

Cody Carroll

Curriculum Vitae

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Academic Appointments

- 2022 - present **Assistant Professor**, *Department of Mathematics and Statistics / Master's in Data Science Program, University of San Francisco*
- 2022 **Lecturer**, *Department of Statistics, University of California, Davis*

Education

- 2021 **PhD in Statistics**, *University of California, Davis*
Dissertation Title: Intercomponent Time Dynamics for Multivariate Functional Data
Advisor: Hans-Georg Müller
- 2017 **MS in Statistics**, *University of California, Davis*
- 2014 **BS in Mathematics**, *University of Texas at Austin*

Professional Experience

- 2021 - 2022 **Data Scientist**, *Wells Fargo, Charlotte, NC.*

Research Interests

Functional and longitudinal data analysis– longitudinal studies; growth and development

Conservation, citizen science, and wildlife– bird migration; data validity; conservation technology

Statistical modeling of healthcare data– progression of glaucoma-caused vision loss; computational tools and models for auditory research

Teaching

University of San Francisco

- Fall '25 Linear Regression Analysis
- Spring '25 Advanced Machine Learning
Linear Algebra for Data Science
- Fall '24 Linear Regression Analysis
- Spring '24 Statistics with Applications
Intro to Data Science with R
Linear Algebra for Data Science
- Fall '23 Linear Regression
Intro to Data Science with R
- Spring '23 Advanced Machine Learning
Linear Algebra for Data Science
- Fall '22 Machine Learning Laboratory
Communications for Analytics

University of California, Davis

- Spring '22 Applied Statistics for Business and Economics
Summer '19 Brief Course in Mathematical Statistics II
Spring '19 Applied Statistics for Biological Sciences
Summer '18 Applied Statistics for Business and Economics

International Experience

- 2014-2015 ESL Teacher, *Nishinomiya Imazu Senior High School*, Nishinomiya, Japan

Publications and other Creative Works

- 2025 *Predicting Progressive Vision Loss in Glaucoma Patients Using Functional Principal Component Analysis and Electronic Health Records*
R. Donnipadu[†], Maxim Sivoilella[†], **C. Carroll**, S. Y. Wang. *Frontiers in Ophthalmology*.
- 2025 *Comparative Embryology and Transcriptomics of Asellus infernus, an Isopod Crustacean From Sulfidic Groundwater*
H. Lomheim, L. Reyes Rodas, D. Price, S. M. Sarbu, R. I. Băncilă, **C. Carroll**, L. Freeborn, S. Sanders, M. E. Protas. *Evolution and Development*.
- 2025 *Consistency and Validity of Participatory Science Data: A Comparison of Seasonality Patterns of Northern California & Nevada Birds across eBird and iNaturalist*
C. Carroll, R. E. Furrow, L. M. Gerhart, *Citizen Science: Theory and Practice*.
- 2023 *Latent Deformation Models for Multivariate Functional Data and Time Warping Separability*
C. Carroll and H.-G. Müller. *Biometrics*.
- 2022 *Learning Delay Dynamics for Multivariate Stochastic Processes with Application to Predicting COVID-19 Case Trajectories in the United States*
P. Dubey, Y. Chen, A. Gajardo, S. Bhattacharjee, **C. Carroll**, H. Chen, Y. Zhou, H.-G. Müller. *Journal of Mathematical Analysis and Applications*.
- 2022 *Comparison of Diagnostic Predictors of Neonatal Survivability in Non-Domestic Caprinae*
T. N. Bliss, M. J. Marinkovich, R. E. Burns, **C. Carroll**, M. M. Clancy, L. L. Howard. *Journal of Zoo and Wildlife Medicine*.
- 2021 *A Practical Method to Quantify Knowledge-Based Dose Volume Histogram Prediction Accuracy and Uncertainty with Reference Cohorts*
B. Covele, **C. Carroll**, K. Moore, *Journal of Applied Clinical Medical Physics*.
- 2021 *Cross-component Registration for Multivariate Functional Data with Application to Growth Curves*
C. Carroll, H.-G. Müller, A. Kneip, *Biometrics*.
- 2020 *Time Dynamics of COVID-19*
C. Carroll, S. Bhattacharjee, Y. Chen, P. Dubey, J. Fan, A. Gajardo, X. Zhou, H.-G. Müller, J.-L. Wang, *Scientific Reports*.
- 2020 *Mountaineers on Mount Everest: effects of age, sex, experience, and crowding on rates of success and death*
R. B. Huey*, **C. Carroll***, R. Salisbury, J.-L. Wang, *PLoS One*.

