# Mary Ryan Baumann

# Curriculum Vitae

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#### **Assistant Professor**

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## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Clinical trials, pragmatic clinical trials, cluster randomized trials, correlated data, group sequential design, epidemiology of Alzheimer's disease, Alzheimer's disease biomarker discovery

## **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. (Statistics)

University of California, Irvine

Dissertation: Robustness and Efficiency in Modern Biostatistical Studies

Advisor: Daniel L. Gillen, Professor and Chair of Statistics

2019 M.S. (Statistics)

University of California, Irvine

2016 B.A. (Statistics); B.J. (Journalism)

Minor, Mathematics

University of Missouri, Columbia

## **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

2023 - present	Assistant Professor  Department of Population Health Sciences  University of Wisconsin-Madison (Madison, WI)
2023 - present	Assistant Professor  Department of Biostatistics and Medical Informatics University of Wisconsin-Madison (Madison, WI)
2021 - 2023	Postdoctoral Associate Department of Biostatistics Yale School of Publich Health (New Haven, CT)
2017 - 2021	Graduate Research Assistant Department of Statistics University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)
2014 - 2016	<b>Undergraduate Research Assistant</b> Department of Statistics

University of Missouri (Columbia, MO)

# **COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH AFFILIATIONS & APPOINTMENTS**

2023 - present	Center for Demography and Healthy Aging University of Wisconsin-Madison (Madison, WI)
2017 - present	Gillen/Grill Alzheimer's Disease Research Lab University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)
2021 - 2023	Yale Center for Analytical Sciences Yale School of Public Health (New Haven, CT)
2014 - 2021	<b>Data Management and Statistics Core</b> Alzheimer's Disease Research Center University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)

# REFEREED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

"\*" indicates mentored graduate student

- 15. **Baumann Ryan, M.**, Esserman, D., Taljaard, M., Li, F. "Power calculation for cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints." *Biometrics*. (Provisionally accepted May 2025). Preprint available on arXiv: https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2312.13097
- 14. Dolmadjian, L.\*, **Ryan Baumann, M.**, Gillen, D.L., Grill, J.D. (2025). "Impact of Study Partner Replacement in Mild Cognitive Impairment Clinical Trials." *Alzheimer's & Dementia: Translational Research & Clinical Interventions*. http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/trc2.70063.
- 13. Tong, G., Nevins, P., **Ryan, M.M.**, Davis-Plourde, K., Ouyang, Y., Jules Pereira Macedo, J., Meng, C., Wang, X., Caille, A., Li, F., Taljaard, M. (2024). "A review of current practice in the design and analysis of extremely small stepped-wedge cluster randomized trials." *Clinical Trials*. https://doi.org/10.1177/17407745241276137.
- 12. Liu, R.\*, Esserman, D., Li, F., **Ryan, M.M.** (2024). "Group sequential two-stage randomized preference trial designs." *Statistics in Medicine*. http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/sim.9962. Preprint available on arXiv: https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2310.11603
- 11. Nevins, P., **Ryan, M.M.**, Davis-Plourde, K., Ouyang, Y., Pereira Macedo, J., Meng, C., Tong, G., Wang, X., Ortiz-Reyes, L., Caille, A., Li, F., Taljaard, M. (2023). "Adherence to key recommendations for design and analysis of Stepped-Wedge Cluster Randomized Trials: A Review of trials published 2016-2022." *Clinical Trials*. https://doi.org/10.1177/17407745231208397
- 10. **Ryan, M.M.**, Esserman, D., Li, F. (2023). "Maximin optimal cluster randomized designs for assessing treatment effect heterogeneity." *Statistics in Medicine*. http://doi.org/10.1002/sim.9830. Preprint available on arXiv: https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2302.09138
- 9. Meng, C., **Ryan, M.M.**, Rathouz, P.J., Turner, E.L., Preisser, J.S., Li, F. (2023). "ORTH.Ord: an R package for analyzing correlated ordinal outcome using GEE with orthogonalized residuals and small-sample bias correction." *Computer Methods and Programs in Biomedicine*. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cmpb.2023.107567

8. Nevins, P., Davis-Plourde, K., Pereira Macedo, J., Ouyang, Y., Meng, C., **Ryan, M. M.**, Tong, G., Wang, X., Ortiz Reyes, L.A., Caille, A., Li, F. and Taljaard, M. (2023). "A scoping review described diversity in methods of randomization and reporting of base-line balance in stepped-wedge cluster randomized trials." *Journal of Clinical Epidemiology*. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jclinepi.2023.03.010

