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915 Greene Street, University of South Carolina

Columbia, SC, 29208, USA

Education

• Memorial University — St. John's, NL, Canada

Ph.D. in Biostatistics Sep 2003–Oct 2007

East China Normal University (ECNU) — Shanghai, China

M.Sc in Statistics Sep 2000–Sep 2003

• East China Normal University — Shanghai, China

B. Sc in Applied Mathematics Sep 1996–Sep 2000

Professional Experience

• Chief of the Biostatistics Division Aug 2019–

Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina

• Professor Jan 2019–

Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina

• Core Faculty 2019–

South Carolina SmartState Center for Healthcare Quality (CHQ), University of South Carolina

• Faculty Affiliate 2016–2019

South Carolina SmartState Center for Healthcare Quality (CHQ), University of South Carolina

• Tenured Associate Professor May 2013–Dec 2018

Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina

• Assistant Professor Aug 2007 – May 2013

Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina

• Research and Teaching Assistant Sep 2003–Jun 2007

Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Memorial University, Canada

• Lecturer Jan-Apr 2006

Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Memorial University, Canada

• Professional Development Facilitator Sep-Dec 2005; 2006

Instructional Development Office, Memorial University, Canada

• Research and Teaching Assistant Sep 2000-Jul 2003

Department of Statistics, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China

Professional Membership

- American Statistical Association
- International Chinese Statistical Association
- Statistical Society of Canada
- Mu Chapter of Delta Omega Honor Society

Honors and Awards

Breakthrough Leadership Award	2022
University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC	
 Research Award of Arnold School of Public Health 	2021
University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC	
 Fellow of the School of Graduate Studies 	2007
Memorial University, Canada	
 Atreya-Haritha Scholarship in Mathematics 	2006-2007
Memorial University, Canada	
Graduate Fellowship	2003-2007
Memorial University, Canada	
Student Travel Award	June 2005
Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina	
Fellow of Excellent Graduate Studies	2003
East China Normal University, Shanghai, China	
Excellent Graduate Student Scholarship	2001
East China Normal University, Shanghai, China	
• Excellent Graduate Fellow	2001
East China Normal University, Shanghai, China	
Undergraduate Scholarship	1996-1999
East China Normal University, Shanghai, China	

Professional Activities

o I	Editorial Board				
	 Guest Editor- AIDS Care Special Issue: Harnessing Big Data to End HIV 	2022-2023			
	o Journal of Nonparametric Statistics	2022-			
	o STAT	2021-			
	o Neurosurgery	2010-			
0 (o Grant Reviewer				
(Member of the Health Services: Quality and Effectiveness Study				
	Section (HSQE), Healthcare Delivery and Methodologies Integrated				
	Review Group (HDM), CENTER FOR SCIENTIFIC REVIEW (CSR),	07/01/2023-			
	for a term.	06/30/2027			
(NIH: Topics in Health Services and Clinical Informatics Research	N. 2022			
	(ZRG1 HSS-B (90))	Nov, 2022			
(NIH: Health Services: Quality and Effectiveness Study Section, Healthcare Delivery and Methodologies Integrated Review Group	Feb, 2022			
,	Dutch Research Council (NWO)	July, 2021			
	NIH: Research related to Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)	july, 2021			
`	(ZRG1 GGG-K91S)	Dec 2, 2020			
(NCI Special Emphasis Panel ZCA1 TCRB-0 (C1)	May 12-13 2020			
(NIH SCORE program reviewer	July, 2019			
(NIH F17 reviews AIDS related training applications (ZRG1 F17)	March 2019			
(NIH/CSR Behavioral/Social Science Methods and Measurement				
	Special Emphasis Panel (SEP)	Jan 2019			
(NCI Special Emphasis Panel (ZCA1 SRB-2 (J1)), Hyatt Regency				
	Bethesda, Bethesda, MD	Sep 26 27 2017			

Math Alliance: Mentor Journal Review Services:

o Biometrics, Biostatistics, Statistics in Medicine, Statistical Methods in Medical Research, Statistic Sinica, Technometrica, Computational Statistics and Data Analysis, Lifetime Data Analysis, Journal of Non-parametric Statistics, Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics, Journal of Biopharmaceutical Statistics, Electronic Journal of Statistics, Biometrical Journal, Statistical Modelling, Pharmaceutical Statistics, Journal of Applied Statistics, Journal of Computational and Simulation, Computational statistics, Journal of Probability and Statistics, Spatial Statistics, Journal of Statistical Theory and Practice, Communication in Statistics: Theory and Method, Communication in Statistics: Computation and Simulation, JAMA Pediatrics Neurosurgery

