

## The Southern California Chapter of the American Statistical Association

### ARCHIVES OF EVENTS

2024 ACTIVITIES				
<b>4th SCASA Regional Statistics Data Visualization Poster Competition</b> had March 22, 2024, submission deadline and judging has been done virtually	<b>43rd Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> took place on April 13, 2024, via Zoom. Speakers: Jeremy Weber, University of Pittsburgh, Topic: Statistics for Public Policy	<b>Game Show</b>	<b>The ASA Traveling Course</b>	<b>Kick-off</b>

2023 ACTIVITIES			
<b>SCASA 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Job Fair</b> was held virtually on March 24, 2023	<b>3rd SCASA Regional Statistics Data Visualization Poster Competition</b> had March 17, 2023, submission deadline and judging was done virtually	<b>42nd Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> took place on April 21, 2023, via Zoom. Speakers: Josh Dunlap, Emmanuel Hernandez, Gauthier Kelly, David Laredo, Amazon Web Services, Topic: Cloud Computing and SageMaker	<b>Kick-off</b> meeting took place on December 2, 2023, at APU, speakers: Jacob Rode, Chapman University, and Chong Ho Yu, Hawaii Pacific University

2022 ACTIVITIES				
<b>SCASA 2nd Annual Job Fair</b> was held virtually on February 25, 2022	<b>2nd Annual SCASA Regional Stat Poster Contest</b> had March 18, 2022, submission deadline and judging was done virtually	<b>41st Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> took place on April 23, 2022, via Zoom. Speaker: Robert Kabacoff, Wesleyan University, Topic: Modern Data Visualization with R	<b>The ASA Traveling Course</b> took place on October 22, 2022, via Zoom. Speakers: Jeffrey D. Blume, University of Virginia, and Megan H. Murray, Vanderbilt University, Topic: An Introduction to Second-generation P-values and Their Use in Statistical Practice	<b>The SCASA 2022 Kick-off</b> took place on December 10, 2022, via Zoom. Speakers: ASA president Dr. Kathy Ensor, Rice University (leadership initiatives), Dr. Jason (ZhongZheng) Niu, USC (epidemiological research), and Dr. Dylan Friel, UCR ( Neutral Zone Classifier).

<b>2021 ACTIVITIES</b>				
<b>Inaugural Job Fair</b> was held virtually on February 26, 2021	<b>Inaugural SCASA Regional Stat Poster Contest</b> had March 20, 2021 submission deadline and judging was done virtually	<b>40th Applied Statistics Workshop</b> took place on April 24, 2021, via Zoom. Speakers: Hui Ln (Netlify) and Ming Li (Amazon) Topic: Introduction to Data Science, Machine Learning and Deep Learning (in R and Python)	<b>The ASA Traveling Course</b> was held on October 23, 2021, via Zoom, Speaker: Brian Leventhal (James Madison Uni), Topic: An Introduction to Item Response Theory	<b>The SCASA 2021 Kick-off</b> was held on December 11, 2021, via Zoom, Speakers: Robert Gould (UCLA), Topic: Data Science Education Two Initiatives; and Daniel Jeske (UCR), Topics: Statistics and Data Science at NISS and ISBIS, and Sample Size Calculations For Mixture Alternatives in a Control Group vs. Treatment Group Design

<b>2020 ACTIVITIES</b>		
<b>The 39th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held as a webinar via Zoom, on Friday, April 24, 2020, Speaker: Ash Pahwa, Ph.D., Topic: Deep Learning Using TensorFlow	<b>The ASA Traveling Course</b> was held as a webinar via Zoom on Saturday, October 3, 2020, Speaker: Mine Çetinkaya-Rundel, Topic: Shiny Essentials	<b>The SCASA 2020 Kick-off</b> was held via Zoom on Saturday, December 12, 2020, Keynote Speaker: Gareth James, USC, Topic: Irrational Exuberance: Correcting Bias in Probability Estimates; Student-presenters: Kienna Qin, Diana Pham, Eustina Kim, and Tiffany Feng (UCLA team that received Honorable mention in the Most Creative Project at UCLA ASA DataFest 2020), Topic: "The Relationship Between Social Vulnerability Measures and COVID-19 Case Prevalence; Joseph Gadbois (CSULB, Masters student in Applied Statistics), Topic: Neural Networks: Versatile High-Performance Models.

