# Angel R. Pineda

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Department of Mathematics

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### Professional Experience

Manhattan College	Associate Professor of Mathematics	2015 - present
CSU, Fullerton	Associate Professor of Mathematics	2013 - 2015
CSU, Fullerton	Assistant Professor of Mathematics	2007 - 2013

### Sabbatical Visiting Position

University of Southern California Magnetic Resonance Engineering Laboratory 2013 - 2014

### Education

Stanford University	Postdoctoral Fellowship in Radiology	2002 -	- 2006
Advisers:	Norbert J. Pelc and Rebecca Fahrig		

University of Arizona Ph.D. in Applied Mathematics 1995 - 2002

Adviser: Harrison H. Barrett

Dissertation: Detection-Theoretic Evaluation in Digital Radiography

and Optical Tomography

Lafayette College B.S. in Chemical Engineering 1991 - 1995

Summa Cum Laude

Advisers: Robert G. Root and Javad Tavakoli

### Research Interests

General: Applied Mathematics, Statistical Inference, Medical Imaging

Specialization: Statistical Inverse Problems in Medical Imaging

#### Honors

Featured in Lathisms Hispanic Herita	maticians 2020		
Co-authored article "Water-fat separa	ging" 2016		
chosen as one of the 25 most important papers in the first 25 years of JMRI			
CSU, Fullerton	ng Student 2011		
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Research, awarded by the College of Science and Mathematics CSU, Fullerton

Outstanding Educator of the Year, received one 2011

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of two awards given in math by the Associated Students, Inc.

Mathematical Association of America Dolciani-Halloran Project NExT Fellow

American Lung Association

Senior Research Training Fellowship

University of Arizona

Michael A. Cusanovich Research Fellowship

1998 - 1999

USA TODAY's All Academic Team (Honorable Mention)

Volunteer of the Year, Lafayette College
Phi Beta Kappa
Tau Beta Pi
Sigma Xi

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### Teaching Experience

Manhattan College

Undergraduate Courses:

Introduction to Mathematical Computation (MATH 158)

Calculus II (MATH 186) Calculus III (MATH 285)

Elementary Statistics (MATH 230)

Probability (MATH 331)

Applied Statistics (MATH 336)

Independent Study: Undergraduate Research (MATH 499)

#### Graduate Courses:

Computational Methods for Analytics (MATG 511)

Probability and Statistics for Analytics (MATG 630)

Statistical Inference (MATG 632)

Advanced Statistical Inference (MATG 633)

Probabilistic Methods (MATG 635) Statistical Learning (MATG 639)

Internship (MATG 698) Research (MATG 699)

CSU, Fullerton

### Undergraduate Courses:

Business Calculus (Math 135)

Differential Equations with Linear Algebra (Math 250B)

Problem Solving (Math 281) Linear Algebra (Math 307)

Introduction to Mathematical Computation (Math 320)

Mathematical Probability (Math 335)

Statistics for the Natural Sciences (Math 338)

Numerical Analysis (Math 340) Mathematical Statistics (Math 435)

Internship (Math 495)

Undergraduate Research (Math 497) Independent Study (Math 499)

### Graduate Courses:

Numerical Analysis I,II (Math 501 A,B)

Probability and Statistics I,II (Math 502 A,B)

Mathematical Modeling I,II (Math 503 A,B)

Stochastic Modeling and Inverse Problems I,II (Math 504 A,B)

Applied Mathematics Project (Math 597)

# Mentored Research Students (including university, funding sources<sup>1</sup> and dates)

Graduate			
Joshua Herman	Manhattan College	NIH-MC	Summer 2020 - present
Katherine Encarnacion	Manhattan College	MC,CRFEC	Fall 2015 - Spring 2016
Nicholas Italiano	Manhattan College	MC,CRFEC	Fall 2015 - Spring 2016
Michael Scarinci	Manhattan College	MC,CRFEC	Fall 2015 - Spring 2016
Emily K. Bice	CSU, Fullerton	GE & CSUF	Spring 2009 - Summer 2010
Antonio Gonzalez	CSU, Fullerton	NIH-CSUF	Spring 2008 - Fall 2008
Undergraduate			
Alexandra O'Neill	Manhattan College	NIH-MC	Summer 2020 - present
Rachel Roca	Manhattan College	NIH-MC	Summer 2020 - present
Emely Valdez	Manhattan College	NIH-MC	Summer 2020
Quinn Torres	Manhattan College	MC	Summer 2019
Marcus Wong	Manhattan College	MC	Summer 2019
Hope Miedema	Manhattan College	MC	Spring 2017
Melissa Brenner	Manhattan College	MC	Fall 2016
Sana Altaf	Manhattan College	MC	Fall 2016
Erick Ortega	CSU, Fullerton	LSAMP	Fall 2014 - Spring 2015
Rudolph Saenz	CSU, Fullerton	LSAMP	Fall 2014 - Spring 2015
Cody Gruebele	CSU, Fullerton	CSUF	Fall 2012 - Spring 2013
Jorly Chatouphonexay	CSU, Fullerton	MARC	Summer 2010 - Spring 2013
Anne Calder	CSU, Fullerton	CURM	Fall 2010 - Spring 2011
Li-Hsuan Huang	CSU, Fullerton	CURM & LSAMP	Fall 2010 - Spring 2011
Eden Ellis	CSU, Fullerton	CURM & CSUF	Summer 2010 - Spring 2011
Kevin Park	CSU, Fullerton	CURM & LSAMP & McNair	Summer 2009 - Spring 2011
Daniel Jewell	CSU, Fullerton	NIH-CSUF	Spring 2008 - Summer 2008
Joaquin Alvarado	CSU, Fullerton	Start-up funds	Summer 2008
Victor Ying	CSU, Fullerton	Start-up funds	Summer 2008
Abhik Kumar	Stanford University	AAPM	Summer 2005

## Selected Presentations by Mentored Graduate Students in Research and Class Projects

- 1. Herman JD, Roca RE, O'Neill AG, Lingala SG, **Pineda AR**, "Task-Based Assessment for Neural Networks: Evaluating Undersampled MRI Reconstructions based on Signal Detection", Virtual Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine (ISMRM), 2021.
- 2. Scarinci M, Encarnacion K, Italiano N, "3D Visualization of Growth Pattern of Artemisia tridentata (Sagebrush)", Talk at an SIAM e-poster Session at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM), Boston, MA, 2016.
- 3. Bice EK, "Cramér-Rao Bound for Estimating Non-linear Parameters in a Model for Chemical Species Separation using MRI", Talk at an AMS Special Session on Interactions of Inverse Problems, Signal Processing, and Imaging at the Joint Mathematics Meetings, San Francisco, CA, 2010.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>NIH-MC: NIH National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering (NIBIB) 1R15EB029172-01, MC: Manhattan College, CRFEC: Catherine and Robert Fenton Endowed Chair (Lance Evans), GE: General Electric, CSUF: California State University, Fullerton, NIH-CSUF: National Institutes of Health 1R01CA112163, MARC: Minority Access to Research Careers, CURM: Center for Undergraduate Research in Mathematics, LSAMP: Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation, McNair: McNair Scholars Program and AAPM: American Association of Physicists in Medicine.

4. Sarcon A, Abbasi N, Pineda AR, "The Mathematics of Imaging Blood Flow", Mathematics Colloquium, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2008.

## Selected Presentations by Mentored Undergraduate Students in Research and Class Projects

- 1. O'Neill AG, Valdez EL, Lingala SG, Pineda AR, "Modeling human observer detection in undersampled magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)", Virtual Poster Presentation at the SPIE Medical Imaging Conference, 2021. Alexandra O'Neill was selected as a finalist for the 2021 Robert F. Wagner All Conference Best Student Paper Award
- 2. Roca RE, Herman JD, O'Neill AG, Lingala SG, Pineda AR, "Task Performance or Artifact Reduction? Evaluating the Number of Channels and Dropout based on Signal Detection on a U-Net with SSIM Loss", Virtual Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine (ISMRM), 2021.
- 3. Roca RE, "U-Net Neural Network Reconstructions of Under-sampled Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", virtual poster presentation at the Undergraduate Research Poster Session of the Joint Mathematics Meetings, 2021. Outstanding Poster Award
- 4. O'Neill AG, Valdez EL, "Modeling Signal Detection in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) Using Human Observer Models", virtual poster presentation at the Undergraduate Research Poster Session of the Joint Mathematics Meetings, 2021. Honorable Mention
- 5. Torres QQ, "Optimizing data acquisition for deep learning in magnetic resonance imaging", poster presentation at the Undergraduate Research Poster Session of the Joint Mathematics Meetings, Denver, CO, 2020. **Honorable Mention**
- 6. Wong ML, "Optimizing network architecture for deep learning in magnetic resonance imaging", poster presentation at the Undergraduate Research Poster Session of the Joint Mathematics Meetings, Denver, CO, 2020. Honorable Mention
- 7. Kang C and O'Neill A, "Can we predict the way you vote?", Talk at the NYC Metro Mathematical Association of America Section Meeting at the New York City College of Technology, Brooklyn, NY, NY, 2019.
- 8. Kemp T, "Do Multiple Head Injuries Increase the Likelihood of PTSD and Depression?", Talk at the NYC Metro Mathematical Association of America Section Meeting at the New York City College of Technology, Brooklyn, NY, NY, 2019.
- 9. Friedman K, Albano D, "Animation in MATLAB for Visualizing Linear Transformations", Talk at the Spuyten Duyvil Undergraduate Mathematics Conference at Southern Connecticut State University, New Haven, CT, 2018.
- Altaf S, Brenner M, "Statistical Binary Classification of Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)
  Data", Poster at the NYC Metro Mathematical Association of America Section Meeting at Hostos
  Community College, NY, NY, 2017.
- Miedema H, "Classification of Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) Data Using Small Sample Sizes", Poster at the NYC Metro Mathematical Association of America Section Meeting at Hostos Community College, NY, NY, 2017.
- 12. Ortega E, Saenz RV, "Importance of Sampling Pattern and Regularization in Under-Sampled Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", Talk at the Pacific Coast Undergraduate Math Conference

