KUDOS

- Domonique W. Hodge received a travel award to JSM 2016 from the ASA Survey Research Methods Section. Congratulations Domonique!

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**QUOTES**

“Creativity is the ability to introduce order into the randomness of nature.” – **Eric Hoffer**

“Expose yourself to as much randomness as possible.” – **Ben Casnocha**

“Statistics...is the most important science in the world, for upon it depends the practical application of every other (science) and of every art.” – **Florence Nightengale** (1820-1910)
UPCOMING DEPARTMENT MEETINGS

• None next week or the next week. Best wishes for a happy and restful holiday break!

PRIDE SUMMER INSTITUTE

• PRIDE Summer Institute in Cardiovascular Genetic Epidemiology for junior faculty
• Applications are being accepted for the all-expense paid Summer Institute in Cardiovascular Genetic Epidemiology at Washington in St. Louis, School of Medicine
• The Program is funded by NHLBI
• Website: http://www.biostat.wustl.edu/pridecge
**JOB OPENINGS**

- **Post-doctoral Fellow, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center**
  - Work on causal inference with interference with application to effects of vaccination in the group of M. Elizabeth Halloran in Seattle
  - Available immediately and will remain open until filled
  - Could be available for two to three years, depending on satisfactory completion of the first year
  - Qualifications: PhD in statistics, biostatistics, computational biology, or related field and already have some background in quantitative methods in infectious diseases
  - Please include contact information for 3 professional references in your application

- **Principal Biostatistician, Galderma R&D**
  - Responsible for leading, developing, and implementing statistical solutions to the Galderma R&D sponsored clinical trials. Under the guidance of manager, provide leadership role in delivering all statistical support to clinical development program
  - Qualifications: Master’s or PhD degree in Biostatistics or related field, proficiency in statistical programming in SAS; knowledge of R and other programming languages is preferred
  - Work Experience: minimum of 8-10 years of industry experience in leading statistical activities in Biostatistician in supporting clinical trials; minimum of 6 years of SAS programming experience and knowledge of CDISC requirements; extensive knowledge of statistical methodologies and study designs; minimum 3 years of experience with regulatory support and interaction; experience in providing vendor oversight; proven ability to manage multiple projects across therapeutic indications
Submitted by Steve Qin

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“That’s like, so random!”

“I find if you put that slash through the equal sign, the number of possible answers vastly increases.”