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Faculty positions

- 2025– **Professor**, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center
Vaccine and Infectious Disease and Public Health Sciences Divisions
- 2025– **Affiliate Professor**, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center
Human Biology Division
- 2023– **Affiliate Professor**, University of Washington
Department of Epidemiology and Department of Genome Sciences
- 2022–2025 **Professor**, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center
Vaccine and Infectious Disease, Human Biology and Public Health Sciences Divisions
- 2021– **Investigator**, Howard Hughes Medical Institute
- 2020–2023 **Affiliate Associate Professor**, University of Washington
Department of Epidemiology
- 2019–2021 **Associate Professor**, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center
Human Biology Division
- 2019–2023 **Affiliate Associate Professor**, University of Washington
Department of Genome Sciences
- 2018–2021 **Associate Professor**, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center
Vaccine and Infectious Disease and Public Health Sciences Divisions
- 2016–2020 **Affiliate Assistant Professor**, University of Washington
Department of Epidemiology
- 2013–2017 **Assistant Professor**, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center
Vaccine and Infectious Disease and Public Health Sciences Divisions

Postgraduate training

- 2012–2013 **Newton International Fellow**, University of Edinburgh
Institute of Evolutionary Biology
- 2011 **EMBO Fellow**, University of Edinburgh
Institute of Evolutionary Biology
- 2008–2011 **HHMI Associate**, University of Michigan
Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

Education

- 2003–2008 PhD in Biology, Harvard University
1999–2002 BA in Biological Sciences (*with honors*), University of Chicago

Honors & awards

- 2023 Finalist, Luminary Leader Global Health Impact Award, Washington Global Health Alliance.
2022 Finalist, Falling Walls Science Breakthrough of the Year, Falling Walls Foundation.
2022 STATUS List, Stat News.
2021–2026 MacArthur Fellow, John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation.
2021– HHMI Investigator, Howard Hughes Medical Institute.
2020 40 Under 40, Fortune Magazine.
2020 Webby Award, Special Achievement, International Academy of Digital Arts and Sciences.
2017 Open Science Prize Winner, NIH, Wellcome Trust and HHMI.
2016–2020 Pew Scholar in the Biomedical Sciences, Pew Charitable Trusts.
2016 Finalist, Open Science Prize, NIH, Wellcome Trust and HHMI.
2012–2014 Marie Curie International Incoming Fellow, European Commission (*Declined*).
2012–2013 Newton International Fellow, The Royal Society.
2011–2013 Long Term Fellow, European Molecular Biology Organization.
2005–2008 NSF Graduate Research Fellowship, National Science Foundation.
2003–2005 NIH Genetics and Genomics Training Program, National Institutes of Health.
2001 HHMI Undergraduate Fellowship, Howard Hughes Medical Institute.
1999–2002 University Scholarship, University of Chicago.

Research support

ONGOING RESEARCH SUPPORT

- 2022–2028 R01 AI165821, National Institutes of Health.
Forecasting influenza evolution on a heterogeneous immune landscape.
Co-PI with PI Jesse Bloom.
2022–2027 5 NU50CK00630, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
Northwest Pathogen Genomics Center of Excellence.
Co-investigator with PI Allison Black.
2021–2028 HHMI Investigator Award, Howard Hughes Medical Institute.
Principal Investigator.

- 2021–2028 75N93021C00015. National Institutes of Health.
 Center of Excellence for Influenza Research and Response (CEIRR).
 Co-investigator with PI Scott Hensley.
- 2021–2027 Howard Hughes Medical Institute.
 Transformation to endemicity: the next stage of COVID-19.
 Co-PI with PIs David Baker, Jesse Bloom, Harmit Malik, Erick Matsen, Joseph Mougous, Jay Shendure and David Veesler.
- 2021–2026 Nextstrain Support, John Templeton Foundation.
 Principal Investigator.
- 2016–2026 R35 GM119774. National Institutes of Health.
 Real-time tracking of virus evolution for vaccine strain selection and epidemiological investigation.
 Principal investigator.

COMPLETED RESEARCH SUPPORT

- 2020–2024 INV-018979. Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.
 Nextstrain funding for Africa PGI.
 Principal investigator.
- 2018–2024 R01 AI140891. National Institutes of Health.
 Complete Mapping of Immune Selection from Antibodies to HIV.
 Co-investigator with PIs Jesse Bloom and Julie Overbaugh.
- 2018–2021 Seattle Flu Study. Gates Ventures.
 Principal investigator.
- 2017–2022 Wellcome Trust Collaborative Award 206298/Z/17/Z. Wellcome Trust.
 Putting genomic surveillance at the heart of viral epidemic response.
 Co-investigator with PI Andrew Rambaut.
- 2017–2022 R01 AI125392. National Institutes of Health.
 Mechanisms of influenza transmission bottlenecks: impact on viral evolution.
 Co-investigator with PI Thomas Friedrich.
- 2016–2021 R01 AI127893. National Institutes of Health.
 High-throughput experiments to guide influenza vaccine strain selection.
 Co-investigator with PI Jesse Bloom.
- 2015–2020 U19 AI117891-01. National Institutes of Health.
 Dynamics and evolution of immune responses to influenza viruses.
 Co-investigator with PIs Rafi Ahmed and Rustom Antia.
- 2014–2019 R01 GM113246-01. National Science Foundation and National Institutes of Health.
 Leveraging deep sequencing data to understand antibody maturation.
 Co-investigator with PI Erick Matsen.
- 2014–2019 U54 GM111274. National Institutes of Health.
 Center for Statistics and Quantitative Infectious Diseases.
 Co-investigator with PI M. Elizabeth Halloran, co-lead of project on “Understanding transmission with integrated genetic and epidemiologic inference”.