<b>2019 ACTIVITIES</b>
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<b>SCASA 14th Annual Statistics Poster Competition</b> was held at Cross Campus, Pasadena, on Saturday, April 13, 2019	<b>The 38th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was at CSULB, Pointe Conference Center, on Friday, April 26, 2019, Speaker: Frank Harrell, Vanderbilt University, School of Medicine, Topic: Regression Modeling Strategies	<b>The ASA Traveling Course</b> was held at City of Hope, Duarte, on Saturday, November 9, Speaker: Brian Vegetabile, RAND, Topic: Guidelines for Using State-of-the-Art Methods to Estimate Propensity Score and Inverse Probability of Treatment Weights When Drawing Causal Inferences	<b>The SCASA 2019 Kick-off</b> was held at Azusa Pacific University, on Saturday, December 7, at Azusa Pacific University, Speaker: Daniel R. Jeske, UCR, Topic: Discussion of the March 2019 Special Issue of The American Statistician on Alternatives to $P < .05$ ; Invited Speaker: Douglas Montgomery, Arizona State University, Topic: Providing comment on Dr. Jeske's presentation and talk about Ph.D. program at ASU, and Lunch Talk's Topic: How Do You Make a Small Fortune in Wine...?
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2018 ACTIVITIES			
<b>The 37th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at Argyros Auditorium, City of Hope, on Saturday, April 21, 2018, Speaker: Ofer Harel, Department of Statistics, University of Connecticut, Topic: Problem of Dealing with Incomplete Data	<b>SCASA and OC/LBASA Joined Annual AP Statistics Poster Competition</b> was held at Chapman University, on Saturday, April 7, 2018	<b>The ASA Traveling Course</b> was held at CSU, Fullerton, on Saturday, October 27, Speaker: Fang K. Chen, SAS Institute, Practical Bayesian Computation	<b>The SCASA 2018 Kick-off</b> was held at Azusa Pacific University, on Saturday, December 1, Speaker: Shujie Ma, UCR, Topic: A Robust and Efficient Approach to Causal Inference Based on Sparse Sufficient Dimension Reduction; Speaker: Mingming Liu, graduate student, UCR, Topic: Subgroup analysis in longitudinal data, Speaker: Gordon David Mosher, undergraduate student, UCR, Topic: Prior Weights for Iterative Hard Thresholding: Using Julia to analyze the human genome; lunch talk by Sastry Pantula, Dean of College of Natural Sciences, CSUSB, President of ASA in 2010

<b>2017 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>The 36th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at Argyros Auditorium, City of Hope, on Saturday, March 25, 2017, Speaker: Gregory Ridgeway, Department of Criminology, University of Pennsylvania, Topic: Statistical Applications in Crime and Justice	<b>SCASA and OC/LBASA Joined Annual AP Statistics Poster Competition</b> was held at Chapman University, on Saturday, April 8, 2017	<b>The ASA Traveling Course</b> was held at UCLA, on Friday, October 20, Speaker: Yonggang Yao, SAS Institute, Topic: Quantile Regression in Practice	<b>The SCASA 2017 Kick-off</b> was held at Azusa Pacific University, on Saturday, November 18, Speaker: Robert Rodriguez, SAS Institute, Topics: Statistical Model Building for Large, Complex Data, and Moving to the Middle: Meeting Rising Expectations for Statisticians as Leaders; lunch talk by Arnold Goodman, topic: View of SCASA Evolution by its First President

<b>2016 ACTIVITIES</b>				
<b>The SCASA 2015 Kick-off</b> was held at UCLA, on Saturday, January 30, 2016, Keynote Speaker: Ron Brookmeyer, Professor of Biostatistics at UCLA, Topic: The Power of Small Data: A Case Study in Biosecurity	<b>The 35th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at Argyros Auditorium, City of Hope, on Saturday, March 12, 2016, Speaker: Tim Hesterberg, Senior Ads Quality Statistician at Google Topic: Bootstrap Methods and Permutation Tests with Practical Applications	<b>SCASA and OC/LBASA Joined Annual AP Statistics Poster Competition</b> was held at Chapman University, on Saturday, April 16, 2016	<b>The SCASA 2016 Kick-off</b> was held at City of Hope, on November 12, 2016 Keynote Speaker: Xinping Cui, Professor of Statistics at UCR, Topic: Base Calling, Binning, SNP Calling on Metagenomic Sequencing Data	<b>The ASA Traveling Course</b> was held at UCLA, on Friday, December 2, 2016, Instructor: Matthew Cefalu, RAND Corporation, Topic: Estimating Propensity Scores and Inverse Probability of Treatment Weights When Drawing Causal Inferences

<b>2015 ACTIVITIES</b>
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<b>The 34th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, Pointe Conference Center, on Friday, April 3, 2015, Speaker: Terry M. Therneau, Department of Health Science Research, Mayo Clinic, Topic: Analysis of multi-state survival models	<b>SCASA and OC/LBASA Joined Annual AP Statistics Poster Competition</b> was held at Chapman University, on Saturday, May 30, 2015
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<b>2014 ACTIVITIES</b>
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<p><b>Statistics Careers Day</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, February 22, 2014, Key note speaker: Arnold Goodman, Founder &amp; Principal, Collaborative Data Solutions, Topic: Analysis, Balance, Collaboration and Big Data Science for Statistical Success in the 21st Century</p>	<p><b>The 33rd Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at UCLA, Covell Commons, on Saturday, March 29, 2014, Speaker: Walter Stroup, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, Topic: Introduction to Generalized Linear Mixed Models with Emphasis on Non-normal Data</p>	<p><b>SCASA and OC/LBASA Joined Annual AP Statistics Poster Competition</b> was held at UC-Irvine Medical Center, on Saturday, April 26, 2014</p>	<p><b>A Statistical Tribute to Bob Newcomb</b> took place on Saturday, November 15, 2014, at City of Hope, Duarte. Following the memorial session, four talks were given. 1. Speaker: Robert N. Rodriguez, PhD, Senior Director, Software Research &amp; Development, SAS Institute, the 2012 ASA President Topic: An Insider's Perspective on the Development of SAS Statistical Software; 2. Speaker: Duane Steffey, PhD, Principal Scientist &amp; Director, Statistical and Data Sciences, Exponent, Inc. Topic: Statistical Consulting in Industry; 3. Speaker: Karen Messer, PhD, Professor and Chief, Division of Biostatistics &amp; Bioinformatics, University of California, San Diego Topic: Statistical Issues in Prognostic Modeling of Cancer Recurrence 4. Speaker: Danh Nguyen, PhD, Professor, Director: Biostatistics, Epidemiology &amp; Research Design Unit, University of California, Irvine Topic: Clinical and Translational Research: Rich Interactions, Interdisciplinary Teams, Mentoring</p>	<p><b>The 2014 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, December 6, 2014, Key note speaker: Sudipto Banarjee, Professor and Chair, UCLA Department of Biostatistics, Topic: Bayesian Modeling and Inference for Large Geographically Referenced Data Sets</p>
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<b>2013 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Statistics Careers Day</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, February 23, 2013, Key note speaker: John Adams, Kaiser Permanente, Topic: What Statisticians can contribute to Health Care Reform	<b>The 32nd Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Friday, March 8, 2013, Speaker: Bruce Turnbull, Cornell University, Topic: Group Sequential and Adaptive Designs in Clinical Trials	<b>The 8th Annual AP Statistics Project Competition</b> was held at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, on Saturday, June 1, 2013	<b>The 2013 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at City of Hope, on Saturday, December 14, 2013, Speaker: Nathaniel Schenker, President- Elect of ASA, Topic 1: Looking Forward to the 175th Anniversary of the ASA, Topic 2: Identification and Multiple Imputation of Implausible Gestational Ages for the Study of Preterm Births

<b>2012 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Statistics Careers Day</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, March 10, 2012	<b>The 31st Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Saturday, March 24, 2012, Speaker: Scott M. Lynch, Princeton University, Topic: Application of Bayesian Statistics in Social Science	<b>The 7th Annual PosterCom</b> p was held at UCI, on Saturday, May 19, 2012	<b>The 2012 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at UCLA, on Saturday, November 3, 2012, Speaker: Bin Yu, University of California, Berkeley, Topic: Stability

<b>2011 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Statistics Careers Day</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, April 23, 2011	<b>The 30th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Saturday, April 9, 2011, Speaker: Alex Dmitrienko, Eli Lilly and Company, Topic: Key Multiplicity Issues in Clinical Trials	<b>The 6th Annual PosterComp</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, May 21, 2011	<b>The 2011 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at UCLA, on Saturday, November 19, 2011, Speaker: Christine McLaren, UCI, Topic: Statistical Mixture Models for Phenotypic and Genotypic Data: Enhancing Estimation of Disease Prevalence and Risk

<b>2010 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Statistics Careers Day</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, February 20, 2010	<b>The 29th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> Was held at the RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, on Friday, April 30, 2010, Speaker: Carter Butts, UCI, Topic: Statistical Models for Social Networks: Overview and Prospect	<b>The 5th Annual PosterComp</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, May 15, 2010	<b>The 2010 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at UCLA, on Saturday, November 13, 2010, Speaker: Allan Rossman, Cal Poly SLO, Topic: Undergraduate Statistics: Issues, Trends, Challenges; AP Statistics: Past, Present, Future (and How You Can Help)

<b>2009 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Statistics Careers Day</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, February 28, 2009	<b>The 28th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at UCLA, on Saturday, March 28, 2009, Speaker: Colin Cameron, UC, Davis, Topic: Advances in Count Data Regression	<b>The 4th Annual PosterCom</b> p was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, May 30, 2009	<b>The 2009 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at UCLA, on Saturday, November 7, 2009, Speaker: Hadley Wickham, Rice University, Topic: Graphical critique and theory, Exploring the housing crisis with ggplot and plyr

<b>2008 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Careers Day in Statistics</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, March 1, 2008, Key note speaker: Mary Ellen Bock, Purdue University, Topic: Opportunities in the Field of Statistics	<b>The 3rd Annual PosterComp</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, March 1, 2008	<b>The 27th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Friday, March 28, 2008, Speaker: Arlene S. Ash, Boston University, Topic: The Vital Importance of Adjusting for Patient Risk: Risk Adjustment in Health Services Research	<b>The 2008 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at UCI, on Saturday, November 1, 2008, Speaker: Howard Hogan, US Census Bureau, Topic

2007 ACTIVITIES			
<b>Careers Day in Statistics</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, March 3, 2007, Key note speaker: Peter Lachenbruch, Oregon State University, Topic: Lifetime of Experiences as a Statistician	<b>The 2nd Annual PosterComp</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, March 3, 2007	<b>The 26th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at UCLA, on Saturday, March 31, 2007, Speaker: Bengt Muthén, UCLA, Topic: Advances in Latent Variable Modeling	<b>The 2007 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, October 27, 2007, <b>Speaker, Topic</b>

2006 ACTIVITIES			
<b>SCASA's Annual Careers Day</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, February 25, 2006, Key note speaker: Fritz Scheuren, National Opinion Research Center (NORC) at University of Chicago, Topic: A Day in the Life of a Statistician	<b>First SCASA High School Statistical Poster Contest</b> was held at City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, February 25, 2006	<b>The 25th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at UCLA, on Friday, March 24, 2006, Speaker: Nan Laird, Harvard University, Topic: Applied Longitudinal Analysis	<b>The 2006 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, November 11, 2006, Speaker: Ralph O'Brien, Cleveland Clinic, Topic: Using Critical Type I and Type II Error Rates in Planning and Interpreting Tests of Hypotheses

2005 ACTIVITIES			
<b>Los Angeles Area Careers Day in Statistics</b> was held at City of Hope Medical Center, on Saturday, February 26, 2005, Key note speaker: Dale Anderson, Pacific Northwest Laboratories, Topic: Seismosticians and other hybrid creatures	<b>The 24th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Saturday, April 29, 2005, Speaker: Frank E. Harrell, Jr., Vanderbilt University, Topic: Regression Modeling Strategies	<b>One-day ASA COC Traveling Course</b> was held at Pomona College, on Friday, September 23, 2005, Speaker: Tim Hesterberg, Insightful Corp., Topic: Bootstrap Methods and Permutation Tests for Doing and Teaching Statistics	<b>The 2005 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, November 5, 2005, Speaker: Jan de Leeuw, UCLA, Topic: Building a Statistics Department

<b>2004 ACTIVITIES</b>		
<b>Los Angeles Area Careers Day in Statistics</b> was held at City of Hope Medical Center, on Saturday, February 28, 2004, Key note speaker: Robert Mason, Southwest Research Institute, <b>Topic</b>	<b>The 23rd Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Saturday, May 1, 2004, Speaker: Scott S. Emerson, University of Washington, Topic: Analysis of Right Censored Time to Event Data	<b>The 2004 Fall Kick-Off</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, November 6, 2004, Speaker: Bradley Efron, Stanford University, <b>Topic</b>

<b>2003 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Los Angeles Area Careers Day in Statistics</b> was held at City of Hope Medical Center, on Saturday, February 22, 2003, Keynote speaker, <b>Topic</b>	<b>The 22nd Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Saturday, May 3, 2003 Speaker: Charles S. Davis, Elan Pharmaceuticals, Topic: Statistical Methods for the Analysis of Repeated Measurements	<b>The 2003 Fall Kick-Off</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, October 11, 2003, Speaker: Hal Stern, UCI, Topic: Better Sports through Statistics; Bayesian Statistics: How? Why?	<b>The 2003 Consulting &amp; Collaborating Workshop</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College on Saturday, November 15, 2003

<b>2002 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Los Angeles Area Careers Day in Statistics</b> was held at the City of Hope Medical Center, on Saturday, February 23, 2002, Key note speaker: Mark Rees Partner J.D. Power and Associates , Topic: Syndicated Research at J.D. Power and Associates	<b>The 21st Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Friday, April 19, 2002, Speaker: Gary G. Koch, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, Topic: Nonparametric Statistical Methods	<b>The 2002 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, October 12, 2002, Speaker: Padhraic Smyth, UCI, Topic: Data Mining	<b>The Fourth Annual Workshop on Statistical Consulting &amp; Collaboration</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, November 16, 2002

2001 ACTIVITIES				
<p><b>Los Angeles Area Careers Day</b> was held at the City of Hope Medical Center, on Saturday, February 24, 2001, Key note speaker: Catharine Sterling, Smith-Hanley Associates, Inc., Topic: Careers in Statistics - From Clinical Trials to Credit Cards</p>	<p><b>Santa Barbara Area Careers Day</b> was held at UCSB, on Saturday, March 3, 2001, Key note speaker, Topic</p>	<p><b>The 20th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Friday, May 11, 2001, Speaker: R. Dennis Cook, University of Minnesota, Topic: Regression Graphics via Dimension Reduction</p>	<p><b>The Third Annual Workshop on Statistical Consulting</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Friday, October 19, 2001</p>	<p><b>The 2001 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, November 17, 2001, Speaker: Julie E. Buring, Harvard Medical School &amp; Brigham and Women's Hospital, Topic: Large-Scale Randomized Trials of Disease Prevention in Women: The Methods and the Message</p>

2000 ACTIVITIES			
<p><b>The 2000 Careers Day</b> was held at the City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, February 12, 2000, Keynote speaker: Ingram Olkin, Stanford University, Topic: Proportional Representation</p>	<p><b>The 19th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Friday, May 12, 2000, Speaker: Richard D. De Veaux, Williams College, Topic: An Overview and Examination of Data Mining</p>	<p><b>The 2000 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at Pomona College, on Saturday, October 7, 2000, Speaker: John C. Bailar, III, University of Chicago, Topic 1: Recent Trends in Cancer Mortality, Topic 2: Statistics, Science, and Public Policy</p>	<p><b>The Second Annual Workshop on Statistical Consulting</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, November 4, 2000</p>

1999 ACTIVITIES			
<b>The 1999 Careers Day</b> was held at the City of Hope National Medical Center, on Saturday, March 6, 1999, Key note speaker: Ronald L. Iman, Southwest Technology Consultants, <b>Topic</b>	<b>The 18th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b> was held at CSULB, on Friday, May 21, 1999, Speaker: Paul Switzer, Stanford University, Topic: Spatial Statistics	<b>Statistical Consulting Workshop</b> was held at Claremont McKenna College, on Saturday, September 25, 1999	<b>The 1999 Fall Kick-off</b> was held at Pomona College, on Saturday, October 16, 1999, Speaker: Richard L. Scheaffer, University of Florida, Topic: Statistics Education

1998 ACTIVITIES			
	February, 1998, Speaker: Peter Lachenbruch, UCLA, Topic: Statistical Reviewing at CBER: Hints and Prerequisites	<b>The 17th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	

1997 ACTIVITIES			
		<b>The 16th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	<b>The 1997 Kick-off</b> Speaker: Carl Morris, Harvard University

