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| Teaching Certification | University of British Columbia   | 1986 |
| M.Sc.                  | Memorial University of Newfoundland  | 1984 |
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**Professional History**

Data Scientist, Union Pacific Railway, Omaha, NE 68102, 2018-current.

Bioinformatic Consultant for Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Energy and Environmental Directorate, 902 Battelle Boulevard, P.O. Box 999, MSIN P7-59, Richland, WA 99352 USA, October 2017 – March 2018.

Microbiology Consultant for BuddyEngineer, 13305 NE 171st St. Suite C317, Woodinville, WA 98072 (253-256-5197), July 2014 - now.

Affiliate Professor, Department of Periodontics, School of Dentistry, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, June 2010 – June 2017.

Professor, PhD Microbiology Program, Alabama State University, Montgomery, AL, July 2014 – May 2016.

Associate Professor, PhD Microbiology Program, Alabama State University, Montgomery, AL, July 2009 to July 2014.

Adjunct Professor, Department of Microbiology, University of Alabama, Birmingham, AL July 2011- July 2016.

Visiting Professor, Max-Planck-Institute for Evolutionary Biology, August-Thienemannstrasse, Ploen, Germany, May to August, 2010 and May 2011.

Research Assistant Professor, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, July 2000- July 2009.

Visiting Professor, Institute for Genetics, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany, June to August 2006.

Research Assistant Professor, Belle W. Baruch Institute of Marine Biology and Coastal Research, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, July 1996 - July 2000.

Visiting Scientist, Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, MA, May-June, 2000.

Visiting Research Scholar, Dept. of Civil Engineering, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, June to August 1999.

Research Associate, Center of Marine Biotechnology, University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute, Baltimore, MD, July 1995 - July 1996

Post-doctoral Fellow, National Water Research Institute, Fountain Valley, CA. Jan to July 1995

Post-doctoral Fellow (with Betty H Olson), Environmental Analysis and Design, University of California, Irvine, CA July 1993- July 1995

Senior Biology Teacher, Vancouver School Board, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, January to June 1987

Senior Biology Teacher, School District of Mystery Lake No. 2355, Thompson, Manitoba, Canada, August 1985 to June 1987

Computer Programmer/Statistical Analyst, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC, Canada. June to August 1985

Research Assistant Technician, Faculty of Medicine, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John's, Newfoundland, Canada July 1982- July 1984

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- P2. Bagwell C.E., **Noble P.A.**, Milliken C.E., Li D., and Kaplan D.I. (2018) Amplicon sequencing reveals microbiological signatures in spent nuclear fuel storage basins. *Frontiers of Microbiology*, 9:377, Cited by: 0. Impact factor of 4.076, doi: 10.3389/fmicb.2018.00377

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- P4. Hunter MC, Pozhitkov A, **Noble PA\***. (2017) Accurate predictions of postmortem interval using linear regression analyses of gene meter expression data. *Forensic Science International*. 275:90–101. Cited by: 7. Impact factor of 2.140. PMID: 28329724
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- P6. **Noble PA\***, Pozhitkov A. (2017) The postmortem microbiome and gene expression in vertebrates. *The Biochemist* 39:14-17.
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## 2016

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## 2015

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## 2014

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## 2013

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## 2012

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**2011**

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**2007**

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- P36. ElFantroussi S, Urakawa H, Bernhard AE, Kelly JJ, **Noble PA**, Smidt H, Yershov GM, Stahl DA. (2003) Direct profiling of environmental microbial populations by thermal dissociation analysis of native ribosomal rRNAs hybridized to oligonucleotide microarrays. *Applied and Environmental Microbiology* 69:2377-2382. Cited by: 138. Impact factor of: 4.486. PMID: 12676724
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- C71. Can I., P. A. Noble, A. Pozhitkov, G. Javan. Human Thanatomicrobiome (Microbiome of the Dead): Optimization of Sampling. 2014 Research Symposium, Alabama State University, March 20-21, 2014.