Teaching & mentoring

COURSES AND WORKSHOPS

- 2020–2021 Instructor, Introduction to Computational Molecular Biology, UW Genome Sciences.
- 2018–2021 Instructor, Tools for Computational Biology, UW MCB.
- 2015–2023 Instructor, Pathogen Evolution, Selection and Immunity, Summer Institute in Statistics and Modeling in Infectious Diseases, University of Washington.
- 2014– Lectures on data science and visualization for interns at the FHCRC.
- 2013 Presented phylodynamic inference practical at GenEpi workshop, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.
- 2012 Lecturer, Structured Population Models in Epidemiology, École Normale Supérieure.
- 2010 Completed an intensive 7-week “Postdoctoral Short-Course on College Teaching in Science and Engineering” at the University of Michigan.
- 2006 Teaching fellow, Population Genetics, Harvard University.
- 2005 Teaching fellow, Genetics and Genomics, Harvard University.

STUDENT AND POSTDOCTORAL MENTORING

- 2025 Lucy O’Brien, Undergraduate, Summer Undergraduate Research Program, FHCC.
- 2025– Marlin Figgins, postdoc, FHCC.
- 2024– Amin Bemanian, clinical fellow, University of Washington School of Medicine.
- 2024–2025 Nobuaki Masaki, PhD student, Department of Biostatistics, University of Washington.
- 2024–2025 Miguel Paredes, postdoc, FHCC.
- 2024– Philippa Steinberg, PhD student, Molecular and Cellular Biology Program, University of Washington.
- 2023– Nashwa Ahmed, PhD student, Molecular and Cellular Biology Program, University of Washington.
- 2022– Cécile Tran Kiem, postdoc, FHCC.
- 2022–2024 Eslam Abousamra, MPH student, Department of Epidemiology, University of Washington.
- 2021– Katie Kistler, postdoc, FHCC.
- 2022 Allison Li, Undergraduate, Summer Undergraduate Research Program, FHCC.
- 2021 Eslam Abousamra, Undergraduate, Summer Undergraduate Research Program, FHCRC.
- 2021–2024 Miguel Paredes, MSTP student, Department of Epidemiology, University of Washington.
- 2020–2024 Marlin Figgins, PhD student, Department of Applied Mathematics, University of Washington.
- 2020–2024 Cassia Wagner, MSTP student, Department of Genome Sciences, University of Washington.
- 2019–2024 Nicola Müller, postdoc, FHCC.

- 2019–2023 Maya Lewinsohn, MSTP student, Department of Genome Sciences, University of Washington.
- 2018–2021 Katie Kistler, PhD student, Molecular and Cellular Biology Program, University of Washington.
- 2017–2020 John Huddleston, PhD student, Molecular and Cellular Biology Program, University of Washington.
- 2017–2022 Louise Moncla, postdoc, FHCRC.
- 2017–2019 James Hadfield, postdoc, FHCRC.
- 2016–2018 Gytis Dudas, postdoc, FHCRC.
- 2016–2017 Stephanie Stacy, Undergraduate, Summer Undergraduate Research Program, FHCRC.
- 2015–2020 Allison Black, PhD student, Department of Epidemiology, University of Washington.
- 2015–2019 Sidney Bell, PhD student, Molecular and Cellular Biology Program, University of Washington.
- 2015–2016 Charlton Callender, Undergraduate, Summer Undergraduate Research Program, FHCRC.
- 2014–2016 Alvason Li, postdoc, FHCRC.
- 2014–2015 Charles Cheung, postdoc, FHCRC.

Professional service

- 2023– External Guidance Group Member: Insight Net, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
- 2023– Coordinating Group Member: Pathogen Genomics Centers of Excellence, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
- 2022 Taskforce member: Coronavirus Vaccines R&D Roadmap.
- 2022 Policy report co-author: Getting to and Sustaining the Next Normal A Roadmap for Living with COVID.
- 2020–2021 Member: Standing Committee on Emerging Infectious Diseases and 21st Century Health Threats, National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine.
- 2020–2021 Member: Advisory Board, The COVID Tracking Project.
- 2018– Advisor: Global Influenza Surveillance and Response System, World Health Organization.
- 2016–2017 Organizing committee: Epidemics⁶ conference.
- 2016–2017 Technical working group member: WHO Public Health Research Agenda for Influenza.
- 2015 Organizing committee: Epidemics⁵ conference.
- 2014–2024 Associate editor: Virus Evolution.
- Ad-hoc referee: American Naturalist, Bioinformatics, BMC Evolutionary Biology, Cell, Complex Systems, eLife, Emerging Infectious Diseases, Genome Biology and Evolution, Genome Research, Journal of Biology, Journal of the Royal Society Interface, Molecular Biology and Evolution, Molecular Ecology, National Science Foundation, Nature, Nature Communications, Nature Genetics, Phil Trans R

Soc B, PLoS Biology, PLoS One, PLoS Pathogens, Proc Natl Acad USA, Science, Virology, Virulence, Wellcome Trust.

