: Dr. Gideon Zamba. 2/2016-1/2019. Role: Co-Investigator (.48 calendar).
 - National Institutes of Health grant 1-P50-CA174521, “Neuroendocrine Tumor Specialized Programs of Research Excellence (SPORE) in Human Cancer”. PI: Dr. Sue O’Dorisio. 9/1/15-8/31/20. Role: Co-investigator (0.6 calendar).

FUNDING (COMPLETED)

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- National Institute of Child Health and Human Development grant 1-R21-HD087864, “Newborn Metabolic Screening for Prediction of Childhood Respiratory Phenotypes”. PI: Dr. Kelli Ryckman. 4/2016-3/2018. Role: Co-investigator (1.2 calendar).
 - National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering grant 1-R21-EB021870, “DEEPN strategy for large-scale differential protein interaction studies”. PI: Dr. Robert Piper. 12/2015-11/2017. Role: Co-investigator (1.2 calendar).
 - Small Business Technology Transfer grant G797300-CG, “Improved Preparation of Cell Suspensions for Single Cell Genomics”. PI: Dr. Michael Henry. 7/2017-12/2017. Role: Co-investigator (0.6 calendar).
 - National Institutes of Health grant 2-T15-HL07622, “Iowa Summer Institute in Biostatistics (ISIB)”. PI: Dr. Kathryn Chaloner. 3/2013-2/2016. Role: Co-investigator (0.48 calendar).
 - Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation grant OPP52256, “The Role of Cholesterol in Preterm Birth”. PI: Dr. Kelli Ryckman. 1/1/10-12/31/14. Role: Biostatistician (1.2 calendar).
 - Kentucky Biomedical Research Infrastructure Network grant, “KY IDeA Networks of Biomedical Research Excellence.” Principal investigator: Dr. Arnold Stromberg. 08/2012-07/2012. Role: Co-investigator (0.45 Academic, 08/2012-07/2013).
 - National Institute on Aging grant 1-R21-AG040542-01A1, “Muscle, fat and NK lymphocytes in aging.” Principal investigator: Dr. Charles Lutz. 08/2012-07/2014. Role: Co-investigator (0.45 Academic, 08/2012-07/2013).

- Merck IISP ID 40305, “A study to compare the impact of a school based HPV program on vaccination uptake and completion rates.” Principal investigator: Dr. Christine Weyman. 08/2012-08/2013. Role: Consultant (0.25 Summer, 08/2012-07/2013).
- National Center for Research Resources grant 2-P20-RR020145-07, “Center for the Biologic Basis of Oral/Systemic Diseases”. Principal investigator: Dr. Jeffrey Ebersole. 9/2004-7/2014. Role: Co-investigator (0.9 Academic, 10/2010-07/2013).
- Dan and Virginia Martin Pediatric Research Fund, in association with the University of Kentucky Department of Pediatrics (internal funding). Role: Statistical support (0.9 Academic, 12/2010-07/2013).
- Altarum Institute grant SC-10-013, “Models of SNAP Nutrition education and Evaluation, Wave 2”. Principal investigator: Laura Stephenson. Role: Co-investigator (0.9 Summer, 05/2013-07/2013).
- National Institute of Child Health and Human Development grant 1-R21-HD059058-01-A2, “Farm to School: A Community-Based Program to Combat Childhood Obesity”. Principal investigator: Dr. Mark Swanson. 9/2010-8/2011. Role: Co-investigator (0.45 Summer, 9/2010-8/2012).
- University of Kentucky Summer Research Fellowship, “Visualization of regression functions”. Role: Principal investigator (5/2011-8/2011, funds used to support a graduate research assistant over the summer).
- National Institute of General Medical Sciences grant 5-T32-GM077973, “Statistics in microbiology, infectious diseases, and bioinformatics”. Principal investigator: Dr. Kathryn Chaloner. Role: Fellow (8/2006-7/2009).

