

APHL BIOINFORMATICS FELLOW

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I am a scientist with 10+ years of experience in classical genetics, genomics, and evolutionary biology. My training includes using a range of tools - bioinformatics, population genetics, molecular evolution all with experimental design in mind. Over the years as my computational skills increased, the genomes of the organisms I work on get smaller! Now, I work at the interface of public health, application development, and understanding organisms that can cause harm to humans with an empahsis of developing reproduciable research.

Education

University of Georgia Athens, GA

Ph.D. IN GENETICS 2015

University of North Carolina - Asheville

Asheville, NC

B.S. IN BIOLOGY

2010

Appointments _____

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Atlanta, GA

ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH LABORATORIES BIOINFOMRATICS FELLLOW

19-Sep-Current

- Developing Tinsel an Rshiny application for annotating outbreak trees
- Worked with Scicomp for Tinsel to be available on CDC internal server
- · Intiated collaboration to make Tinsel part of an open source genomics platform being developed by EDLB

University of Georgia Athens, GA

BENSASSON LAB POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER

17-Oct-19-Aug

- Directed collaborative research with graduate and undergraduate students
- Collated and streamlined genome mapping for 1000 Saccharomyces cerevisiae isolates as lab resource
- · Used an iterative approach to assign 400 genomes to well-defined populations using best practices for population genomics and phylogenetics
- Resolved haplotypes for Candida albicans genomes and verified with PacBio sequencing

Indiana Unversity

Bloomingto, IN

MOYLE LAB POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER

15-Jun-17-Sep

- · Directed research with faculty, graduate, and undergraduates at IU and with two external universities
- · Identified genome-wide trends in 30 genomes for Solanum species using whole genome mapping
- Streamlined genotyping to generate biological replicates. Validate data accuracy using technical replicates along with statistical analyses
- Used linear mixed models and ANOVA to identify differences in targeting, rates, and floral trait differences with biological and technical replicates for a large-scale crossing project

Skills

Analytical

BIOINFORMATICS, DATA SCIENCE, EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN, GENOMICS, HIGH PERFORMANCE COMPUTING, PROJECT

MANAGEMENT, QUALITY CONTROL, REPRODUCIBLE RESEARCH, STATISTICS, TECHNICAL WRITING AND DOCUMENTATION

Programming

AWK - proficient, Bash - expert, Python - expert, R - expert, Rmarkdown - expert

Tools

BCFTOOLS, BLAST, BWA, CONDA/ANACONDA, FASTQC, GIT/GITHUB, QUAST, SAMTOOLS, SEQTK, SPADES, VCFTOOLS

Publications

JAP Hamlin, MS Hibbins, LC Moyle

Assessing Biological factors affecting postspeciation introgression

JAP Hamlin, GB Dias, CM Bergman, D Bensasson

Phased Diploid genome assemblies for three strains of Candida albicans from Oak trees

Evolution Letters
2020

2020

JAP Hamlin, NA Sherman, LC Moyle

TWO LOCI CONTRIBUTE EPISTASTICALLY TO HETEROSPECIFIC POLLEN REJECTION, A POSTMATING ISOLATING BARRIER BETWEEN

SPECIES

JAP Hamlin, TJ Simmonds, ML Arnold

2017

Society

NICHE CONSERVATISM FOR ECOLOGICAL PREFERENCE IN THE LOUISIANA IRIS SPECIES COMPLEX
2017

JAP Hamlin, ML Arnold

Journal of Heredity

Neutral and Selective Processes Drive Population Differentiation for Iris Hexagona 201

ML Arnold, AN Brothers, JAP Hamlin, SJ Taylor, NH Martin

DIVERGENCE-WITH-GENE-FLOW—WHAT HUMANS AND OTHER MAMMALS GOT UP TO

2015

JAP Hamlin, ML Arnold Ecology and Evolution

DETERMINING POPULATION STRUCTURE AND HYBRIDIZATION FOR TWO IRIS SPECIES.

ML Arnold, JAP Hamlin, AN Brothers, ES Ballerini

Rapidly evolving genes and genetic systems

NATURAL HYBRIDIZATION AS A CATALYST OF RAPID EVOLUTIONARY CHANGE 2012

ML Arnold, ES Ballerini, AN Brothers, JAP Hamlin, CDA Ishibashi, ... Plant Ecology & Diversity

THE GENOMICS OF NATURAL SELECTION AND ADAPTATION: CHRISTMAS PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE (?).

K Marshall, J Hamlin, M Armstrong, J Mendoza, C Lee, D Pieri, R Rivera, ...

The Bulletin of the Ecological Society of America

SCIENCE FOR A SOCIAL REVOLUTION: ECOLOGISTS ENTERING THE REALM OF ACTION 2011

Presentations

Talks

Start Writing Manuscripts in Rmarkdown

Atlanta, GA

GENOMICS INTEREST GROUP - TECHINCAL 2020

Build Shiny Apps Athens, GA

Warnell School of Forestry & Natural Resources Data Manipulation and Management course 2018

No Easy D: Little Evidence for Introgression from Whole-Genome Data in Wild Solanum.

Portland, OR

SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF EVOLUTION 2017

Epistasis for Postmating Prezygotic Isolation.Austin, TX

SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF EVOLUTION 2016

Spatial, temporal, and genome-wide patterns of differentiation for the Louisiana iris species complex.

Bloomington, IN

Indiana Unviversity Brown Bag 2015

What Drives Phenotypic and Genetic Divergence for Iris hexagona?

Raleigh, NC

SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF EVOLUTION 2014

Comparative Phylogeography of Two Louisiana Irises.

Snowbird, UT

SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF EVOLUTION 2013

Posters

Tinsel - an Rshiny app for phylogenetic tree annotation	Portland, OR
ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH LABORATORIES ANNUAL MEETING	2020
Tinsel - an Rshiny application for annotating outbreak trees	Atlanta, GA
Integrated Foodborne Outbreak Response and Management	2020
Genetic admixture and the origins of clinical Saccharomyces cerevisiae yeast.	Pacific Grove, CA
Fungal Genetics Conference	2019
Clinical Saccharomyces cerevisiae are admixed domesticated yeast.	Holderness, NH
CELLULAR AND MOLECULAR FUNGAL BIOLOGY: GORDON RESEARCH CONFERENCE	2018
Higher Prevalence of Genetic Exchange Given Geographic Proximity.	Laural Hill, NC
Southeastern Population Ecology & Evolutionary Genetics.	2017
Two Loci Contribute Epistastically to Heterospecific Pollen Tube Rejection, a Postmating Isolating Barrier Between Species.	Davis, CA
SOLANACEAE CONFERENCE	2016
What Drives Phenotypic and Genetic Divergence for Iris hexagona?	Boise, ID
BOTANICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA	2014
Comparative Phylogeography of Two Louisiana Iris Species: Iris fulva and Iris brevicaulis AMERICAN GENETIC ASSOCIATION	• Guanajuato, Mexico
R-Packages Tinsel - An R package for visulizing and annotating phylogenetic trees	https://github.com/jennahamlin/Tinser
AUTHOR AND MAINTAINER	2013
Mentoring	
University of Georgia graduate students	
E. Scopel Ferreira Da Costa J. Pena	
University of Georgia undergraduate students	
T. Simmonds	
K. Miller	
J. Foley	
S. Duque	
B. Webb	
Indiana University graduate students	

C. Jewell

M. Gibson

Indiana University undergraduate students

- A. Huh
- J. Breisch
- S. Henderson
- L. Howser
- C. Plasterer
- D. Shukla
- S. Seo