- (PCUMC), Thousand Oaks, CA, 2015.
- 13. Gruebele CL, "Comparison of Two Models for Fat/Water Separation in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", Undergraduate Poster at the Joint Mathematics Meetings, San Diego, CA, 2013. Outstanding Presentation Award.
- 14. Chatouphonexay J, "Maximum Likelihood Estimation of the Fat Fraction Using Magnetic Resonance Imaging at High Signal-to-Noise Ratio", Undergraduate Poster at the SACNAS National Meeting, Seattle, WA, 2012.
- 15. Calder AM, Ellis EA, "Monte Carlo Methods to Understand the Statistical Estimation of the Fat Fraction in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", Talk at the Center for Undergraduate Research in Mathematics (CURM) Conference, Provo, UT, 2011.
- 16. Huang LH, Park K, "Analytical Methods to Understand the Statistical Estimation of the Fat Fraction in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", Talk at the Pacific Coast Undergraduate Math Conference (PCUMC), Los Angeles, CA, 2011.
- 17. Laidlaw M, "Image Compression using Singular Value Decomposition", Talk at the Pacific Coast Undergraduate Mathematics Conference, Pepperdine University, Malibu, CA, 2010.
- 18. Park K, "Noise Analysis of Accelerated Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) Using Multiple Coils", Undergraduate Poster at the Joint Mathematics Meetings, San Francisco, CA, 2010.
- 19. Hoff P, "Structure of Error in Iterative Methods", Talk at the Southern California Conference on Undergraduate Research, CSU, Pomona, CA, 2008.

### Peer-Reviewed Journal Publications by Mentored Undergraduate Students

1. Calder AM, Ellis EA, Huang LH, Park K, "Statistical Modeling through Analytical and Monte Carlo Methods of the Fat Fraction in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", SIAM Undergraduate Research Online, 5, 2012, 116-127.

#### Theses by Mentored Undergraduate Students

- 1. Chatouphonexay, J, "Maximum Likelihood Estimation of the Fat Fraction Using Magnetic Resonance Imaging", Minority Access to Research Careers (MARC) Scholars Program, 2013.
- 2. Park K, "Noise Analysis of Accelerated Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) Using Multiple Coils", McNair Scholars Program, 2010.

### Proceedings Publications by Mentored Graduate Students

1. Encarnacion K, Scarinci M, "Visualization of Xylary Rings of Stems of Artemisia tridentata spp. Wyomingensis", The Manhattan Scientist, 2015, 157-164.

## Proceedings Publications by Mentored Undergraduate Students

- 1. O'Neill AG, Valdez EL, "Modeling Signal Detection in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) using Human Observer Models", Manhattan Scientist 2020, in press.
- 2. Roca RE, Herman JD, "U-Net Neural Network Reconstructions of Under-sampled Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", Manhattan Scientist 2020, in press.
- 3. Torres QQ, Wong ML, "Optimizing data acquisition for deep learning in magnetic resonance imaging", Manhattan Scientist 2019, 233-240.