1996 ACTIVITIES			
		<b>The 15th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	<b>The 1996 Kick-off</b> Speaker: Stephen M. Stigler, University of Chicago Topics: I. Surveys, Sampling, SLOPs, and Sense II. statistical and Cognitive Aspects of Survey Design

1995 ACTIVITIES			
		<b>The 14th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	<b>The 1995 Kick-off</b> Speaker: Judith M. Tanur, Stony Brook University Topics: I. Surveys, Sampling, SLOPs, and Sense II. statistical and Cognitive Aspects of Survey Design

1994 ACTIVITIES			
		<b>The 13th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	<b>The 1994 Kick-off</b> Speaker: Paul Twitzer

1993 ACTIVITIES			
November 1993, Speaker: Karl Peace, Georgia Southern University, Topic: Enrichment Studies in Alzheimer's Disease: Design, Analysis and Interpretation Issues, Thousand Oaks, CA		<b>The 12th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	<b>The 1993 Kick-off</b> Speakers: Thomas J. Boardman & Eileen C. Boardman, Colorado State University, Topics: I. Quality Improvement & Appreciation for Variation II. Appreciation for Variation: Assessing & Measuring Process

1992 ACTIVITIES			
		<b>The 11th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	<b>The 1992 Kick-off</b> Speaker: David S. Moore, Purdue University, Topic: I. Statistics in the Schools: Why? What? How? II. The Uses of Video in Teaching Statistics

<b>1991 ACTIVITIES</b>			
May 1991, Speaker: R. Dennis Cook, University of Minnesota, Topic: Short course on regression graphics	<b>The 10th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	The 1991 Kick-off Speaker: Herman Chernoff, Harvard University	

<b>1990 ACTIVITIES</b>			
Nathaniel Schenker, UCLA, Formal discussion of dinner presentations on the bootstrap. Orange County Section, Southern California Chapter, American Statistical Association, Anaheim, CA	<b>The 9th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	Nathaniel Schenker, UCLA, Estimating the Census Undercount, dinner meeting, West Los Angeles Section, Southern California Chapter, American Statistical Association, Los Angeles, CA	The 1990 Kick-off Speaker: David Freedman (†2008), University of California, Berkeley, Topics: I. Ecological Regression & Voting Rights II. Consistent & Inconsistent Bayes Estimates

<b>1989 ACTIVITIES</b>			
	<b>The 8th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	The 1989 Kick-off  Speaker: Ingram Olkin, Stanford University, Topics: I. A Personal View of Statistics: Past, Present & Future II. Dependencies in Bivariate Models	

1988 ACTIVITIES			
	<b>The 7th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	<p>The 1988 Kick-off</p> <p>Speaker: Katherine K. Wallman, Executive Director of the Council of Professional Associations on Federal Statistics, Topics:</p> <p>I. The Federal Statistical System: What Is It? Who Needs It?</p> <p>II. The Federal Statistical System: What Challenges Are We Facing?</p>	

1987 ACTIVITIES			
	<b>The 6th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	<p>The Inaugural Kick-off</p> <p>Speaker: Ronald Thisted, Department of Public Health Sciences, University of Chicago, Topics: I. Settling Questions of Shakespearean Authorship</p> <p>II. Empirical Bayes Methods for Authorship Problems</p>	

1986 ACTIVITIES			
	<b>The 5th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>		

1985 ACTIVITIES			
	<b>The 4th Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>		

1984 ACTIVITIES			
	<b>The 3rd Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>		

1983 ACTIVITIES			
Los Angeles Area Meeting: Career Day was held on Tuesday, April 26, 1983, at the UCLA Faculty Center, Panel: Wilfrid Dixon – Professor in the Department of Biomathematics at UCLA- Moderator, Jewel Alderton – Vice President-Director of Research at Facts Consolidated, Etan Markowitz – Computing specialist at Hughes Aircraft Company, Fullerton, Judy Hopkins – Project coordinator at the Hemophilia Rehabilitation Center of the Orthopaedic Hospital, George Yen – Chief of the Rate Administration Bureau at the State of California Department of Insurance, Topic: Careers in Statistics	<b>The 2nd Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	Los Angeles Area May Meeting The May meeting took place on May 26, 1983, at Irvine. Speakers: Barbara G. Tabachnick, CSU Northridge, and Linda S. Fidell, CSU Northridge, authors of the textbook “Using Multivariate Statistics”	San Diego Area Meeting took place on Friday, May 6, 1983.