University Services

• University Level

o UCTP 2019-2022

2020-

Discovery Day Judge April 22 2016; 2017; 2018

0	Aspire Reviewer	March 2014, Nov 2018			
• Sch	• School Level				
0	Research Award Committee	Spring 2022			
0	CHQ Junior Scholar program	2020, 2021, 2022			
0	Scholastic Standards and Petitions	Aug 2017-			
0	Public Health T& P Committee	Aug 2013-			
0	Information Technology and Resources	Sep 2013-2017			
Department Level					
0	Biostatistical Position Search Committee Chair	2017, 2019, 2021, 2022			
0	Member of Admission Committee	Aug 2008-			
0	Member of Exam Committee	Aug 2008–2012, Aug 2017–2019			
0	Organizing Bios Forum	Aug 2010-Aug 2014			
0	Epidemiology Course Curriculum Committee	Aug 2011-2012			
0	Epidemiology Methods Search Committee	Oct 2011-2012			
0	Member of Course Competencies Subcommittee	Aug 2007-2008			

Course Taught

Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina

•	Bios746, Complex Survey Design,	Spring 2021
•	Bios845 Doctoral Seminar,	Every Spring 2010-2016, Spring 2021, Spring 2023
•	Bios811, Survival Analysis II,	Every other year 2009-2015, Spring 2018, 2020,2022
•	Bios810/761, Survival Analysis I,	Every Fall 2010-2022
•	Bios758, Advanced Linear Models in Biostatistics,	Spring 2019
•	BiosJ757, Intermediate Biometrics,	Spring 2016
•	Bios745 Master Seminar,	Spring 2014
•	Bios701, Concepts and Methods of Biostatistics,	Fall 2011
•	Bios700, Introduction to Biostatistics,	Fall 2008

Student Advisory

- Visiting Scholar & Postdoc
 - o Yijun Wang, Doctor Student in Statistics, East China Normal University, Sep 2016–Sep 2017.
 - o Junying Zhang, Doctor Student in Statistics, East China Normal University, Sep 2015– Feb 2016.
 - Xiangrong Liu, Associate Professor, School of Mathematics and Statistics, Zhejiang University of Finance and Economics, Sep 2014–Sep 2015.

- Wenli Deng, Associate Professor in Statistics, Department of Mathematics and Information Science, Jiangxi Normal University, Nov 2012–Apr 2013.
- o Haifeng Li, Doctor Student in Statistics, East China Normal University, June 2011–June 2012.
- o Ji Luo, Post-doc fellow, Associate Professor in Statistics, School of Mathematics and Statistics, Zhejiang University of Finance and Economics, Feb. 2010– Mar. 2011.

· Doctoral Student

- 1. Jiayang Xiao (Candidate), 2022.
- 2. Ziang Liu (Candidate), 2022.
- 3. Buwei He (Candidate), 2022.
- 4. Haoyuan Gao (Candidate), 2021.
- 5. Yunqing Ma (Candidate), 2021.
- 6. Ruilie Cai (Candidate), 2020.
- 7. Xiaowen Sun (Candidate), 2018.
- 8. Shujie Chen (Ph. D, 2023), "Survivals Models with Background Mortality"; Postdoc at Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina (2023).
- 9. Siyuan Guo (PhD, 2022)," Complex Functional Joint Models for Longitudinal Electronic Health Record"; Postdoc at Duke University (2022).
- 10. Ennan Gu (PhD, 2020), "Flexible Regression Models for Survival Data"; Biostatistician, Novartis Pharmaceuticals, Boston (2020-).
- 11. Jie Zhou (PhD, 2018), "Complex Survival Models and Their Applications in Epidemiology Studies"; Biostatistician, Novartis Pharmaceuticals (2021-).
- 12. Yinding Wang (PhD, 2017)," Semiparametric Estimation Methods for Complex Accelerated Failure Time Model"; Biostatistician, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Atlanta, Georgia (2017-).
- 13. Chao Cai (PhD, 2013), "Advanced Methodology Developments in Mixture Cure Models"; Outstanding Student in Biostatistics 2013; Clinical Assistant Professor, Clinical Pharmacy and Outcomes Sciences, College of Pharmacy, USC (2019-).
- 14. Songfeng Wang (PhD, 2012), "Extending Sample Size Calculation for the Cox Proportional Hazards Model"; Outstanding Student in Biostatistics 2012; Statistician at Wells Fargo, San Francisco, California
- 15. Linzhi Xu (PhD, 2009), "Estimation Methods for the Extended Semiparametric Accelerated Failure Time Models"; Biostatistician, Regeneron Pharmaceuticals Inc, NJ.

