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**EDUCATION**

**Postdoctoral Research Fellow** **2013 - 2016**

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Department of Biostatistics and Computational Biology, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute  
Department of Biostatistics, Harvard TH Chan School of Public Health

**Dr. rer. nat., Computational Biology** **2013**

*Magna cum laude*  
Freie Universität, Berlin, Germany  
Max Planck Institute for Molecular Genetics, Berlin, Germany  
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Advisors: Prof. Dr. Martin Vingron, Prof. Dr. Knut Reinert, Dr. Stefan Haas  
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**M.S., Statistics** **2010**

Stanford University, Stanford, CA

**B.S., Mathematics** **2005**

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Stanford University, Stanford, CA

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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Assistant Professor** **2016 - present**

Department of Biostatistics,  
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## HONORS

- MAQC 2021 Scientist Research Award (3rd place)
- UNC Gillings Departmental Teaching Excellence and Innovation Award for 2020-21.
- UNC Center for Environmental Health and Susceptibility (CEHS) Recruitment Award for 2019.
- UNC Junior Faculty Development Award for 2017.

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2. Rafael A. Irizarry and **Michael I. Love**, *Data Analysis for the Life Sciences with R*, Chapman and Hall/CRC, 2016, 376 pages. doi: [10.1201/9781315367002](https://doi.org/10.1201/9781315367002)

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Key: **Primary method development**; **Interdisciplinary work**, with role noted; “ \* ” for work first authored by an advisee.

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Role: Provided statistical and bioinformatic consultation. doi: [10.1186/s13058-021-01460-5](https://doi.org/10.1186/s13058-021-01460-5)
3. Sean D. McCabe\*, Andrew B. Nobel, **Michael I. Love**. ACTOR: a latent Dirichlet model to compare expressed isoform proportions to a reference panel. *Biostatistics*, kxab013, (2021). doi: [10.1093/biostatistics/kxab013](https://doi.org/10.1093/biostatistics/kxab013)
4. Dan Liang, Angela L. Elwell, Nil Aygün, Michael J. Lafferty, Oleh Krupa, Kerry E. Cheek, Kenan P. Courtney, Marianna Yusupova, Melanie E. Garrett, Allison Ashley-Koch, Gregory E. Crawford, **Michael I. Love**, Luis de la Torre-Ubieta, Daniel H. Geschwind, Jason L. Stein. Cell-type specific effects of genetic variation on chromatin accessibility during human neuronal differentiation. *Nature Neuroscience*, (2021).  
Role: Provided statistical analysis for caQTL, allelic imbalance, and meta-analysis. doi: [10.1038/s41593-021-00858-w](https://doi.org/10.1038/s41593-021-00858-w)

