Amber Day

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EDUCATION

MS Math Ed MA Math PhD Statistics & Data Sciences AS in Math BS in Math University of Texas at Austin August 2020 - present Statistics and Data Sciences, PhD - GPA - 3.98 Austin, Texas The College at Brockport August 2018 - August 2020 Mathematics, MA - GPA - 4.00 Brockport, New York University of Rochester May 2016 - August 2017 Mathematics Education, MS - GPA - 3.97 Rochester, New York Texas State University January 2014 - May 2016 Mathematics, BS - GPA - 4.00 San Marcos, Texas Austin Community College January 2011 - December 2013 Mathematics, AS - GPA - 3.66 Austin, Texas

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Statistics and Data Sciences

• Deep Learning, Time Series Analysis, Complex-Valued Neural Networks, Signal Denoising, Classification, Bayesian Optimization, Bayesian Active Learning, Bayesian Neural Networks, Applications in Physics

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Complex-Valued Signal Denoising and Bayesian Optimization for Detection of Synthetic Opioids with Natalie Klein (Los Alamos National Laboratory)

• Current: Working on developing/applying machine learning and statistical tools for signal detection and for denoising complex-valued time series data. Using Bayesian optimization to inform physics experiments. Running jobs on the Darwin cluster.

Deep Learning with Sinead Williamson (UT Austin)

• Current: Working on developing deep learning models for physics applications using PyTorch.

Bayesian Sparse Functional Graphical Models with Abhra Sarkar (UT Austin)

• Worked on developing an algorithm to estimate the edges in functional graphical models.

Genome-Wide Association Study (GWAS) with Arbel Harpak (UT Austin)

• GWAS of educational attainment. Ran jobs on Texas Advanced Computing Center (TACC).

Prime Numbers with Gabriel Prajitura (SUNY Brockport)

PUBLICATIONS

Natalie Klein, **Amber J. Day**, Harris Mason, Michael W. Malone, Sinead A. Williamson. Denoising Neural Networks for Nuclear Resonance Spectroscopy. *Submitted to ICASSP 2023*.

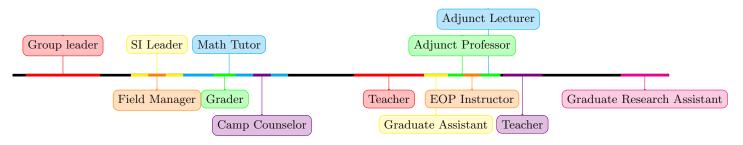
PRESENTATIONS

Detecting Synthetic Opioids with NQR Spectroscopy and Complex-Valued Signal Denoising - Los Alamos National Laboratory Student Symposium, August 2022

POSTER SESSIONS

WiML Workshop @ NeurIPS - Detecting Synthetic Opioids with NQR Spectroscopy and Complex-Valued Signal Denoising, November 2022

MAA Seaway Conference - Comparing Differences of Consecutive Prime Numbers, April 2019 SUNY Brockport Scholars Day - Comparing Differences of Consecutive Prime Numbers, April 2019



Graduate Research Assistant (GRA)

Los Alamos National Laboratory

Remote

Rochester, NY

Brockport, NY

Brighton, NY

Brockport, NY

Brighton, NY

Rochester, NY

San Marcos. TX

San Marcos, TX

Texas State University

Austin, TX

Austin, TX

SUNY Brockport

May 2022 - Present

• Conduct machine learning research in the Statistical Sciences Group.

Teacher Rochester City School District

February 2020 - August 2020

• Instruct high school students in algebra and geometry.

Adjunct Lecturer SUNY Brockport

August 2019-January 2020

• Instruct students in business calculus.

Adjunct Professor Monroe Community College

August 2018-January 2020

• Instruct students in developmental mathematics.

Graduate Assistant August 2018-January 2020

• Tutor Mathematics for the Living Learning Communities program.

Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) Instructor Monroe Community College

Summer 2019

Summer 2015

• Teach college survival skills to pre-freshman in summer bridge program.

Teacher Rochester City School District

April 2017-August-2018

• Tutor mathematics.

• Instruct 7th and 8th grade mathematics and science.

Camp Counselor Texas State University

• Help campers to deepen their understanding of and love for mathematics.

Mathematics Tutor **Austin Community College**

October 2013-December 2015

Grader

August 2014-December 2014

• Grade differential equations assignments.

• Recruit, train, and manage a team of activists.

Supplemental Instruction Leader **Austin Community College**

January 2013-December 2013

Grassroots Campaigns Field Manager

Summer 2013

Austin, TX

Group Leader Extend-A-Care

January 2012-June 2012 Austin, TX

• Supervise elementary students in after-school program.

• Organize and hold group study sessions for pre-algebra.

AWARDS

UT Austin: Dean's Mentoring Fellowship – \$34,000/year, tuition waiver & benefits – August 2020 & August 2021

UT Austin: Recruiting Bonus – \$4,000 – August 2020

SUNY Brockport: Graduate Assistantship – \$15,500 – August 2018

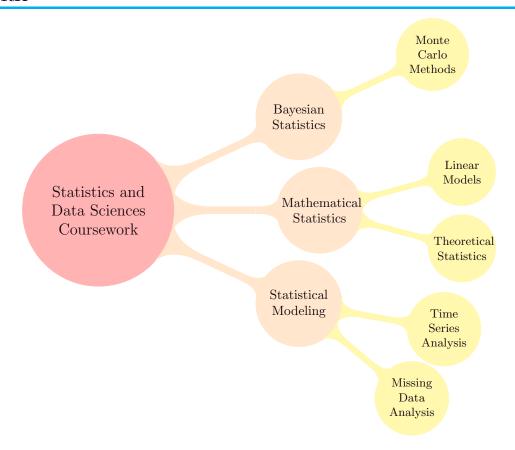
University of Rochester: Warner School Scholarship – \$53,000 – May 2016

Texas State University: Emmie Craddock Scholarship – \$1,500 – April 2015

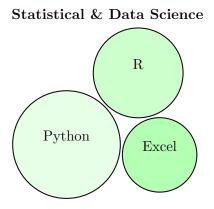
Texas State University: Ross and Sarah Wayment Endowed Scholarship - \$1,500 - April 2015

Austin Community College: Austin Kiwanis Club Scholarship – \$1,000 – August 2011 Austin Community College: Austin Rotary Club Scholarship – \$1,200 – August 2011

COURSEWORK



TECHNICAL SKILLS



Other Software & Tools

	PowerPoint
LaTeX	Word