Master Student

- 1. Jiayin Yi (MPH, 2022)," Modified EM Algorithm in SMCURE Package Based on Proportional Hazards Mixture Cure Model with Offset Terms"; Doctoral candidate 2022.
- 2. Shujie Chen (MPH, 2019), "An Extension of a Risk-Based Measure of Time-Varying Prognostic Discrimination for Survival Models", Doctoral candidate 2019.
- 3. Yanan Zhang (MPH, 2019), "Marginal Structure Cox Model for Survival Data with Treatment-Confounder Feedback"; Doctoral candidate 2019.
- 4. Shanshan Hong (MPH, 2017), "Evaluation of Goodness-of-Fit Tests for the Cox Proportional Hazards Model with Time-Varying Covariates."
- 5. Yihong Zhan (MPH, 2016), "Sample Size Calculation for PH Mixture Cure Model"; Statistician, Department of Education, SC.
- 6. Myra Robinson (MPH, 2014), "Mixture Cure Models: Simulation Comparisons of Methods in R and SAS".

- 7. Jie Zhou (MPH, 2014), "A Multiple Imputation Approach For Semiparametric Cure Model With Interval Censored Data"; Doctoral candidate 2014.
- 8. Jaymie Shanahan (MPH, 2012), "A New Method for the Comparison of Survival Distributions".
- 9. Yinding Wang (MPH, 2012), "Simulation Comparisons of Semi-parametric Accelerated Failure Time Model with Different Bandwidths"; Doctoral candidate 2012.
- 10. Han Sun (MPH, 2010), "Estimations of Relative Risk: Simulation Comparisons of Popular Methods in SAS and R"; Biostatistician in Cleveland Clinic, Ohio, US.

Dissertation Committee (Current as italic)

Doctoral committee

o Biostatistics

Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics

Anja Zgodic

Roy Bower Nusrat Harun Ahmed Al-hadhrami Chun Pan Candace Porter Sumithran Rasathurai

Medical University of South Carolina

Georgiana Onicescu

o Epidemiology

Longgang Zhao

Amandeep Kaur Prem Bhattacharjee Maxwell Akonde Bezawit Kase Omonefe Omofuma Rajat Das Gupta

Cassie Odahowski. Georges El Nahas John Kuntz

Jiali Zheng Fred Tabung Yong-Moon (Mark) Park

Shraddha Vyas Deepika Shrestha Avnish Tripathi Marsha Samson Afiba Manza-Azele Agovi Leepao Khang

Statistics

Department of Statistics, Uof SC

Qiang Zheng Xiang Li Li Li

Haiming Zhou Junshu Bao Blake Hill Nancheng Wang Yuhui Chen. Jinxin Gao

Department of Statistics, University of Saskatchewan, CA

Annshirley Afful

Other Disciplines

Department of Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior

Chengbo Zeng Yanping Jiang Wendi Da

Department of Health Services, Policy and Management

Hasan Areabi Margarita Pate Lisa Melvin Andre Melvin Sean Wu Wendy Li

Khairul Alam Siddiqi Shiba Bailey

Department of Computer Science and Engineering

Yan Zhang

Department of Mathematics

Xiao Xiao Li Tian

Master committee

o Biostatistics

Reid Demass

Nicole Nasrallah Yilun Zhang Genevieve Ray Lyons

Xin Tong Andrew Ortaglia Jie Zhang

Epidemiology

Paige Anderson Chantaezia Joseph Tsion Kidanie

Chisom Onyeuku Lareissa Stumm

• Consulting Practice Advisor:

Ike Ogbuanu, MD, MPH

• Undergraduate Students Mentoring—Program with Nanjing Medical University

Jiani Liu, 2022Shuoyuan Tan, 2022Chuanrui Sun, 2021Yuanyuan Wang, 2021Rong Fan, 2020Jing Zhang, 2020Quifen Sun, 2019Qi Jin, 2018Shujie Chen, 2017Jiawei Zhou, 2019Zihang Zhong 2018Yin Wang 2017

Major Research Interests

- Semiparametric/Nonparametric methods and inference for survival data
 - o Mixture cure model
 - o joint modelling
 - o background mortality model,
 - o illness disease model
 - competing risk model
- Personalized medicine
- Big data analysis for the Electronic Health Records
- Machine learning: pattern analysis, classification and prediction

Grants

Principal Investigator

1. Big Data Analytics Emerging Scholar (e-Scholar) Program for Minority Students (NIH R25)

Project Number: 1R25AI172761 - 01 Role: MPI (X. Li and J. Zhang (15%))

Effective date: 12/01/2023-11/30/2028

Total award: \$1,754,040

2. Big Data Health Science Fellow Program in Infectious Disease Research (NIH R25)

Project Number: R25AIAI164581-01 Role: MPI (X. Li and **J. Zhang (15%)**) Effective date: 08/04/2021-07/30/2026

Total award: \$1,755,000

3. Big Data Analytics Community Scholar (c-Scholar) program

Project Number: R25AI164581-03S1

Role: MPI (X. Li and J. Zhang)

Effective date: 08/18/2023-07/31/2024

Total award: \$108,000

4. Patterns and predictors of viral suppression: A Big Data approach (NIH R01)

Project Number: R01AI164947-01

Role: MPI, (B. Olatosi and J. Zhang (25%))