- 7. **Ryan, M.M.**, Gillen, D.L. (2023) "Sequential Sampling in Prospective Observational Studies." *Annals of Applied Statistics*. https://doi.org/10.1214/22-AOAS1620
- Ryan, M.M., Gillen, D.L., Grill, J.D. (2021). "Reasons for Undergoing Amyloid Imaging Among Cognitively Unimpaired Older Adults with Elevated and Not Elevated Amyloid." Annals of Clinical and Translational Neurology. https://doi.org/10.1002/acn3.51414
- 5. **Ryan, M.M.**, Cox, C.G., Witbracht, M., Hoang, D., Gillen, D.L., Grill, J.D. (2020). "Using Direct-to-Consumer Genetic Testing Results to Accelerate Alzheimer's Disease Clinical Trial Recruitment." *Alzheimer Disease & Associated Disorders*. https://doi.org/10.1097/wad.000000000000421
- 4. Cox, C.G., **Ryan, M.M.**, Gillen, D.L., Grill, J.D. (2020). "Is reluctance to share Alzheimer's disease biomarker status with a study partner a barrier to preclinical trial recruitment?" *The Journal of Prevention of Alzheimer's Disease*. dx.doi.org/10.14283/jpad.2020.36
- 3. **Ryan, M.M.**, Spotnitz, W.D., Gillen, D.L. (2020). "Variance estimation for the Kappa statistic in the presence of clustered data and heterogeneous observations." *Statistics in Medicine*. https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.8522
- 2. **Ryan, M.M.**, Grill, J.D., Gillen, D.L. (2019). "Participant and Study Partner Prediction and Identification of Cognitive Impairment in Preclinical Alzheimer's Disease: Study Partner vs. Participant Accuracy." *Alzheimer's Research & Therapy.* https://doi.org/10.1186/s13195-019-0539-3
- 1. Cox, C.G., **Ryan**, **M.M.**, Gillen, D.L., Grill, J.D. (2019). "A preliminary study of clinical trial enrollment decisions among people with Mild Cognitive Impairment and their study partners." *The American Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jagp.2018.10.016

## MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW/IN PROGRESS

- 2. Afshar, M., Resnik, F., **Ryan Baumann, M.**, ..., Gordon, J. "A Novel Playbook for Pragmatic Trial Operations to Monitor and Evaluate Ambient Artificial Intelligence in Clinical Practice." (Resubmitted April 2025). medRxiv preprint: https://doi.org/10.1101/2024. 12.27.24319685
- 1. **Ryan Baumann, M.**, Taljaard, M., Heagerty, P.J., Harhay, M.O., Wang, R., Li, F. "A tutorial on conducting sample size and power calculation for detecting treatment effect heterogeneity in cluster randomized trials." (Resubmitted March 2025). arXiv preprint: https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2501.18383

# SELECTED PRESENTATIONS, POSTERS, & SHORT COURSES

INVITED	PRESENTAT	IONS	ì
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April 2025 54. Clinical Trials Community of Practice, University of Wisconsin - Madison (Madison, WI; Virtual). Presentation. "Pragmatic Clinical Trials: What, Why, and How" March 2025 53. Eastern North American Region International Biometric Society (ENAR) Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA). Presentation. "Combatting ICC uncertainty with maximin optimal cluster randomized designs" 52. University of Southern California, Division of Biostatistics (Virtual). February 2025 Seminar. "Cluster randomized and stepped-wedge trials: design issues and tools" January 2025 51. Kaiser Permanente Washington Health Research Institute (Virtual). Seminar. "Cluster randomized and stepped-wedge trials: design issues and tools" 50. International Conference on Health Policy Statistics (San Diego, CA). Presentation. "Designing cluster randomized trials to detect treatment effect heterogeneity" 49. NIH Collaboratory Biostatistics Core Meeting, National Institutes of September 2024 Health (Virtual). Presentation. "A web application for planning cluster randomized trials to detect treatment effect heterogeneity" 48. Western North American Region International Biometric Society June 2024 (WNAR) Annual Meeting (Fort Collins, CO). Presentation. "Combatting ICC uncertainty with maximin optimal cluster randomized designs" 47. Department of Statistics, University of Wisconsin - Madison (Madison, April 2024 WI). Seminar. "Powering cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials for a time-to-event endpoints" 46. StatShare Group, University of Wisconsin - Madison (Madison, WI; Virtual). Presentation. "The current landscape of stepped-wedge randomized trials" 45. Pennsylvania State University, Division of Biostatistics & Bioinformat-February 2024 als: a statistical perspective" October 2023 44. Being Significant: 60 Years of Mizzou Statistics (Columbia, MO). Pre-

ics Student-Led Seminar Series (Virtual). Seminar. "Pragmatic cluster tri-

senation on "Power calculation for cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"

