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Curriculum Vitae

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Employment

Aug 2020–Present **Assistant Professor**, *Department of Statistics*, Florida State University.

Education

May 2020 **Ph.D.**, Rice University.

Aug 2018 **M.A.**, Rice University.

May 2013 **B.A.**, Rice University.

Publications

Published papers and papers in press

1. Babkin, S., **Stewart, J. R.**, Long, X., and Schweinberger, M. Large-scale estimation of random graph models with local dependence. *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, (2020) 107029.
2. Schweinberger, M., Krivitsky, P. N., Butts, C. T., and **Stewart, J. R.** Exponential-family models of random graphs: inference in finite, super, and infinite population scenarios, *Statistical Science*, 25 (4) (2020), 627–662.
3. **Stewart, J. R.** Consistent estimation of high-dimensional random graph models with dependent edge variables, Ph.D. Thesis, *Rice University* (2020).
4. Schweinberger, M., and **Stewart, J.** Concentration and consistency results for canonical and curved exponential-family models of random graphs. *The Annals of Statistics*, 48 (2020), 374–396.
5. **Stewart, J.**, Schweinberger, M., Morris, M., and Bojanowski, M. Multilevel network data facilitate statistical inference for curved ergms with geometrically weighted terms. *Social Networks*, 59 (2019), 98–119.
6. Campbell, I. M., **Stewart, J. R.**, James, R. A., Lupski, J. R., Stankiewicz, P., Olofsson, P., and Shaw, C. A. Parent of origin, mosaicism, and recurrence risk: Probabilistic modeling explains the broken symmetry of transmission genetics. *The American Journal of Human Genetics*, 95 (4) (2014), 345–359

Submitted papers

1. **Stewart, J. R.** and Schweinberger, M. Pseudo-likelihood-based M -estimation of random graphs with dependent edges and parameter vectors of increasing dimension, (2021+) arXiv preprint [arXiv:2012.07167](https://arxiv.org/abs/2012.07167).
2. **Stewart, J. R.** On the time to identify the nodes in a random graph, (2021+), submitted and under review.

Software

`mlergm` R package (**creator, author, maintainer**)

Multilevel exponential-family random graph models

More than 9,000 downloads since December 2018

`hergm` R package (**author**)

Hierarchical exponential-family random graph models with local dependence

More than 50,000 downloads

Presentations

Invited talks

1. 2021 **CMStatistics**, London, UK, delivered virtually
Estimating random graph models from observed subgraphs
2. 2021 **Department of Mathematics**, University of Maryland, delivered virtually
Scalable estimation of random graph models with dependent edges and increasing numbers of parameters
3. 2020 **CMStatistics**, delivered virtually
Maximum pseudolikelihood estimation for models of social network data
4. 2020 **Department of Statistics**, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
Scalable and consistent estimation of random graph models using the pseudolikelihood
5. 2020 **Joint Statistical Meeting**, delivered virtually
A probabilistic framework for models of dependent network data
6. 2020 **Department of Mathematics**, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
A probabilistic framework for models of dependent network data, with statistical guarantees
7. 2020 **Department of Statistics and data Science**, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
A probabilistic framework for models of dependent network data, with statistical guarantees
8. 2020 **Department of Statistical Science**, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX
A probabilistic framework for models of dependent network data, with statistical guarantees
9. 2020 **Department of Statistics**, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
A probabilistic framework for models of dependent network data, with statistical guarantees
10. 2019 **CMStatistics**, London, UK
Generalized β -models with dependent edges and parameter vectors of increasing dimension

Contributed talks

1. 2021 **Networks 2021: A joint Sunbelt and NetSci Conference**, delivered virtually
Scalable estimation of network models, with statistical guarantees
2. 2019 **International Sunbelt Social Network Conference**, Montreal, CA
Multilevel ERGMs with overlapping subsets of nodes: models, methods, and statistical theory
3. 2012 **Joint Statistical Meeting**, San Diego, CA
Graphical inference and the hanging rootogram

Research support

- 2022 **Principal Investigator**, Florida State University CRC-COFRS Award
Generalized latent space models for network data
Direct cost: \$20,000
- 2021 **Principal Investigator**, Florida State University CRC-FYAP Award
Subgraph-to-graph estimation and inference for sampled network data
Direct cost: \$20,000
- 2018-2019 **Consultant**, NIH / NIMH award 1R01MH100021
YMAP: Young Men's Affiliation Project of HIV risk and prevention venue
PIs: Kayo Fujimoto, UTHealth Science Center, Houston
John A. Schneider, University of Chicago

Awards and honors

- 2021 **Kutner New Faculty Poster Session Award**
Southern Regional Council on Statistics Summer Research Conference
Awarded for the best new faculty poster
- 2021 **Travel Award (\$1000)**, Southern Regional Council on Statistics
Funding to attend and present at the 2021 SRCOS Conference
- 2019 **James R. Thompson Student Award**
Department of Statistics, Rice University
Awarded annually to up to two Ph.D. students for excellence in research
- 2019 **Travel Award**, Department of Statistics, Rice University
Funding to attend and present at the 2019 CMStatistics conference
- 2019 **Travel Award**, International Network for Social Network Analysis
Funding to attend and present at the 2019 INSNA Sunbelt conference in Montreal
- 2019 **Travel Award**, Department of Statistics, Rice University
Funding to attend and present at the 2019 INSNA Sunbelt conference in Montreal

Teaching

Students

- 2020-Present Jiaheng Li
Florida ASA Chapter Student Presentation Award
- 2020-Present Jairo Peña Hidalgo

Courses

- STA 3032 *Applied Statistics for Engineers and Scientists*
Calculus based introduction to probability and statistics for engineering and statistics students
- STA 4321/5323 *Introduction to Mathematical Statistics*
Course teaching the foundations of probability necessary for a first course in mathematical statistics

Service to profession

- *Journal Referee*
 - 1. The Annals of Statistics
 - 2. Journal of the American Statistical Association
 - 3. Bernoulli
 - 4. The Annals of Applied Statistics
 - 5. Sankhya: The Indian Journal of Statistics, Series A
 - 6. Biometrics
 - 7. Statistical Methods and Applications
 - 8. Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews: Computational Statistics
 - 9. Acta Mathematica Scientia
 - 10. Results in Applied Mathematics
 - 11. Applied Network Science
- CMStatistics 2021, *Invited speaker session organizer*
December 18-20, 2021 at King's College London in London, UK

- Communications Officer 2021, *Mental Health Statistics Section, ASA*
- Quality and Productivity Research Conference, *Local Organizing Committee*
July 26–29, 2021 at Florida State University in Tallahassee, FL
<https://qprc2021.com/>
- A Symposium on Optimal Stopping Time, *Local co-organizer*
June 25–29, 2018 at Rice University in Houston, TX
<http://www.optimalstopping.com/>

Professional memberships

Institute of Mathematical Statistics
American Statistical Association