Current position: Associate Professor of Biostatistics, OHSU-PSU School of Public Health and Knight Cancer Institute, Oregon Health & Science University

Research interests: Risk prediction, omics data analysis, oncology and cardiovascular disease applications

Previous WNAR involvement and relevant experience:
WNAR Communications Officer & IBS Regional Social Media Liaison 2019-present
• WNAR newsletter development
• Social media communications
WNAR Student Paper Award Committee chair 2018, 2019 and member 2020
• Led the development of award judging protocol documentation and guidelines
WNAR Regional Advisory Board member 2018-2020

Statement:

I have enjoyed being involved in WNAR the last few years as the first WNAR Communications Officer writing newsletters and social media announcements, and through the RAB and Student Paper Awards. Through this experience I have become familiar with WNAR operations and communications. As WNAR Secretary, I would be happy to serve in new ways through keeping records of WNAR meetings and activities, increasing member engagement, and working with leadership to grow and improve the outreach of WNAR to students and statisticians across the western region with a diversity of backgrounds and specialties.