<b>1982 ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Los Angeles Area Meeting: Career Day</b> was held on Tuesday, April 27, 1982, at the UCLA Faculty Center, Panel: Wilfrid Dixon – Professor in the Department of Biomathematics at UCLA- Moderator, Orville Allen – Engineering specialist in the Space Systems Group at Rockwell International, Judy Faucett – VP in the Actuarial Department at Pacific Mutual, Dorothy Corey – President of Facts Consolidated, Topic: Careers in Statistics	<b>The Inaugural Annual Applied Statistics Workshop</b>	San Diego Area Meeting  took place on Friday, May 21, 1982, at Copper Skillet, 877 Hornblend Street in Pacific Beach, CA, Speaker: Ian Abramson, UC San Diego, Topic: Bandwidth Variation and Metric Distortion for Adaptive Density Estimates	

<b>1978 ACTIVITIES</b>
Regular Chapter Meeting at Rodger Young Center, Dr. Carl Morris, Rand Corp., spoke on “Stein’s Paradox”, January 26, 1978

<b>1977 ACTIVITIES</b>		
Regular Chapter Meeting at Rodger Young Center (936 W. Washington Blvd., Los Angeles), Dr. Frank J. Massey, Jr. (†1995), UCLA, spoke on “Power and Sample Size with the Two Binomial as an Example”, October 27, 1977	Regular Chapter Meeting at Rodger Young Center, Dr. Nancy R. Mann, Rockwell Int. Corp., spoke on “Application of Reliability Methods to Analysis of Alcoholism Failures”, December 8, 1977	Annual Christmas Party was held on December 10, 1977

## 1960 ACTIVITIES

LA Times 27 Jul. 1960, Wed.

### Sears Analyst to Address Statisticians

M. D. Plotkin, business and economic research analyst in the Chicago office of Sears, Roebuck & Co., will address the monthly dinner meeting of the Southern California chapter of the American Statistical Assn. Thursday evening.

The meeting will be held at the Mona Lisa Restaurant, 3343 Wilshire Blvd., and will include the election of officers for the 1960-61 term.

## 1957 ACTIVITIES

LA Times 20 Jan. 1957, Sun.

Dr. Vernon D. Keeler, president of Keeler & Associates, business analysts, will address a dinner meeting of the Southern California Chapter of the American Statistical Association, to be held Thursday evening at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

LA Times 18 May 1957, Sat.

## Statisticians to Hear Times Research Head

Fred C. Selzer, manager, market research department of The Los Angeles Times, will discuss the "Use of Market Research by the Times-Mirror Company" at a dinner meeting of the Southern California chapter of the American Statistical Association next Thursday at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

## 1956 ACTIVITIES

LA Times 27 May 1956, Sun.

## Statistical Group to Hear Airline Officer

J. Judson Taylor, vice-president and treasurer of Western Airlines, will discuss "Statistical Procedures In Commercial Aviation" at a dinner meeting of the Los Angeles Chapter of American Statistical Association Thursday evening, May 31, at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

## 1955 ACTIVITIES

LA Times 27 Mar. 1955, Sun.

**Statistical Group  
to Hear Psychologist**

Dr. Andrew Comrey of the department of psychology at the University of California at Los Angeles, will speak on "Factor Analysis in Psychology" at a dinner of the Los Angeles Chapter of the American Statistical Association at 6:30 p.m. next Thursday at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

LA Times 22 May 1955, Sun.

**Statistics Group  
Schedules Talks**

Gerson Levin, commodity specialist of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Beane, will speak on "Agricultural Statistics" and Dr. Arthur Tait, research director of the Riverside County school system, will discuss "Psychological Testing Procedure" at a dinner of the Los Angeles chapter of the American Statistical Association at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

LA Times 04 Dec. 1955, Sun.

## Statistics Group Will Hear Chrysler Official

Edwin N. Alderman of the administrative service division of Chrysler Motors Corp. will discuss "Statistics in the Automotive Industry" before the Los Angeles Chapter of the American Statistical Association at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

## 1954 ACTIVITIES

LA Times 25 Mar 1954, Thu

## Statisticians Will Meet and Elect April 1

I. Gershenson, chief of the Division of Labor Statistics and Research in the State Department of Industrial Relations, will speak at a dinner meeting of the Los Angeles Chapter, American Statistical Association, Thursday, April 1, at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

Officers are to be elected at the meeting, according to John C. McKee, president of the association.