Effective date: 6/9/21-5/31/26

Total award: \$3,563,500

5. Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity measures and viral suppression for People Living with HIV using integrated electronic health records

Project Number: 3R01AI164947-03S1 Role: MPI, (B. Olatosi and **J. Zhang (5%))** Effective date: 06/01/2023-05/31/2024

Total award: \$\$99.994

 $6. \quad Impact \ of \ viral \ suppression \ status \ and \ aging \ on \ cardiovascular \ disease: A \ 15 \ -year \ follow \ up$

study of a statewide cohort of People with HIV

Project Number: 3R01AI164947-03S2 Role: MPI, (B. Olatosi and **J. Zhang (5%))** Effective date: 08/22/2023-05/31/2024

Total award: \$228,057

7. Visualization and Predicting New and Late HIV Diagnosis in South Carolina (NIH Bridge

Award)

Project Number: R56AI174896-01A1 Role: MPI (X. Li and **J. Zhang (15%)**) Effective date: 05/01/2023-04/30/2024

Total award: \$699,122

8. Personalized Prediction of Viral Suppression among Underrepresented Population Using All

of Us Data

Project Number: 5R01AI164947 - 03 Role: MPI, (B. Olatosi and **J. Zhang (5%))** Effective date: 08/01/2022-05/31/2023

Total award: \$107.340

9. An Ethical Framework-Guided Metric Tool for Assessing bias In EHR-Based Big Data Studies

Project Number: 5R01AI164947 - 02 Role: MPI, (B. Olatosi and **J. Zhang (5%))** Effective date: 08/01/2022-05/31/2023

Total award: \$286,730

10. Improving Mental Health Utilization through Advanced Statistical Modeling using Multiple Hospital Electronic Health Record (Big Data Health Science Center 2020-2021 Pilot Project Program, UofSC)

Project number: BDHSC-2020-15

Role: PI (10%)

Effective Date: 08/16/2020-8/15/2022

Total award: \$42,985

11. AFT/PH Cure-rate Algorithms with Background Survival Mixture Cure Rate (parametric) Approaches with PH/AFT Cure Model Inclusion of Background Mortality (F. Hoffman La

Roche) Role: PI (10%)

Effective Date: 07/01/2016-07/18/2017

Total amount awarded: \$53,356

12. Innovative Spatio-Temporal Survival Models Allowing Crossing Survival, (NIH R03)

Project Number: R03CA176739

Role: MPI (T. Hanson and **J. Zhang (10%)**) Effective Date: 1/1/2014– 12/31/2016 Total amount awarded: \$141,056

13. Innovative Spatial Survival Models with Geographically Varying Coefficients, (NIH R03)

Project Number: R03CA165110

Role: PI (10%)

Effective Date: 2/17/2012-1/31/2015 Total amount awarded: \$145,000

14. Innovative Spatio-Temporal Survival Models Allowing Crossing Survival, (Aspire I Track III UofSC)

Role: PI

Effective date: 5/16/2013-9/15/2014 Total amount awarded: \$15,000

15. Sample Size Method and Software Development in Survival Trial with a Cure Rate, (NIH R03)

Project Number: R03CA150077

Role: PI (10%)

Effective Date: 7/1/2010- 6/30/2013 Total amount awarded: \$157,994

16. Development and Evaluation of Spatial Survival Models, (NIH R03)

Project Number: R03CA139538

Role: PI (10%)

Effective Date: 9/1/2009-8/31/2012 Total amount awarded: \$150,466

17. Development and Evaluation of Accelerated Hazards Mixture Cure Model, (NIH R03)

Project Number: R03CA137790

Role: PI (10%)

Effective Date: 8/1/2009- 7/31/2012 Total amount awarded: \$145,152

Co-Investigator

1. The impacts of HIV-related service interruptions during COVID-19 pandemic in South Carolina (PI: Q. Shan)(NIH R01)

Project number: R01AI174892-01A1

Role: Co-I (15%)

Effective date: 5/1/2023-04/30/2027 Total amount award: \$2,800,000

2. Patterns and predictors of racial/ethnic disparities in HIV care continuum in the South

Approach (PI: X. Yang), (NIH R21) Project Number: R21NR021079-01A1

Role: Co-I

Effective date: 09/1//2023-08/31/2025

Total amount awarded: \$398,744

3. Delivering Comprehensive and Sustainable HIV/AIDS Clinical and Community Services to

Achieve HIV Epidemic Control in Subnational Units in Nigeria (USC Subaward)

Approach (PI: X. Li), (CDC)

Project Number: CDC-PEPFAR via CIHP in Nigeria

Role: Co-I (in kind)

Effective date: 10/1//2022-9/30/2023 Total amount awarded: \$444,172

4. Examine the geographic and racial disparities of COVID-19 impact on obesity-related behaviors using cellphone-based place visitation data

Approach (PI: Z. Li), (SBE)

Project Number: SBE COVID Coordinating Center pilot grant program

Role: Co-I (in kind)

Effective date: 12/2022-11/2023 Total amount awarded: \$29,948.