Under Review

- 2025+ *Predicting Progressive Vision Loss in Glaucoma Patients Using Functional Principal Component Analysis and Electronic Health Records*
R. K. Donnipadu[†], M. Sivoilella[†], **C. Carroll**, S. Y. Wang, *Frontiers in Ophthalmology*.

- 2025+ *Comparative embryology and transcriptomics of Asellus infernus, an isopod crustacean from sulfidic groundwater*
H. J. Lomheim, L. R. Rodas, D. Price, S. M. Sarbu, R. Bancila, **C. Carroll**, L. Freeborn, S. Sanders, and M. Protas, *Evolution & Development*.
- 2025+ *An Open-Source Deep Learning-Based Graphical User Interface for the Automated Analysis of Auditory Brainstem Responses (ABRA)*
A. Erra[†], J. Chen[†], E. Chrysostomou, S. Barret, C. Miller, Y. M. Kassim, R. A. Friedman, A. Lauer, F. Ceriani, W. Marcotti, **C. Carroll**, U. Manor, *Scientific Reports*.
- 2025+ *Improving Conservation Efficiency with Large Language Models*
R. Bernstein[†], S. Waterman[†], N. Murphy, K. Klausmeyer, **C. Carroll**, *Environmental Modeling and Software*
- 2025+ *Predicting Low Resource Language Multiple Choice Question Accuracy through Token Metrics*
A. Zhang[†], H. Louzan[†], V. Wei[†], N. Karim[†], **C. Carroll**, J. Lundin, NeurIPS Workshop 2025.

Whitepapers & Preprints

- 2023 *An Automated Workflow for Satellite-based Monitoring of Field Flooding*
X. Wang[†], W.-C. Liao[†], K. Klausmeyer, N. Rindlaub, **C. Carroll**. The Nature Conservancy.

Podcasts and Media

- 2022 - present *The USF Data Science Podcast*, co-host with Robert Clements.
<https://open.spotify.com/show/5SY1TPw3FubdSxCqrXUKZv?si=71427ced6f9a434f>.

Software

- Maintainer *NorCal Bird Dash*.
C. Carroll, S. Waterman.
<https://birds-dash-547zxc6ea-uc.a.run.app>.
- Contributor / Former Maintainer *fdapace: Functional Data Analysis and Empirical Dynamics. R package*.
C. Carroll, A. Gajardo, Y. Chen, X. Dai, J. Fan, P. Z. Hadjipantelis, K. Han, et al.
<https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=fdapace>.
- Contributor *Automatic Auditory Brainstem Response Analyzer (ABRA)*.
A. Erra[†], J. Chen[†], E. Chrysostomou, S. Barret, C. Miller, Y. M. Kassim, **C. Carroll**, U. Manor
Website: <https://ucsdabranalysis.streamlit.app/>.
Github: <https://github.com/ucsdmanorlab/abranalysis>.

* indicates co-first authorship

[†] indicates a student under mentorship

Student Mentorship and Advising

- 2024-2025 Data Science Practicum, *Data Institute, USF*
Advising Master's Practicums and Research
- o Amit Chaubey and Emma Salazar, *Dept. of Ophthalmology, Stanford University, with Sophia Ying Wang*
 - o Kd Bartholomew and Aman Singh, *The Nature Conservancy, with Kirk Klausmeyer*
 - o Leah Ashebir and Peeyush Patel, *Manor Lab at UC San Diego, with Uri Manor*
 - o Ada Zhang, Hamza Louzan, Victor Wei, and Nihal Karim, *Gates Foundation with Jessica Lundin*
 - o Helen Lin and Kavin Indirajith, *California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment, with Scott Coffin*
 - o Andrea Quiroz and Jose Fuentes, *UCSF Clinical Informatics, with Hui Lin*
- 2023-2024 Data Science Practicum, *Data Institute, USF*
Advising Master's Practicums and Research