- C72. Shayla Duncan, Cecile Mitchell, Peter A. Noble. The Aerobic Anoxygenic Microbes' Putative Role in the Deepwater Horizon Incident. 2014 Research Symposium, Alabama State University, March 20-21, 2014.
- C73. Ismail Can, Peter A Noble, Alex E Pozhitkov, Gulnaz T Javan. 2014. Establishing a Method to Study the Human Thanatomicrobiome. American Society of Microbiology General Meeting, Boston, MA, May 17-20<sup>th</sup>, 2014.
- C74. Gulnaz T. Javan and Peter A Noble. H126 Life after Human Death: the thanatomicrobiome. Proceedings American Academy of Forensic Sciences, 66<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting Seattle WA February 17-22, 2014.
- C75. M. Colby Hunter, Alex E. Pozhitkov, Peter A Noble. 2015. Using Gene Meters to Test the Accuracy of 454 Sequencing Results. American Society of Microbiology General Meeting, New Orleans, LA, May 30-June 2nd, 2015.
- C76. Peter A. Noble, M. Colby Hunter, B.H Olson, P. Asvapthanagul, M. Garrido-Baserba, and D. Rosso 2015. Biofilms fouling fine-pore diffuser bacterial assessment using pyrosequencing. 12th IWA Specialized Conference On Design, Operation, and Economics of Large Wastewater Treatment Plants. Prague, Czech Republic.
- C77. M. Colby Hunter, B.H Olson, P. Asvapthanagul, M. Garrido-Baserba, D. Rosso and Peter A. Noble. 2015. Microbial composition and function of diffuser biofilms in a municipal wastewater treatment plant. International Environmental Youth Symposium, Atlanta, GA. Oct 1 to 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2015, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize presentation winner.
- C78. M. Colby Hunter, Alex Pozhitkov, Shivani Soni, and Peter A. Noble. 2015. Calibration of DNA microarrays and sequencing technologies as the foundation for epigenetic research. KAUST-University of California Irvine Symposium on 'Epigenetics and Environment' on 2-6 December 2015. King Abdullah University of Science and Technology, Thuwal, Saudi Arabia
- C79. Hunter M.C., Pozhitkov A.E., Noble P.A. Feasibility of gene expression measurements for determining the postmortem interval. Alabama experimental program to stimulate competitive research (EPSCoR). The science and technology open house hosted by Tuskegee University. Montgomery, AL, February 05, 2016
- C80. E. Webb, J. Son, E. Lindahl, P. A. Noble, A. Pozhitkov. Biofilm-induced electricity in titanium dental implants: path forward to new materials and electrotherapy. American Association for Dental Research Annual Meeting. March 16-19, 2016. Los Angeles, California
- C81. Colby M. Hunter, Alexander E. Pozhitkov, Peter A. Noble. Predicting the postmortem interval using gene transcription. Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students (ABRCMS). Tampa, FL., November 9th -12th 2016.

### **Books and Editing**

Almeida, J. S. and P. A. Noble (Guest Editors). Special Issue: Neural Computing in Microbiology. Journal of Microbiological Methods, Vol. 43, 2000.

### **Project Reports (reports to sponsors)**

Determining genome organization by using back-propagating neural network. NSF, 2000.

Novel mathematical approaches for determining ecosystem structure and dynamics. NSF, 2002.

Biocomplexity incubation activity: consequences of urban encroachment on natural ecosystems. NSF, 2002.

CISNET: Molecular to landscape monitoring of estuarine eutrophication. EPA-CISNET, 2002

Consortium for Ecoindicator Research for the Gulf of Mexico EPA 2001 STAR Program, EPA 2007.

MRI: Acquisition of a Roche/454 GS-Jr for Research and Training in Microbiology at Alabama State University, NSF Division of Biological Infrastructure, 2013.

## **Other Scholarly Activity**

### **Patents**

Pozhitkov, A. and P. A. Noble, (2005) Rapid and robust identification of known microorganisms in complex mixtures. Record of Invention, UW Ref#7346D.