5. Anqi Zhu\* <sup>1</sup>, Nana Matoba<sup>1</sup>, Emmaleigh Wilson, Amanda L. Tapia, Yun Li, Joseph G. Ibrahim, Jason L. Stein, **Michael I. Love**. MRLOcus: identifying causal genes mediating a trait through Bayesian estimation of allelic heterogeneity. *PLOS Genetics*, 17(4):e1009455, (2021). doi: [10.1371/journal.pgen.1009455](https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pgen.1009455)
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8. Scott Van Buren\*, Hirak Sarkar, Avi Srivastava, Naim U. Rashid, Rob Patro, **Michael I. Love**. Compression of quantification uncertainty for scRNA-seq counts. *Bioinformatics*, btab001, (2021). doi: [10.1093/bioinformatics/btab001](https://doi.org/10.1093/bioinformatics/btab001)
9. Arjun Bhattacharya\* <sup>1</sup>, Alina M. Hamilton<sup>1</sup>, Helena Furberg, Eugene Pietzak, Mark P. Purdue, Melissa A. Troester, Katherine A. Hoadley<sup>†</sup>, **Michael I. Love**<sup>†</sup>. An approach for normalization and quality control for NanoString RNA expression data. *Briefings in Bioinformatics*, 22(3):bbaa163, (2021). doi: [10.1093/bib/bbaa163](https://doi.org/10.1093/bib/bbaa163)
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Role: Provided statistical analysis for quantifying trait polygenicity and discoverability.
13. Halei C. Benefield, Katherine E. Reeder-Hayes, Hazel B. Nichols, Benjamin C. Calhoun, **Michael I. Love**, Erin L. Kirk, Joseph Geradts, Katherine A. Hoadley, Stephen R. Cole, H. Shelton Earp, Andrew F. Olshan, Lisa A. Carey, Charles M. Perou, Melissa A. Troester. Outcomes of Hormone-Receptor Positive, HER2-Negative Breast Cancers by Race and Tumor Biological Features. *JNCI Cancer Spectrum*, 5(1):pkaa072, (2020). doi: [10.1093/jncics/pkaa072](https://doi.org/10.1093/jncics/pkaa072)  
Role: Assisted with definition of biological subgroups among patients
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Role: Developed methods and pipeline for statistical inference of transcript counts.
23. Chelsea K. Raulerson, Arthur Ko, John C. Kidd, Kevin W. Currin, Sarah M. Brotman, Maren E. Cannon, Ying Wu, Cassandra N. Spracklen, Anne U. Jackson, Heather M. Stringham, Ryan P. Welch, Christian Fuchsberger, Adam E. Locke, Narisu Narisu, Aldons J. Lusis, Mete Civelek, Terrence S. Furey, Johanna Kuusisto, Francis S. Collins, Michael Boehnke, Laura J. Scott, Dan-Yu Lin, **Michael I. Love**, Markku Laakso, Päivi Pajukanta, Karen L. Mohlke. Adipose Tissue Gene Expression Associations Reveal Hundreds of Candidate Genes for Cardiometabolic Traits. *American Journal of Human Genetics*, 105(4):773–787, (2019). doi: [10.1016/j.ajhg.2019.09.001](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ajhg.2019.09.001)  
Role: Developed methods for quantifying tissue heterogeneity of samples. Quality control assessment of gene expression data. Reviewed statistical and bioinformatic methods.
24. Anqi Zhu\*, Avi Srivastava, Joseph G. Ibrahim, Rob Patro, **Michael I. Love**. Nonparametric expression analysis using inferential replicate counts. *Nucleic Acids Research*, 47(18):e105, (2019). doi: [10.1093/nar/gkz622](https://doi.org/10.1093/nar/gkz622)
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Role: Reviewed statistical comparisons of molecular tumor characteristics.
27. Yoh Isogai, Zheng Wu, **Michael I. Love**, Michael Ho-Young Ahn, Dhananjay Bambah-Mukku, Vivian Hua, Karolina Farrell, Catherine Dulac. Multisensory Logic of Infant-Directed Aggression by Males. *Cell*, 175(7):1827–1841, (2018). doi: [10.1016/j.cell.2018.11.032](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cell.2018.11.032)  
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Role: Supervised statistical analysis of mixed effect model for mouse traits.
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Role: Reviewed statistical comparisons of molecular tumor characteristics.
35. Doug H. Phanstiel, Kevin Van Bortle, Damek Spacek, Gaelen T. Hess, Muhammad S. Shamim, Ido Machol, **Michael I. Love**, Erez L. Aiden, Michael C. Bassik, Michael P. Snyder. Static and Dynamic DNA Loops form AP-1-Bound Activation Hubs during Macrophage Development. *Molecular Cell*, 67(6):1037–1048, (2017). doi: [10.1016/j.molcel.2017.08.006](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.molcel.2017.08.006)  
Role: Performed statistical analysis of differential chromatin conformation from DNA-DNA sequence counts.
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Role: Designed and implemented algorithm for detection of de novo structural variants, applied to XLID patient cohort.
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Gordon K. Smyth, Dan Tenenbaum, Levi Waldron, Martin Morgan, Orchestrating high-throughput genomic analysis with Bioconductor.

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Role: Created cell-type-specific map of chromatin accessibility across Roadmap Epigenomic samples, leveraging sparse data storage and statistical computation.
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## Digital and other novel forms of scholarship:

### Open source software

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Key:

(Bioc) - R package within the [Bioconductor Project](#);

(GitHub) - software hosted as a GitHub repository.