- 4. Wong ML, Torres QQ, "Optimizing network architecture for deep learning in magnetic resonance imaging", Manhattan Scientist 2019, 241-248.
- 5. Altaf S, Brenner M, "Statistical binary classification of magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) data", The Manhattan Scientist, 2017, 215-224.
- 6. Miedema H, "Classification of magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) data using small sample sizes", The Manhattan Scientist, 2017, 235-242.
- 7. Ortega E, Saenz RV, "Importance of Sampling Pattern and Regularization in Under-Sampled Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", DIMENSIONS: The Journal of Undergraduate Research in Natural Sciences & Mathematics at CSUF, 2015, 101-112.
- 8. Gruebele CL, "Comparison of Two Models for Fat/Water Separation in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", DIMENSIONS: The Journal of Undergraduate Research in Natural Sciences & Mathematics at CSUF, 2013, 94-98.
- 9. Chatouphonexay, J, "Maximum Likelihood Estimation of the Fat Fraction Using Magnetic Resonance Imaging at High Signal-to-Noise Ratio", DIMENSIONS: The Journal of Undergraduate Research in Natural Sciences & Mathematics at CSUF, 2012, 37-44.
- 10. Calder AM, Ellis EA, Huang LH, Park K, "Statistical Modeling of the Fat Fraction in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)", DIMENSIONS: The Journal of Undergraduate Research in Natural Sciences & Mathematics at CSUF, 2011, 114-123.
- 11. Kumar A, "Effect of Lesion Size on the Detection and Size Estimation of Lung Nodules", Proceedings of the National Conference on Undergraduate Research, 2006, 2885-2892.

#### **Team-based Consulting**

Data Consulting Project	Project Topic: Visualizing Sagebrush Growth	2015
Role: Co-Mentor (with L. Evans)	Manhattan College	

Applied Math Project Project Topic: Hurricane Modeling 2015
Role: Co-Mentor (with J. Grace) CSU, Fullerton & Earth Science Associates

Applied Math Project Project Topic: Magnetic Resonance Imaging 200

Applied Math Project Project Topic: Magnetic Resonance Imaging 2008 Role: Co-Mentor (with W. Gearhart) CSU, Fullerton & GE Healthcare

Math Modeling in Industry Project Topic: Computed Tomography 2000 Role: Participant Institute for Mathematics and its Applications

Technology Clinic Project Topic: Queuing of Sleep Apnea Patients 1994-1995

Role: Participant Lafayette College

### Visiting Graduate Student Research Position

Summer Research Program Theoretical Biology and Biophysics Group 1997

Los Alamos National Laboratory

## Professional Service at National or International Level

Secretary for Graduate Research Assistantships in Developing Countries (GRAID) 2018 - present of the Committee for Developing Countries (CDC)

Advisory Board for GRAM: Graduate Readiness and Access in Mathematics (NSF funded grant at CSU, Fullerton)		2015 - present	
MAA Project NExT consultant and mentor		2016 - present	
Reviewer for MAA	Dolciani (DMEG) Grants	2019	
Co-Organizer for Invited Paper Session with M. Dorff and Neudauer N.A., "Supporting	Joint Mathematics Meetings g Mathematics in the Developing World	2021 d"	
International Mathematical Union (IMU) Com	mittee for Developing Countries (CDC)	) 2014 - 2018	
Moderator and chair of organizing committee ICM, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil 2018 for IMU CDC Panel and Poster Session, "Strengthening Mathematics in the Developing World"			
MAA Subcommittee on Research by Undergraduates (SCRU) 20			
Orientation for judges at the Undergraduate Po	2013 - 2015		
Co-organizer for MAA SCRU Panel with Herbert Medina, "Undergraduate Research	Joint Mathematics Meetings h: View Points From the Student Side'	, 2015	
Regional Coordinator for Central America of IMU Report on Mathematics 2011-2014 in Latin America and the Caribbean			
Co-organizer for MAA SCRU Panel with Sarah S. Adams, "Successful and Diverse	Joint Mathematics Meetings  Models for Mentoring Research by Und	2012 dergraduates"	
Volunteer Lecturer in Numerical Analysis U.S. National Committee for Mathematics	Royal University of Phnom Penh, Cambodia	2009, 2010	
Co-coordinator for Project NExT Sessions with J. Schaefer, coordinated 6 sessions (with 2	MathFest, Portland 24 organizers and 22 panelists)	2009	

## Service Related Publications

Chapter in AMS/MAA Classroom Teaching Materials, "Testimonios: Stories of Latinx and Hispanic Mathematicians" (in press).