Publications & talks

JOURNAL ARTICLES (138 PAPERS, 22K CITATIONS, H-INDEX OF 63, [GOOGLE SCHOLAR](#), [CITATION DATA](#))

Tran Kiem C, Perofsky AC, Lesser J, Bedford T. Characterizing the informativeness of pathogen genome sequence datasets about transmission between population groups. *Proc R Soc B*. In press.

2026 Neher RA, **Huddleston J, Bedford T**, Lewis NS, Harvey R, ..., Kondor R, Deng Y-M, Dapat C, Subbarao K, Barr I (22 authors). Nomenclature for tracking of genetic variation of seasonal influenza viruses. *Influenza Other Respir Viruses* 20: e70230.

2025 Müller NF, Wick RR, Judd LM, Williamson DA, **Bedford T**, Howden B, Duchêne S, Ingle DJ. Quantifying plasmid movement in drug-resistant *Shigella* species using phylodynamic inference. *PLoS Pathog* 21: e1013621.

2025 Kikawa C, **Huddleston J, Loes AN, Turner SA, Lee J, ..., Peck H, Watanabe S, Smith DJ, Bedford T, Bloom JD** (20 authors). Near real-time data on the human neutralizing antibody landscape to influenza virus to inform vaccine-strain selection in September 2025. *Virus Evol*: veaf086.

2025 Kistler K, **Bedford T**. Seasonal influenza viruses show distinct adaptive dynamics during growth in chicken eggs. *Mol Biol Evol* 42: msaf227.

2025 Müller NF, Bouckaert RR, Wu C-H, **Bedford T**. MASCOT-Skyline integrates population and migration dynamics to enhance phylogeographic reconstructions. *PLoS Comput Biol* 21: e1013421.

2025 Figgins MD, **Bedford T**. Inferring variant-specific effective reproduction numbers from combined case and sequencing data. *eLife* 14: RP104802.

2025 Kikawa C, Loes AN, **Huddleston J, Figgins MD, Steinberg P, ..., Barr IG, Englund JA, Hensley SE, Bedford T, Bloom JD** (13 authors). High-throughput neutralization measurements correlate strongly with evolutionary success of human influenza strains. *eLife* 14: RP106811.

2025 **Tran Kiem C, Paredes MI, Perofsky AC, Frisbie LA, Xie H, ..., Yun C, Aragona F, Black A, Viboud C, Bedford T** (26 authors). Fine-scale patterns of SARS-CoV-2 spread from identical pathogen sequences. *Nature* 640: 176–185.

2025 **Huddleston J, Bedford T**. Timely vaccine strain selection and genomic surveillance improves evolutionary forecast accuracy of seasonal influenza A/H₃N₂. *eLife* 14: RP104282.

2025 Casto AM, **Paredes MI, Bennett JC, Luiten KG, O'Hanlon JA, ..., Shendure J, Uyeki TM, Starita LM, Bedford T, Chu HY, Weil AA** (28 authors). SARS-CoV-2 diversity and transmission on a university campus across two academic years during the pandemic. *Clin Chem* 71: 192–202.

2025 Parino F, Gustani-Buss E, **Bedford T, Suchard MA, Trovão NS, Rambaut A, Colizza V, Poletto C, Lemey P**. Integrating dynamical modeling and phylogeographic inference to characterize global influenza circulation. *PNAS Nexus* 4: pgaes561.

2024 **Nanduri S, Black A, Bedford T, Huddleston**. Dimensionality reduction distills complex evolutionary relationships in seasonal influenza and SARS-CoV-2. *Virus Evol* 10: veae087.