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  - 5th most accessed article published by *Genome Biology*
  - Awarded and funded as a *CZI Essential Open Source Software* (EOSS) project, out of 72 projects
  - Press: “Love wins CZI funding for open source software to analyze genomics data”  
[UNC Gillings School of Public Health News](#)
2. **apeglm**: Approximate posterior estimation for GLM coefficients. (Bioc)
  - **Greater than 3,000 monthly unique IP downloads**
3. **tximport**: Import and summarization of transcript-level estimates for gene-level analysis. (Bioc)
  - **Greater than 3,000 monthly unique IP downloads**
4. **tximeta**: Transcript data import with automatic metadata for computational reproducibility. (Bioc)
  - **Greater than 1,200 monthly unique IP downloads**
5. **fishpond**: Nonparametric differential transcript expression with inferential replicates. (Bioc)
6. **airpart**: Differential cell-type-specific allelic imbalance using single-cell allelic count data. (Bioc)
7. **MRLocus**: Mendelian Randomization analysis at the genomic locus, or *cis*-MR. (GitHub)
8. **MOSTWAS**: Multi-Omic Strategies for TWAS. (GitHub)
9. **DeCompress**: Tissue compartment deconvolution for targeted RNA panels. (GitHub)
10. **ACTOR**: LDA model to compare isoform expression to a reference panel. (GitHub)



11. **alpine**: Correction of fragment sequence bias for RNA-seq transcript abundance estimation. (Bioc)
12. **exomeCopy**: Detection of copy number variants for Exome-seq. (Bioc)

## Data science workflows

Reproducible genomic data science workflows maintained or co-authored by the Love Lab. The workflows are “literate programming” documents, which weave prose, figures, and code together to demonstrate completion of a data science task. These are submitted and hosted both on Bioconductor servers, where they are tested against current R and package ecosystem, and on *F1000Research* where they are subjected to peer-review.

### 1. RNA-seq workflow: gene-level exploratory analysis and differential expression

- [Bioconductor rendered workflow](#) (the top downloaded Bioconductor workflow, out of 29)
- [F1000Research peer-reviewed publication](#) (more than 61,000 views)
- Press: Gibbs, W. Wayt, “A test drive of a DNA-analysis toolkit in the cloud”. *Nature*, 552:137–138, (2017). doi: [10.1038/d41586-017-07833-1](https://doi.org/10.1038/d41586-017-07833-1)  
*“...Also available are peer-reviewed tutorials, known as workflows, which are updated as the platform evolves. One, co-authored by Love, walks readers through a differential-expression analysis of RNA-sequencing data. I used his workflow to guide my exploration.”*

### 2. RNA-seq workflow for differential transcript usage following Salmon quantification

- [Bioconductor rendered workflow](#)
- [F1000Research peer-reviewed publication](#) (more than 14,000 views)

### 3. Fluent genomics with plyranges and tximeta

(first author: Stuart Lee, of Monash University)

- [Bioconductor rendered workflow](#)
- [F1000Research peer-reviewed publication](#) (more than 900 views)

## Invited presentations

1. September 2021 - Dept. of Biostatistics, Virginia Commonwealth University
2. September 2021 - ICSA Applied Statistics Symposium - Organized Invited Session “Integrative multi-omics inference”
3. August 2021 - JSM, “Genomics in Neuroscience”
4. June 2021 - Genetics, Genomics and Informatics Virtual Seminar, The University of Tennessee Health Science Center
5. December 2020 - Dept. of Statistics, Penn State University
6. December 2020 - Institute for Personalized Medicine Seminar Series, Icahn School of Medicine, Mount Sinai Hospital

7. June 2020, Banff International Research Station (BIRS), “Mathematical Frameworks for Integrative Analysis of Emerging Biological Data Types”
8. March 2020 - ENAR, “Recent advanced and opportunities in large scale and multi-omic single cell data analysis”
9. March 2020 - Human Genetics Seminar Series, Dept. of Genetics, University of Utah
10. December 2019 - Statistical Genetics Seminar, Dept. of Biostatistics, Johns Hopkins University
11. November 2019 - APHA, Spiegelman Awardee Invited Session
12. July 2019 - JSM, “Making an Impact in Statistics Education through Innovation and Outreach”
13. May 2019 - ASA Symposium on Data Science & Statistics, “Democratizing Data Science through Workflows”
14. March 2019 - ENAR, “Teaching Data Science through Case Studies”
15. March 2019 - Dept. of Biostatistics and Bioinformatics, Emory University
16. February 2019 - Epigenetics and Stem Cell Biology, NIEHS
17. November 2018 - Epigenetics and Epigenomics Program, Duke University
18. October 2018 - Computational Biology & Bioinformatics, Duke University
19. September 2018 - School of Public Health Statistics Seminar, Brown University
20. May 2018 - Bioinformatics Research Center, NCSU
21. March 2018 - ENAR, “Teaching Data Science at all Levels”
22. February 2018 - Center for Public Health Genomics, UVA
23. December 2016 - Computational Biology, Bioinformatics & Genomics, UMD
24. October 2016 - Triangle Statistical Genetics Meeting, Cary, NC

### Non-refereed papers/articles:

The following are non-refereed papers/articles and all titles are indicated with an asterisk.

