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## resumé

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#### **EDUCATION**

2012-Present **Ph. D. Botany and Plant Pathology**, *Oregon State University (OSU)*, Corvallis, OR. 2007 **Bachelor of Science Biology**, *Truman State University (TSU)*, Kirksville, MO.

### RESEARCH

2012-Present **Graduate Research Assistant**, *Grünwald Lab*, OSU, Corvallis, OR.

 $Population \ genomics \ of \ the \ plant \ pathogen \ \textit{Phytophthora syringae}; \ \textbf{Research \ Advisor:} \ \ \textbf{Dr.} \ \ \textbf{Niklaus}$ 

Grünwald.

Aug-Dec 2011 Graduate Research Assistant, Jaiswal Lab, OSU, Corvallis, OR.

Annotation of flowering pathway of Arabidopsis. Research Advisor: Dr. Pankaj Jaiswal

2006–2007 Undergraduate Research Assistant, Biology Discipline, TSU, Kirksville, MO.

Annotation of maize shoot apical meristem expressed genes. Research Mentors: Drs. Brent Buckner

and Diane Janick-Buckner

#### TEACHING

Spring 2012 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Biology Dept., OSU, Corvallis, OR.

2008–2011 English Instructor, Daegu, South Korea.

Fall Semester, Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, Biology Discipline, TSU, Kirksville, MO.

2006/07

### OUTREACH AND SERVICE

2012-Present Radio Co-host, Inspiration Dissemination, KBVR, Corvallis.

Weekly show focused on communicating graduate student research.

2012-Present Active Contributor, Bioinformatics Users Group, Oregon State University.

Contributed presentations and discussions relevant to use of bioinformatics tools.

# LEADERSHIP

2012-Present **Treasurer**, *Graduate Student Association*, Department of Botany and Plant Pathology, Oregon State University.

Summer 2005 Summer Station Manager, KTRM FM, Truman State University, Kirksville, MO.

#### AWARDS

2014 Most Innovative Program – Intercollegiate Broadcasting System

2013 Seattle Institute For Statistical Genetics Travel Award - \$450

2006 Truman State University Summer Research Stipend – \$3000

2003 Truman State University Presidential Leadership Scholarship - \$2000

#### PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- 1. **Kamvar ZN**, Tabima JF, Grünwald NJ. (2014) *Poppr*: an R package for genetic analysis of populations with clonal, partially clonal, and/or sexual reproduction. PeerJ **2**: e281 http://dx.doi.org/10.7717/peerj.281
- Buckner B, Beck J, Browning, K, Hoxha E, Grantham L, Kamvar ZN, Lough A, Nikolova O, and Schnable PS, Scanlon MJ, and Janick-Buckner D. (2007) Involving undergraduates in the annotation and analysis of global gene expression studies: creation of a maize shoot apical meristem expression database. *Genetics* 176: 741-747

# PRESENTATIONS

- Kamvar ZN (2013) Ph.D. Proposal Seminar: Determination of pattern and process in the evolution of the plant pathogen *Phytophthora syringae*. Department of Botany and Plant Pathology, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR.
- 2. **Kamvar ZN** (2013) *Poppr*: An R package for genetic analysis of populations with mixed (clonal/sexual) reproduction. Biology Graduate Student Symposium, Hatfield Marine Science Center, Newport OR.
- 3. **Kamvar ZN**, Tabima JF, Grünwald NJ (2013) *Poppr*: An R package for genetic analysis of populations with mixed (clonal/sexual) reproduction. Fungal Genetics Conference, Asilomar, CA.
- 4. **Kamvar ZN**, Grünwald NJ (2012) *Poppr*: An R package for population genetic analysis. OSU Fall CGRB Conference, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR.
- Browning K, Fritz A, Hoxha E, and Kamvar ZN (2007) Annotation and analysis of global gene expression studies: creation of a maize shoot apical meristem expression database, Maize Genetics Conference, St. Charles, IL.
- 6. Browning K, Fritz A, Hoxha E, and **Kamvar ZN** (2007) Annotation and analysis of global gene expression studies: creation of a maize shoot apical meristem expression database, Truman Student Research Conference, Truman State University, Kirksville, MO.