2024 Cox SN, Casto AM, Franko NM, Chow EJ, Han PD, ..., **Bedford T, ..., Boekh M, Englund JA, Starita**

- LM, Roychoudhury P, Chu HY (23 authors). Clinical and genomic epidemiology of coxsackievirus A₂₁ and enterovirus D68 in homeless shelters, King County, Washington, 2019-2021. *Emerg Infect Dis* 30: 2250-2260.
- 2024 Loes AN, Tarabi RAL, **Huddleston J**, Touyon L, Wong SS, ..., Hannon WW, **Bedford T**, Cobey S, Cowling BJ, Bloom JD (12 authors). High-throughput sequencing-based neutralization assay reveals how repeated vaccinations impact titers to recent human H₁N₁ influenza strains. *J Virol* 98: e00689-24.
- 2024 **Abousamra E**, Figgins MD, **Bedford T**. Fitness models provide accurate short-term forecasts of SARS-CoV-2 variant frequency. *PLoS Comput Biol* 20: e1012443.
- 2024 Welsh FC, Eguia RT, Lee JM, Haddox HK, Galloway J, ..., Englund JA, **Bedford T**, Matsen FA, Boni MF, Bloom JD (19 authors). Age-dependent heterogeneity in the antigenic effects of mutations to influenza hemagglutinin. *Cell Host Microbe* 32: 1397-1411.
- 2024 Dadonaite B, Brown J, McMahon TE, Farrell AG, **Figgins MD**, ..., **Bedford T**, Murrell B, Chu HY, Veesler D, Bloom JD (14 authors). Spike deep mutational scanning helps predict success of SARS-CoV-2 clades. *Nature* 631: 617-626.
- 2024 Perofsky AC, Hansen C, Burstein R, Boyle S, Prentice R, ..., **Bedford T**, Chu HY, Englund JA, Starita LM, Viboud C (30 authors). Impacts of human mobility on the citywide transmission dynamics of 18 respiratory viruses in pre- and post-COVID-19 pandemic years. *Nat Commun* 15: 4164.
- 2024 Wagner C, Kistler KE, Perchetti GA, Baker N, Frisbie LA, ..., Greninger AL, Cox A, Oltean HN, Roychoudhury P, **Bedford T** (14 authors). Positive selection underlies repeated knockout of ORF8 in SARS-CoV-2 evolution. *Nat Commun* 15: 3207.
- 2024 Kim AE, Bennett JC, Luiten K, O'Hanlon JA, Wolf CR, ..., **Bedford T**, ..., Starita LM, Uyeki TM, Carone M, Weil A, Chu HY (22 authors). Comparative diagnostic utility of SARS-CoV-2 rapid antigen and molecular testing in a community setting. *J Infect Dis* 230: 363-373.
- 2024 Tran Kiem C, **Bedford T**. Estimating the reproduction number and transmission heterogeneity from the size distribution of clusters of identical pathogen sequences. *Proc Natl Acad Sci USA* 121: e2305299121.
- 2024 Paredes MI, Perofsky AC, Frisbie L, Moncla LH, Roychoudhury P, ..., Oltean HN, Viboud V, Chu H, Müller NF, **Bedford T** (31 authors). Local-Scale phylodynamics reveal differential community impact of SARS-CoV-2 in metropolitan US county. *PLoS Pathog* 20: e1012117.
- 2024 Paredes MI, Ahmed N, Figgins M, Colizza V, Lemey P, McCrone JT, Müller NF, Tran Kiem C, **Bedford T**. Underdetected dispersal and extensive local transmission drove the 2022 mpox epidemic. *Cell* 187: 1374-1386.
- 2024 Perofsky AC, **Huddleston J**, Hansen C, Barnes JR, Rowe T, ..., Barr IG, Subbarao K, Krammer F, **Bedford T**, Viboud C (26 authors). Antigenic drift and subtype interference shape A(H₃N₂) epidemic dynamics in the United States. *eLife* 13: RP91849.
- 2024 Oltean HN, Black A, Lunn SM, Smith N, Templeton A, ..., Bickel JB, Hughes JP, Lindquist S, Baseman JG, **Bedford T** (13 authors). Changing genomic epidemiology of COVID-19 in long-term care facilities during the 2020-2022 pandemic, Washington State. *BMC Public Health* 24: 182.
- 2023 Kistler KE, **Bedford T**. An atlas of continuous adaptive evolution in endemic human viruses. *Cell Host Microbe* 31: 1898-1909.

