Kelly Ramsay

Education

2018-Present PhD. Statistics, University of Waterloo.

2016-2018 MSc. Statistics, University of Manitoba.

2012-2016 **BSc.(Hons.) Statistics & Actuarial Science**, *University of Manitoba*.

Publications

- 2021 Change-point detection in the covariance kernel of functional data using data depth, *Kelly Ramsay* and *Shoja'eddin Chenouri*, submitted to Biometrika.
- 2021 Differentially private depth functions and their associated medians, *Kelly Ramsay* and *Shoja'eddin Chenouri*, arXiv preprint arXiv:2101.02800, currently revising for re-submission.
- 2021 Robust nonparametric hypothesis tests for differences in the covariance structure of functional data, *Kelly Ramsay* and *Shoja'eddin Chenouri*, arXiv preprint arXiv:2106.10173, submitted to JASA.
- 2020 Robust, multiple change-point detection for covariance matrices using data depth., *Kelly Ramsay* and *Shoja'eddin Chenouri*, arXiv preprint arXiv:2011.09558, submitted to JMVA.
- 2020 Robustness and asymptotics of the projection median, *Kelly Ramsay*, *Stephane Durocher and Alexandre Leblanc*, Journal of Multivariate Analysis, 10.1016/j.jmva.2020.104678.
- 2019 Integrated rank-weighted depth, *Kelly Ramsay*, *Stephane Durocher and Alexandre Leblanc*, Journal of Multivariate Analysis, 10.1016/j.jmva.2019.02.001.
- 2017 Computable, Robust Multivariate Location Using Integrated Univariate Ranks, Kelly Ramsay, University of Manitoba, Masters Thesis.

Awards and Honours

Major Awards

- 2019 Canada Graduate Scholarship-Doctoral, NSERC, \$35000, 4 years.
- 2021 Sprott Scholarship, University of Waterloo, \$1000, 1 year.
- 2016 Canada Graduate Scholarship-Masters, NSERC, \$17500, 1 year.

- 2017 SSC Student Presentation Award, SSC, \$500.
- 2019 **Outstanding Research by an M.Sc. Student**, *University of Manitoba*, \$500.

Minor Awards

- 2019-2021 **President's Graduate Scholarship**, *University of Waterloo*, \$10000.
- 2019-2021 **Math Domestic Doctoral Scholarship**, *University of Waterloo*, \$5000.
 - 2020 Math Senate Graduate Scholarship, University of Waterloo, \$2000
- 2019,2021 Stats & Act Sci Chairs Award, University of Waterloo, \$1000.
 - 2019 **UW Grad Scholarship Scholarship**, *University of Waterloo*, \$1000.
 - 2019 Math Domestic Graduate Award, University of Waterloo, \$4000.
 - 2019 Prov-Doc Entrance Award for Women, University of Waterloo, \$5000.
 - 2019 **Stats & Act Sci Doctoral Entrance Award**, *University of Waterloo*, \$5000.
 - 2017 University of Manitoba TMSA, University of Manitoba, \$17500.
 - 2014 Undergraduate Research Award, University of Manitoba, \$6000.
 - 2016 Dr Gordon H Josie Memorial Scholarship, University of Manitoba, \$500.
- 2015-2016 **Great West Life Actuarial Career Scholarship**, *University of Manitoba*, \$5000, 2 years.
- 2012-2016 President's Scholarship, University of Manitoba, \$1000, 4 years.
- 2012-2016 UMSU Scholarship, University of Manitoba, \$750, 3 years.
 - 2012 Advanced Early Admission Scholarship, University of Manitoba, \$2000.
 - 2012 Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate Scholarship Enhancement, *University of Manitoba*, \$250.

Conferences

- 2021 Presentation: Privatizing Data Depth Functions, Kelly Ramsay and Shoja'eddin Chenouri, SSC 2021.
- 2019 Presentation: Multivariate Change-point Detection: A Nonparamteric Method for Multiple Change-point Detection in the Covariance Matrix of a Time Series, Kelly Ramsay and Shoja'eddin Chenouri, WSAS 2019.
- 2018 Presentation: Some Results on the Projection Median, Kelly Ramsay, Stephane Durocher and Alexandre Leblanc, SSC 2018.

- 2017 Presentation: Computing the Projection Median in R^3 , Kelly Ramsay, Stephane Durocher and Alexandre Leblanc, SSC
- 2017 Case Study Poster: Classifying IBS Patients, Kelly Ramsay, Shamsia Sobhan, Inesh Prabuddha, and Kanika Grover, SSC

Teaching Experience

2018-Present **Teaching Assistant**, *University of Waterloo*.

Courses: Statistics, Probability, Mathematical Statistics, Forecasting, Computational Inference.

2018 **Sessional Instructor**, *University of Manitoba*.

Courses: Probability.

2017-2018 **Teaching Assistant**, *University of Manitoba*.

Courses: Inference 1 and 2, Introduction to Statistics and Computing, Statistics and Computing, Computational Statistics.

Additional Research Experience

2020-Present Technical Analyst, Bison Transport.

Projects: Build outlier detection tools, time series analysis

2019-Present Statistical Consultant, University of Waterloo.

Projects: Build a large scale web-scraper, give statistical advice to graduate students

2014 Research Assistant, University of Manitoba.

Projects: Evaluate Bernstein polynomial density estimation procedures

Service

2019-Present Reviewer.

Journals: Statistics and Probability letters, PLOS ONE

- 2021 First Waterloo Student Conference in Statistics, Actuarial Science and Finanace, Co-chair.
- 2019 Second Waterloo Student Conference in Statistics, Actuarial Science and Finanace, Co-chair.
- 2017 Statistical Society of Canada Conference, Volunteer.

2017-Present Statistical Society of Canada, Member.

2017 Graduate Student Association, Council Member.

Research interests

Functional data, Data privacy, Nonparametric statistics, Robust statistics, Time series, Hypothesis testing, Change-point detection, Shape and manifold valued data, Computational geometry