5. Using Taxonomic Meta-Analysis to Identify Strategies to Support HIV Treatment Adherence and

Retention (PI: Shan Qiao), NIH/NIMH, Project Number: 75N95022P00690

Role: Co-I (12.5%)

Effective Date: 09/26/22-09/25/23

Total Award: \$312,362

6. Cancer cell selective killing nanoparticle for advanced ovarian cancer treatment

Approach (PI: P. Xu), (NIH R01)

Project Number: 1 R01 CA263747-01A1

Role: Co-I (1%)

Effective date: 04/2022-03/2027 Total amount awarded: \$1,849,761

7. Informatics Approach to Identification and Deep Phenotyping of PASC Cases

Approach (PI: C. Liang), (NIH R21) Project Number: 1 R21 AI169139-01A1

Role: Co-I (8%)

Effective date: 09/2022-08/2024 Total amount awarded: \$398,311

8. The COVID-19 Vaccine Efficacy among People Living with and without HIV: A Real-World

Data Approach (PI: X. Yang), (NIH R21) Project Number: 1 R21 Al170159-01A1

Role: Co-I (10%)

Effective date: 07/2022-06/2024 Total amount awarded: \$398,261 9. Excellent Initiative: Big Data Health Science Center (BDHSC)

Role: Electronic Health Core Leader (In kind) Effective Date: 08/16/2019-8/15/2023

10. Multi-level Determinants of Racial Disparities in Maternal Morbidity and Mortality During

the COVID-19 Pandemic, (PI: X. Li & J. Liu), (NIH R01, supplement)

Project Number: 3R01AI127203-5S1

Role: Co-I (15%)

Effective Date: 09/01/2021-05/31/2023

Total amount awarded: \$886,188

11. Big Data Analytics of HIV Treatment Gaps in South Carolina: Identification and Prediction, (PI:

X. Li & B. Olatosi), (NIH R01)

Project Number: 1R01AI127203-01A1

Role: Co-I (15%)

Effective Date: 07/01/2017-06/30/2023 Total amount awarded: \$3,101,969

12. Big Data Driven Clinical Informatics & Surveillance - A Multimodal Database Focused Clinical, Community, & Multi-Omics Surveillance Plan for COVID-19, (PI: X. Li & B. Olatosi), (NIH R01 supplement)

Project Number: R01AI127203-4S1

Role: Co-I (10%)

Effective Date: 06/01/2020-05/31/2023

13. Dietary Supplements and Inflammation, National Institutes of Health (PI: Prakash

Nagarkatti), (NIH COBRE)

Project Number: 2P20GM103641-06A1

Role: Biostatistician (8%)

Effective Date: 9/1/2018-8/31/2023 Total amount awarded: \$2,016,232

14. Periodontal antibodies to predict Alzheimer's disease mortality, (PI: A. Merchant), (NIH R21)

Project Number: R21AG070449

Role: Co-I (10%)

Effective Date: 09/15/2020-8/31/2023 Total amount awarded: \$401,420

 $15. \ Leveraging \ the \ Power \ of \ Big \ Data \ for \ Predicting \ Future \ STDs \ among \ PLWH: A \ Pilot \ Study, \ (PI: Particle Power \ Predicting \ Puture \ Puture$

B. Olatosi), Big Data Health Science Center 2020-2021 Pilot Project Program

Role: Co-I

Effective Date: 08/16/2020-8/15/2022

16. Brain Targeted Nanoparticle for Alzheimer's Disease Therapy, (PI: P. Xu) (NIH R01)

Project Number: R01AG054839

Role: Co-I (5%)

Effective Date: 3/1/2017-2/28/2022

17. Estimating Population Level Infertility and Fertility Treatment Rates, (PI: A. Mclain) (NIH R03)

Project Number: 1R03HD097287-01

Role: Co-I (5%)

Effective Date: 1/19/2019-12/31/2020

Total Award: \$161,710

18. Health Disparities in HIV, Depression and Alzheimer's Disease in South Carolina (PI: M. Brown) (CCADMR)

Role: Co-I

Effective Date: 07/2020 – 06/2021 Total amount awarded: \$29,866

19. Interdisciplinary Graduate Training Program in Cancer Disparities, (PI: S. Steck), (Susan G. Komen)

Role: Mentor Committee

Effective Date: 06/28/2017-06/27/2020.