- 2023 Lee J, Hadfield J, Black A, Sibley TR, Neher RA, Bedford T, Huddleston J. Joint visualization of seasonal influenza serology and phylogeny to inform vaccine composition. *Front Bioinform* 3: 1–22.
- 2023 Oltean HN, Allen KJ, Frisbie L, Lunn SM, Torres LM, ..., Wolgamot G, Hughes JP, Baseman JG, Bedford T, Lindquist S (43 authors). Implementation and evaluation of a sentinel surveillance system for SARS-CoV-2 genomic data: Washington State, 2020–2021. *Emerg Infect Dis* 29: 242–251.
- 2023 Lewinsohn MA, Bedford T, Müller NF, Feder AF. State-dependent evolutionary models reveal modes of solid tumor growth. *Nat Ecol Evol* 7: 581–596. (*Gilbert S. Omenn Prize, Honorable Mention*)
- 2023 Tang M, Dudas G, Bedford T, Minin VN. Fitting stochastic epidemic models to gene genealogies using linear noise approximation. *Ann Appl Stat* 17: 1–22.
- 2022 Hansen CL, Perofsky A, Burstein R, Famulare M, Boyle S, ..., Shendure J, Bedford T, Chu HY, Starita LM, Viboud C (30 authors). Trends in risk factors and symptoms associated with SARS-CoV-2 and rhinovirus test positivity in King County, Washington: A test-negative design study of the greater Seattle Coronavirus Assessment Network. *JAMA Netw* 5: e2245861.
- 2022 Tegally H, San JE, Cotten M, Tegomoh B, Mboowa G, ..., Bedford T, ..., de Oliveira T, Happi C, Lessells R, Nkengasong J, Wilkinson E (395 authors). The evolving SARS-CoV-2 epidemic in Africa: Insights from rapidly expanding genomic surveillance. *Science* 378: eabq5358.
- 2022 Weil AA, Luiten KG, Casto AM, Bennett JC, Hanlon JO, ..., Shendure J, Bedford T, Hughes JP, Starita LM, Chu HY (29 authors). Genomic surveillance of SARS-CoV-2 Omicron variants on a university campus. *Nat Commun* 13: 5240.
- 2022 Happi C, Adetifa I, Mbala P, Njouom R, Nakoune E, ..., Bedford T, ..., Lessells R, Ogwell AE, Kebede Y, Tessema SK, de Oliveira T (33 authors). Urgent need for a non-discriminatory and non-stigmatizing nomenclature for monkeypox virus. *PLoS Biol* 20: e3001769
- 2022 Müller NF, Kistler K, Bedford T. A Bayesian approach to infer recombination patterns in coronaviruses. *Nat Commun* 13: 4186.
- 2022 Paredes MI, Lunn SM, Famulare M, Frisbie LA, Painter I, ..., Torres ML, Lindquist S, Bedford T, Allen KJ, Oltean HN (45 authors). Associations between SARS-CoV-2 variants and risk of COVID-19 hospitalization among confirmed cases in Washington State: a retrospective cohort study. *Clin Infect Dis* 75: e536–e544.
- 2022 Kistler KE, Huddleston J, Bedford T. Rapid and parallel adaptive mutations in spike S1 drive clade success in SARS-CoV-2. *Cell Host Microbe* 30: 545–555.
- 2022 Geyer RE, Kotnik JH, Lyon V, Brandstetter E, Zigman Suchsland M, ..., Nickerson DA, Starita LM, Bedford T, Lutz B, Thompson MJ (15 authors). Diagnostic accuracy of an at-home, rapid self-test for influenza: prospective comparative accuracy study. *JMIR Public Health Surveill* 8: e28268.
- 2022 Srivatsan S, Heidl S, Pfau B, Martin BK, Han PD, ..., Bedford T, ..., Konnick EQ, Debley JS, Shendure J, Lockwood CM, Starita LM (36 authors). SwabExpress: An end-to-end protocol for extraction-free COVID-19 testing. *Clin Chem* 68: 143–152.
- 2021 Santiago GA, Kalinich CC, Cruz-López F, González GL, Flores B, ..., Bedford T, ..., Ellis B, Waterman SH, Paz-Bailey G, Grubaugh ND, Muñoz-Jordán JL (18 authors). Tracing the origin, spread, and molecular evolution of Zika virus, Puerto Rico, 2016–2017. *Emerg Infect Dis* 27: 2971–2973.

