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EPA Research and Development "Science at Work" Seminar Proactive Lead Investigations, 4/12/2017

Lead Poisoning Panel Speaker, 3/13/2017

American Public Health Association Annual Meeting

Predictive Analytics in Advancing Public Health Session, 11/3/2015

Bloomberg Data for Good Exchange

Predictive Modeling for Public Health: Childhood Lead Poisoning, 9/30/2015

ACM Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (KDD) Annual Conference

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Technical Mentor

Open Energy Efficiency Meter (openeemeter.org)

2015

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Mutlilevel Regression Modeling for Public Policy (Winter 2020) Introduction to Program Evaluation (Spring 2019, Winter 2020) Introduction to Programming for Public Policy (Spring 2018, 2016)

Northwestern University

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Assistant: Probability & Stochastic Processes, Mechanics, Real Analysis

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