Maxime Turgeon

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RESEARCH INTERESTS Statistical genetics, dimension reduction, high-dimensional data, kernel methods, semiparametric statistics

EDUCATION University McGill, Montréal, QC

Ph.D., Biostatistics, Expected: Summer 2017

- Thesis Topic: Principal components of explained variance: A semiparametric approach
- Advisors: Celia M.T. Greenwood, Ph.D and Aurélie Labbe, Ph.D

M.Sc., Mathematics, September 2013

- Topic: A relative fundamental lemma for U(4)
- Advisor: Jayce R. Getz, Ph.D

University of Ottawa, Ottawa, ON

B.Sc., Mathematics (Honours), April 2011

- Summa Cum Laude
- Topic: Representation theory of p-adic algebraic groups
- Advisor: Monica Nevins, Ph.D

RESEARCH Research Assistant

2011-2012

EXPERIENCE Department of Mathematics and Statistics,

McGill University

Supervisor: Jayce R. Getz, Ph.D

REFEREED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- 1. Wang, Y., Murphy, O., **Turgeon, M.**, Wang, Z.Y., Bhatnagar, S.R., Schulz, J., and Moodie, E.E.M. "The perils of quasi-likelihood information criteria", *Stat*, 4: 2015.
- Ahmad, O.S., Morris, J.A., Mujammami, M., Forgetta, V., Leong, A., Li, R., Turgeon, M., Greenwood, C.M.T., Thanassoulis, G., Meigs, J.B., Sladek, R., and Richards, J.B. "A Mendelian randomization study of the effect of type-2 diabetes on coronary heart disease" *Nature Communications*, 6: 2015.

Papers in Preparation

1. **Turgeon, M.**, Oualkacha, K., Ciampi, A., Dehghan, G., Zanke, B.W., Greenwood, C.M.T., and Labbe, A. "Principal Component of Explained Variance: an efficient and optimal data dimension reduction framework for association studies".

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Travel Awards

• Ontario Baden-Württemberg Summer Research fellowship (\$3,500) 2010

Student Awards — McGill University

• FQRNT Doctoral Scholarship (\$20,000 per year)	2014-2016
• McGill Graduate Excellence Award (\$10,000)	2013-2014
• FQRNT Masters Scholarship (\$15,000 per year)	2011-2013
• Thomlinson Masters' Fellowship (\$5,500)	2011-2012

	Student Awards — University of Ottawa • Linis Scholarship (\$1,000) • NSERC Undergraduate Summer Research Award (\$4,500 - declined) • Dean of Science's Honour List • Admission Scholarship (\$2,500 per year, renewed twice) • Bourse de la Francophonie (\$2,500)	2011 2010 2008-2011 2008-2011 2008-2009
Presentations	Statistical Meetings • 4th Annual Human and Statistical Genetics Meeting, Vancouver, BC	C Apr 2015
	McGill University ● Biostatistics Reading Group Mar 2014, Feb 2	2015, Oct 2015
	Posters • EBOH 50th anniversary conference, Montréal, QC • 4th Annual Human and Statistical Genetics Meeting, Vancouver, BC • Statistical Society of Canada Annual Meeting, Toronto, ON	Apr 2015 Apr 2015 May 2014
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Teaching Assistant MATH240 - Discrete Structures Department of Mathematics and Statistics, University McGill	Fall 2012, 2013
	MATH134 - Enriched Linear Algebra Department of Mathematics and Statistics, University McGill	Fall 2012
	MATH141 - Calculus II Win Department of Mathematics and Statistics, University McGill	nter 2012, 2013
	Grader EPIB621 - Data Analysis in the Health Sciences Department of Epidemiology, Biostatistics, and Occupational Health University McGill	Winter 2015
	MATH236 - Algebra II Department of Mathematics and Statistics, University McGill	Winter 2013
	MAT1541 - Introduction à l'algèbre linéaire Department of Mathematics and Statistics, University of Ottawa	Winter 2011
	Tutor Mathematics and Statistics Help Center Department of Mathematics and Statistics, University of Ottawa	Fall 2010
REVIEWING EXPERIENCE	Journals • International Journal of Epidemiology	
	Conferences	Mar 2014
OTHER ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES	Review Committee for the Department of Paediatrics McGill University • Representative for the Post-Graduate Students' Society	Apr 2016

 \bullet Present report and recommendations to the McGill Senate

 \bullet Evaluate the academic, teaching, and clinical activities of the department

Review Committee for the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology Apr 2016 McGill University

- Representative for the Post-Graduate Students' Society
- Evaluate the academic, teaching, and clinical activities of the department
- Present report and recommendations to the McGill Senate

Epidemiology, Biostatistics and Occupational Health Student Society Sep 2014 – McGill University

- Representative for Biostatistics students
- Represent the student's perspective on various departmental committees

Biostatistics Reading Group

Sep 2014 -

McGill University

- Co-organizer
- Invite faculty members and post-doctoral fellows to present their work

Review Committee for the Department of Pathology

Mar 2013

- McGill University
- Representative for the Post-Graduate Students' Society
- Evaluate the academic, teaching, and clinical activities of the department
- Present report and recommendations to the McGill Senate

References

Celia M.T. Greenwood

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Lady Davis Institute Associate Professor

Department of Oncology, Department of Epidemiology, Biostatistics and Occupational Health, and Division of Cancer Epidemiology

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Investigator Phone: 514-398-5625 Douglas Mental Health University Institute E-mail: aurelie.labbe@mcgill.ca

Assistant Professor

Department of Epidemiology, Biostatistics and Occupational Health, and Department of Psychiatry

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