

**University of Texas Health Sciences Center
Curriculum Vitae**

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Education

	Years	Degree/Date	Field of Study
Dartmouth College	1995-99	A.B., June 1999	Mathematics, Biology
Columbia University	2000-02	M.S., June 2002	Biostatistics
Harvard University	2002-07	Ph.D., June 2007	Biostatistics

Faculty Appointments

Years	Rank	Institution	Department
2007-2011	Assistant Professor	MUSC	Biostatistics and Epidemiology
2012	Associate Professor	MUSC	Biostatistics and Epidemiology
2012-2019	Associate Professor (with Tenure)	UTSPH	Biostatistics and Data Science
2019-present	Professor	UTSPH	Biostatistics and Data Science

Other Experience

Years	Position	Institution	Department
1999-2000	Research Fellow	Centers for Disease Control	Immunology & Infectious Diseases
2000-2002	Research Assistant	Columbia University	Pathology, Epidemiology
2002-2006	Teaching Assistant	Harvard University	Biostatistics
2005-2006	Consultant	Brigham and Women's Hospital	Anesthesiology, Perioperative, & Pain Med
Aug 2008, 2011	Visiting Biostatistician	Karolinska Institute	Epidemiology
2011-2012	Visiting Biostatistician	Cambridge University	MRC Biostatistics Unit

Membership in Professional/Scientific Societies, Current or Former

American Statistical Association
International Biometrics Society (ENAR)
American Statistical Association (Texas Chapter)
American Public Health Association
American Heart Association
College of Problems on Drug Dependence

Journal Editorial Service

Statistical Editor, Circulation (September 2018 - present)
Associate Editor, Statistics in Medicine (January 2018 - present)
Statistical Editor, Journal of the American Heart Association (June 2020-present)

Journal Referee Statistics in Medicine, Biometrics, Biostatistics, Journal of the Royal Statistical Society Series A, Journal of the Royal Statistical Society Series C, Statistics and Computing, Statistical Methods in Medical Research, Journal of Applied Statistics, Statistica Neerlandica, Biometrical Journal, Journal of Agricultural, Biological, and Environmental Statistics, Health Services and Outcomes Research, Medical Decision Making, American Journal of Epidemiology, Journal of Clinical Epidemiology, British Medical Journal, British Medical Journal Open, Circulation, American Journal on Addictions, Drug and Alcohol Dependence, American Journal of Drug and Alcohol Abuse, PLOS One, etc.

NIH Service

NIH/NIMH ALACRITY Review Panel, Study Section Oct 9, 2024

NIH Study Section Member Analytics and Statistics for Population Research panel A (ASPA) study section
Epidemiology and Population Health branch Division of AIDS, Behavioral and Population Sciences (July 2022-Feb 2024)

NIH Biomedical Research Design (BMRD) Study Section, Invited Study Section Member (July 2022 – Name change per above)

NIH Biomedical Research Design (BMRD) Study Section, Statistical Reviewer (October 2021)

NIH/NIMH Mental Health Services Statistical Reviewer (October 2021)

NIH Biomedical Research Design (BMRD) Study Section, Statistical Reviewer (February 2021)

NIH Biomedical Research Design (BMRD) Study Section, Statistical Reviewer (October 2019)

NIH/NIMH Practice-Based Research Network to Transform Mental Health Care Peer Review (July 2019)

NIH/NIMH Mental Health Services Research Committee (SERV) Peer Review (June 2019)

NIH/NIMH Confirmatory Efficacy and Interventions Special Emphasis Panel, 3 services (October 2016-January 2019)

NIH/NIMH Faculty Member, Research Career Institute in Mental Health of Aging (CIMA) (July 2017)

NIH/NHBLI Clinical and Integrative Cardiovascular Sciences Study Section, Statistical Reviewer (February 2017)

President, Houston Chapter of the American Statistical Association (2015-2016)

NIH Biomedical Research Design (BMRD) Study Section, Statistical Reviewer (June 2016)

NIH/NHBLI Clinical and Integrative Cardiovascular Sciences Study Section, Statistical Reviewer (January 2016)

NIH/NIMH Study Section member, Interventions Committee for Adult Disorders, 9 services (2012-2015).

NIH/NIAAA Clinical, Treatment, and Health Services Review Meeting, Statistical Reviewer (February 2014).

NIH/NIMH Faculty member, Summer Research Institute in Geriatric Mental Health, Cornell University (July 2011-2017).

NIH/ORP Healthcare Delivery and Methodologies Integrated Review Group, Statistical Reviewer (September 2011).

Data Safety and Monitoring Boards/Committees

Statistician, Data Safety and Monitoring Committee, “Non-Invasive Monitoring of Traumatic Brain Injury Progression using the Infrascanner 1 (MOBI-1).” PI: Jan Jansen (2022-), Department of Defense.

Statistician, Data Safety and Monitoring Committee, “A Pilot Randomized Clinical Trial of the Xstat Hemostatic Device in the PreHospital Setting (PhoXSTAT).” PI: Jan Jansen (2022-), Department of Defense.