"President's Message: Mathematicians Without Borders",  $MAA\ Focus$ , Dec/Jan 2020. Pages 26-28. with Dorff M, Neudauer NA.

"Strengthening Mathematics in the Developing World", ICM 2018 Proceedings, Pages 1049-1064 (2019). with Jose Maria P. Balmaceda, Nouzha El Yacoubi, Mama Foupouagnigni, Alejandro Jofré, Lena Koch, Wandera Ogana, Paolo Piccione, Polly W. Psy, Marie-Françoise Roy, and Yuri Tschinkel

"Undergraduate Research: Viewpoints from the Student Side", Math Horizons, Sept. 2016, 23-25. with Alejandro Camacho, Jeffrey Laylon Davis, Sarah Klett, Herbert Medina, Samantha VanSchalkwyk

IMU Report on Mathematics in Latin America and the Caribbean 2014 with Jose Antonio de la Peña, Luis Caceres, Carlos Di Prisco and Andrea Solotar http://www.mathunion.org/cdc/research-and-useful-links/

Mentoring and Judging at the Undergraduate Poster Session of the JMM with James P. Solazzo 2013

http://www.maa.org/programs/students/undergraduate-research/jmm-poster-session/judging-criteria

Teaching Numerical Analysis in Cambodia SIAM News March 2010 http://www.siam.org/news/news.php?id=1720

Selected Television Interviews: "Math in the Movies" and "The Science of Beer Bubbles" (in Spanish, for Discoveries and Breakthroughs in Science)

#### Journal Reviewer:

Medical Physics Journal, Magnetic Resonance in Medicine, IEEE Transactions on Medical Imaging, Journal of the Optical Society of America A, Applied Optics, SIAM Journal on Imaging Sciences, UMAP Journal: Undergraduate Mathematics and Its Applications, Optics Express.

## Grant Reviewer:

National Science Foundation

## Professional Service at Regional Level

Organizer of the Career Panel Garden State Undergraduate Mathematics Conference, 2019

## College and University Service

Senate	Manhattan College	2019 - present	
CFA Summer Grant Committee	Manhattan College	2016-2017, 2018 - present	
Advisory Board for Center for the	Manhattan College	2017 - present	
Study of the Future of Education (CSFE)			
Coordinated visit by William I. Velez	z to CSFE and Math Dept.	Spring 2018	
NSM Assistant Dean Search	CSUF	2013	
MARC Scholar Selection Committee	CSUF	2012, 2015	

#### Departmental Service

Graduate Committee	Manhattan College	2015 - present
(Graduate Director 2018 - present)		
Internship Coordinator	Manhattan College	2017 - present
Technology in the Classroom	Manhattan College	2020 - present
Fall Open House	Manhattan College	2015, 2020
Elementary Statistics Coordinator	Manhattan College	2018 - 2020
VAP Search Committee	Manhattan College	2017 - 2018
Prob & Stats Committee (Chair)	Manhattan College	2016 - 2017
Computer Science in Math	Manhattan College	2015 - 2017
Department Personnel Committee	CSU, Fullerton	2014 - 2015
Applied Math Graduate Committee	CSU, Fullerton	2007 - 2013, 2014 - 2015
Math Club Adviser	CSU, Fullerton	2008 - 2013

Internship Coordinator	CSU, Fullerton	2010 - 2013, 2014 - 2015
Chair, Social Activities Committee	CSU, Fullerton	2012 - 2013
Website Committee	CSU, Fullerton	2012 - 2013
Applied Math Search Committee	CSU, Fullerton	2012 - 2013
Colloquium Organizer	CSU, Fullerton	2007 - 2010
Chair, Happy Hour Committee	Stanford University	2004

#### Selected Service in Panels

El Posgrado: Un Asunto Familiar	CSU, Fullerton	2013	
Panel in Spanish to help families und	erstand the graduate school experience		
MARC-RCP Family Day	CSU, Fullerton	2013	
The graduate school experience, Spanish translation of welcoming remarks			
New Faculty Orientation	CSU, Fullerton	2012	
Life and Teaching at CSUF			
PEERS (Science Mentoring Program)	UCLA	2011	
Life as a Professor			

### **Mentoring Programs**

Minority Access to Research Careers (MARC) at CSUF

Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) Scholars Program at CSUF

Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation (LSAMP) at CSUF

McNair Scholars Program at CSUF

Enhancing Postbaccalaureate Opportunities at Cal State Fullerton for Hispanic Students (EPOCHS)

National Alliance for Doctoral Studies in the Mathematical Sciences

## **Professional Memberships**

Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM)

Mathematical Association of America (MAA)

Association for Women in Mathematics (AWM)

#### Community Leadership

Counselor	Camp Wildcat	1997-1999	
Program which took underprivileged	grade school children backpacking.		
Co-coordinator	Alternative Spring Break (Honduras)	1992-1995	
Program for undergraduates to do community service in Honduras during Spring break.			
Co-founder	Spanish Floor	1994	
Living environment for native speakers and students wanting to learn Spanish.			

