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Specialties: Bioinformatics, Human Genetics, Python

Experience

Since December 2013 *Research Fellow for [Reproductive Endocrine Unit, Massachusetts General Hospital](#) Boston, Massachusetts*

Investigating the genetic basis of reproductive endocrine disorders by whole exome and genome sequencing. Applying bioinformatic and statistical genomics methods to prioritize potential causal alleles. Working in an interdisciplinary group of physicians, genetic counselors, and basic scientists.

January 2009 - October 2013 *PhD in Bioinformatics with [Gabor T. Marth](#) Boston College Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts*

Utilized existing and wrote novel software to analyze data from population scale and family based whole genome and whole exome re-sequencing studies to characterize the contribution of rare variants to human genetic diversity and disease risk. Projects included analyzing capture sequencing data from the 1000 Genomes Pilot Project, identifying a potential causal mutation in a Mendelian disease, demonstrating the applicability of whole-genome amplified DNA in capture sequencing, and implementing a pedigree aware variant calling algorithm.

August 2005 - December 2008 *Bioinformatics Programmer [Cornell University](#) Ithaca, New York*

Implemented bioinformatic data analysis pipelines for DNA re-sequencing and genotyping datasets for research projects in population and evolutionary genomics which helped facilitate the publication of over 10 papers in leading scientific journals.

February 2001 - July 2002 *Bioinformatics Programmer at [Stanford University](#) Stanford, CA*

Implemented informatics pipeline for sequencing and genotyping of candidate genes involved in complex diseases

Selected Publications

Variant discovery in targeted resequencing using whole genome amplified DNA

The functional spectrum of low-frequency coding variation

A map of human genome variation from population-scale sequencing

Assessing the evolutionary impact of amino acid mutations in the human genome

Proportionally more deleterious genetic variation in European than in African populations

Analysis of concordance of different haplotype block partitioning algorithms

Skills

Bioinformatics : GATK, MOSAIK, Freebayes, PLINK, samtools, Picard

Programming : Python, R, Perl, familiar with Java and C++, [GitHub repo](#)

Molecular Biology : PCR, gel electrophoresis

Education

2009-2013 *PhD in Bioinformatics at Boston College* Chestnut Hill , Massachusetts

Title: Discovering rare variants from populations to families. Advisor: [Gabor T. Marth](#) Defended in October 2013

2003-2005 *MS in Bioinformatics at Medical College of Wisconsin and Marquette University* Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Title: Analysis of concordance of haplotype block partitioning algorithms. Advisor: Michael Olivier

1996-2000 *BS in Molecular and Cellular Biology, minor Computer Science* University of Arizona Tucson, Arizona

Selected as Outstanding Graduating Senior in Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology