Luella Fu

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EDUCATION

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, USA

■ Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Business Administration

Aug 2012 – Present

- Emphasis on Statistics
- Expected Graduation in May 2018
- Marshall Graduate Assistantship, Marshall 5th Year Fellowship

Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, USA

Master of Arts (M.A.) in Statistics

Aug 2011 – May 2012

■ Teaching Fellow

Claremont McKenna College, Claremont, California, USA

■ Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Literature and Mathematics (Dual)

Aug 2008 - May 2011

Brian and Marilyn Gerich Scholarship

PAPERS

STATISTICAL METHODOLOGY

- [1] <u>Fu, L.</u>, James, G., and Sun, W. (2017+) "The Mountain Comes to Muhammad: The Dangers of Using Standardized Statistics in Multiple Testing". *Ongoing*.
- [2] <u>Fu, L.</u>, James, G., and Sun, W. (2017+) "Top-percent selection in large-scale inference with heteroscedastic errors". *Ongoing*.
- [3] Basu, P., Fu, L., and Sun, W. (2017+) "Empirical Bayes FDX control". Ongoing.
- [4] <u>Fu, L.</u>, James, G., and Sun, W. (2017) "Nonparametric empirical Bayes Tweedie's estimator for normal means with heteroscedastic errors". *Submitted to J. R. Stat. Soc. Series B Stat Methodol*.
- [5] Fu, L. and Fan, Y. (2014) "Stable Adaptive Model Selection". Manuscript.

STATISTICAL APPLICATIONS

- [1] Fu, S., <u>Fu, L.</u>, Towe, C. W., Perry, Y., Delaney, C. P. and Linden, W. (2017+) "Increased hospital costs associated with postesophagectomy complications, primarily anastomotic leak and reintubation". *Revising with additional data*.
- [2] <u>Fu, L.</u>, Jacobs, M. A., Brookover, J., Valente, T. W., Cobb, N. W., and Graham, A. L. (2017) "An exploration of the Facebook social networks of smokers and non-smokers". *PLOS ONE* (to appear).
- [3] Li, C., Zhang, J., and <u>Fu, L.</u> (2012) "Bayesian Model Selection Approach to Drug Resistance". *Manuscript*.

CONFERENCES

[1] <u>Fu, L.</u>, James, G., and Sun, W., "How to Adapt Tweedie's Formula for Heteroscedastic Data". Presented in the Young Investigators Section 2 of the *XXVIIth International Biometric Conference*, Victoria, British Columbia, Canada. Jul 2016.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Guest Lecturer for BUAD310: Applied Business Statistics

University of Southern California

Nov 2016

- Filled in twice, for two separate professors, once each.
- Covered F tests in one class and went over example problems and solutions in both.

Lecturer for BUAD310: Applied Business Statistics

■ University of Southern California

May 2016 - Aug 2016

- Designed and taught introductory statistics course for undergraduates with both lecture component covering statistical concepts and lab component for Excel.
- Class met twice weekly for 2.5 hours each. First half comprised warm-up review, lecture and discussion while second half comprised group work.
- Teacher preparation included choosing a textbook, planning class material, creating homework assignments, making worksheets, rehearsing lecture, preparing class activities, and providing flexible office hours with extra office hours before exams.

Guest Lecturer for BUAD310: Applied Business Statistics

■ University of Southern California

Apr 2015

• Filled in for a professor and went over practice exam questions and answers.

Teaching Assistant for BUAD310: Applied Business Statistics

University of Southern California

Jan 2015 – May 2015

- Held 4 hours of office hours a week to help students with statistics materials and homework.
- Efforts also included holding additional office hours before exams and providing extra resources by compiled quiz
 questions from lecture slides and co-hosting Jeopardy review game with a professor.

Course Assistant for GSBA 524: Applied Managerial Statistics (Part 2)

University of Southern California

Aug 2014 - Oct 2014

• Held 1 hour of office hours twice a week online to discuss course material with remote MBA students.

Course Assistant for MBA Statistics Fundamental Course

■ University of Southern California

Jun 2014 - Aug 2014

- Held 2 hours of office hours twice a week to discuss problem sets with MBA students
- Held additional hours for exam review, 1 hour four times a week.

Course Assistant for GSBA 524: Applied Managerial Statistics (Part 1)

University of Southern California

Jun 2014 - Jul 2014

• Held 2 hours of office hours twice a week to discuss problem sets with masters students.

Grader for STAT230/530: Introductory Data Analysis

Yale University

Jan 2012 – May 2012

• Graded weekly data analysis papers for undergraduate and graduate students.

Course Assistant for STAT 101-106: Introduction to Statistics

Yale University

Sep 2011 – Dec 2011

• Assisted professor by readying lecture material.

Mathematics Department Tutor

■ Claremont McKenna College

Sep 2010 – May 2011

Conducted weekly sessions to help students with calculus, linear algebra, differential equations, introductory
computer science, probability, and statistics.

Teaching Assistant for ECON 120: Statistics

■ Claremont McKenna College

Sep 2010 – Dec 2010

• Held 2-3 hours of weekly office hours to guide students through homework sets.

VOLUNTEERING

USC's Joint Education Program Teaching Assistant

• Martin Luther King Jr. Elementary School

Sep 2016 – Apr 2017

- First term: helped groups of 1-6 third grade students in math and reading.
- Second term: Led groups of 2-3 second and third grade special education students in reading, writing, and logic
 activities.

■ St. Raphael School

Sep 2015 - Nov 2015

 Primarily worked with groups of 4–6 sixth and eighth grade students who were reading below grade-level on critical reading. Also administered reading tests.

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

■ USC Graduate School Travel Grant

2016

Awarded travel funding to present research at a conference
WNAR Student Travel Award, WNAR

2016

For submission of student paper to IBC2016.

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PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Statistical Association

2012 - Present

 Additional sections: Section for Statistical Programmers and Analysts, Social Statistics, Southern California American Statistical Association, Statistical Learning and Data Science, and Statistics in Marketing

Institute of Mathematical Statistics

2015 - Present

International Biometric Society

2015 – Present

Additional sections: Western North American Region

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Modeling and Forecasting Analyst, Facebook

Jun 2012 – Aug 2012

 Queried advertising and demographic data from Facebook's massive database; employed statistical models to characterize communities of users for business operations.

Financial Analyst, Applied Materials

May 2010 – Aug 2010

 Reported financial accounts on company's monthly and yearly financial performance compared to previous periods and compared to competitors.

SKILLS

R, LATEX, MySql, Postgresql, RegEx, Python, Excel, HTML, CSS, Git, C++, NodeJS, Javascript, Mathematica, Matlab