#### Programs to Support All Students

LGBT Safe Zone Program	CSUF	2012 - 2015
AB540 Safe Zone Program	CSUF	2012 - 2015

# Selected Invited Talks

- 1. Honors Convocation (Faculty Address), Manhattan College, NY, NY, 2019. "You got this! Productive Persistence: Challenges are Opportunities for Growth"
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- 2. GRAM Culminating Ceremony (Keynote Speaker), CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2017. "NIH-Funded Research to GRAM: How My CSUF Students Changed Me?"

- 3. Segundo Congreso de Modelación Matematica, San Salvador, El Salvador, 2016.
  - "Optimización de Sistemas Radiológicos Modelando la Detección de Tumores"
  - "Modelo Cinético de Reacción Bio-molecular Dependiendo en Difusión y Flujo"
- 4. Primer Congreso de Modelación Matematica, San Salvador, El Salvador, 2014.
  - "Reporte de la IMU sobre las Matemáticas en América Latina y el Caribe"
  - "Colaboracion entre la Industria y la Matemática Aplicada"
- 5. Pi Mu Epsilon Mathematics Conference (Keynote Speaker), Sonoma State University, CA, 2014. "The Mathematics of Medical Imaging: What is Essential Is Invisible to the Eyes"
- 6. Mathematicians and School Mathematics Education: a Pan-American Workshop, Canada, 2014. "Mathematics in Latin America and the Caribbean: A Report for the IMU"
- 7. Biomedical Engineering Seminar, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, 2014. "Task-Based Optimization in CT and MRI"
- 8.  $MAA\ SCRU\ Panel,$  Joint Mathematics Meetings, Baltimore, MD, 2014.
  - "Directing Undergraduate Research: How to Get Started"
- 9. Escuela de Matemática de América Latina y el Caribe (EMALCA), Tegucigalpa, Honduras, 2013. "Oportunidades de Estudio de Postgrado Para Centroamericanos en EUA y México".
- 10. Meeting of the IMU Committee for Developing Countries, Berlin, Germany, 2013. "Mathematics in Latin America and the Caribbean: Challenges and Opportunities"
- 11. Osher Lifelong Learning Institute Spring Science Series, Fullerton, CA, 2013. "Medical Imaging: What is Essential Is Invisible to the Eyes".
- 12. Trends in Undergraduate Research in the Mathematical Sciences, Rosemont, IL, 2012. "Center for Undergraduate Research in Mathematics (CURM) Projects at CSUF"
- 13. International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine (ISMRM) Scientific Workshop on Fat-Water Separation: Insights, Applications and Progress in MRI, Long Beach, CA, 2012. "Noise, Cramér-Rao Bound and NSA".
- 14. Matemáticos en la Educación Matemática Escolar: En la búsqueda de impacto en nuestra realidad educacional, Santiago, Chile, 2012.
  - "IMU Volunteer Lecturer Program: Math Education as a Tool for International Development"
- 15. SACNAS National Meeting, San Jose, CA, 2011.
  - Session on Mathematical Modeling as a Collaborative Discipline:
  - "Statistical Modeling of Chemical Species Separation in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)".
- 16. Centro de Investigación en Matematica (CIMAT), Guanajuato, Mexico, 2011.
  - "Cramér-Rao Bounds for Chemical Species Separation in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)".
- 17. U.S. National Committee for Mathematics, Irvine, CA, 2010.
  - Report given to the USNCM on the LMS panel at the ICM and mentoring the first graduate student (Emily Bice) in the Volunteer Lecturer Program in Cambodia.
- 18. International Congress of Mathematicians, Hyderabad, India, 2010.
  - Panel hosted by the London Mathematical Society (LMS) on Mechanisms for Strengthening Mathematics in Developing Countries.
- 19. U.S. National Committee for Mathematics, MSRI, Berkeley, CA, 2009.
  - Gave a report to the USNCM on being a Volunteer Lecturer in Cambodia.
- 20. American Association of Physicists in Medicine (AAPM) Focused Research Meeting on Model Observers for Tomosynthesis and CT of the Breast, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL, 2009. "Spatial and Fourier Analysis of Non-stationarity in 3D Computed Tomography".

