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# Daniel Vedensky

# Education

In Progress PhD. Statistics, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

Dissertation: Bayesian Hierarchical Unit-Level Models for Longitudinal Survey Data Under

Informative Sampling
Advisor: Dr. Scott H. Holan

2022 M.A. Statistics, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

2013 B.A. Linguistics, Reed College, Portland, OR

# Experience

2021-Current Graduate Research Assistant, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

2020–2021 Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

2013–2016 NLP Speech Scientist, Nuance Communications, Seattle, WA

### Publications

- [1] D. Vedensky, P. A. Parker, and S. H. Holan. A Look into the Problem of Preferential Sampling through the Lens of Survey Statistics. *The American Statistician*, 77(3):313–322, Nov. 2022.
- [2] D. Vedensky, P. A. Parker, and S. H. Holan. Bayesian Unit-level Models for Longitudinal Survey Data under Informative Sampling: An Analysis of Expected Job Loss Using the Household Pulse Survey, 2023. (Under Invited Revision.) arXiv:2304.07897.

#### Talks

- Aug. 2023 Bayesian Unit-level Models for Longitudinal Survey Data under Informative Sampling with Application to the Household Pulse Survey Joint Statistical Meetings, (Topic Contributed Session), Toronto, Canada.
- Aug. 2024 Bayesian Unit-level Modeling of Categorical Survey Data with a Longitudinal Design Joint Statistical Meetings, (Topic Contributed Session), Portland, Oregon.

# Poster Presentations

Oct. 2023 An Approach to Analyzing the Household Pulse Survey using Bayesian Spatio-Temporal Unit-Level Models Under Informative Sampling with Alex Sun, Paul A. Parker and Scott H. Holan, (Mizzou Statistics 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference) University of Missouri Sept. 2022 An Approach to Analyzing the Household Pulse Survey using Bayesian Spatio-Temporal Unit-Level Models Under Informative Sampling with Alex Sun, Paul A. Parker and Scott H. Holan, (O'Bayes 2022) University of California Santa Cruz.

#### Awards

2025 Honorable Mention - ASA SRMS/GSS/SSS Student Paper Competition

Aug. 2023 - Feb. U.S. Census Bureau Dissertation Fellowship.

2025

June 2021 6<sup>th</sup> Int'l Conference on Establishment Statistics Student Contest winner.

# Teaching

Fall 2020 & Stat 2500: Introduction to Probability and Statistics I Spring 2021

### Service

2024-Present UCSC/Mizzou Modern Survey Statistics Reading Group Coordinator

2022-2024 Mizzou Statistics Graduate Student Association Committee Member

Refereed Articles for

Journal of Data Science

# Technical Skills

Languages R, Python, bash

Software Stan, Tidyverse, TEX, Emacs, vim, SLURM, git, SVN, sed/awk

# Languages

English Native

Russian Fluent