## **Installing HMSC-R**

Under Mac OS X, there are known issues with packages built using Rcpp and RcppArmadillo — packages on which the HMSC-R package relies on. Essentially, these problems arise because of C/C++ and Fortran compiler related issues. Although these problems may be solved when the binary version of the HMSC-R package is used, they are sometimes occurring even when the binary is used. These problems can be solved by following the explanation presented in section 2.10 and 2.16 of <a href="http://dirk.eddelbuettel.com/code/rcpp/Rcpp-FAQ.pdf">http://dirk.eddelbuettel.com/code/rcpp/Rcpp-FAQ.pdf</a>. More information on this issue is given here: <a href="http://thecoatlessprofessor.com/programming/rcpp-rcpparmadillo-and-os-x-mavericks-lgfortran-and-lquadmath-error/">http://thecoatlessprofessor.com/programming/rcpp-rcpparmadillo-and-os-x-mavericks-lgfortran-and-lquadmath-error/</a>