- Rithvik Donnipadu and Maxim Sivoilella, *Dept. of Ophthalmology, Stanford University, with Sophia Ying Wang*
- Seneth Waterman and Ryan Bernstein, *The Nature Conservancy, with Kirk Klausmeyer*
- Abhijeeth Erra and Jeffrey Chen, *Manor Lab at UC San Diego, with Uri Manor*
- 2022-2023 Data Science Practicum, *Data Institute, USF*
Advising Master's Practicums and Research
 - Devendra Govil and Vichitra Kumar, *Dept. of Ophthalmology, Stanford University, with Sophia Ying Wang*
 - Xinyi Jessica Wang and Wan-Chun Elena Liao, *The Nature Conservancy, with Kirk Klausmeyer*
 - Mohana Medisetty and Yu-Hsin Wang, *Salk Institute for Biological Studies, with Uri Manor*
 - Xin Ai and Sharon Dodda, *CA Dept. of Fisheries and Wildlife, with Alex Heeren and Brett Furnas*
- 2017-2020 NSF Research Training Group, *Dept. of Statistics, UC Davis*
Advising Undergraduate Research
 - *Warping methods for wearable device data*, with Hainiu Xu
 - *Functional regression for wearable device data*, with Phoebe Biying Li
 - *Functional clustering for wearable device data*, with Weiyi Chen
 - *Geographic trends for functional housing price data*, with Yunbai Zhang
 - *Functional data analysis of global temperature extrema*, with Cynthia Lai
- 2020 Mentor for Undergraduate Honors Thesis
Warping methods for wearable device data, by Hainiu Xu

Presentations and Invited Talks

Invited Talks and Panels

- 2025 Math Colloquium, *USF*
To Merge or Not to Merge? A Comparison of Seasonality Patterns of Northern California and Nevada Birds across eBird and iNaturalist
- 2025 Department of Mathematics and Statistics, *Sonoma State University*
To Merge or Not to Merge? A Comparison of Seasonality Patterns of Northern California and Nevada Birds across eBird and iNaturalist
- 2025 STEM Teaching Symposium, *USF*
Data Science Here and Now
- 2024 USF STEM Teaching Symposium, *San Francisco, CA*
Data Science Here and Now
- 2024 Data + AI Summit, *San Francisco, CA*
Databricks' University Alliance Faculty Advice Panel
- 2023 Joint Statistical Meetings, *Toronto, ON, CA*
Latent Transport Models for Multivariate Functional Data
- 2023 Math Colloquium, *USF*
Time Warping and Functional Data
- 2022 Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, *Cal Poly Humboldt*
Mixed-Effect Warping Models for Multivariate Human Growth Curves
- 2022 Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, *Cal Poly Humboldt*
Case Study in Data Science Pedagogy: k-Nearest Neighbors Regression

- 2022 Halicioğlu Data Science Institute, *UC San Diego*
Latent Transport Models for Multivariate Functional Data
- 2022 Halicioğlu Data Science Institute, *UC San Diego*
Case Study in Data Science Pedagogy: k-Nearest Neighbors Regression
- 2022 Department of Mathematics and Statistics, *San Diego State University*
Intercomponent Time Dynamics for Multivariate Functional Data
- 2022 Department of Mathematics and Statistics, *USF*
Nonparametric Regression on Mt. Everest
- 2022 Data Institute, *USF*
Intercomponent Time Dynamics for Multivariate Functional Data
- 2022 Department of Probability and Applied Statistics, *UC Santa Barbara*
Teaching Statistics Here and Now
- 2022 Department of Statistics, *UC Berkeley*
Case Study in Data Science Pedagogy: Linear Association and Correlation
- 2021 Department of Applied Statistics, *Lawrence Livermore National Lab*
Latent Transport Models for Multivariate Functional Data
- 2020 ECHO Lab, *Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation*
Longitudinal Data Analysis with fdapace
- 2020 Department of Statistics, *UC Davis*
Shift-Warping for Multivariate Functional Data
- 2019 NSF RTG Statistics Workshop Series, *UC Davis*
Deception and Coin Flips: Statistical Intuition through Lies and Games
- 2018 NSF RTG Symposium: Modern Tools for Statistics, *UC Davis*
A Practical Introduction to Functional Data Analysis
- 2018 Department of Statistics, *UC Davis*
Time Warping for Human Growth Curves

