

# JSM 2024 SSDSE Business Meeting Agenda

Wed Aug 7, 2024

6:30 - 8:00 pm

Approximately 60-65 attendees. Food was gone by 7:00 Pm 😊

1. 6:30 - 7:00 pm Social time
2. (McConville) Thanks/Words from sponsor (Wiley/Zybooks, Aimee Schwab-McCoy)  
Aimee Schwab-McCoy long time member – if you have any questions about Wiley, Wiley+, zybooks, please reach out.
3. Outgoing members/incoming members to the SSDSE exec committee. Thank you for your service and willingness to serve.
  - a. Outgoing: Ann Cannon (past chair), Jennifer Broach (secretary/treasurer), Laura Hildreth (2024 program chair), Adam Loy (at large), Jennifer Ward (at large), Chelsea Parlett (web editor), Brad Thompson (TYC Fellow), Allison Theobald (Mentoring Committee chair)
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4. (Broatch) Approval of minutes from JSM business meeting in 2022.
  - a. [2023 business meeting minutes](#)
5. (Broatch) Treasurer's report
  - a. Report on current state of Section funds:
    - i. Zybooks sponsorship for this year. This continues to allow us flexibility in spending.
    - ii. HS/2year Fellow will travel to JSM/USCOTS every other year.
    - iii. Section member initiative grants - call out but not awarded yet. Deadline: 8/15. Budget: \$2000 from 2023.
    - iv. Section membership nominal fee increase. Approved at \$9
  - b. Discussion of next year's budget: \*approximate (included a brief discussion on lack of complete budget information – see council of section report)
    - i. Approximately \$16,000 starting budget.
    - ii. Keep and suggest increase in fellow travel to \$5000 due to increase in applications. Donna will support \$2000 to offset.
    - iii. Section Membership initiative grants: Propose to keep it the same at \$2000.

Budget Approved.
6. (McConville) Section sponsored and other awards in Statistics Education
  - a. Mu Sigma Rho (presented by Charlie Smith)
    - i. Early Career Undergraduate Impact Award: N. Justice (not present) PLU; created numerous new courses that includes ethical issues. Founding member of the ASA mentoring program.
    - ii. William D. Warde Statistics Education Award: David Hitchcock – University of South Carolina; Article will appear in the American Statistician.

- b. Waller Distinguished Teaching Career Award: Brad Hartlaub
- c. Jackie Dietz Best Journal of Statistics and Data Science Education paper award: Shu-Min Liao (presented by Juana Sanchez): Inclusive teaching pedagogy in Coding; Shared her deepest gratitude for the award although she could not be here.
- d. Section Best Contributed Paper Award for JSM 2023: Adam Cunningham – University of Buffalo – Probability Playground.
- e. Speed Session Award for JSM 2023: Megan Mocko, Bernhard Klingenberg, Amy Wasserman
- f. Speed Session Award for JSM 2024: HM Allyssa Wu; 2<sup>nd</sup> HM: Aimme- Schwabb-McCoy; Winners: Erin Howard. Maria Cruciani
- g. Section members who won other awards:
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  - ii. ASA Founders Award: Dick De Veaux, Barry Nussbaum
  - iii. Gertrude M. Cox Scholarship in Statistics Award: Kimberly A.H. Webb
- 7. (Hildreth) Report on JSM 2024 and looking ahead to JSM 2025 – Filling in for Prince. He asked her to share the theme: Statistics, Data Science and AI Enriching Society. Invited session proposals due 9/5. Please contact Prince with questions.
- 8. (An/McNamara) Council of Section Updates – new budget system.
- 9. (McConville) HS/two-year section fellows update/report
  - a. 81 applications for HS fellow – biggest draw is travel to USCoTs or JSM. We will be able fund 2 fellows.
- 10. (McConville) Section charter updates
  - a. (Fall 2024) Will receive a copy of proposed changes for feedback. Approximately 2 months for feedback. Basically, changes will update and streamline that represent the current section.
  - b. (Winter/Spring 2025) Will vote on updated charter
- 11. (McConville) Member initiative grants: Due August 15th
  - a. Form: [Flyer for Member Initiative Grants \(2024\)](#)
  - b. If you have questions, please email Kelly. Recent proposals include travel to design course, local workshops, if you have any ideas please reach out.
- 12. (Unfried) Data Science Topics Survey – GAISE Committee via MASDER- Please fill out the survey. Patti Frazier-Lock made a plea for GAISE to fill out the survey. They need your feedback.
- 13. (Sanchez) Journal of Statistics and Data Science Education updates; Inviting you to submit more – things that teachers want to hear. If you are interested in reviewing, please sign in with Juana. Feel free to contact her with comments or suggestions.
- 14. (McConville) Supporting the section - JSM 2025 (Talk to Prince Afriyie); Mentoring (Talk to Allison Theobald); Being on the exec committee (Talk to Lisa Kay) there are a number of positions opening up.
- 15. (Open) Job openings:
  - a. Smith College – 2 positions joint position with Physics, statistics – data ethics

- b. Winnona State – 1 position
  - c. Creighton University – 1 position
  - d. St. Lawrence – 2 position math and statistics
  - e. University of Kentucky – Data Science 1 maybe 2
  - f. Villanova – 2 position
  - g. Kenyon College – 1
  - h. NC State – 1 position
  - i. Bucknell – 1 position
  - j. Eastern Kentucky – 1 position
16. Proposing a session on the teaching of causal inference using Pearl or Rubin – if you taught any of those- please reach out to Milo Schield.

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