Statistician, Data Safety and Monitoring Committee, “Video-based Intervention to Reduce Treatment and Outcome Disparities in Adults Living with Stroke or Transient Ischemic Attack (VIRTUAL).”, PI: Sharrief (2022-2027), NIH/NINDS.

Statistician, Data Safety and Monitoring Committee, “Cognitive Remediation Delivered Via Mobile Technology Randomized Controlled Trial”, PI: Gunning (2016-2018), NIH/NIMH.

Statistician, Data Safety and Monitoring Board, “A Randomized, Double Blind, Placebo Controlled Study of Omega Fatty Acid Supplementation in Autism”, PI: Laura Carpenter (2009-2010), NIH.

Statistical Reviewer, Hollings Cancer Center Internal Awards, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC (2008).

Conference Organization and Contribution to the Statistical Community

American Public Health Association (APHA) 2021 Session Organizer, “Epidemiology Special Section: Understanding the Human Antibody Response to SARS-CoV-2 in Diverse Populations: The Texas Coronavirus Antibody Response Survey (CARES): Oct 25, 2021, Denver, CO.

International Society for Clinical Biostatistics (ISBC 2021) Conference Organizing Committee and Session Organizer, July 19-22, 2021 Lyon, France.

American Statistical Association Committee on Minorities in Statistics “Stat Fest” co-host, University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, School of Public Health, Houston, TX, September 21, 2019.

Conference on Big Data and Information Analytics, Session Organizer, “Propensity scoring methods for big data sets,” December 17, 2018, Houston TX.

Southern Regional Council on Statistics, Session Organizer, “Semiparametric Inferences in Penalized Splines and Missing Data,” June, 2008, Charleston, SC.

Current Research Grants:

NIH/NHLBI 1 U24 HL157310-01A1 (Role: PI 40%) Trauma Resuscitation with Group O Whole Blood or Products (TROOP)	8/10/2022-7/31/2027
HT9425-23-S-BAA1 USAMMRAA (Role: Subcontract PI 5%) BioTROOP Study: A multiomic bioanalysis of Trauma Resuscitation with Group O Whole Blood or Products (TROOP)	1/01/2024-12/31/2027
HHS00086660001 (Role: DCC MPI, 20%) Texas Coronavirus Antibody Response Surveillance	8/07/2020 - 8/31/2022 \$7,645,231
R61NS113316 (PI: Prossin, Role: Co-I 10-15%) NIH/NIDA (Phase II of the study is expected to be 8/1/2022-7/31/2024) Discovery and analytical validation of inflammatory bio-signatures of the human pain experience	9/01/2019-7/31/2024 \$3,000,000
R21DE031440-01A1 (PI: CT Lee, Role: Co-I 2.5%) NIH The impact of race/ethnicity on inflammation regulation and microbiome interactions in periodontitis	09/01/2022-08/31/2024 \$454,028

Completed Research Grants as Principal Investigator:

T32 GM074902 Predoctoral Training Grant (PI: DeSantis) NIH/NIGMS Predoctoral Training Grant in Biostatistics	7/01/2016-09/30/2019 \$139,691
R21MH110110 with competitive suppl. (PI: DeSantis, 40%) NIH/NIMH Aiding Clinical Decision-Making Using Multivariate Network Meta-Analysis (<i>Competitive Supplement awarded, \$46,200, extension granted to 11/30/2019, 37.5%</i>)	12/6/2016-12/05/2018 \$432,000
American Statistical Association (PI: DeSantis) Biometrics Division	1/01/2017-12/31/2018 \$5,000

Developing the Next Generation of Biostatisticians
(Grant awarded to facilitate recruitment of Texas minorities into Biostatistics)

R03 AA020648 NIH/NIAAA (PI: DeSantis, 30%) Robust Transition Models for the Analysis of Longitudinal Drinking Outcomes <i>(No cost extension)</i>	8/01/2011-7/30/2013 \$147,000
L30 DA027346 NIH/NIDA Biostatistical Applications in Substance Use Research (Loan Repayment Award)	8/01/2009-7/31/2011 \$35,000
American Statistical Association Biometrics Division Developing the Next Generation of Biostatisticians	12/01/2008-11/01/2009 \$3,000

Completed Research Grants as Co-Investigator:

Harvard/Cure Alzheimer's Fund (Role: Subcontract PI 15-20%) Analytical and statistical tools for sequence analysis for Alzheimer's Disease (subcontracted from Harvard TH Chan School of Public Health)	9/01/2019-01/14/2022
Dept of Defense (PI: Yamal, Role: Co-I 10%) W81XWH2010770 Leveraging FITBIR Data to Improve Clinical Practice of Severe TBI	9/01/1020-02/28/2022 \$748,708
U34 (PI:Jansen, Role: co-I, 9%) NIH/NHLBI Trauma Resuscitation with Group O Whole Blood or Products (TROOP) Trial	8/1/2019-7/31/2020 \$120,377
Prytime Medical Devices, Inc (subcontract PI: DeSantis, 35%) Emergent Truncal Hemorrhage Control Study	6/01/2017-12/31/2019 \$226,928
W81XWH14-1-0112 Department of Defense (Subcontract PI: DeSantis 10%) USAMRAA Hemorrhage Control for Major Traumatic Vascular Injuries	9/15/2014-12/31/2018 \$1,991,317
U01HL77863 (Holcomb, Role: Co-I 40%) NIH/NHLBI Prehospital Resuscitation on Helicopter Study The objective of this study is to compare the effectiveness of two different existing prehospital resuscitation approaches in severely injured trauma patients transported by air ambulance in a pragmatic, multicenter, prospective observational study.	1/16/2015-12/31/2018
U24MD006941 (Tilley, Role: Co-I 20%) NIH/NIMHD A Randomized Recruitment Intervention This is a randomized trial of an intervention to increase racial and ethnic diversity in clinical trials of low prevalence conditions.	9/20/2011-06/30/2018
CIPRIT Cancer Prevention Research of Texas (Xu, Role: Co-I 5%) Repurposing Existing Drugs for Cancer Treatment using Electronic Health Records.	11/1/2013-10/31/2015
NASA/National Space Biomedical Research Institute (Bershad, Role: Co-I 12%) The Suitability of the Vittamed Two-Depth Transcranial Doppler for the Non-Invasive Assessment of Intracranial Pressure in Astronauts Before and After Spaceflight	4/1/2013-3/31/2015
U01HL77863	10/1/2010 – 9/30/2015

NIH/NHLBI (Tilley, *Role: Co-I 20%*)

Prospective, Randomized Optimal Platelets & Plasma Ratios

The Center oversees the design, data management, analysis, and reporting including reporting to the Data and Safety monitoring committee and publications for a multi-site randomized trial of blood products for patients presenting to emergency departments in need of massive transfusions.

Completed Research Grants as Co-Investigator (more than 5 years ago):

1 R01 HL095608 (Spinale) 1/15/2010 – 12/31/2013
NIH/NHLBI \$262,881

Myocardial Protection and Matrix Proteases

This study is focused upon the use of a large animal model of post-myocardial infarction (MI) in order to examine the potential role of targeted MMPs and TIMPs in the process of post-MI remodeling.

5U01NS059041 (Palesch) 8/01/2010-7/31/2012
NIH/NINDS

Neurological Emergencies Treatment Trials Network and Statistical Data Management

P50 DA016511 (PI: Brady) 9/30/2007-6/30/2012
NIH/NIAMS \$596,417

Specialized Center of Research (SCOR) on Sex and Gender Factors Affecting Women's Health

This center grant is funded through a partnership between ORWH and NIH to develop and conduct innovative, interdisciplinary and collaborative research investigating substance use disorders among women.

1 K12 HD055885-02 (PI: Brady) 9/28/2007-7/31/2012
NIH/NICHD \$459,990

Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (BIRCWH)

The overall objective of the program is to promote the performance of research in women's health by bridging advanced training with research independence. A major aim is to attract clinical, basic, behavioral and biostatistical scientists to broaden interdisciplinary research related to women's health in South Carolina and throughout the U.S.

1 R01 DA023188-02 (PI: Brady) 6/01/2008-5/31/2012
NIH/NIDA \$250,000

D-Cycloserine Facilitation of Cocaine-Cue Extinction

The purpose of this proof of concept study is to explore the application to addictions of an innovative treatment approach which has shown promise in the treatment of anxiety disorders.

1 R25 DA020537-04 (PI: Brady) 5/26/2006-4/30/2011
NIH/NIDA \$256,346

Drug Abuse Research Training (DART) Program

The DART program is designed to attract, train, and advance physicians' careers as independent investigators in patient-oriented drug abuse research.

1 R01 DA026777-01 (PI: Gray) 8/01/2009-7/31/2011
NIH/NIDA \$250,000

A Controlled Trial of N-Acetylcysteine (NAC) in Cannabis Dependent Adolescents

The purpose of this project is to examine the efficacy of NAC, in combination with contingency management, for treatment of cannabis dependence in adolescents.

RC1 AA019019 (PI: Saladin) 9/30/2009 – 8/31/2011
NIH/NIAAA \$282,687

Treatment Implications of Trauma Memory Modulation for PTSD & Alcohol Dependence

The goal is to employ an established cue reactivity/exposure methodology to assess the therapeutic potential of an untested and potentially promising adjunctive pharmacotherapy for one of the most prevalent and intractable mental health comorbidities, PTSD and alcohol dependence.

1 R01DA026782-01 (PI: McRae) 8/15/2009-1/31/2011

NIH/NIDA \$234,220
Buspirone treatment for Marijuana Dependence
Results from this study could lead to the development of a new pharmacotherapy for marijuana dependence. Increase our knowledge of a potential genetic biomarker for prediction of outcomes, and improve clinical trial methodology in the investigation of marijuana dependence.

R21 & R33 DA026085-03 (PI: Brady) 9/15/2008-8/31/2009
NIH/NIDA \$357, 208
The Impact of Real-time fMRI Feedback on Response to Nicotine Cues
The goal is to evaluate whether or not nicotine dependent smokers can learn to modulate activity in critical brain regions that control urges and craving to smoke.

