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Research Interests

Statistical Genomics |

STATISTICAL METHODS FOR DETECTING DIFFERENTIAL DNA METHYLATION REGION

Survival Analysis |

MODELING EVENT HISTORY DATA WITH A CURE FRACTION

Inter-disciplinary Research |

STATISTICAL APPLICATIONS IN HEALTH, ENGINEERING AND SOCIAL SCIENCE

Statistical Machine Learning |

METHODS THAT COMBINE CLASSICAL STATISTICAL WITH MACHINE LEARNING

Work Experience

Statistical Consultant

MISSOURI S&T ASA STUDENT CHAPTER

- Provide statistical data analysis guidelines to student community
- Assist students with with R, JMP, Minitab and SAS
- Help students with experimental design issues at the planning stages of project work

Rolla - MO

August 2018 — Present

Instructor

MISSOURI UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

- Applied Engineering Statistics (multiple offerings)— Textbook: Applied Statistics and Probability for Engineers by Douglas Montgomery et al

Rolla - MO

August 2018 — Present

Instructor

MISSOURI UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

- Introduction to Biostatistics — Textbook: Statistics for the Life Sciences by Samuels and Witmer

Rolla - MO

2021 —

Graduate Teaching Assistant

MISSOURI UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

- Calculus I & II

Rolla - MO

August 2017 — May 2018

Graduate Teaching Assistant

UNIVERSITY OF NEW ORLEANS

- Calculus I, II & III

New Orleans - LA

August 2015 — May 2016

Instructor

UNIVERSITY OF NEW ORLEANS

- Elementary Statistics & Statistics for Business and Economics

New Orleans - LA

August 2016 — May 2017

Education

Ph.D. Mathematics (Statistics Emphasis)

MISSOURI UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

- Advisors: Dr. Akim Adekpedjou & Dr. Gayla Olbricht
- GPA: 3.93

Rolla, MO

2017 —

M.S. Mathematics

UNIVERSITY OF NEW ORLEANS

- GPA: 3.9

New Orleans

2015 — 2017

- Thesis: Estimation of Beta and the Relationship Between Share Return and Beta in the Emerging Market of Ghana. (coauthored)
- Advisor: Dr. Lord Mensah

Publications

1. Alhassan, D., Olbricht, G., & Adekpedjou, A. (2022). *Differential methylation region detection via an array-adaptive normalized kernel-weighted model*.
2. Alhassan, D., Olbricht, G., Adekpedjou, A., & Agbozo, E. (2022). *idDMR: Methylation analysis methods for illumina microarray data*. <https://github.com/DanielAlhassan/idDMR>
3. Agbozo, E., Alhassan, D., & Spassov, K. (2018). Personal data and privacy barriers to e-government adoption, implementation and development in sub-saharan africa. *International Conference on Electronic Governance and Open Society: Challenges in Eurasia*, 82–91.
4. Nam, S., Hillyer, M. B., & Condon, B. D. (2020). Method for identifying the triple transition (glass transition-dehydration-crystallization) of amorphous cellulose in cotton. *Carbohydrate Polymers*, 228, 115374.

Manuscripts in Preparation

A NORMALIZED KERNEL-WEIGHTED APPROACH TO IDENTIFYING DIFFERENTIAL METHYLATION REGIONS IN THE HUMAN GENOME

2022

- (with G. Olbricht and A. Adekpedjou)

Manuscripts in Preparation

DIFFERENTIAL METHYLATION REGION DETECTION VIA AN ARRAY-ADAPTIVE NORMALIZED KERNEL-WEIGHTED MODEL

2022

- (with G. Olbricht and A. Adekpedjou)

Conferences Attended

Innovation in Teaching and Learning Conference

Missouri S & T

March, 2022

Conference on Statistical Practice

New Orleans LA

February, 2019

Talks and Workshops

Talk

DIFFERENTIAL METHYLATION REGION DETECTION VIA AN ARRAY-ADAPTIVE NORMALIZED KERNEL-WEIGHTED MODEL

Graduate Seminar at Missouri S&T

April 2022

Workshop

LATEX WORKSHOP SESSIONS I & II

Missouri S & T ASA Student Chapter

2018

- Led a two-day workshop teaching graduate students how to typeset with LaTeX

Skills

Programming Languages & Other Tools

PYTHON, R, LATEX, MARKDOWN, RMARKDOWN, GIT, RSTUDIO, EXCEL, OUTLOOK, ONENOTE, POWERPOINT, WORD

Awards and Honors

Midwestern Association of Graduate Schools (MAGS)

Missouri S&T

EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARD NOMINEE

2021

- Each department nominates one graduate student for this award

Department of Mathematics & Statistics

Missouri S&T

GTA TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD

2020

Department of Mathematics & Statistics

GTA TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD

Missouri S&T

2018

Department of Mathematics

GRADUATE MATHEMATICS FACULTY AWARD

University of New Orleans

2017

Certifications

American Statistical Association

GRADUATE STATISTICIAN

ASA

2020

IBM & Coursera

IBM DATA SCIENCE PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE

Online

2019

DataCamp

DATA SCIENTIST WITH R

Online

2019