

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; remote sensing

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

Teaching

University of San Francisco

| Term | Courses | |
|------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Spring '26 | Advanced Machine Learning | Linear Algebra for Data Science |
| 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

| Term | Course |
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| 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

- 2026 *An Open-Source Deep Learning-Based Toolbox for Auditory Brainstem Response Analysis (ABRA)*
A. Erra[†], C. Miller, J. Chen[†], E. Chrysostomou, S. Barret, Y. M. Kassim, R. A. Friedman, A. Lauer, F. Ceriani, W. Marcotti, **C. Carroll**, U. Manor, *Scientific Reports*, in press.
- 2026 *The Token Tax: Systematic Bias in Multilingual Tokenization*
J.M. Lundin, A. Zhang[†], N. Karim[†], H. Louzan[†], V. Wei[†], D. Adelani, **C. Carroll**, *European Chapter of Association for Computational Linguistics, AfricaNLP 2026 Workshop*, in press.
- 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+ *Improving Conservation Efficiency with Large Language Models*
R. Bernstein[†], S. Waterman[†], N. Murphy, K. Klausmeyer, **C. Carroll**, *Journal of Environmental Management*.

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.
- 2025 *No Translation Needed: Forecasting Quality from Fertility and Metadata*
J.M. Lundin, A. Zhang[†], D. Adelani, **C. Carroll**

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, A. Zhang, S. Waterman.
<https://birds-dash-547zxc6ea-uc.a.run.app>.
- Contributor / *fdapace: Functional Data Analysis and Empirical Dynamics. R package*.
Former **C. Carroll**, A. Gajardo, Y. Chen, X. Dai, J. Fan, P. Z. Hadjipantelis, K. Han, et al.
Maintainer <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://abra.ucsd.com/>.
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 Casal, *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
- o 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

Invited Talks and Panels

- 2025 Quantitative Seminar, *UC Davis, Dept. of Psychology*
When and How Functional Data Analysis Can Help in Quantitative Psychology
- 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
- 2025 Fully Connected Conference, *Weights and Biases, San Francisco, CA*
- 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 *To merge or not to merge? A circular optimal transport-based framework for comparing and fusing seasonality pattern data across participatory science platforms, with application to eBird and iNaturalist*
International Society for Ecological Modeling Global Conference, Tokyo, JP
- 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

- 2025-2026
- o Co-Lead, Data Institute + Center for Research, Artistic and Scholarly Excellence Support
 - o Student Research and Creative Activity Advisory Council, College of Arts and Sciences, USF
 - o Math/MSDSAI liaison for SEM events
 - o BSDS/MSDS and Math/MSDS 3+1 program development and proposal
 - o Reviewed and interviewed prospective MSDS students
 - o Mock interview MSDS students for job hunting
- 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 Math/MSDSAI liaison for SEM events
 - o Co-Lead Peer2Peer Presentation - Gradescope: An Assessment Tool to Help Streamline and Automate the Grading Process
 - o Presenter at USF CAS' STEM Teaching Symposium
 - o Reviewed and interviewed prospective MSDS students
 - o Mock interview MSDS students for job hunting
 - 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

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

--- Awards and Fellowships

- 2025 Centennial Innovation Fund Award, *Preparing our Next Generation of Data Science Students*
with James Wilson, Daniel Jerison, Stephen Devlin, *USF*
- 2025 Early Career Researcher Award, *Best Poster*
International Society for Ecological Modeling Global Conference
- 2025 Functional Data for Citizen Science: Analysis of Northern CA Bird Seasonality Patterns
Faculty Development Fund Award, USF
- 2025 Google Cloud Platform for Hosting NorCal Birds Dash
Faculty Development Fund Award, 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 Award, USF
- 2023 Travel Award for Joint Statistical Meetings
Faculty Development Fund Award, USF
- 2022 Functional Data for Citizen Science
Faculty Development Fund Award, 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 (basic)