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#### EXPERIENCE

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO  BOOTH SCHOOL OF BUSINESS, ECONOMETRICS AND STATIS	2018 - PRESENT STICS
Postdoctoral Scholar	
THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN	2013 - 2018
McCombs School of Business, Statistics Group Graduate Research Assistant	
GOLDMAN SACHS & CO.	2011 - 2012
Investment Management Division Analyst	
Wesleyan University	2009 - 2011
Mathematics and Physics Departments Teaching Assistant	
THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES	SUMMER 2010
Institute for Pure and Applied Math	SUMMER 2010
Researcher	
Max Planck Institute, Göttingen, Germany Dynamics and Self-organization	SUMMER 2009
Researcher	
EDUCATION	
THE University of Texas at Austin	2018
McCombs School of Business, Statistics Group Ph.D., Statistics	
THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN	2015
McCombs School of Business, Statistics Group M.S., Statistics	

## PUBLICATIONS

Wesleyan University

B.A., MATHEMATICS AND PHYSICS

Honors in Mathematics, Phi Beta Kappa

PORTFOLIO SELECTION FOR INDIVIDUAL PASSIVE INVESTING
DAVID PUELZ, P. RICHARD HAHN, AND CARLOS CARVALHO
APPLIED STOCHASTIC MODELS IS BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY (TO APPEAR)

REGULARIZATION AND CONFOUNDING IN LINEAR REGRESSION FOR TREATMENT EFFECT ESTIMATION P. RICHARD HAHN, CARLOS CARVALHO, DAVID PUELZ, AND JINGYU HE BAYESIAN ANALYSIS 13 (2018). No 1

Variable Selection in Seemingly Unrelated Regressions with Random Predictors David Puelz, P. Richard Hahn, and Carlos M. Carvalho Bayesian Analysis 12 (2017). No 4

2011

MONOTONIC EFFECTS OF CHARACTERISTICS ON RETURNS JARED FISHER, DAVID PUELZ, AND CARLOS CARVALHO SUBMITTED (2019)

FINANCIAL LITERACY AND ECONOMIC OUTCOMES DAVID PUELZ AND ROBERT PUELZ SUBMITTED (2019)

A GRAPH-THEORETIC APPROACH TO RANDOMIZATION TESTS OF CAUSAL EFFECTS UNDER GENERAL INTERFERENCE

DAVID PUELZ, PANOS TOULIS, GUILLAUME BASSE, AND AVI FELLER WORKING PAPER

FISHER MEETS BART: RANDOMIZATION INFERENCE FOR THE AVERAGE TREATMENT EFFECT DAVID PUELZ AND PANOS TOULIS
WORKING PAPER

RANDOMIZATION INFERENCE AND OPTIMAL TEST STATISTIC COMBINATION DAVID PUELZ, PANOS TOULIS, AND CONNOR DOWD WORKING PAPER

OPTIMAL ETF SELECTION FOR PASSIVE INVESTING
DAVID PUELZ, P. RICHARD HAHN, AND CARLOS CARVALHO
WORKING PAPER

#### PRESENTATIONS

A GRAPH-THEORETIC APPROACH TO RANDOMIZATION TESTS OF CAUSAL EFFECTS UNDER GENERAL INTERFERENCE (POSTER; \*BEST POSTER PRIZE WINNER.

SOCIETY FOR POLITICAL METHODOLOGY ANNUAL MEETING — MIT

CAMBRIDGE, MA — JULY 2019

Monotonic Effects of Characteristics on Returns Eastern Asia ISBA Conference — Kobe University Kobe, JP — July 2019

A GRAPH-THEORETIC APPROACH TO RANDOMIZATION TESTS OF CAUSAL EFFECTS UNDER GENERAL INTERFERENCE

ECONOMICS WORKSHOP — KEIO UNIVERSITY TOKYO, JP — JULY 2019

Monotonic Effects of Characteristics on Returns Seminar on Bayesian Inference in Econometrics and Statistics — Brown University Providence, RI — May 2019

Randomization Tests of Causal Effects Under General Interference Atlantic Causal Inference Conference — McGill University Montreal, CA — May 2019