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Associate Editor, Reviews Section, *Journal of the American Statistical Association* and *The American Statistician*, 2013-
- Awards Officer, Section on Statistical Computing and Section on Statistical Graphics, American Statistical Association, 2015-2017
- Review Editor, *Frontiers in Bioinformatics and Computational Biology*, 2011-2015
- Reviewer for grant proposal submitted to the National Security Agency (3)
- Refereed articles for the following journals:
 - *The Journal of the American Statistical Association* (7)
 - *Genetic Epidemiology* (4)
 - *Annals of the Institute of Statistical Mathematics* (3)
 - *Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics* (2)
 - *The American Statistician* (2)
 - *Statistics and Computing* (2)
 - *Biometrics* (2)
 - *Communications in Statistics: Theory and Methods* (2)
 - *PLoS ONE* (2)

- *Journal of Machine Learning Research* (2)
 - *Computational Statistics*
 - *Journal of Statistical Computing and Simulation*
 - *Statistical Applications in Genetics and Molecular Biology*
 - *Statistical Modelling*
 - *Psychological Methods*
 - *Frontiers in Plant Science*
 - *Communications in Statistics: Simulation and Computation*
 - *Current Eye Research*
 - *Statistics in Medicine*
 - *Technometrics*
 - *Annals of Applied Statistics*
 - *Journal of Biometrics and Biostatistics*
 - *American Journal of Epidemiology*
 - *Frontiers in Genetics*
 - *Journal of Multivariate Analysis*
 - *Journal of Translational Medicine*
 - *Annals of Statistics*
 - *Statistical Papers*
 - *Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention*
 - *OMICS: A Journal of Integrative Biology*
 - *Statistical Science*
 - *IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems*
 - *The Journal of Bayesian Analysis*
- Session chair, Joint Statistical Meetings, 2009-2012, 2014-2018
 - Session chair, ENAR Spring Meeting, 2010
 - Member, American Statistical Association, 2006-
 - Member, Institute of Mathematical Statistics, 2005-

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

- Curriculum review committee, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, 2017-
- PhD Exam Steering Committee, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, 2014-2018
- MS Exam Committee, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, 2014-2015, 2018
- Computing Committee, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, 2013-present
- Co-chair, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, 2016-2017
- Exploratory Committee for developing an Advanced Statistical Computing course, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, 2015-2016
- Faculty Search Committee, Department of Biostatistics, University of Iowa, 2013-2014, 2014-2015
- Ph.D. qualifying exam committee, Department of Biostatistics, University of Kentucky, 2010-2012

- M.S. comprehensive exam committee, Department of Statistics, University of Kentucky, *2012-2013*
- Degree program committee, Ph.D. in Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of Kentucky, *2010-2012*
- Ph.D. qualifying exam committee, Department of Statistics, University of Kentucky, *2011*
- Picnic committee, Department of Statistics, University of Kentucky, *2009-2010*
- Minutes committee, Department of Statistics, University of Kentucky *2009-2010*
- President, Biostatistics Student Organization, University of Iowa, *2006-2007*

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- Chair, research council, College of Public Health, University of Iowa, *2017-2018*
- Research council, College of Public Health, University of Iowa, *2015-2017*
- Computation and Informatics Committee, College of Public Health, University of Iowa, *2014-present*
- Faculty judge, Research Week Poster Competition, College of Public Health, University of Iowa, *2016-2017*
- Internal review committee to evaluate the Department of Community and Behavioral Health, College of Public Health, University of Iowa, *2015-2016*
- Search Committee, Tenure-track position in Department of Biomedical Engineering, University of Iowa, *2014-2015*
- Comprehensive exam committee for Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Program in Genetics, *2014, 2017*
- Academic Affairs Committee, College of Public Health, University of Kentucky, *2011-2013*
- Research, Evaluation, and Scholarship Committee, Center for Interprofessional Healthcare Education, Research, and Practice, University of Kentucky, *2012-2013*
- Discussion moderator, University of Kentucky Health Care Common Reading Experience, *2011-2012*
- Practice and Service Committee, University of Kentucky College of Public Health, *2009-2011*
- Ph.D. qualifying exam committee, Center for Biomedical Engineering, University of Kentucky, *2010*
- Faculty judge, Graduate Student Interdisciplinary Conference, University of Kentucky, *April 2010*

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Faculty Research Award, University of Iowa College of Public Health, *2018*
- College of Public Health Faculty Teaching Award, University of Iowa, *2015*
- Milford E. Barnes Award (for outstanding graduate student in Biostatistics), University of Iowa, *2009*.
- Elected to Delta Omega (Public Health Honorary Society), *2009*.
- Graduate teaching award, Iowa State University, *2003*.
- National Merit Scholar, *1998-2002*.

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