20. Center for CAM Research on Autoimmune and Inflammatory Diseases, (PI: P. Nagarkatti), NIH Role: Co-I (8%)

Effective Date: 9/1/2014-8/31/2019

21. Reducing Colorectal Cancer Disparities: Racial Differences in Colorectal Polyp Profile, (PI: S. Xirasagar), (NIH R21)

Role: Co-I (5%)

Effective Date: 1/1/2016-12/31/2018

22. Nano-cocktail Overcomes Multidrug-Resistance for Ovarian Cancer Therapy, (PI: P. Xu), (NIH R15)

Role: Co-I (1%)

Effective Date: 07/01/2015-06/30/2018

23. Dietary Supplements and Inflammation, (PI: P. Nagarkatti) (NIH COBRE)

Role: Biostatistician (25%)

Effective Date: 9/1/2012-5/31/2018

24. Targeting the p62 Signalosome in Leukemia, (PI: J. Fang), (NIH R01)

Role: Co-I (5%)

Effective Date: 07/01/2017-06/30/2018

25. Identifying Predictors of Racial Disparity in Treatment and Mortality among Patients Diagnosed with Breast Cancer in South Carolina and Geospatial Investigation of Breast Cancer Patient Navigation, PI: O. Babatunde, (NIH F31)

Role: Mentor

Effective Date: 09/01/2017 - 08/31/2018

26. Supplementary to Reducing Colorectal Cancer Disparities: Racial Differences in Colorectal Polyp Profile, (PI: S. Xirasagar), (NIH R21 supplement)

Role: Co-I (5%)

Effective Date: 1/1/2016-12/31/2017

27. Joint Model of the CVD Mortality and Nonlinear Longitudinal Effect of Physical Activity, PI: Jie Zhou*, SPARC, UofSC

Role: Major Mentor,

Effective Date: 05/01/2016-09/30/2017

28. HER2 and the Link between Inflammation and Cancer Stem Cells, (PI: H. Chen), (NIH R01)

Role: Biostatistician,

Effective date: 8/8/2013-5/31/2017

29. A Geospatial Investigation Of Breast Cancer Health Disparities, (PI: S. Adam), (NIH R15)

Role: Co-I (5%)

Effective Date: 9/19/2014 - 9/18/2016

30. Inflammatory Potential of Diet and Risk of Cancer Mortality in Women, (PI: S. Steck), (American Institute for Cancer Research)

Role: Biostatistician (5%)

Effective Date: 1/1/2015-12/31/2016

31. The Gene Polymorphisms among Chinese Dyslexic Children Modulate a Molecular Network Involved in Neuronal Migration, (PI: R. Song) (National Natural Sciences Foundation of China)

Project Number: NSFC 81273092

Role: Consultant

Effective Date: 01/01/2013-12/31/2016,

32. Intervention to Improve Quality of Life for African-American Lupus Patients (IQAN), (PI: E. Williams), (NIH K01)

Role: Biostatistician (5%)

Effective Date: 9/1/2012-8/31/2016.

33. Immunopathological Basis of PTSD, (PI: P. Nagarkatti), (NIH R01)

Role: Co-I (5%)

Effective Date: 7/1/2011-6/31/2016

34. Dietary Inflammatory Index and Risk of Breast and Colorectal Cancers, (PI: S. Steck), Prevent Cancer Foundation

Role: Biostatistician (3%)

Effective Date: 2/15/2013-2/14/2015

35. Periodontal Microorganisms and Markers of Cardiovascular Disease in Youth, (PI: A. Merchant) American Diabetes Association

Role: Co-I (5%)

Effective Date: 7/1/2011-6/31/2014

36. Intracellular Self-Expanding Nanogel for Colon Cancer Therapy, (PI: P. Xu), (SOAR-USC ACS IRG grant)

Role: Consultant (1%)

Effective Date: 03/01/2013 - 02/28/2014.

37. Dietary Inflammatory Index and Risk of Cancer in Women, (PI: F. Tabung) (NIH F31)

Role: Mentor Committee

Effective Date: 10/01/2013-08/09/2014

38. Identifying Immortal Patients in Population-Based Cancer Registries,

Role: Consultant

Date: 9/1/2012-5/15/2013

39. Reducing Cancer Disparities: Incident Cancer after Colonoscopies by Primary Care Physicians, (PI: S. Xirasagar), (NIH R15)

Role: Co-I (5%)

Effective Date: 1/1/2011-12/31/2013.