Randomization Tests of Causal Effects Under General Interference international conference on design of experiments — University of Memphis Memphis, TN — May 2019

RANDOMIZATION TESTS OF CAUSAL EFFECTS UNDER GENERAL INTERFERENCE CHICAGO BOOTH ECONOMETRICS AND STATISTICS SEMINAR CHICAGO, IL — FEBRUARY 2019

Monotonic Effects of Characteristics on Returns Chicago Booth Research Workshop Chicago, IL — December 2018

Utility-based Feature Selection for Econometrics International Society for Bayesian Analysis World Meeting Edinburgh, UK — June 2018

Posterior Summarization
University of Notre Dame Mendoza School of Business
South Bend, IN — November 2017

Utility-based Feature Selection for Finance and Econometrics IROM PhD Seminar. University of Texas. Austin, TX — November 2017

REGRET-BASED SELECTION
INFORMS ANNUAL MEETING
HOUSTON, TX — OCTOBER 2017

Sparse Dynamic Portfolio Selection Joint Statistical Meetings Baltimore, MD — August 2017

Sparse Dynamic Portfolio Selection Informs Advances in Decision Analysis Austin, TX - June 2017

AUSTIN, TX — JUNE 2017

REGRET-BASED SELECTION

Seminar on Bayesian Inference in Econometrics and Statistics — Washington University St. Louis, MO — May 2017

PENALIZED UTILITY ESTIMATORS IN FINANCE IROM DEPARTMENT SYMPOSIUM. UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AUSTIN, TX — FEBRUARY 2017

Posterior Summarization in Finance IROM PhD Seminar. University of Texas Austin, TX — November 2016

Sparse Mean-Variance Portfolios Joint Statistical Meetings Chicago, IL — August 2016

PENALIZED UTILITY ESTIMATORS IN FINANCE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR BAYESIAN ANALYSIS WORLD MEETING SARDINIA, ITALY — JUNE 2016

PENALIZED UTILITY ESTIMATORS IN FINANCE

SEMINAR ON BAYESIAN INFERENCE IN ECONOMETRICS AND STATISTICS — UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA PHILADELPHIA, PA — APRIL 2016

SPARSE ETF INVESTING
IROM PHD SEMINAR. UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS
AUSTIN, TX — MARCH 2016

PENALIZED UTILITY ESTIMATORS IN FINANCE GOLDMAN SACHS & CO NEW YORK CITY, NY — FEBRUARY 2016

The ETF Tangency Portfolio Seminar on Bayesian Inference in Econometrics and Statistics — Washington University St. Louis, MO — May 2015

#### TEACHING

The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas McCombs School of Business

TEACHING ASSISTANT AND LECTURER - 2013 - 2018

• SERVED AS TEACHING ASSISTANT FOR TIME SERIES AND DYNAMIC MODELS, HONORS STATISTICAL MODELING, QUANTITATIVE INVESTMENT STRATEGIES, BUSINESS STATISTICS, AND PREDICTIVE MODELING COURSES. CO-TAUGHT STATISTICS AND MACHINE LEARNING PORTIONS OF QUANTITATIVE INVESTMENT STRATEGIES, AN MSF-MBA COURSE.

Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT Mathematics Department

TEACHING ASSISTANT - 2010 - 2011

• SERVED AS TEACHING ASSISTANT FOR CALCULUS I AND II, LINEAR ALGEBRA, AND APPLIED DATA ANALYSIS COURSES.

### Honors

GRADUATE CONTINUING FELLOWSHIP
UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS GRADUATE SCHOOL — 2017 - 2018

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AWARD

University of Texas McCombs School of Business - 2015 - 2016

DEAN'S FELLOWSHIP

University of Texas McCombs School of Business - 2013 - 2018

BONHAM FELLOWSHIP

University of Texas McCombs School of Business - 2014

JASTROW FELLOWSHIP

University of Texas McCombs School of Business - 2013

RAE SHORTT PRIZE (EXCELLENCE IN MATHEMATICS) WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY -2010

ROBERTSON PRIZE (OUTSTANDING SOPHOMORE IN MATHEMATICS) WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY -2009