September 2023

- 43. 2023 Orange County Biostatistics Symposium (Irvine, CA). Presenation on "Sequential Sampling in Prospective Observational Studies"
- 42. Department of Population Health Sciences, University of Wisconsin-Madison Seminar Series (Madison, WI). Seminar. "Sequential Sampling in Prospective Observational Studies"

March 2023

41. Department of Mathematics & Statistics, University of Massachusetts Amherst (Amherst, MA). Seminar. "Maximin optimal cluster randomized designs for assessing treatment effect heterogeneity"

40. **Department of Biostatistics, Epidemiology and Informatics, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine** (Philadelphia, PA). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"

Feburary 2023

39. **Department of Biostatistics, University of Florida** (Gainesville, FL). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"

January 2023

- 38. Departments of Population Health Sciences and Biostatistics & Medical Informatics, University of Wisconsin-Madison (Madison, WI). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"
- 37. **Department of Epidemiology & Biostatistics, University of South Carolina** (Columbia, SC). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"
- 36. **Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey** (Virtual). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"
- 35. **Department of Biostatistics, University of Washington** (Virtual). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"
- 34. **Department of Epidemiology & Biostatistics, Michigan State University** (Virtual). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"
- 33. Department of Biostatistics & Health Data Science, Indiana University School of Medicine (Indianapolis, IN). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"
- 32. **Department of Biostatistics & Informatics, Colorado School of Public Health** (Virtual). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"
- 31. **Department of Biostatistics & Data Science, Wake Forest University** (Virtual). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"

November 2022

30. **Department of Mathematics & Statistics, University of Otago** (Virtual). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"

29. **Department of Epidemiology & Biostatistics, Temple University** (Philadelphia, PA). Seminar. "Design & analysis of cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"

April 2021

28. **ASQ Silicon Valley Section's Statistics & Reliability Discussion Group** (Virtual). Presentation on "Variance Estimation for the Kappa Statistic in the Presence of Clustered Data and Heterogeneous Observations"

February 2021

- 27. Department of Family Medicine, Oregon Health & Science University (Virtual). Seminar. "Sequential Sampling in Prospective Observational Studies"
- 26. Department of Global & Community Health, George Mason University (Virtual). Seminar. "Sequential Sampling in Prospective Observational Studies"
- 25. **Department of Biostatistics, Wake Forest University** (Virtual). Seminar. "Sequential Sampling in Prospective Observational Studies"
- 24. **Division of Biostatistics, University of Minnesota** (Virtual). Seminar. "Sequential Sampling in Prospective Observational Studies"

January 2021

- 23. **Department of Mathematics & Statistics, Wake Forest University** (Virtual). Seminar. "Sequential Sampling in Prospective Observational Studies"
- 22. American Statistical Association Biopharmaceutical Section Webinar (Virtual). Seminar. "Variance Estimation for the Kappa Statistic in the Presence of Clustered Data and Heterogeneous Observations"
- 21. Department of Biostatistics, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital (Virtual). Seminar. "On Confounding, Efficiency, & Prospective Observational Study Design"

December 2020

20. **Department of Biostatistics, Vanderbilt University** (Virtual). Seminar. "On Confounding, Efficiency, & Prospective Observational Study Design"

November 2020

19. **Orange County Biostatistics Symposium** (Virtual). Seminar. "Variance Estimation for the Kappa Statistic in the Presence of Clustered Data and Heterogeneous Observations"

#### CONTRIBUTED PRESENTATIONS

August 2024

18. **Joint Statistical Meetings (JSM)** (Portland, OR). Presentation. "Comparing cross-sectional stepped-wedge and cluster randomized trials with time-to-event endpoints"

May 2023

17. **Society for Clinical Trials** (Baltimore, MD). Presenation on "Power calculation for cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with a time-to-event endpoint"