Software

Denotes graduate student

1. #Brown DW, #Greene TJ, **DeSantis SM**. (2019). GPSCDF: Generalized Propensity Score Cumulative Distribution Function. R package version 0.1.1. <https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=GPSCDF>
2. #Hwang H, **DeSantis SM**. Multivariate network meta-analysis. (2019). GitHub. <https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.2581561>

Book Chapters

Denotes graduate student

1. **DeSantis SM**, Xiong M, Yamal J-M, et al. Chapter 7: Causal inference and analysis for EHR data, in Statistics and machine learning methods for EHR: From data extraction to data analytics by Wu, H., et al. Taylor & Francis (In press); 2020.
2. #Zhu G, #Brito F, **DeSantis SM**, Maroufy V. Chapter 8: EHR data exploration, analysis and predictions: Statistical models and methods in Statistics and machine learning methods for EHR: From data extraction to data analytics by Wu, H., et al. Taylor & Francis (In press); 2020.

Publications

Denotes graduate student or post-doctoral researcher

2024

1. #Patel RR, Delclos GL, **DeSantis SM**, Cannell MB, Lupo PJ, Bishop AJ, Lazar AJ, Lin PP, Benjamin RS, Patel SR, Ludwig J, Ravi V, Livingston JA, Somaiah N, Zarzour MA, Conley AP, Araujo DM. Does the Primary Tumor Site Drive Biology for Patients With Synovial Sarcoma? Am J Clin Oncol. 2024 Sep 3. doi: 10.1097/COC.0000000000001142. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 39224003.
2. Messiah SE, Abbas R, Bergqvist E, Kohl HW 3rd, Swartz MD, Talebi Y, Sabharwal R, Han H, Valerio-Shewmaker MA, **DeSantis SM**, Yaseen A, Gandhi HA, Amavisca XF, Ross JA, Padilla LN, Gonzalez MO, Wu L, Silberman MA, Lakey D, Shuford JA, Pont SJ, Boerwinkle E. Factors associated with elevated SARS-CoV-2 immune response in children and adolescents. Front Pediatr. 2024 Aug 15;12:1393321. doi: 10.3389/fped.2024.1393321. PMID: 39228441; PMCID: PMC11369978.
3. Messiah SE, Talebi Y, Swartz MD, Sabharwal R, Han H, Bergqvist E, Kohl HW 3rd, Valerio-Shewmaker M, **DeSantis SM**, Yaseen A, Kelder SH, Ross J, Padilla LN, Gonzalez MO, Wu L, Lakey D, Shuford JA, Pont SJ, Boerwinkle E. Long-term immune response to SARS-CoV-2 infection and vaccination in children and adolescents. Pediatr Res. 2024 Jul;96(2):525-534. doi: 10.1038/s41390-023-02857-y. Epub 2023 Oct 24. PMID: 37875728; PMCID: PMC11343709.

4. #Hahn G, Prokopenko D, Hecker J, Lutz SM, Mullin K, Sejour L, Hide W, Vlachos I, **DeSantis SM**, Tanzi RE, Lange C. (2024). Prediction of disease-free survival for precision medicine using cooperative learning on multi-omic data. Accepted, *Briefings in Bioinformatics*.
5. #Hahn G., Prokopenko D, Hecker J, Lutz SM, Mullin K, Tanzi RE, **DeSantis SM**, Lange C. (2024) Polygenic hazard score models for the prediction of Alzheimer's free survival using the lasso for Cox's proportional hazards model. *Genetic Epidemiology*, Epub.
6. Dixon A, Kenny JE, Buzzard L, et al, and PROPPR Study Group including **DeSantis SM**. (2024). Acute respiratory distress syndrome, acute kidney injury, and mortality after trauma are associated with increased circulation of syndecan-1, soluble thrombomodulin, and receptor for advanced glycation end products. *J Trauma Acute Care Surg*. 2024 Feb 1;96(2):319-325.
7. Yaseen A, **DeSantis SM**, Sabharwal R, Talebi Y, Swartz MD, Zhang S, Leon Novelo L, Pinzon-Gomez CL, Messiah SE, Valerio-Shewmaker M, Kohl HW 3rd, Ross J, Lakey D, Shuford JA, Pont SJ, Boerwinkle E. Baseline characteristics of SARS-CoV-2 vaccine non-responders in a large population-based sample. *PLoS One*. 2024 May 13;19(5):e0303420. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0303420. PMID: 38739625; PMCID: PMC11090326.
8. #Patel RR, Delclos GL, **DeSantis SM**, Cannell MB, Lupo PJ, Lin PP, Araujo DM. (2024). Epidemiological trends of synovial sarcoma by primary tumor sites in the US from 2000 to 2020. *Cancer Epidemiology*. In press.