1. Kim-Anh Lê Cao, Al J. Abadi, Emily F. Davis-Marcisak, Lauren Hsu, Arshi Arora, Alexis Coulomb, Atul Deshpande, Yuzhou Feng, Pratheepa Jeganathan, Melanie Loth, Chen Meng, \*\*Wancen Mu\*\*, Vera Pancaldi, Kris Sankaran, Amrit Singh, Joshua S. Sodicoff, Genevieve L. Stein-O’Brien, Ayshwarya Subramanian, Joshua D. Welch, Yue You, Ricard Argelaguet, Vincent J. Carey, Ruben Dries, Casey S. Greene, Susan Holmes, **Michael I. Love**, Matthew E. Ritchie, Guo-Cheng Yuan, Aedin C. Culhane, Elana Fertig. Community-wide hackathons to identify central themes in single-cell multi-omics.  
*Genome Biology*, (2021). doi: [10.1186/s13059-021-02433-9](https://doi.org/10.1186/s13059-021-02433-9)
2. Anushka Rajesh, Yutong Chang, Malak S. Abedalthagafi, Annie Wong-Beringer, **Michael I. Love**, Serghei Mangul. Improving the completeness of public metadata accompanying omics studies.  
*Genome Biology*, 22(1):106, (2021). doi: [10.1186/s13059-021-02332-z](https://doi.org/10.1186/s13059-021-02332-z)

3. Achal Patel, Montserrat García-Closas, Andrew F. Olshan, Charles M. Perou, Melissa A. Troester, **Michael I. Love**, Arjun Bhattacharya. Transcriptome-wide association study of risk of recurrence in Black and White breast cancer patients\*. *medRxiv*, March 2021. doi: [10.1101/2021.03.19.21253983](https://doi.org/10.1101/2021.03.19.21253983)
  4. Miheer Dewaskar, John Palowitch, Mark He, **Michael I. Love**, Andrew Nobel. Finding stable groups of cross-correlated features in multi-view data\*. *arXiv*, September 2020. arXiv: [2009.05079](https://arxiv.org/abs/2009.05079)
  5. Koen Van Den Berge, Katharina M. Hembach, Charlotte Soneson, Simone Tiberi, Lieven Clement, **Michael I. Love**, Rob Patro, and Mark D. Robinson. RNA sequencing data: hitchhiker's guide to expression analysis\*. *Annual Review of Biomedical Data Science*, October 2018. doi: [10.1146/annurev-biodatasci-072018-021255](https://doi.org/10.1146/annurev-biodatasci-072018-021255)
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## TEACHING RECORD

### Classroom teaching:

- BIOS 784 / BCB 784: *Computational Biology*, elective, 3 credits.  
**Instructor**, Spring 2021.  
21 students enrolled.  
Notes and syllabus: <https://biodatascience.github.io/compbio>
- BIOS 663: *Intermediate Linear Models*, required for Masters, 4 credits.  
**Instructor**, Spring 2020.  
46 students enrolled.
- BIOS 735: *Statistical Computing*, required for PhD, 4 credits.  
**Co-Instructor** with Dr. Naim Rashid, Spring 2019.  
23 students enrolled.  
Notes and syllabus: <https://biodatascience.github.io/statcomp>
- BIOS 784: *Computational Biology*, elective, 3 credits.  
**Instructor**, Fall 2017.  
28 students enrolled.  
Notes and syllabus: <https://biodatascience.github.io/compbio>

### Graduate students supervised:

- Euphy Wu, PhD in Biostatistics.
- Wancen Mu, PhD in Biostatistics.
- Ji-Eun Park, PhD in Biostatistics. (Co-supervised with Di Wu)
- Alex Lockhart, M.S. in Biostatistics, Graduated Fall 2020.
- Sarah Reifeis, PhD in Biostatistics, Graduated Fall 2020. (Co-supervised with Dr. Hudgens)
- Arjun Bhattacharya, PhD in Biostatistics, Graduated Summer 2020.