- 2021 Weil AA, Sohlberg SL, O'Hanlon JA, Casto AM, Emanuels AW, ..., Lockwood CM, Starita LM, **Bedford T**, Shendure JA, Chu HY (36 authors). SARS-CoV-2 epidemiology on a public university campus in Washington State. *Open Forum Infect Dis* 8: ofab464.
- 2021 Annavajhala MK, Mohri H, Wang P, Nair M, Zucker JE, ..., Tagliavia M, Huang Y, **Bedford T**, Ho DD, Uhlemann A-C (13 authors). Emergence and expansion of SARS-CoV-2 B.1.526 after identification in New York. *Nature* 597: 703–708.
- 2021 Braun K, Moreno G, **Wagner C**, Accola MA, Rehrauer WM, Baker D, Koelle K, O'Connor DH, **Bedford T**, Friedrich TC, **Moncla LH**. Acute SARS-CoV-2 infections harbor limited within-host diversity and transmit via tight transmission bottlenecks. *PLoS Pathog* 17: e1009849.
- 2021 Corey L, Beyrer C, Cohen MS, Michael NL, **Bedford T**, Rolland M. SARS-CoV-2 variants in patients with immunosuppression. *N Engl J Med* 385: 562–566.
- 2021 Perchetti GA, Zhu H, Mills MG, Shrestha L, **Wagner C**, ..., Mathias P, **Bedford T**, Jerome KR, Greninger AL, Roychoudhury P (14 authors). Specific allelic discrimination of N₅₀₁Y and other SARS-CoV-2 mutations by ddPCR detects B.1.1.7 lineage in Washington State. *J Med Virol* 93: 5931–5941.
- 2021 Konings F, Perkins MD, Kuhn JH, Pallen MJ, Alm EJ, ..., **Bedford T**, ..., Tong S, van der Werf S, von Gottberg A, Ziebuhr J, Van Kerkhove MD (47 authors). SARS-CoV-2 Variants of Interest and Concern naming scheme conducive for global discourse. *Nat Microbiol* 6: 821–823.
- 2021 Chung E, Chow EJ, Wilcox NC, Burstein R, Brandstetter E, ..., Hughes JP, Starita LM, **Bedford T**, Englund JA, Chu HY (23 authors). Symptoms and RNA levels in pediatric vs adult SARS-CoV-2 infections in the community setting. *JAMA Pediatr* 175: e212025.
- 2021 Heimonen JT, McCulloch DJ, O'Hanlon J, Ashley Erin Kim, Emanuels A, ..., Boeckh M, Starita LM, **Bedford T**, Englund JA, Chu HY (19 authors). A remote household-based approach to influenza self-testing and antiviral treatment. *Influenza Other Respir Viruses* 15: 469–477.
- 2021 Müller NF, **Wagner C**, Frazer CD, Roychoudhury P, Lee J, ..., Jerome KR, Lindquist S, Greninger AL, Nickerson DA, **Bedford T** (43 authors). Viral genomes reveal patterns of the SARS-CoV-2 outbreak in Washington State. *Sci Transl Med* 13: eabf0202.
- 2021 **Moncla LH**, Black A, DeBolt C, Lang M, Graff NR, Pérez-Osorio AC, Müller NF, Haselow D, Lindquist S, **Bedford T**. Repeated introductions and intensive community transmission fueled a mumps virus outbreak in Washington State. *eLife* 10: e66448.
- 2021 Jackson ML, Hart GR, McCulloch DJ, Adler A, Brandstetter E, ..., Starita L, Englund JA, **Bedford T**, Chu H, Famulare M (17 authors). Effects of weather-related social distancing on city-scale transmission of respiratory viruses. *BMC Infect Dis* 21: 335.
- 2021 Barrat-Charlaix P, **Huddleston J**, **Bedford T**, Neher RA. Limited predictability of amino acid substitutions in seasonal influenza viruses. *Mol Biol Evol* 38: 2767–2777.
- 2021 Kinganda-Lusamaki E, Black A, Mukadi DB, Hadfield J, Mbala-Kingebeni P, ..., Peeters M, Wiley MR, Ahuka-Mundeke S, **Bedford T**, Muyembe Tamfum J-J (29 authors). Integration of genomic sequencing into the response to the Ebola virus outbreak in Nord Kivu, Democratic Republic of the Congo. *Nat Med* 27: 710–716.
- 2021 Mbala-Kingebeni P, Pratt P, Mutafali Ruffin M, Pauthner MG, Bile F, ..., **Bedford T**, Andersen KG, Wiley MR, Ahuka-Mundeke S, Muyembe Tamfum J-J (50 authors). Ebola virus transmission initiated

- by systemic Ebola virus disease relapse. *N Engl J Med* 384: 1240–1247.
- 2021 Kim AE, Brandstetter E, Wilcox N, Heimonen J, Graham C, ..., Rieder MJ, **Bedford T**, Boeckh M, Englund JA, Chu HY on behalf of the Seattle Flu Study Investigators (25 authors). Evaluating specimen quality and results from a community-wide, home-based respiratory surveillance study. *J Clin Microbiol* 59: e02934-20.
- 2021 Kistler KE, **Bedford T**. Evidence for adaptive evolution in the receptor-binding domain of seasonal coronaviruses OC43 and 229E. *eLife* 10: e64509.
- 2021 Huddleston J, Hadfield J, Sibley TR, Lee J, Fay K, Ilcisin M, Harkins E, **Bedford T**, Neher RA, Hodcroft EB. Augur: a bioinformatics toolkit for phylogenetic analyses of human pathogens. *J Open Source Softw* 6: 2906.
- 2021 Emanuels A, Heimonen J, O'Hanlon J, Kim AE, Wilcox N, ..., Starita LM, Nickerson DA, **Bedford T**, Englund JA, Chu HY, on behalf of Seattle Flu Study investigators (21 authors). Remote household observation for non-influenza respiratory viral illness. *Clin Infect Dis* 73: e4411–e4418.
- 2020 Jackson LK, **Potter B**, Schneider SE, Fitzgibbon M, Blair K, Farah H, Krishna U, **Bedford T**, Peek R, Salama NR. *Helicobacter pylori* diversification during chronic infection within a single host generates sub-populations with distinct phenotypes. *PLoS Pathog* 16: e1008686.
- 2020 Müller NF, Wüthrich D, Goldman N, Sailer N, Saalfrank C, ..., **Bedford T**, Battegay M, Schneider-Sliwa R, Egli A, Stadler T (25 authors). Characterising the epidemic spread of influenza A/H₃N₂ within a city through phylogenetics. *PLoS Pathog* 16: e1008984.
- 2020 Chu HY, Boeckh M, Englund JA, Famulare M, Lutz BR, ..., Newman KL, **Sibley TR**, Zigman Suchsland ML, Wolf C, Shendure J, **Bedford T**, on behalf of the Seattle Flu Study Research Group (30 authors). The Seattle Flu Study: a multi-arm community-based prospective study protocol for assessing influenza prevalence, transmission, and genomic epidemiology. *BMJ Open* 10: e037295.
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- 2020 Black A, MacCannell DR, **Sibley TR**, **Bedford T**. Ten recommendations for supporting open pathogen genomic analysis in public health. *Nat Med* 26: 832–841.

