# Matthew C. Galloway

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Graduation: May 2015

#### **Education** U

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota

**School of Statistics,** Doctorate of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

• Research interests include: statistical machine learning, multivariate analysis, precision matrix estimation, sufficient dimension reduction, and kernel methods.

University of St. Thomas (Liberal Arts), St. Paul, Minnesota

Majors: B.S. Statistics, B.S. Actuarial Science, Renaissance Minor

**B.A. Mathematics** (concentration in Applied Mathematics)

**Actuarial Exams Passed:** P/1; FM/2; MFE/3 (fulfilled all VEE requirements)

### Research

### **SCPME - R package**

 An implementation of the methods described in "Shrinking Characteristics of Precision Matrix Estimators" by Aaron J. Molstad, Ph.D and Adam J. Rothman, Ph.D. Available on CRAN or Github (MGallow/SCPME).

### ADMMsigma - R package for precision matrix estimation

• Estimates a penalized precision matrix via ADMM algorithm. Written in C++. Available on CRAN or Github (MGallow/ADMMsigma).

## **Default Analysis of Mortgage Portfolios**

• Used MCMC to model time-to-default of subprime mortgages in 2002-2010. Presented at MCMSki Conference, Chamonix, France, January 2014. *Paper accepted in MASA*.

# Work Experience

### **Graduate Instructor**

June 2018 - Present

University of Minnesota - School of Statistics

• STAT 3011: Introduction to Statistical Analysis

# **Graduate Research Assistant**

June 2018 - Present

University of Minnesota - School of Statistics

• My current research is broadly related to efficient precision matrix estimation under the supervision of Adam J. Rothman, Ph.D.

### **Statistical Consultant**

June 2017 - Present

Institute for Research on Statistics and its Applications (IRSA)

• Advise clients, including professors and faculty at the university, on the proper statistical analysis related to their research.

# **Teaching Assistant**

Sept. 2015 - Present

University of Minnesota - School of Statistics

STAT 1001, STAT 3021, STAT 3032, STAT 4893W, STAT 8052

### **Awards**

Lynn Lin Fellowship	May 2017
Allianz Life Endowment Scholarship	April 2014
Young Investigator Travel Grant	Jan. 2014
International Education Scholarship	Jan. 2014