Panagiotis Andreou

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EDUCATION

PhD Statistics & Operations Research

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Expected: May 2026

Chapel Hill, NC

MSc Statistics & Operations Research

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

May 2025

Chapel Hill, NC

MSc Statistics & Operations Research

National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

Thesis title: The Bootstrap Method for Discrete-Time Markov Chains and Applications

Jun 2023 Athens, Greece

GPA: 9.33/10

BSc Mathematics

National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

Specialization in Statistics & Operations Research

Jun 2020 Athens, Greece

GPA: 9.44/10 (top 1.2%)

RESEARCH

Group Factor Models for High-Frequency Data (in preparation) with Andrii Babii, Eric Ghysels, and Mirko Rubin

Homogeneity Fusion for Grouped Network VAR Models (in preparation) with Vladas Pipiras & Changryong Baek

Opinion dynamics on non-sparse networks with community structure (Minor revisions in Stochastic Systems) with Mariana Olvera-Cravioto

EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

"Machine Learning for Time Series"
 PIs: Gerald Cohen, Eric Ghysels

May 2025 - May 2026

• PROJECT ID: 5122181, "Network Time Series: From Dynamics to Coevolution" PI: Vladas Pipiras

Summer II, 2024

• NSF grant CMMI-2243261: "Opinion Dynamics on Complex Networks" PI: Mariana Olvera-Cravioto

Spring 2024

Instructor

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

• STOR 155 - Introduction to Data Models and Inference

Fall 2023, Summer 2024, Spring 2025

Teaching Assistant

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

• STOR 654 - Theoretical Statistics I (PhD)

Fall 2024

• STOR 435 - Introduction to Probability

Spring 2023

• STOR 557 - Advanced Methods in Data Analysis

Fall 2022

• STOR 155 - Introduction to Data Models and Inference

Spring 2021

• STOR 151 - Introduction to Data Analysis

Tutoring Undergraduate Students

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

- STOR 113: Decision Models for Business and Economics
- STOR 155: Introduction to Data Models and Inference
- STOR 215: Foundations of Decision Sciences (Discrete Math)
- STOR 435: Introduction to Probability
- STOR 445: Stochastic Modeling
- PLCY 460: Quantitative Analysis for Public Policy

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Python, R, Microsoft Office, LATEX

AWARDS

2025 MLAX Faculty/Staff Appreciation Day (Link)	Feb 2025
Excellence in Teaching Assistance and Instruction Award (Link)	Dec 2022
National Prize Money Award, for top score in the Panhellenic Exams	Nov 2016
Award from the Department of Mathematics, for entering 2nd among 250 students	Aug 2016

TALKS	
Homogeneity Fusion for Sparse Grouped Network VAR Models (Link) Virtual Workshop for Junior Researchers in Time Series	Apr 2025 VTSS
Homogeneity Fusion for Sparse Grouped Network VAR Models	Apr 2025
Graduate Student Seminar	Chapel Hill, NC
Opinion dynamics on non-sparse networks with community structure	Mar 2024
Graduate Student Seminar	Chapel Hill, NC

Opinion Dynamics on Directed Inhomogeneous Networks (Link)

Oct 2023 Seminar of Statistics and Operations Research, NKUA Athens, Greece

Bayesian Bootstrap for the Transition Matrix of Finite State-Space Markov Chains (Link) Sep 2021 Graduate Student Seminar Chapel Hill, NC

CONFERENCES

2025 Joint Statistical Meetings (Link)	Aug 2025
1-hr talk	Nashville, TN

Conference on New Developments in Probability (Link) Sep 2024 Montreal, Canada Centre de Recherches Mathématiques

Poster presentation

Graduate Student Probability Conference (Link)	Sep 2024
University of Wisconsin-Madison	Madison, WI

Poster presentation & 30' talk

Seminar on Stochastic Processes (Link) Mar 2024Rice University Houston, TX

Poster presentation & lightning talk

STORFest - Celebrating 75 years of Statistics (Link) University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Poster presentation	Sep 2023 Chapel Hill, NC	
Southeastern Probability Conference II (Link) University of Virginia	Aug 2023 Charlottesville, VA	
Southeastern Probability Conference I (Link) Duke University	May 2023 Durham, NC	
Mathematics: foundation of the human thought (Link) Hellenic Mathematical Society	Nov 2016 Chania, Greece	
DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE		
UNC Science Expo 2025 (Link) Coordination of the Monty Hall Problem activity	Apr 2025 Chapel Hill, NC	
BIOS-STOR Liaison Organizing monthly joint talks in the Biostatistics and STOR departments	Fall 2024 Chapel Hill, NC	
UNC Science Expo 2024 (Link) Coordination of the Birthday Problem activity	Apr 2024 Chapel Hill, NC	
STOR Data Outreach Program for Students 2024 Teaching Contemporary Mathematics Conference (Link) North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics	Feb 2024 Durham, NC	
Graduate Student Seminar coordinator Coorganizing weekly seminar talks by PhD students	Aug 2023 - Dec 2023 Chapel Hill, NC	
UNC Science Expo 2023 (Link) Coordination of the Galton Board activity	Apr 2023 Chapel Hill, NC	
MINI-COURSES & WORKSHOPS		
Workshop on Stein's method and Networks (Link) Oxford University	Jun 2024	
Multivariate Power Laws and Preferential Attachment Modeling (Link) by Sidney Resnick (Cornell University)	Jan 2023 Chapel Hill, NC	
A Celebration in Memory of Ross Leadbetter (Link) UNC Chapel Hill	Feb 2023 Chapel Hill, NC	
Stochastic Calculus with Poisson processes and their application to Biology (Link) by Philippe Robert (INRIA, France)	Nov 2022 Chapel Hill, NC	
COURSE PROJECTS		
Mathematics of Deep Q-Learning for the graduate course Reinforcement Learning		
Simulating the Movement of Trains and Passengers for the graduate course Simulation Modeling		
Mean Field Analysis for PageRank for the graduate course Probability for Networks and Algorithms		
Generative Adversarial Networks for the graduate course Applied Statistics II		

Estimating the Transition Matrix of a Markov Chain for the graduate course Object Oriented Data Analysis

Bayesian Linear Regression and MCMC methods for the graduate course Bayesian Inference

 ${\bf Jackknife\ and\ Bootstrap\ for\ the\ undergraduate\ course\ \it Nonparametric\ \it Statistics}$

Time Series Analysis for Investment Data for the graduate course Time Series

Factor Analysis of the Greek Workforce Distribution for the undergraduate course Multivariate Data Analysis

LANGUAGES

Greek: Native Language

English: Fluent (C2 Michigan, IELTS: 8.5/9) German: Intermediate Level (B2, Goethe Institut)

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Co-author in a file (Link) for Mathematical Statistics, 2024
- Co-translator of Prof. Loukia Meligkotsidou's book Bayesian Inference, 2019
- Contribution as a high school student at the writing of a mathematics book for the panhellenic exams, 2016
- School Table Tennis Championship, 2012, Gold Medal