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Education University of Wisconsin - Madison

Madison, WI Ph.D., Computer Sciences Aug. 2019

Advisor: Colin Dewey, Ph.D.

University of Wisconsin - Madison Madison, WI Dec. 2015 M.S., Computer Sciences

University of Notre Dame South Bend, IN

B.S. Magna Cum Laude, Computer Science May 2013

Experience Morgridge Institute for Research Madison, WI

> Postdoctoral Fellow 2019 - Present

Advisors: Christina Kendziorski, Ph.D.

Ron Stewart, Ph.D.

University of Wisconsin - Madison Madison, WI 2014 - 2019 Research Assistant

Advisor: Colin Dewey, Ph.D.

Seattle, WA Amazon Summer 2014 Software Development Engineering Intern

University of Wisconsin - Madison Madison, WI

Teaching Assistant (Lecturer) Fall 2013, Spring 2014

Course taught: CS302 - Introduction to Programming

New York City, NY Amazon

Software Development Engineering Intern Summer 2013

Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command San Diego, CA

Research Intern Summer 2012

Awards and NIH/BD2K Young Investigator Travel Scholarship

Fellowships International Conference on Intelligent Systems for Molecular Biology

Chicago, IL, July 6-10, 2018

Best Plenary Talk

National Library of Medicine Informatics Training Conference San Diego, CA, June 6, 2017

CIBM Predoctoral Fellowship

University of Wisconsin - Madison Feb. 2015 - Feb. 2018

University Housing Honored Instructor Award

University of Wisconsin – Madison Fall 2013

Professional Memberships

International Society for Computational Biology Upsilon Pi Epsilon Tau Beta Pi

Peer-reviewed Publications † corresponding author

Bernstein, M.N., Ma, J., Gleicher, M., Dewey, C.N. (2021). CellO: Comprehensive and hierarchical cell type classification of human cells with the Cell Ontology. *iScience*, 24(1), 101913.

Overmyer, K.A., Shishkovaa, E., Miller, I.J., Balnisa, J., **Bernstein, M.N.**, Peters-Clarke, T.M., Meyer, J.G., Quan, Q., Muehlbauer, L.K., Trujillo1, E.A., He1, Y., Chopra, A., Chieng, H.C., Anupama Tiwari, A., Judson, M.A., Paulson, B., Brademan, D.R., Zhu, Y., Serrano, L.R., Linke, V., Drake, L.A., Adam, A.P., Schwartz, B.S., Singer, H.A., Swanson, S., Mosher, D.F., Stewart, R., Coon, J.J., Jaitovich, A. (2021). Large-scale Multi-omic Analysis of COVID-19 Severity. *Cell Systems*, 12(1), 23-40.

Bernstein, M.N.†, Gladstein, A., Latt, K.Z., Clough, E., Busby, B., Dillman, A. (2020). Jupyter notebook-based tools for building structured datasets from the Sequence Read Archive. F1000Research, 9(376).

Bernstein, M.N., Doan, A., Dewey, C.N. (2017). MetaSRA: normalized human sample-specific metadata for the Sequence Read Archive. *Bioinformatics*, 33(18), 2914–2923.

Submitted Manuscripts

Bernstein, M.N., Ni, Z., Collins, M., Burkard, M.E., Kendziorski, C., Stewart, R. (2020). CHARTS: A web application for characterizing and comparing tumor subpopulations in publicly available single-cell RNA-seq datasets. *bioRxiv*.

Simonett, S.P., Shin, S., Bacher, R., Dong, C., Smith, L., Rabaglia, M., Stapleton, D., Schueler, K., Choi, J., Bernstein, M.N., Perez-Cerventes, C., Herring, J., Spaeth, J., Stein, R., Tessem, J., Kendziorski, C., Keles, S., Moskowitz, I., Attie, A., Keller, M. (2020). Identification of direct transcriptional targets of Nfatc2 that promote β -cell proliferation in human islets.

Talks and Seminars

Workshop on Computational Advances for Single-Cell Omics Data Analysis (CASCODA)

CellO: Comprehensive and hierarchical cell type classification of human cells with the Cell Ontology
Virtual, Dec. 12, 2020

International Conference on Intelligent Systems for Molecular Biology (ISMB)

MetaSRA: Normalized sample-specific metadata for the Sequence Read Archive Chicago, IL, July 7, 2018

Center for Predictive Computational Phenotyping Annual Retreat Cellular phenotyping with mass, heterogeneous transcriptomic data Madison, WI, May 31, 2018

Computation and Informatics in Biology and Medicine Seminar Towards cell type prediction with public RNA-seq data University of Wisconsin - Madison, January 30, 2018

National Library of Medicine Informatics Training Conference MetaSRA: Normalized sample-specific metadata for the Sequence Read Archive San Diego, CA, June 6, 2017

Center for Predictive Computational Phenotyping Annual Retreat MetaSRA: Normalized sample-specific metadata for the Sequence Read Archive Madison, WI, June 1, 2017

Poster Presentations

Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory conference on Biological Data Science Virtual, Nov. 4-6, 2020

International Conference on Intelligent Systems for Molecular Biology Virtual, July 13-16, 2020

Great Lakes Bioinformatics Conference Madison, WI, May 19-22, 2019

RNA-Seq Summit

San Francisco, CA, April 25-27, 2017

National Library of Medicine Informatics Training Conference Columbus, OH, June 27-28m 2016

Undergraduate Mentorship

Aparna Maddala (Georgia Institute of Technology) Integrated Biological Sciences Summer Research Program, Summer 2019 Project: *Hierarchical deconvolution of bulk RNA-seq data in the MetaSRA* Brett Van
Tassel (Ramapo College of New Jersey) Integrated Biological Sciences Summer Research Program, Summer 2017
Project: Compression of RNA-seq alignments

Kevin Liao (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill) Integrated Biological Sciences Summer Research Program, Summer 2016 Project: Comparing similarity measures over RNA-seq derived gene expression profiles

Teaching

Guest lecture for STAT 877 - Statistical Methods for Molecular Biology Visualizing high dimensional data with dimensionality reduction University of Wisconsin - Madison, Sept. 22, 2020

Guest lecture for STAT 877 - Statistical Methods for Molecular Biology Cellular phenotyping with public, heterogeneous RNA-seq data University of Wisconsin - Madison, Feb. 7, 2019

CS 302 - Introduction to Programming University of Wisconsin - Madison, Fall 2013 & Spring 2014 Teaching Assistant (primary lecturer to class of approximately 30 students)

Service

Journal Reviewer: Bioinformatics, BMC Bioinformatics, Journal of Computational Biology, Nature Biotechnology, Nature Communications, Nucleic Acids Research

Committee Member, Prospective Student Welcome Weekend Department of Computer Sciences, University of Wisconsin - Madison, Spring 2016 & Spring 2014

Committee Chair, Prospective Student Welcome Weekend Department of Computer Sciences, University of Wisconsin - Madison, Spring 2015

Club Leader, After School Computer Programming Club Stephen's Point Elementary School, Madison, WI, Spring 2015

Professional Activities

Team Lead, NCBI's Single-cell in the Cloud Codeathon New York Genome Center, NY, January 15-17, 2020

Team Lead, NCBI's RNA-Seq in the Cloud Codeathon University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC, March 11-13, 2019