March 2023

16. Eastern North American Region International Biometric Society (ENAR) Annual Meeting (Nashville, TN). Presentation on "Power calculation for cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with a time-to-event endpoint"

November 2022 15. Current Development in Cluster Randomised Trials and Stepped Wedge Designs (Virtual/London, UK). Presenation on "Power calculation for cross-sectional stepped wedge cluster randomized trials with a time-to-event endpoint" August 2022 14. Joint Statistical Meetings (JSM) (Washington, D.C.). Presenation on "Maximin Optimal Cluster Randomized Designs for Assessing Treatment Effect Heterogeneity" May 2022 13. Society for Clinical Trials (San Diego, CA). Presentaion on "Maximin Optimal Cluster Randomized Designs Accounting for Treatment Effect Heterogeneity" July 2019 12. **Joint Statistical Meetings (JSM)** (Denver, CO). Presentation on "An Extension of Cohen's Kappa for Clustered Data and Group Sequential Testing" \* Received JSM Contributed Presentation Honorable Mention Award from ASA Biopharmaceutical Section 11. Western North American Region International Biometric Society (WNAR) Annual Meeting (Portland, OR). Presentaion on "An Investigation of the Kappa Statistic Under Clustered Data and Group Sequential Testing, with an Application to Surgical Rating" **POSTERS** 10. Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias Research Day (Madison, April 2025 WI). Poster. "Accelerated Phenotypical Aging in Midlife is Associated with Long-Term Cognitive Decline in Middle-Aged Adults" November 2023 Clinical Trials in Alzheimer's Disease (CTAD) (Boston, MA). Poster. "Impact of study partner type on primary endpoint volatility in two phase 3 registration trials of mild-to-moderate Alzheimer's disease" July 2022 Alzheimer's Association International Conference (AAIC) (Virtual/San Diego, CA). Poster. "Impact of Study Partner Type on Primary Endpoint Volatility in a Phase 3 Registration Trial of Mild-to-Moderate Alzheimer's Disease" November 2021 Clinical Trials on Alzheimer's Disease (CTAD) (Virtual). Poster. "Perceptions of Amyloid Imaging Among Cognitively Normal Older Adults with Elevated and Not Elevated Amyloid" December 2019 Clinical Trials on Alzheimer's Disease (CTAD) (San Diego, CA). Poster. "Using Direct-to-Consumer Genetic Testing Results in Alzheimer's Disease

July 2019

5. **Alzheimer's Association International Conference (AAIC)** (Los Angeles, CA). Poster. "Participant and Study Partner Prediction and Identification of Cognitive Impairment in Preclinical Alzheimer's Disease: Study Partner vs. Participant Accuracy"

March 2018 4. **REMIND Emerging Scientists Symposium** (Irvine, CA). Poster. "Scientific Necessity of Study Partners in Preclinical Alzheimer's Disease Trials"

Clinical Trial Recruitment"

#### SHORT COURSES & WORKSHOPS

March 2019 3. **Computer-Assisted Reporting Conference** (Newport Beach, CA). Workshop on "R: Models for Clustered and Correlated Data"

2. **Computer-Assisted Reporting Conference** (Newport Beach, CA). Workshop on "Building Graphics in R"

March 2018

1. **Computer-Assisted Reporting Conference** (Chicago, IL). Workshop on "R: Machine Learning and Data Models"

# **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Fall 2024 \*Faculty Instructor, Advanced Reggression for Population Health

(Face-to-Face)

75 minute, twice weekly lecture; 12 graduate and medical students

Department of Population Health Sciences

University of Wisconsin - Madison (Madison, WI)

Summer 2020 \*Instructor of Record, Basic Statistics (Virtual)

*3-hour, twice weekly lecture; approx. 80 undergraduate students* 

Department of Statistics

University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)

Winter 2020 **Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Biological Statistics** (Face-to-Face)

Two, 1-hour weekly lab sections; approx. 35 undergraduate students each

Department of Statistics

University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)

Fall 2019 Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Probability & Statistics for Com-

puter Science (Face-to-Face)

Two, 1-hour weekly lab sections; approx. 50 undergraduate students each

Department of Statistics

University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)

Summer 2017 \*Instructor of Record, Introduction to Biological Statistics (Face-to-

Face)

1.5-hour, thrice weekly lecture; approx. 36 undergraduate students

Department of Statistics

University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)

Spring 2016 Teaching Assistant, Advanced Data Journalism (Face-to-Face)