### Selected Talks and Panels

- 1. Joint Mathematics Meetings, Denver, CO, 2020.
- 2. Mathematics Colloquium, Hofstra University, NY, NY, 2019.
- 3. SPIE Medical Imaging Conference, San Diego, CA, 2019.
- 4. SPIE Medical Imaging Conference, Houston, TX, 2018.

- 5. Statistical Assessment Methodology for Diagnostics and Biomarkers Meeting, FDA, MD, 2017.
- 6. Business School Seminar, Manhattan College, Riverdale, NY, 2017.
- 7. Mathematics Colloquium, Monmouth University, West Long Branch, NJ, 2015.
- 8. AMS Fall Western Meeting, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2015.
- 9. Mathematics Colloquium, Manhattan College, Riverdale, NY, 2015.
- 10. Problem Solving Seminar (Putnam), CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2014.
- 11. International Congress of Mathematicians, Seul, Korea, 2014.
- 12. Magnetic Resonance Imaging Seminar, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, 2014.
- 13. 35th Anniversary of the Applied Mathematics Program, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, 2014.
- 14. MBI Workshop on Analysis of Large Collections of Imaging Data, Columbus, OH, 2014.
- 15. Magnetic Resonance Imaging Research Group, University of California, Los Angeles, CA, 2013.
- 16. Medical Imaging Seminar Series, University of Southern California, 2013.
- 17. Mathematical Congress of the Americas, Guanajuato, Mexico, 2013.
- 18. SIAM Conference on Uncertainty Quantification, Raleigh, NC, 2012.
- 19. Mathematics Colloquium, CSU, Long Beach, CA, 2011.
- 20. Problem Solving Seminar (Putnam), CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2011.
- 21. Graduate Mathematics Seminar, CSU, Channel Islands, CA, 2011.
- 22. Johns Hopkins University Center for Talented Youth, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2011.
- 23. Problem Solving Seminar (Putnam), CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2010.
- 24. CNSM Colleagues Colloquium, Fullerton, CA, 2010.
- 25. Image Science for the New X-ray Consortium Meeting, San Diego, CA, 2010.
- 26. Joint Mathematics Meetings, San Francisco, CA, 2010.
- 27. Mathematics Colloquium, Fullerton College, CA, 2009.
- 28. Mathematics Colloquium, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2009.
- 29. Math Club Meeting, Cypress College, CA, 2009.
- 30. Annual Meeting of the American Association of Physicists in Medicine, Anaheim, CA, 2009.
- 31. Kids to College Presentation, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2009.
- 32. Exito Universitario: Como Lograrlo en Familia?, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2009.
- 33. Center for Devices and Radiological Health, Food and Drug Administration, Rockville, MD, 2009.
- 34. Statistics Colloquium, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2008.
- 35. Mathematics Colloquium, CSU, Los Angeles, CA, 2008.
- 36. Mathematics Colloquium, CSU, Long Beach, CA, 2008.
- 37. Kids to College Presentation, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2008.
- 38. SPIE Medical Imaging Conference, San Diego, CA, 2008.
- 39. Mathematics Colloquium, Cal Poly, Pomona, CA, 2007.
- 40. Mathematics Colloquium, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2007.
- 41. SIAM Conference on Mathematics for Industry, Philadelphia, PA, 2007.
- 42. Medical Physics Seminar, UW, Madison, WI, 2007.
- 43. Computational and Applied Mathematics Seminar, UC, Irvine, CA, 2007.
- 44. Symposium on Science in the Media, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2007.
- 45. Magnetic Resonance Engineering Seminar, USC, Los Angeles, CA, 2007.
- 46. Workgroup on Acquisition, Reconstruction and Processing, UCSF, San Francisco, CA, 2006.
- 47. Special Colloquium, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI, 2006.
- 48. Special Colloquium, CSU, Fullerton, CA, 2006.
- 49. Special Colloquium, Harvey Mudd College, Claremont, CA, 2006.
- 50. Mathematical Adventures and Diversions (MAAD) Seminar, Lafayette College, Easton, PA, 2005.
- 51. Modeling and Computation Seminar, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, 2005.
- 52. Radiological Society of North America Meeting, Chicago, IL, 2004.
- 53. Workshop on Inverse Problems and Medical Imaging, PIMS, Vancouver, CA, 2003.
- 54. SPIE Medical Imaging Conference, San Diego, CA, 2001.