40. Correlation Between Substances Changes of Language-implicated Acupoints and Brain Activation among Chinese Children with Dyslexia, (PI: R. Song), National Natural Sciences Foundation of China

Project Number: No. 30600501

Role: Consultant

Effective Date: Jan 2007

Pending PI Grants

1. Understanding Structural Racism and Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Severe Maternal Morbidity and Mortality: A Dynamic Prediction and Simulation Modeling Approach (MPI: J. Zhang and P. Hung) (NIH R01)

Project number: R01HD113586

Score:

2. Impact of COVID-19 on Mental Health Utilization among Black People living with HIV (MPI: B. Olatosi and J. Zhang) (NIH R01)

Project number: (R01 MH135760)

Score:

3. Develop deep learning-based imputation methods for missing values in electronic health records

Project Number: 1R21AI176275-01

Role: PI Score:

4. Big Data Analytics Emerging Scholar (e-Scholar) Program for Minority Students

Project Number: 1R25AI172761-01

Role: MPI, (X.Li & J. Zhang)

Score: 32

5. T32 Predoctoral Training in Big Data Analytics for Infectious Disease Research

Project Number: 1T32AI170488-01A1 Role: MPI, (X. Li & J. Zhang (Contact))

Score: 30

Selected Unfunded PI Grants

1. A statewide cohort of cancer risk among elderly people living with HIV

Project Number: 1 R01 AG069531-01

Role: MPI (A. Alberg, X.Li & J. Zhang (Contact))

Score: 47 (38%)

2. Improving Mental Health Services Utilization for Suicide in SC via Big Data Science

Project Number: 1 R01 MH118212-01A1 Role: MPI (X.Li & J. Zhang (Contact))

Score: 44

3. Innovative Spatial Survival Model Allowing Short- and Long-Term Cancer Survivors

Project Number: 1 R21 CA198729-01

Role: PI

Score: 30 (17%)

4. A New Spatiotemporal Survival Model Accounting for Geographical Residence Change

Project Number: 1 R21 CA205519-01

Role: PI

Score: 30 (16%)

5. Functional Classification of Longitudinal Fitness Pattern on Cancer Mortality Project Number: 1 R21 CA175573-01A1

Role: PI

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Presentations, Conferences and Workshops

(All presentations and seminars are presented by Jiajia Zhang)

Invited Talk

- 1. Semiparametric Regression of the Illness-Death Model with Interval Censored Disease Incidence Time: an Application to the ACLS Data, Vitual, JSM, Aug 9-12, 2021
- 2. Semiparametric Estimation of the Cure Fraction in Population-based Cancer Survival Analysis, Vitual, ICSA 2020 Applied Statistics Symposium, Dec 13-16, 2020
- 3. A Varying-Coefficient Generalized Odds Rate Model with Time-Varying Exposure, ICSA,
- 4. Raleigh, NC, June 9-12, 2019
- 5. Nonparametric Estimation of the Semi Competing regression Model with Interval Censored Illness, ICSA-Qingdao, July 2-5, 2018
- 6. Computationally Efficient Estimation for the Generalized Odds Rate Mixture Cure Model with Interval Censored Data, 2017 IMS-China International conference on Statistics and Probability, Nanning, Guangxi, June 28–July 1, 2017.
- 7. Computationally Efficient Estimation for the Generalized Odds Rate Mixture Cure Model with Interval Censored Data, 2017 Lifetime Data Science Conference: Data Science, Precision Medicine and Risk Analysis with Lifetime Data, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT, May 25–27, 2017.
- 8. Modelling county level cancer survival data using a covariate-adjusted frailty model, International Conference on Advances in Interdisciplinary Statistics and Combinatorics, Greensboro, NC, Sep 30–Oct 2, 2016.
- 9. Modelling county level cancer survival data using a covariate-adjusted frailty model, ICSA Conferences Data Science, Dali, Yunnan, China, July 2–4, 2016.
- 10. Spatial Extended Hazard Model with Application to South Carolina Prostate Cancer Data, ICSA Applied Statistics Symposium, Atlanta, Georgia, June 12–15, 2016.
- 11. Accelerated Intensity Frailty Model for Recurrent Events Data, 2015 IMS-China International Conference on Statistics and Probability, Kunming, Yunnan, China, July 1–4, 2015.
- 12. Spatial Extended Hazard Model with Application to South Carolina Prostate Cancer Data, ICSA Shanghai Statistics Conference, Fudan, Shanghai, China, July 6–7, 2015.
- 13. Accelerated Intensity Frailty Model for Recurrent Events Data, ICSA/Graybill Joint Conference, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO, June 14–17, 2015.
- 14. Spatial Extended Hazard Model with Application to South Carolina Prostate Cancer Data The 4th Workshop on Biostatistics and Bioinformatic, Georgia State University, GA, May 8–10, 2015.
- 15. Accelerated Intensity Frailty Model for Recurrent Events Data, South Carolina Statistics Consortium, Clemens, SC, November 15, 2014.
- 16. Accelerated Intensity Frailty Model for Recurrent Events Data, International Conference on Advances in Interdisciplinary Statistics and Combinatorics, Greensboro, NC, October 10–12, 2014.
- 17. Efficient Estimation in Accelerated Intensity Frailty Model for Recurrent Events Data, ICSA-KISS 2014 Joint Applied Statistics Symposium, Portland, June 15–18, 2014.
- 18. *Induced smoothing for the semiparametric accelerated hazards model, Joint Statistical Meetings*, Montreal, CA, August 3–8, 2013.
- 19. A New Semiparametric Estimation Method for Accelerated Hazards Mixture Cure Model, ICSA 2013 Applied Statistics Symposium/ISBS International Symposium, Bethesda, Maryland, June 9–12, 2013.
- 20. Semiparametric Estimation Methods for the Accelerated Hazards Model, International Conference on Advances in Interdisciplinary Statistics and Combinatorics, Greensboro, NC, October 5–7, 2012.