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INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2025 Institutional Seminar, Institute of Medical Science, University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan.
- 2025 Arc Institute Seminar, Arc Institute, Palo Alto, CA.
- 2025 Infectious Disease and Microbiome Program Seminar, Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard, Cambridge, MA.
- 2025 ID Epi Seminar, Department of Epidemiology, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA.
- 2025 Centre for Epidemic Preparedness and Response Seminar, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, London, UK.
- 2024 KITP Workshop on Interactions and Co-evolution between Viruses and Immune Systems, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA.
- 2023 Division of Viral Products Seminar Series, Food and Drug Administration, Silver Spring, MD.
- 2023 Symposium on Adaptation and Immune escape of RNA viruses, Biozentrum, University of Basel, Basel, Switzerland.
- 2023 John J. Holland Lecture, American Society for Virology Annual Meeting, Athens, GA.
- 2022 Virus Evolution and Molecular Epidemiology (VEME) Bioinformatics Workshop, Panama City, Panama.
- 2022 Science for Resilience – Learnings from the Pandemic, Institute for Advanced Studies, Vienna, Aus-

- tria.
- 2022 Africa PGI Webinar Series, Africa CDC, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.
- 2022 Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee Meeting, Food and Drug Administration, Silver Spring, MD.
- 2022 Viruses and Vaccines Seminar, Brotman Baty Institute, Seattle, WA.
- 2021 Plenary talk, Epidemics⁸ Conference.
- 2021 Stetten Lecture, National Institute of General Medical Sciences, Bethesda, MD.
- 2021 Plenary talk, HVTN/CoVPN Conference.
- 2021 VIDD Seminar, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, WA.
- 2021 Plenary talk, AGBT General Meeting.
- 2020 Mathematics and Statistics of Genomic Epidemiology Workshop, Casa Matemática Oaxaca and Banff International Research Station for Mathematical Innovation and Discovery.
- 2020 VIDD Seminar, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, WA.
- 2020 AMD Virtual, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA.
- 2020 COVID-19 Medical Grand Rounds, UCSF Department of Medicine, San Francisco, CA.
- 2020 COVID-19 Dynamics and Evolution.
- 2020 Keynote talk, AACR Virtual Meeting: COVID-19 and Cancer.
- 2020 Biology of Genomes, Cold Spring Harbor, NY.
- 2020 AAAS Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA.
- 2020 MCMB Seminar Series, SF State University, San Francisco, CA.
- 2020 CCB Seminar Series, UC Berkeley, Berkeley, CA.
- 2019 BioHub Seminar Series, BioHub, San Francisco, CA.
- 2019 EPPICenter Seminar Series, UCSF, San Francisco, CA.
- 2019 Options X for the Control of Influenza, Singapore.
- 2019 Distinguished Scientist Seminar Series, Rocky Mountain Laboratories, Hamilton, MT.
- 2019 Northwest Data Science Summit, University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
- 2019 Population Biology, Ecology and Evolution Seminar, Emory University, Atlanta, GA.
- 2018 SMBE Satellite Workshop on Genome Evolution in Pathogen Transmission and Disease, Kyoto, Japan.
- 2018 Grand Challenges Annual Meeting, Berlin, Germany.
- 2018 Plenary talk, International Conference on Emerging Infectious Diseases, Atlanta, GA.
- 2018 Emerging Infections and Pandemic Risk, Institut Pasteur, Paris, France.

- 2018 AMD Seminar, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA.
- 2018 Plenary talk, HIV Dynamics and Evolution, Leavenworth, WA.
- 2018 6th Annual IDM Symposium, Institute for Disease Modeling, Bellevue, WA.
- 2018 Bioinformatics and Genomics Seminar, University of North Carolina, Charlotte, NC.
- 2018 Annual International Symposium, Institute for Systems Biology, Seattle, WA.
- 2018 NIHE/OUCRU Workshop on Influenza Epidemiology and Evolution in Vietnam, Hanoi, Vietnam.
- 2018 Department of Hygiene Seminar, Hokkaido University, Sapporo, Japan.
- 2018 CREST International Symposium on Big Data Applications, Tokyo, Japan.
- 2017 BioHub Seminar, Chan Zuckerberg BioHub, San Francisco, CA.
- 2017 VIDD Seminar, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, WA.
- 2017 Viral Pathogenesis Symposium, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, WA.
- 2017 Global Infectious Disease Seminar, Center for Infectious Disease Research, Seattle, WA.
- 2017 Immunology and Evolution of Influenza Symposium, Emory University, Atlanta, GA.
- 2017 Applied Bioinformatics and Public Health Microbiology, Wellcome Genome Campus, Hinxton, UK.
- 2017 Biosystems Science and Engineering Seminar, ETH Zurich, Basel, Switzerland.
- 2017 Gordon Research Conference on Chemical and Biological Terrorism Defense, Ventura, CA.
- 2017 Pew Annual Meeting, Santa Barbara, CA.
- 2016 BD2K Open Data Science Symposium, Bethesda, MD.
- 2016 Plenary talk, Options IX for the Control of Influenza, Chicago, IL.
- 2016 WHO Workshop on Predictive Models for Improving Influenza Vaccine Virus Selection, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ.
- 2016 Microbiology Seminar, Korea University College of Medicine, Seoul, Republic of Korea.
- 2016 Federation Meeting of Korean Basic Medical Scientists, Incheon, Republic of Korea.
- 2016 MIDAS Network Meeting, Washington, DC.
- 2016 4th Annual IDM Symposium, Institute for Disease Modeling, Bellevue, WA.
- 2016 Ecology and Evolution Seminar, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL.
- 2016 Structure and Computation Affinity Group Seminar, Scripps Research Institute, San Diego, CA.
- 2016 Infectious Disease Epidemiology Seminar, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA.
- 2016 VIDD Seminar, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, WA.
- 2016 Influenza Division, VSDB Meeting, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA.
- 2015 4th Informal Consultation on Influenza Vaccine Virus Selection, World Health Organization, Hong Kong

