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EDUCATION

Harvard University, 2021-2026 (expected)

PhD Candidate in Biostatistics

Harvard University, 2021-2023

AM Biostatistics

Colby College, 2014-2018

BA Mathematical Sciences, Statistics Concentration

BA Economics-Mathematics, Honors thesis: Employer Mandates and Firm Dynamics

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

PhD Student Research Assistant, Massachusetts General Hospital Biostatistics Center, 2022-Present

Research Assistant, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, Economists Jenny Tang and Viacheslav Sheremirov, 2018-2021

Summer Research Assistant, Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Economists Leland Crane and Ryan Decker, 2017

Research Assistant, Colby College Economics Department, Professor Robert Lester, 2016

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Introduction to Statistical Methods (BST 201)

- Fall 2023, Fall 2024 Head Teaching Fellow
- Fall 2022 Teaching Fellow
- Average effectiveness score exceeding 4.9/5 across 3 years

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant for Macroeconomic Theory, Colby College Economics Department, 2017-2018 Data Analyst Summer Intern, UnitedHealth (formerly OmniClaim), 2016

Teaching Assistant for Introductory Statistics, Colby College Mathematics & Statistics Department, 2016-2018

Teaching Assistant for Calculus I, Colby College Mathematics & Statistics Department, 2015-2016

HONORS

Harvard Biostatistics Distinction in Teaching Award, 2023, 2024, 2025

Phi Beta Kappa, 2018

Mu Sigma Rho, 2018

Colby Economics Department Faculty Prize (for high scholarly attainment in economics), 2017

PUBLICATIONS AND WORKING PAPERS

Barnatchez, K., Crane, L. D., & Decker, R. A. (2017). An Assessment of the National Establishment Time Series (NETS) Database (No. 2017-110, pp. 1-51). Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (US).

Barnatchez, K., Nethery, R., Shepherd, B. E., Parmigiani, G., & Josey, K. P. (2024). Flexible and Efficient Estimation of Causal Effects with Error-Prone Exposures: A Control Variates Approach for Measurement Error. arXiv preprint arXiv:2410.12590.

Barnatchez, K., Josey, K. P., Hejazi, N. S., Shepherd, B. E., Parmigiani, G., & Nethery, R. (2025). Efficient Estimation of Causal Effects Under Two-Phase Sampling with Error-Prone Outcome and Treatment Measurements. arXiv preprint arXiv:2506.21777.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

"Measurement Error in Causal Inference: A Review" (with Rachel Nethery and Kevin Josey)

STATISTICAL SOFTWARE

Barnatchez, K. drcmd: Doubly-Robust Causal Inference With Missing Data, R package. [Online]. Available: https://github.com/keithbarnatchez/drcmd.

PRESENTATIONS

- "Measurement Error in Causal Inference: A Review" (with Rachel Nethery and Kevin Josey). Harvard Biostatistics Student Seminar Series, April 2023
- "Estimating Causal Effects with a Mismeasured Exposure Using Control Variates." ENAR Annual Spring Meeting, March 2024
- "Efficient Estimation of Causal Effects Under Two-Phase Sampling with Error-Prone Outcome and Treatment Measurements." ENAR Annual Spring Meeting, March 2025

POSTERS

"Estimating Causal Effects with a Mismeasured Exposure Using Control Variates." American Causal Inference Conference, May 2024

"Efficient Estimation of Causal Effects Under Two-Phase Sampling with Error-Prone Outcome and Treatment Measurements." American Causal Inference Conference, May 2025

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Journal Peer Reviewer: Journal of Causal Inference, Cell Press: Patterns, Economic Modelling

SKILLS

Programming languages: Python (Base, Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib and Tensorflow), R

Software: Stata & Mata, LaTeX, Matlab