Missouri School of Journalism

University of Missouri (Columbia, MO)

#### **ACADEMIC AWARDS & HONORS**

2025 Outstanding Instructor Award

Department of Population Health Sciences, University of Wisconsin-Madison

2021 Carl W. Cotman Predoctoral Scholar Award

	University of California, Irvine
2020	Nominee to the 70 <sup>th</sup> Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting University of California System
2020	Division of Teaching Excellence & Innovation Summer Fellow University of California, Irvine
2019 - 2020	UCI Public Impact Fellow University of California, Irvine
2019	Honorable Mention: JSM Biopharmaceutical Section Contributed Presentation Award American Statistical Association, Biopharmaceutical Section
2017 - 2019	MIND Aging Fellow University of California, Irvine Institute for Memory Impairments and Neurological Disorders
2016	University Honors University of Missouri
2015	Excellence in Undergraduate Research Award University of Missouri
2013 - 2016	Albert Winemiller Scholar Department of Statistics, University of Missouri

# PEER REVIEW ACTIVITIES

2025 - present	BMJ Open
	Annals of Applied Statistics
2024 - present	Journal of the National Cancer Institute Monographs
	Environmental Health Perspectives
	Alzheimer's & Dementia
2023 - present	Nature Communications
	Communications in Statistics - Theory and Methods
	Alzheimer's Research & Therapy
2022 - present	Statistics in Medicine
	Statistics in Biopharmaceutical Research
	Clinical Trials

# **SERVICE TO PROFESSION**

# COMMITTEE SERVICE

2025 - present	Associate Editor (Equity, Inclusion, & Diversity)  Journal for Statistics and Data Science Education
2024	Co-Chair, Students & Young Professional Committee Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (JEDI) Outreach Group
2023 - present	Editorial Board Member Significance Magazine
2022 - present	Social Media Manager, Instagram Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (JEDI) Outreach Group
2022 - present	Organizing Committee Member COPSS-NISS Leadership Webinar Series

# CONFERENCE SERVICE

August 2024	Topic Contributed Session Chair Joint Statistical Meetings (Portland, OR)
June 2024	Invited Session Co-Organizer Western North American Region International Biometric Society Annual Meeting (Fort Collins, CO)
May 2023	Contributed Session Moderator Society for Clinical Trials (Baltimore, MD)
August 2022	Topic Contributed Session Chair Joint Statistical Meetings (Washington, D.C.)

# **INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE**

2023 - present	<b>Population Health Sciences Senator Alternate</b> , University of Wisconsin - Madison Faculty Senate University of Wisconsin-Madison (Madison, WI)
2023 - present	<b>Member</b> , Department of Population Health Sciences Curriculum Committee University of Wisconsin-Madison (Madison, WI)
2020 - 2021	<b>Student Representative</b> , Department of Statistics Seminar Committee University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)
2019 - 2021	<b>Department of Statistics Student Representative</b> , Diverse Educational Community and Doctoral Experience (DECADE) University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)
2019 - 2021	<b>Organizer</b> , Department of Statistics NSF GRFP Application Repository University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)

Co-Chair, Research and Education in Memory Impairments and Neurological Disorders (REMIND)
 University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)

 2017 - 2018 Student Representative & Liason, Department of Statistics

University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)

## **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & OUTREACH**

July - Aug Statistics & R Instructor for YCAS Young Scholars in Biostatistics Program (New Haven, CT)
 July 2022 Guest Lecturer on the topic "Introduction to Data Science". YCAS Young Scholars in Biostatistics Program (New Haven, CT)
 July 2022 Workshop Instructor for the class "STEM Meets Storytelling: Using Data Science to Tell Stories about Our Communities". Pathways to Science Summer Scholars (New Haven, CT)
 March 2022 Guest Lecturer on the topic "Data and Me: What is Biostatistics and How Do We Use It?". Exploring Science Seminar Series (New Haven, CT)

## PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (JEDI) Outreach Group, Member 2022 - present Society for Clinical Trials, Member 2022 - present 2021 - present Eastern North American Region of the International Biometrics Society (ENAR), Member Caucus for Women in Statistics, Member 2020 - present ISTAART, Alzheimer's Association, Member 2019 - present 2018 - present American Statistical Association, Member Western North American Region of the International Biometrics Society 2019 - 2021 (WNAR), Member

#### STATISTICAL & PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

R Python SAS SQL HTML/CSS