Nominees include Hugh H. Brown of the California Taxpayers' Association, president; Donald A. Smith, Aerojet Corp., vice-president; John A. Scott, General Telephone Co., and Charles R. Harbst, Douglas Aircraft Co., treasurer.

## 1953 ACTIVITIES

LA Times 25 Jan. 1953, Sun.

**Banker Will Address  
Statistical Group**

Conrad C. Jamison, assistant vice-president of the Security First-National Bank, will speak to members of the American Statistical Association at 7 p.m. Wednesday at 3343 Wilshire Blvd. Jamison will talk on research activities of the bank.

LA Times 22 Feb. 1953, Sun.

**Statistical Group Will  
Hear Mathematician**

Dr. Alexander Mood, research mathematician, will address the Los Angeles Chapter of the American Statistical Association Wednesday at 7 p.m. on "Assumptions Involved in Making Statistical Tests." The meeting will be held at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

LA Times 23 Oct. 1953, Fri.

**Statisticians to Meet**

Dr. Melvin Salveson, assistant professor of production management at UCLA, will address the Los Angeles chapter of the American Statistical Association at 7 p.m. Wednesday at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

## 1952 ACTIVITIES

LA Times 04 Jan. 1952, Fri.

# Group Meeting Set for Jan. 24

The Los Angeles Chapter of the **American Statistical Association** will resume its activity here for the coming year and members are invited to the opening meeting, scheduled for Jan. 24 at the University of California at Los Angeles.

The program will include inspection of electrical computing machines. The organization is open to all persons interested in **statistical** methods and their application.

LA Times 27 Feb. 1952, Wed.

# Statisticians to Talk

How statistics are used in connection with law enforcement and police investigation will be explained to the **American Statistical Association, Los Angeles Chapter**, at 8:30 p.m. tomorrow in Room 62 of the City Hall.

LA Times 11 Jun. 1952, Wed.

**Statisticians Convene**  
 Dr. George Brown, visiting professor of mathematics and engineering at the University of California at Los Angeles, will address the Los Angeles chapter of the American Statistical Association at 7 p.m. today at 3343 Wilshire Blvd.

## 1944 ACTIVITIES

LA Times 07 Dec. 1944, Thu.

**Postwar Idle Here May Reach 300,000**  
 Members of the Los Angeles chapter of the American Statistical Association last night heard Dr. Philip Neff of the Haynes Foundation predict a net unemployment of 200,000 to 300,000 workers in the Los Angeles area immediately after the war. He explained, however, that despite cyclical changes, there will be no unemployment and population will rise again here five years after war ends.

## 1925 ACTIVITIES

LA Times 15 May 1925 Fri.

**SOCIETY OF RESEARCH IS FORMED**  
*Statistical Organization in Los Angeles Only One of Kind in Country*

A number of Los Angeles men interested in professional statistical work have formed the Los Angeles Chapter of the American Statistical Association, the only organization of its kind in the United States.

The objects of the chapter will be to collect, preserve and diffuse statistical information and to analyze and study scientific statistical methods and theory in the different departments of human knowledge. All members of the local chapter must satisfy the board of directors that they are qualified to contribute to this study and analysis.

At a recent meeting, when this chapter was organized, the following were taken in as charter members: J. R. Douglas, E. H. Tucker, E. F. Fader, W. M. Holmes, J. R. Riggleman, Charles E. Berry, W. F. French, Harold Craig, A. Cromwell, J. L. Niceley, P. L. Barbour, Dudley Hayes, George G. Ellis, George J. Eberle, Arnold J. Gies, Fred C. Knoles, Arnold T. Anderson and Thurston H. Ross.

The following were elected as officers of the chapter: President, John R. Douglas, assistant vice-president and manager of the department of research and service, Security Trust and Savings Bank; vice-president, E. H. Tucker of Blair & Co.; secretary, George J. Eberle of Eberle & Riggleman; treasurer, Harold Craig, manager of the research department of the First National Bank; editor, Dudley Hayes of the department of research and service, Security Trust and Savings Bank; counselors, John R. Riggleman of Eberle & Riggleman; George G. Ellis, director of research, Merchants' National Bank.