2023

1. **DeSantis SM**, Yaseen A, Swartz MD, et al. Incidence of SARS-CoV-2 breakthrough infections after vaccination in adults: A population-based survey through March 1, 2023. Accepted, *Open Forum Infectious Diseases*.
2. **DeSantis SM**, Yaseen A, #Hao T, León-Novelo L, #Talebi Y, Valerio-Shewmaker MA, #Pinzon Gomez CL, Messiah SE, Kohl HW, Kelder SH, Ross JA, #Padilla LN, Silberman M, Tuzo S, Lakey D, Shuford JA, Pont SJ, Boerwinkle E, Swartz MD. Incidence and Predictors of Breakthrough and Severe Breakthrough Infections of SARS-CoV-2 After Primary Series Vaccination in Adults: A Population-Based Survey of 22 575 Participants. *J Infect Dis*. 2023 May 12;227(10):1164-1172. doi: 10.1093/infdis/jiad020. PMID: 36729177.
3. Messiah SE, #Talebi Y, Swartz MD, Sabharawal R, Han H, Bergqvist E, Kohl HW III, Valerio-Shewmaker M, **DeSantis SM**, Yaseen A, Kelder SH, Ross J, Padilla LN, Gonzalez MO, Wu L, Lakey D, Shuford JA, Pont SJ, Boerwinkle E. (2023). Long-term immune response to SARS-CoV-2 infection and vaccination in children and adolescents. *Pediatric Research* Oct 24. doi: 10.1038/s41390-023-02857-y. Online ahead of print.
4. #Hebballi NB, **DeSantis S**, Brown EL, Markham C, Tsao K. Body Mass Index Is Associated With Pediatric Complicated Appendicitis and Postoperative Complications. *Annals of Surgery*. 2023 Sep 1;278(3):337-346. doi: 10.1097/SLA.0000000000005965. Epub 2023 Jun 15. PMID: 37317845.
5. Yaseen A, Robertson C, Cruz Navarro J, Chen J, Heckler B, **DeSantis SM**, Temkin N, Barber J, Foreman B, Diaz-Arrastia R, Chesnut R, Manley GT, Wright DW, Vassar M, Ferguson AR, Markowitz AJ, Yamal JM. Integrating, Harmonizing, and Curating Studies With High-Frequency and Hourly Physiological Data: Proof of Concept from Seven Traumatic Brain Injury Data Sets. *J Neurotrauma*. 2023 Aug 16. doi: 10.1089/neu.2023.0023. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 37341031.
6. #Xie L, Chandrasekhar A, **DeSantis SM**, Almandoz JP, de la Cruz-Muñoz N, Messiah SE. Discontinuation and reduction of asthma medications after metabolic and bariatric surgery: A systematic review and meta-analysis. *Obes Rev*. 2023 Feb;24(2):e13527. doi: 10.1111/obr.13527. Epub 2022 Nov 7. PMID: 36345564.
7. #Tadese BK, **DeSantis SM**, Mgbere O, Fujimoto K, Darkoh C. Clinical Outcomes Associated with Co-infection of Carbapenem-Resistant Enterobacterales and other Multidrug-Resistant Organisms. *Infect Prev Pract*. 2022 Oct 17;4(4):100255. doi: 10.1016/j.infpip.2022.100255. PMID: 36387607; PMCID: PMC9649373.

8. Messiah SE, Swartz MD, Abbas RA, Talebi Y, Kohl HW 3rd, Valerio-Shewmaker M, **DeSantis SM**, Yaseen A, Kelder SH, Ross JA, Padilla LN, Gonzalez MO, Wu L, Lakey D, Shuford JA, Pont SJ, Boerwinkle E. SARS-CoV-2 Serostatus and COVID-19 Illness Characteristics by Variant Time Period in Non-Hospitalized Children and Adolescents. *Children (Basel)*. 2023 Apr 30;10(5):818. doi: 10.3390/children10050818. PMID: 37238366; PMCID: PMC10217706.
9. Swartz MD, **DeSantis SM**, Yaseen A, et al. (2023). Antibody duration after infection from SARS-CoV-2 in the Texas Coronavirus Antibody Response Survey. *Journal of Infectious Diseases*. 227(2):193-201.