- 21. Induced Smoothing for the Semiparametric Accelerated Hazards Model, Second Joint Biostatistics Symposium, Beijing, China, July 8–9, 2012.
- 22. A New Semiparametric Estimation Method for Accelerated Hazards Model, ICSA 2011 Applied Statistical Symposium, New York City, June 25–29, 2011.

Contributed Talk

- 23. Association of ART with Cancer incidence from South Carolina, Fighting HIV with BigData Round Table, APHA annual Meeting San Diego, CA, Nov 10-14, 2018.
- 24. A New Semiparametric Estimation Method for Accelerated Hazards Mixture Cure Model, ENAR 2013 Spring Meetings, Orlando, Florida, Mar 10–13, 2013.
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- 27. An Alternative Estimation Method for the Semiparametric Accelerated Failure Time Mixture Cure Model, ENAR 2011 Spring Meetings, Miami, FL, Mar 20–23, 2011.
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- 30. Estimation Method of the Semiparametric Mixture Cure Gamma Frailty Model, Joint Statistical Meetings, Denver, Colorado, Aug 3–7, 2008.
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- 32. *Identifiability of the Mixture Cure Frailty Model, 35th Annual Meeting of the Statistical Society of Canada,* Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John's, Jun 10–13, 2007.
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Invited Seminar Presentations

- 35. School of Public Health, Tongji Medical College, Huazhong University of Science and Technology, Wuhan, Hubei, China, June 2018.
- 36. Department of Statistics, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China, June 2018.
- 37. Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Jiangxi Normal University, June 2018.
- 38. School of Mathematics and Statistics, Zhejiang University of Finance and Economics, Hangzhou, China, June 2017.
- 39. Department of Statistics, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China, June 2017.
- 40. School of Statistics and Management, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, Shanghai, June 2017.
- 41. Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Anhui University, Hefei, Anhui, China, June, 2017.
- 42. School of Public Health, Anhui Medical University, Naning, Jiangshu, China, June 2017.
- 43. School of Public Health, Nanjing Medical University, Nanjing, Guangxi, China, June, 2017.
- 44. School of Public Health, Guangxi Medical University, Naning, Guangxi, China, June, 2017.
- 45. School of Public Health, Tongji Medical College, Huazhong University of Science and Technology, Wuhan, Hubei, China, June 2017.
- 46. Department of Mathematics, University of Alabama, Alabama, Aug 2016.
- 47. Department of Statistics, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China, June 2016.
- 48. School of Statistics and Management, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, Shanghai, June 2016.
- 49. School of Public Health, Tongji Medical College, Huazhong University of Science and Technology, Wuhan, Hubei, China, June 2016.

- 50. School of Public Health, Tongji Medical College, Huazhong University of Science and Technology, Wuhan, Hubei, China, July 2015.
- 51. Department of Statistics, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China, July 2015.
- 52. School of Mathematics and Statistics, Zhejiang University of Finance and Economics, Hangzhou, China, July 2015.
- 53. School of Statistics and Management, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, Shanghai, July 2015.
- 54. Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Queen's University, Canada, May 2014.
- 55. Department of Statistics, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China, March 2014.
- 56. School of Mathematics and Statistics, Zhejiang University of Finance and Economics, Hangzhou, China, March 2014.
- 57. School of Statistics and Management, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, Shanghai, China, March 2014.
- 58. Department of Statistics, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, March 2014.
- 59. Department of Statistics, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China, March 2014.
- 60. Department of Statistics, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China, March 2014.
- 61. Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Georgia State University, March 2014.
- 62. Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina, Oct 2013.
- 63. Department of Mathematics and Statistics, University of North Carolina, Charlotte, Oct, 2012.
- 64. School of Mathematics and Statistics, Zhejiang University of Finance and Economics, Hangzhou, China, June 2012.
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- 66. Department of Statistics, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, June 2012.
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- 68. Department of Statistics, University of South Carolina, Feb 2011.
- 69. Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina, Nov 10,2010.
- 70. Department of Mathematics, University of South Carolina, Sep 2010.
- 71. Department of Mathematics and Statistics, University of Saskatchewan, Jan 2009.
- 72. Department of Statistics, University of South Carolina, Oct 2008.
- 73. Department of Community Health and Epidemiology, Queen's University, Ontario, May, 2008.
- 74. Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of South Carolina, Feb 2008.

Workshop

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