- Scott Van Buren, PhD in Biostatistics, Graduated Summer 2020. (Co-supervised with Dr. Rashid)
- Sean McCabe, PhD in Biostatistics, Graduated Spring 2020. (Co-supervised with Dr. Lin)
- Anqi Zhu, PhD in Biostatistics, Graduated Fall 2019. (Co-supervised with Dr. Ibrahim)

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## GRANTS

All award amounts are direct costs for the current project year.

### Ongoing:

- **Co-Investigator** 1-R01-CA253450-01A1 (Troester) 04/01/2021 - 03/31/2026  
NIH (NCI) \$391,413  
P53, DNA Repair, and Immune Response in Breast Cancer Mortality Disparities  
10% effort
- **Co-Investigator** 1-R01-MH125236-01 (Crawford) 04/01/2021 - 01/31/2026  
NIH (NIMH) \$1,225,816  
Beyond GWAS: High Throughput Functional Genomics and Epigenome Editing to Elucidate the Effects of Genetic Associations for Schizophrenia  
8% effort
- **Principal Investigator** Essential Open Source Software (Love) 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021  
Chan Zuckerberg Initiative \$74,000  
10% effort
- **Principal Investigator** 1-R01-MH118349-01 (Stein) 12/10/2018 - 11/30/2023  
NIH (NIMH) \$303,438  
pathQTL: Integrative Multi-Omics Causal Inference of Molecular Mechanisms Leading to Neuropsychiatric Illness  
25% effort
- **Principal Investigator** 1-R01-HG009937-01A1 (Patro) 09/18/2018 - 06/30/2023  
NIH (NHGRI) \$256,486  
A Modular Framework for Accurate, Efficient, and Reproducible Analysis of RNA-Seq Data  
35% effort
- **Co-Investigator** 5-P50-CA058223-26 (Perou) 09/01/2018 - 08/31/2023  
NIH (NCI) \$1,531,225  
SPORE in Breast Cancer - Project 1: The Carolina Breast Cancer Study (CBCS)  
5% effort
- **Co-Investigator** 5-R01-DK093757-09 (Mohlke) 08/01/2017 - 05/31/2022  
NIH (NIDDK) \$477,414  
Genetic Epidemiology of Rare and Regulatory Variants for Metabolic Traits  
5% effort

## Completed:

- **Co-Investigator** 2-P30-ES010126-20 (Troester) 04/01/2021 - 02/28/2026  
NIH (NIEHS) \$302,838  
UNC-CH Center for Environmental Health and Susceptibility - Biostatistics and Bioinformatics Facility Core  
15% effort
- **Co-Investigator** 5-P01-CA142538-10 (Lin) 04/01/2019 - 03/31/2020  
NIH (NCI) \$416,534  
Statistical Methods for Cancer Clinical Trials - Project 3: Statistical/Computational Methods for Pharmacogenomics and Individualized Therapy  
10% effort
- **Co-Investigator** 5-UL1-TR002489-02 (Buse) 03/01/2019 - 02/29/2020  
NIH (NCATS) \$6,281,669  
NC TraCS Institute  
10% effort
- **Co-Investigator** 5-R01-HG009125-03 (Nobel) 09/07/2016 - 06/30/2020  
NIH (NHGRI) \$299,936  
Multi-Tissue and Network Models for Next-Generation EQTL Studies  
10% effort

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## SERVICE

### Professional service:

- **Member** of Technical Advisory Board for Bioconductor Project (June 2020 - present)
- **Member** of organizing committee for BioC conference 2021.
- **Reviewer** for BRAIN Initiative, NIH NIMH Review Panel, June 11, 2021.
- **Temporary Member** of Biodata Management and Analysis (BDMA) NIH Study Section, October 22-23, 2020.
- **Developer and maintainer** for widely-used open-source software packages. Maintenance of software packages entails addressing feature requests as well as software support requests. DESeq2 typically receives more than 10 support requests per week on <https://support.bioconductor.org>.
- **Referee** for the following journals:  
Bioinformatics, Nucleic Acids Research, Genome Biology, Genome Research, Journal of the American Statistical Association, Biometrics, American Journal for Human Genetics, PLOS Computational Biology, PLOS Genetics, Statistical Applications in Genetics and Molecular Biology, Nature Biotechnology, Nature Methods, Nature Communications, Nature Reviews Molecular Cell Biology, Cell Reports, BMC Bioinformatics, Briefings in Bioinformatics, F1000Research, R Journal.