[^]*The above paper received 23 citations in less than one year.*

2022

1. #Kim HS, Xiao X, Byun J, Jun G, **DeSantis SM**, Chen H, Thrift AP, El-Serag HB, Kanwal F, Amos CI. Synergistic Associations of PNPLA3 I148M Variant, Alcohol Intake, and Obesity With Risk of Cirrhosis, Hepatocellular Carcinoma, and Mortality. *JAMA Netw Open*. 2022 Oct 3;5(10):e2234221. doi: 10.1001/jamanetworkopen.2022.34221. PMID: 36190732; PMCID: PMC9530967.
2. **DeSantis SM**, Leon-Novelo L, Swartz MD et al. (2022). Methodology to estimate natural- and vaccine-induced antibodies to SARS-CoV-2 in a large geographic region. *PLOS One*, Sept 9, 2022 <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0273694>
3. #Tadese BK, Darkoh C, **DeSantis SM**, Mgbere O, Fujimoto K. Clinical epidemiology of carbapenem-resistant Enterobacterales in the Greater Houston region of Texas: a 6-year trend and surveillance analysis. *J Glob Antimicrob Resist*. 2022 Sep;30:222-227. doi: 10.1016/j.jgar.2022.06.019. Epub 2022 Jun 25. PMID: 35764216; PMCID: PMC9486688.
4. #Tadese BK, Fujimoto K, **DeSantis SM**, Mgbere O, Darkoh C. (2022). Clinical Epidemiology of Carbapenem-Resistant Enterobacterales in the Greater Houston Region of Texas: A 6-year Trend and Surveillance Analysis *Journal of Global Antimicrobial Resistance*. Accepted to *Journal of Global Antimicrobial Resistance*.
5. Messiah SE, #Hao T, **DeSantis SM**, Swartz MD, Talebi Y, Kohl HW 3rd, Zhang S, Valerio-Shewmaker M, Yaseen A, Kelder SH, Ross J, Gonzalez MO, Wu L, Padilla LN, Lopez KR, Lakey D, Shuford JA, Pont SJ, Boerwinkle E. Comparison of Persistent Symptoms Following SARS-CoV-2 Infection by Antibody Status in Nonhospitalized Children and Adolescents. *Pediatr Infect Dis J*. 2022 Oct 1;41(10):e409-e417. doi: 10.1097/INF.0000000000003653. Epub 2022 Aug 1. PMID: 35939608.
6. Messiah SE, #Hao T, **DeSantis SM** et al (2022). Comparison of persistent symptoms of SARS-CoV-2 infection by antibody status in non-hospitalized children and adolescents. *The Pediatric Infectious Disease Journal*, 41(10):e409-417.
7. Messiah SE, **DeSantis S**, Leon-Novelo L, Talebi Y, Brito F, Kohl III HW, Valerio-Shewmaker M, Ross J, Swartz MD, Yaseen A, Kelder SH, #Zhang S, Omega-Njemnobi OS, Gonzalez MO, Wu L, Boerwinkle E, Lakey D, Shuford JA, Pont SJ. Durability of SARS-CoV-2 Antibodies From Natural Infection in Children and Adolescents. *Pediatrics*. 2022 Mar 18. doi: 10.1542/peds.2021-055505. Epub ahead of print.
8. #Essigmann H, Hanis S, **DeSantis SM**, Perkison W, Aguilar D, Goo J, Robinson D, Brown EL. Worsening glycemia increase the odds of intermittent but not persistent Staphylococcus aureus nasal carriage in two cohorts of Mexican-American adults. *Microbiology Spectrum*, 10(3):e0000922
9. #Tadese BK, Fujimoto K, **DeSantis SM**, Mgbere O, Darkoh C. (2022). Regional transmission of patterns of carbapenamase-producing enterobacterales: A healthcare network analysis. *Infection Control & Hospital Epidemiology*.

2021

1. Valerio-Shewmaker MA, **DeSantis SM**, Swartz MD, Yaseen A, Gonzalez MO, Kohl HB III, Kelder SH, Messiah SE, Aguillard KA, Breaux C, Wu L, Shuford J, Pont S, Lakey D, Boerwinkle E. (2021). Strategies to Estimate Prevalence of SARS-CoV-2 Antibodies in a Texas Vulnerable Population: Results from Phase I of the Texas Coronavirus Antibody Response Survey (TX CARES), *Frontiers in Public Health* Dec 14;9:753487.

2. Messiah, S, Valerio-Shewmaker, MA, **DeSantis SM**, Swartz MD, Yaseen A, Brito FA, Kohl, III HW, Kelder SH, Aguilard, KA and Omega-Njemnob OS. Breaux C, Ross JA, Gonzalez MO, Zhang S, Wu L, Lakey D, Shuford JA, Pont SJ, Boerwinkle E. (2021). Estimated Prevalence of SARS-CoV-2 Antibodies in the Texas Pediatric Population. Available at SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=3868061> or <http://dx.doi.org/10.2139/ssrn.3868061>
3. #Custer, J, #Patel R, Delclos G, **DeSantis SM**. (2021) Concurrent and concordant oral and genital high-risk human papillomavirus infections in the US: Results from the National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey. *Journal of Infectious Disease*, 223(8):1400-1409.
4. #Greene TJ, **DeSantis SM**, Brown, D, Wilkinson A, Swartz MD. (2021). A machine learning compatible method for ordinal propensity scoring and matching. *Statistics in Medicine*.40(6):1383-1399.
5. #Brown D, Greene TJ, Swartz MD, Wilkinson A, **DeSantis SM**. (2021). Propensity score stratification methods for continuous treatments. *Statistics in Medicine* 40(5):1189-1203.
6. Tilley BC, Mainous AG, Amorrortu RP, McKee MD, Smith DW, Li R, **DeSantis SM**, Vernon SW, Koch G, Ford ME, Diaz V, Alvidrez J, and RECRUIT Trial Center and Parent Trials' Investigators. (2021). Using increased trust in medical researchers to increase minority recruitment: The RECRUIT cluster randomized clinical trial. Epub, *Contemporary Clinical Trials*.
7. Johnson NL, Wade CE, Fox EE et al inc **DeSantis SM**. Determination of optimal deployment strategy for REBOA in patients with non-compressible hemorrhage below the diaphragm. *Trauma Surgery and Acute Care Open*, 23:6(1).
8. Allana A, Samannodi M, Hansen MA, **DeSantis S**, Ho LT, Hasbun R. (2021) Adjunctive steroids in adults with encephalitis: A propensity score analysis. *Journal of Neurology*, Jun;268(6):2151-2160.
9. #Sharath SE, Zamani N, **DeSantis S**, Kougiias P. (2021). Treatment of early deep wound infections after arterial reconstructions: A meta-analysis and survey. *Annals of Vascular Surgery*. Jul;74:356-366.
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Michelle Cook, PhD, conferred 2017, Epidemiology
Vanessas Cox, PhD, conferred 2017, Epidemiology
Vancheswaran Gopalakrishnan, PhD, conferred 2017 Epidemiology
Malachy Nkem, PhD, conferred 2014, Health Promotions & Behavioral Sciences