- 55. SPIE Medical Imaging Conference, San Diego, CA, 2000.
- 56. Center for Nonlinear Studies, Los Alamos, NM, 2000.
- 57. Centre for Medical Image Computing Seminar, University College, London, UK, 2000.
- 58. Center for Devices and Radiological Health, Food and Drug Administration, Rockville, MD, 2000.
- 59. Center for Nonlinear Studies, Los Alamos, NM, 1997.
- 60. Joint Mathematics Meetings, San Francisco, CA, 1995.
- 61. National Conference on Undergraduate Research, Salt Lake City, UT, 1993.

## External Funding (total: \$1,121,786)

NIH NIBIB 1R15EB029172-01 Role: PI (Sajan G. Lingala Co-I) 2020 - present

Funding: \$395,210 R15: Optimizing Acquisition and Reconstruction of Under-sampled

MRI for Signal Detection

Research grant involving undergraduate and graduate students using data science and statistics to improve magnetic resonance imaging.

NSF DMS 1345012 Role: PI (with S. Annin) 2014 - 2015

Funding: \$600,146 MCTP: Graduate Readiness and Access in Mathematics (GRAM)

Comprehensive mentoring program to prepare underrepresented

math students to be successful in graduate studies.

NSF (through CURM at BYU) Role: PI 2010-2011

Funding: \$14,250 Separating Chemical Species in Magnetic Resonance Imaging

The grant funded research with four undergraduates at CSUF

and faculty development as a research mentor.

NIH 1R01CA112163 Role: Consortium PI at CSUF 2007-2010 Total Funding: \$916,164 Image Science for the New X-ray: Taking NEQ to Task CSUF Funding: \$92,180

PI: Jeffrey H. Siewerdsen at Johns Hopkins University

Role: PI

GE Healthcare Technologies Summer 2008 Funding: \$20,000 Understanding the Mathematics of HYPR-type Algorithms

Co-PI: William Gearhart The grant funds the work of students in the Applied Math Project.

Internal Funding

Manhattan College Role: PI Fall 2019 - present

Funding: 3 Teaching Units Per Year Faculty Development Plan:

Optimizing acquisition and reconstruction of under-sampled MRI

for signal detection

Role: PI Manhattan College Summer 2020

Funding: \$3000 Summer Research Grant:

Optimization of constrained reconstruction using human observer

models in magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)

Manhattan College Role: PI Fall 2016 - Spring 2019

Funding: 3 Teaching Units Per Year Faculty Development Plan:

Task-Based Optimization of Accelerated Magnetic Resonance Imaging

Manhattan College Role: PI Summer 2016 Funding: \$3000 Summer Research Grant:

Statistical Leaning in Medical Imaging

CSU, Fullerton ASC Role: PI Fall 2014

Funding: \$2500 and 3 Teaching Units Task-Based Optimization of MRI

CSU, Fullerton CNSM Role: PI (with S. Annin) Spring 2012

Funding: 3 Teaching Units (each) Center for Access to Research in Mathematics (CARM)

Assigned time to write NSF grant proposal.

CSU, Fullerton FDC Role: PI Fall 2011

Funding: 3 Teaching Units Faculty Enhancement and Instructional Development (FEID) grant

Strengthening the Industrial Connection in the

Applied Mathematics Graduate Project

CSU, Fullerton CNSM Role: PI Summer - Fall 2010

Funding: \$4,000 Online Course Development for Graduate Course

in Probability and Statistics

CSU, Fullerton ASC Role: PI Summer 2008

Funding: \$5,000 Level Sets as Prior Information for Reconstruction

in Time-Resolved Angiography

Patents

U.S. Patent #7,176,683 Iterative Decomposition of Water and Fat with Echo Asymmetry

(Co-inventor: Reeder SB) and Least-Squares (IDEAL) Estimation in MRI.

U.S. Patent #7,468,605 Simultaneous Chemical Species Separation and T2\* Measurement

(Pelc NJ, Reeder SB, Wen Z, Yu H) Using MRI

U.S. Patent #7,508,211 IDEAL MRI: Regularized Water-Fat Separation

(Pelc NJ, Reeder SB, Wen Z and Yu H)

U.S. Patent #7,592,807 Maximum Likelihood Estimator in the Presence of Non-Identically

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