### Departmental service:

- **Member** - Biostatistics Masters Exam Committee (January 2020 - present)
- **Member** - Biostatistics Computing Committee (August 2016 - present)
- **Co-Chair** - Biostatistics Seminar Committee (August 2016 - July 2020)
- **Member** - PhD / DrPH dissertation committees for 28 graduated trainees, and 17 currently enrolled trainees, predominantly in Biostatistics (18 trainees) and the BCB program (16 trainees). Chair for 5 PhD committees.
- **Member** - Joint Biostatistics/Genetics Faculty Search Committee (2017)
- **Member** - Genetics Statistical / Computational Faculty Search Committee (2017)
- **Judge** for UNC MPH Core Poster Session (2020, 2021).
- **Reviewer** for University Cancer Research Fund (UCRF) School of Public Health Student Award (2018).

### Community engagement:

- **UNC PREP Mentor** to Kwame Forbes (PREP year 2020-2021).  
Diversity, equity, and inclusion: The UNC Postbaccalaureate Research Education Program (PREP) prepares post-baccalaureates from groups traditionally under-represented (UR) in the sciences for entry and success in top Biomedical PhD programs. UNC PREP has been running for 12 years,

and I served as a mentor to Mr. Forbes for the previous program year. Mr. Forbes applied to Bioinformatics PhD programs, and will enroll in UNC Bioinformatics and Computational Biology as a PhD student in Fall 2021.

I have also written two proposal for seeking additional funding to support the program itself, one of which is currently under review by the Chan Zuckerberg Initiative (RAMSeS proposals: 20-3116 and 21-4888, the latter with direct cost of \$338,238 over two years).

- **Instructor/organizer** of “Statistical Methods for Functional Genomics” (two weeks NIH-sponsored course, 24 international students), Cold Spring Harbor Laboratories, Cold Spring Harbor, NY, for the years 2017, 2018, 2019.

Diversity, equity, and inclusion: The Statistical Methods for Functional Genomics course has a diversity mandate from its funders (NIH NIGMS funded via R25-GM100958) to support a diverse cohort of 24 students, including representation of women, individuals from under-represented groups and geographical regions. Each year, the organizers would take special care to select individual from up to 200 applications that would support a diverse cohort.

- **Instructor/organizer** of “Statistics and Computing in Genome Data Science” (5 day course, Bioconductor-sponsored event), Bressanone-Brixen, Italy, for the years: 2015, 2016, 2018.
- **Workshop lead** for RNA-seq and genomic data science topic at numerous events including: BioC conference 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, R-Ladies Tunis 2020 (Tunisian local chapter of R-Ladies Global), ENAR 2018, UC Davis ANGUS 2017, Harvard Medical School 2015, Harvard School of Public Health 2015. I have also given 1 hour lectures in genomic data science to the UNC PREP cohort (2020) and the UNC Educational Pathways to Diversity in Genomics (EDGE) cohort (2021).

Diversity, equity, and inclusion: the R-Ladies Tunis workshop was designed to provide introductory bioinformatics training to the R-Ladies chapter in Tunis, Tunisia. The mission of R-Ladies is “to achieve proportionate representation by encouraging, inspiring, and empowering people of genders currently underrepresented in the R community.” Likewise, I have and will continue to find opportunities to present introductory genomic data science lectures and workshops to local programs encouraging diversity in Biostatistics, Computational Biology, and Genetics.

Examples of publicly available workshop material:

- BioC2020 - [Importing alevin scRNA-seq counts into R/Bioconductor](#)
- BioC2019 - [Overlapping differential expression and differential chromatin accessibility](#)
- BioC2018 - [RNA-seq data analysis with DESeq2, MultiQC, Glimma, and ZINB-WaVE](#)
- BioC2016 - [Low-level exploratory data analysis and methods development for RNA-seq](#)
- BioC2015 - [Differential expression, manipulation, and visualization of RNA-seq reads](#)

## PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

- Eastern North American Region (ENAR), 2016 - present.
- American Statistical Association (ASA), 2015 - present.
- American Society of Human Genetics (ASHG), 2021.