- Kong, SAR China.
- 2015 Global Infectious Disease Seminar, AIDS Vaccine Research Laboratory, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI.
- 2015 Evolution Seminar, JF Crow Institute, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI.
- 2015 Keynote talk, BCCDC Research Week Symposium, Vancouver, Canada.
- 2015 Forecasting Evolution, Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation, Lisbon, Portugal.
- 2015 Keynote talk, Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases, Athens, GA.
- 2015 RAPIDD Workshop on Modeling and Predicting Influenza Phenotypes, Cambridge University, Cambridge, UK.
- 2014 Laboratory Medicine Grand Rounds, University of Washington School of Medicine, Seattle, WA.
- 2014 Evolution of Drug Resistance Workshop, Kavli Institute for Theoretical Physics, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA.
- 2014 VIDD Seminar, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, WA.
- 2013 Infectious Disease Dynamics Workshop, Isaac Newton Institute for Mathematical Sciences, Cambridge University, Cambridge, UK.
- 2013 Spring Symposium, Centre for Immunity, Infection and Evolution, University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, UK.
- 2012 Institute of Biologie Seminar, École Normale Supérieure, Paris, France.
- 2012 Infectious Disease Epidemiology Seminar, School of Public Health, Imperial College, London, UK.
- 2012 Ecology and Evolution Seminar, Centre d'Ecologie Fonctionnelle et Evolutive, Université Montpellier, Montpellier, France.
- 2012 Institute Seminar, Institute of Medical Virology and Epidemiology of Viral Diseases, Universitäts Klinikum Tübingen, Tübingen, Germany.
- 2012 Virology Seminar, MRC National Institute for Medical Research, London, UK.
- 2012 Next-Generation Molecular and Evolutionary Epidemiology of Infectious Disease, The Royal Society, Kavli International Centre, Buckinghamshire, UK.
- 2012 VIDD Seminar, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, WA.
- 2012 Scottish Phylogeny Discussion Group, University of Glasgow, Glasgow, UK.
- 2012 Viral Evolution: Linking Genetics to Epidemics, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany.
- 2011 Thematic Seminar, Institute of Biodiversity, Animal Health and Comparative Medicine, University of Glasgow, Glasgow, UK.
- 2011 RAPIDD Phylodynamics Workshop, NESCent, Durham, NC.
- 2011 Infectious Disease Epidemiology Seminar, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA.
- 2010 Departmental Seminar, Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, University of Michigan,

- Ann Arbor, MI.
- 2010 Phyloseminar.org, webcast.
- 2009 Departmental Seminar, School of Computational Science, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL.
- 2006 NKS Wolfram Science Conference, Washington, DC.
- CONFERENCE ABSTRACTS**
- 2019 Epidemics⁷ Conference, Charleston, SC.
- 2017 Epidemics⁶ Conference, Sitges, Spain.
- 2017 Ecological Society of America Annual Meeting, Portland, OR.
- 2015 Epidemics⁵ Conference, Clearwater Beach, FL.
- 2013 Mathematical and Computational Evolutionary Biology, Montpellier, France.
- 2013 HIV Dynamics and Evolution, Utrecht, Netherlands.
- 2012 Society for Molecular Biology and Evolution Annual Meeting, Dublin, Ireland.
- 2012 Population Genetics Group, Nottingham, UK.
- 2011 Epidemics³ Conference, Boston, MA. (*Award for Best Oral Presentation by a Young Investigator.*)
- 2010 Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY.
- 2008 Society for Molecular Biology and Evolution Annual Meeting, Barcelona, Spain. Poster presentation.
- 2007 Society for Molecular Biology and Evolution Annual Meeting, Halifax, Canada. Poster presentation. (*Graduate student poster award*)

Outreach

- 2020–2023 COVID-19 pandemic scientific communication and outreach through Twitter to >450k followers.
- 2015 Science outreach video “Tracking down the sneeze that started seasonal flu” published on Vox.com.