Posters

- 2025 *Long-Term Spatial Prediction of Glaucomatous Visual Field Loss*
Creative Activity and Research Day, USF, 2025.
- 2025 *Low Resource Languages Pay Twice Quantifying the High- vs. Low-Resource Language Gap: Predicting Large Language Model Accuracy through Tokenization Fertility and Parity*
Creative Activity and Research Day, USF, 2025.
- 2025 *FlowZero: Leveraging Satellite Imagery for Proactive Water Management*
Creative Activity and Research Day, USF, 2025.
- 2024 *Predicting Progressive Vision Loss in Glaucoma Patients Using Functional Principal Component Analysis and Electronic Health Records*
American Medical Informatics Association Symposium, 2024.
- 2024 *Automated Analysis for Auditory Brainstem Responses (ABRs) in Mice*
Creative Activity and Research Day, USF, 2024.
- 2024 *Chat GDE: Can Large Language Models Evaluate Sustainability Plans for Groundwater Dependent Ecosystems?*
Creative Activity and Research Day, USF, 2024.
- 2024 *Predicting Progressive Vision Loss in Glaucoma Patients Using Functional Principal Component Analysis and Electronic Health Records*
Creative Activity and Research Day, USF, 2024.
- 2023 *An Automated Workflow for Satellite-based Monitoring of Field Flooding,*
Creative Activity and Research Day, USF, 2023.

2020 *Benchmarking Dose-Volume Histogram Prediction Accuracy Between Different Knowledge-Based Models*, Vancouver, BC, Canada, *Joint AAPM/COMP Meeting*

Professional Service

University and Departmental

- 2024-2025
 - o Co-Lead, Data Institute + Center for Research, Artistic and Scholarly Excellence Support
 - o Wrote and led BSDS Minor proposal to successful adoption
 - o Co-Lead Peer2Peer Presentation - Gradescope: An Assessment Tool to Help Streamline and Automate the Grading Process
 - o Reviewed and interviewed prospective MSDS students
 - o Invited and hosted speakers for Math Colloquium Series
- 2023-2024
 - o Co-Lead, Data Institute + Center for Research, Artistic and Scholarly Excellence Support
 - o New faculty orientation panel
 - o Math/MSDS representative at the Meet USF recruitment event
 - o Math/MSDS representative for USF visit to NASA Ames Facility
 - o Major/Minor Fair representative for Math dept
 - o Transfer Student Meet and Greet representative for Math dept
 - o Reviewed and interviewed prospective MSDS students
- 2022-2023
 - o Major/Minor Fair representative for Math dept
 - o Association for Women in Mathematics Integration Bee judge
 - o Machine learning consultant for KNIME platform
 - o MSDS faculty search interview panel
 - o Reviewed and interviewed prospective MSDS students
 - o Organized and hosted weekly Job Hunt Seminar for MSDS advisees

Editorial Review

- o Annals of Statistics
- o Journal of the American Statistical Association
- o Scientific Reports
- o Biometrika
- o Computational Statistics and Data Analysis
- o Multivariate Behavioral Research
- o Computer Methods and Programs in Biomedicine
- o Statistics in Medicine

Awards and Fellowships

- 2025 Functional Data for Citizen Science: Analysis of Northern CA Bird Seasonality Patterns
Faculty Development Fund, USF
- 2025 Google Cloud Platform for Hosting NorCal Birds Dash
Faculty Development Fund, USF
- 2024 CARD Outstanding Poster Award, with Ryan Bernstein and Seneth Waterman
USF
- 2024 Travel Award for Mid-Winter Meeting of the Association for Research in Otolaryngology
Faculty Development Fund, USF
- 2023 Large Language Models for Conservation of California Wildlife
Faculty Development Fund, USF

- 2023 Travel Award for Joint Statistical Meetings
Faculty Development Fund, USF
- 2022 Functional Data for Citizen Science
Faculty Development Fund, USF
- 2021 Peter Hall Graduate Research Award
Dept. of Statistics, UC Davis
- 2021 Alan Fenech Service Award
Dept. of Statistics, UC Davis
- 2020 Outstanding Graduate Teaching Award
Graduate Studies, UC Davis
- 2020 Excellence in Teaching Award
Dept. of Statistics, UC Davis
- 2015-2020 NSF Research Training Grant Recipient
UC Davis
- 2016-2019 Summer Statistical Research Fellowship
Dept. of Statistics, UC Davis
- 2015-2018 UC Davis Graduate Scholars Fellowship
Graduate Studies, UC Davis
- 2015 *Kizuna* Ambassador Award
Japanese Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications

Languages

Programming R, Python, SQL, \LaTeX

Spoken English (native), Japanese (proficient), Spanish (conversational), French (conversational)