Ph.D. Biostatistics Committee Member

Mary Tress, PhD, conferred 2011
Matthew Shotwell, PhD, conferred 2011 (Associate Professor at Vanderbilt University)
Yanqiu Weng, PhD, conferred 2013 (Novartis)
Yulun Liu, PhD, conferred 2016 (Post Doctoral Researcher at University of Pennsylvania)

M.S. Biostatistics Primary Adviser

Priya Reddy, in progress
Maryam Jamal, conferred 2021
Alicia Chua, conferred 2014 (PhD student at BU)
Megan Schuler, PhD, conferred 2009 (Rand Corporation)

M.S. in Clinical Research Adviser

Crystal Flynn-Longmire, conferred 2008
William Goodnight, conferred 2008
Joshua Eischenberger, conferred 2010
James McElligott, conferred 2011

Lead Administrative Roles in University of Texas School of Public Health

Academic Program Coordinator for Biostatistics 2017-Current
Academic Council Representative for Biostatistics 2017-Current
Tenure and Promotion Co-Chair 2022
Tenure and Promotion Chair 2023

Institutional and Departmental Service and Committees

Student Recruitment Committee 2012-current
Preliminary Exam Committee 2012-current
Biostatistics Faculty Search Chair 2017-2019
Admissions Committee 2015-2018
Big Data Faculty Search Committee 2012

(Prior to UTHealth):

Preliminary Exam committee 2008-2012
Student Recruitment committee 2007-2010
Seminar Speaker Committee 2009-2012
Hollings Cancer Center Biostatistical Reviewer 2008

Oral Presentations/Lectures/Short Courses

DeSantis, SM. “Responding to a Novel Pandemic: Adapting an Antibody Surveillance System: Part II” *UTHealth Department of Biostatistics and Data Science*: Sept 19, 2023, Houston, TX. (Invited)

DeSantis SM. (delivered by Eric Boerwinkle due to illness). “Behavior of Antibodies to SARS-CoV-2 over Time in a Texas Sample” *American Public Health Association* (APHA) 2022, Nov 7, 2022, Boston, MA. (Invited)

DeSantis SM. 5th “A novel propensity scoring framework for multiple and ordinal treatments: Application to an EHR-derived study of vasopressor treatments for subarachnoid hemorrhage,” *International Conference on Econometrics and Statistics (EcoSta)*, June 23, 2022, Kyoto, Japan. (Invited)

DeSantis SM, Valerio-Shewmaker MA, Messiah S, Kohl HW, Yaseen A. “Texas Coronavirus Antibody REsponse Surveillance (TX CARES)”, *American Public Health Association*, Denver, CO, October 23, 2021. (Chaired Session/Invited)

DeSantis SM. “A Propensity Scoring Framework for Multiple Treatments and its Applicability to Big Data Sets” National Institute of Health and Medical Research (*Institut National de la Sante et de la Recherche Medical, INSERM*), Bordeaux, France, June 25, 2020. (Invited)

DeSantis SM. “A Propensity Scoring Framework for Multiple Treatments and its Applicability to Big Data Sets” *Big Data Analytics Conference*, Houston, TX, Dec 17-19, 2018. (Invited)

DeSantis SM. “Multivariate Network Meta-analysis to Mitigate Outcome Reporting Bias” *Joint Statistical Meetings*, Vancouver, Canada, August 8, 2018. (Contributed)

DeSantis SM. “Multivariate Mixed Treatments Meta-analysis to Reduce Effects of Publication and Outcome Reporting Bias” *Virginia Commonwealth University*, Richmond, VA, April 23, 2017. (Invited)

DeSantis SM. “Latent Variable Methods for High-Dimensional Data” National Institute of Health and Medical Research (*Institut National de la Sante et de la Recherche Medical, INSERM*), Bordeaux, France June 22, 2016. (Invited)

DeSantis SM. “Statistical Methods and Health Technology Assessment,” NIH/NINDS sponsored Neurocritical Care Research Conference, *Baylor University*, Houston, Texas, August 16, 2014. (Invited)

DeSantis SM. “Multivariate Mixed Treatment Meta-analysis and Implications for Planning Future Trials,” *Cedar Sinai Medical Center, Division of Biostatistics*, Los Angeles, California, May 23, 2014. (Invited)

DeSantis SM. “Modeling high resolution drinking data in clinical trials: An application to the COMBINE study.” *Poster Presentation, Research Society on Alcoholism*, Tampa Florida, July 2013. (Contributed)

Lazaridis C, DeSantis SM, Smielewski P, Menon DK, Hutchinson P, Pickard JD, Czosnyka M. “Patient-specific thresholds of intracranial pressure in patients with severe traumatic brain injury,” *Neurocritical Care Society, Winner -Distinguished Oral Poster Presentation*, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, October 2, 2013 (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. “Mixed Treatment Comparisons Meta-Analysis of Alcohol Dependence Trials,” *Health Research Unit, Athens Greece*, May 6-9, 2013. (Contributed)

DeSantis, SM. “Mixed Treatment Comparisons Meta-Analysis of Alcohol Dependence Trials,” *Houston Chapter of the American Statistical Association*, Houston, Texas April 2013. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. “Hidden Markov Models for Zero-modified Time Series Count data” *Conference of Texas Statisticians*, Rice University, Houston, Texas, March 22, 2013. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. “Analysis of Zero Inflated Propensity Matched Count Outcomes in Observational Studies,” *University of Texas Health Sciences Center*, School of Public Health, Houston, Texas, Feb 14, 2013. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. “Challenges in Modeling Longitudinal Drinking Data in Clinical Trials: The COMBINE study,” *Medical University of South Carolina*, Division of Biostatistics and Epidemiology, Charleston, SC, Oct 20, 2012. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. “Hidden Markov Models for Zero Inflated Poisson Counts – Applications in Substance Use,” Division of Biostatistics, *University of Texas School of Public Health*, Houston, TX, May 10, 2012. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "Hidden Markov Models for Zero Inflated Poisson Counts: Applications in Substance Use," *Division of Biostatistics, Columbia University Psychiatric Institute*, New York, NY, April 10, 2012. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "Survival Analysis using SPSS (*Short Course*)" *Department of Mathematics, University of Porto*, Porto, Portugal, February 14-15, 2012. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "One and Two Sample Hypothesis Testing," Master of Philosophy Lecture, *Medical Research Council Biostatistics Unit, Cambridge University*, Cambridge, UK, October 2011. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "Analysis of Zero Inflated Propensity Matched Count Outcomes," *Division of Biostatistics and Epidemiology, Medical University of South Carolina*, Charleston, SC, April 2011. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "A Hidden Markov Model for Zero-Inflated Poisson Counts," *College of Problems on Drug Dependence, Poster Presentation*, Scottsdale, AZ, June 2010. (Contributed)

DeSantis, SM. "The post-Aprotinin Era," *American Heart Association*, Chicago, IL, November 2010. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "Joint Analysis of a Survival Process and Binary Indicators of Latent Class in High-Dimensional Settings," *University of Carlos III*, Madrid, Spain, March 2010. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "A Hidden Markov Model for Zero-Inflated Poisson Counts with an Application to Cocaine Use Data," *Joint Statistical Meetings, Oral Presentation*, Washington, DC, August 2009. (Contributed, Selected)

Gebregziaber, M, DeSantis SM. "Multiple Imputation of Missing Categorical Data: A Latent Class Approach," *Joint Statistical Meetings, Oral Presentation*, Washington, DC, August 2009. (Contributed, Selected)

DeSantis, SM. "A Latent Class Model with Hidden Markov Dependence for Array CGH Data," *International Biometrics Society, Eastern North American Region, Oral Presentation*, San Antonio, TX, March 2009. (Contributed, Selected)

DeSantis, SM, Gebregziaber, M. "Latent Class-Based Multiple Imputation of Missing Genotypic Data: An Application to Multiple Myeloma," 8th *Annual Scientific Research Retreat of Hollings Cancer Center, Oral Poster Presentation*, Charleston, SC, December 2008. (Contributed)

DeSantis, SM. "Supervised Bayesian Latent Class Models for High-Dimensional Data," *Southern Regional Council on Statistics, Poster Presentation*, Charleston, SC, June 2008. (Contributed)

DeSantis, SM. "A Latent Class Model with Hidden Markov Dependence for Array CGH Data," *International Biometrics Society, Eastern North American Region*, Washington DC, March 2008. (Contributed, Selected)

DeSantis, SM. "Supervised and Unsupervised Latent Class Modeling for High-Dimensional Data," *Medical University of South Carolina*, Charleston, South Carolina, April 2007. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "A Latent Class Model with Hidden Markov Dependence for Array CGH Data," *Harvard University Department of Biostatistics, Oral Presentation*, June 2007. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "Supervised and Unsupervised Latent Class Modeling for High-Dimensional Data," *Hoffman La-Roche*, Basel, Switzerland, March 2007. (Invited)

DeSantis, SM. "Supervised Bayesian Latent Class models for High-Dimensional Data," *International Biometrics Society, Eastern North American Region, Oral Presentation*, Atlanta, GA, March 2007. (Contributed, Selected)

DeSantis, SM. "A Penalized Latent Class Model for Ordinal Responses," *International Biometrics Society, Eastern North American Region, Oral Presentation*, Tampa, FL, March 2006. (Contributed, Selected)

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