### **Invited Lectures and Seminars**

- T1. Bugs in tubs: the microbial ecology of hot tub, Southern California American Society of Microbiology 58th Annual Meeting, San Diego, California, June, 1994.
- T2. Pathogens in drinking water, waste and recreational water, American Society for Microbiology Workshop, Washington, DC, May, 1995.
- T3. The identification, enumeration and detection of water-borne microbes, American Society for Microbiology Workshop, New Orleans, Louisiana, May, 1996.
- T4. Controlling Microbes in drinking water: biostability, biofilms, pathogens and disinfectants, American Society for Microbiology Workshop, Miami Beach, Florida, May, 1997.
- T5. Visualization of Microbial Genomes by Analysis of Tetranucleotide Frequencies, Seventh Annual South Carolina Statewide Research Conference, Wild Dunes, Isle of Palms, South Carolina, October, 1998.
- T6. Neural computing approaches for analyzing microbiological data, American Society for Microbiology Workshop, Atlanta, Georgia, May, 1998.
- T7. Determining the relationship between the ecological dynamic properties of an estuarine ecosystem and its corresponding microbial community structure, Southeastern Branches of the American Society for Microbiology, Jekyll Island, Georgia, October, 1999.
- T8. The application of artificial neural networks to determine associations between biotic and abiotic factors in ecosystems, All EaGLes meeting, Annapolis, Maryland, Dec, 2002.
- T9. Neuroet: an easy-to-use artificial neural network for ecological and biological modelling, 4th Conference of the International Society for Ecological Informatics, South Korea, October, 2004.
- T10. Ecological informatics and grappling with the complexity of microorganisms in ecological systems, 4th Conference of the International Society for Ecological Informatics, South Korea, October, 2004.

- T11. Evaluation of gel-pad oligonucleotide microarrays using artificial neural networks. American Society for Microbiology Meeting, Atlanta, GA, June, 12<sup>th</sup>, 2005.
- T12. Oligonucleotide arrays: journey to the destination. Febit Biotech GmbH, Heidelberg, Germany, July, 19<sup>th</sup>, 2006.
- T13. Oligonucleotide arrays: the journey and destination. FluIT Biosystems GmbH Schloss Birlinghoven, Germany, August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2006.
- T14. Oligonucleotide DNA microarrays for the identification of microorganisms. Institute of Oceanography, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Qingdao, China, October, 2006.
- T15. Neuroet: an easy-to-use artificial neural network for ecological and biological modeling, Institute of Oceanography, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Qingdao, China, October, 2006.
- T16. Simultaneous quantification of multiple rRNA targets in complex target samples. International Association for Dental Research, Toronto, Canada, July 2-5, 2008.
- T17. Exploration of the human oral microbiota using next generation sequencing. Tuskegee University First Joint Symposium, March 12,13, 2010.
- T18. Breathing New Life into DNA Microarrays, Public Health Seminar, University of California, Irvine, Monday, June 2nd, 2014.
- T19. Death activates ancient genes. Sierra Club, Montgomery Alabama, June 18, 2015.
- T20. Death awakens ancient genes. KAUST-University of California Irvine Symposium on 'Epigenetics and Environment' on 2-6 December 2015. King Abdullah University of Science and Technology, Thuwal, Saudi Arabia

### **Presentations at Conferences**

Noble, P. A., E. Ashton, C. A. Davidson, M. Dziuba, K. D. Webster, and W. L. Albritton. Development of a biosensor for routine environmental microbiology. *Proceedings of the American Water Works Association, Water Quality Technological Conference*, Toronto, Ontario, pp. 1267-1280. 1992.

Noble, P. A. and W. L. Albritton. An insertion sequence located in the non-TnA portion of "RSF0885". *Canadian Society of Microbiologists Annual Meeting*, St. John's, Nfld., June 14-18, 1992.

Noble, P. A., L. Sawyer, D. L. Clark, S. W. Hermanowicz, and B. H. Olson. Biological stability of groundwater treated by conventional and membrane methods For Organic Removal. *American Water Works Association - Water Quality Technology Conference*, San Francisco, California, pp. 1609-1631, 1994.

Noble P.A., R.A. Rule, T Flemmig, T. Beikler, and A. Pozhitkov. Simultaneous quantification of multiple nucleic acid targets in complex target mixtures using high-density oligonucleotide microarrays. *Center for Process Analytical Chemistry* Seattle WA 2008, May 4-8, 2008

Noble P.A. A. Pozhitkov, and R.A. Rule. Establishing nearest neighbor model parameters for hybridization on the surface of microarrays. *Center for Process Analytical Chemistry* Seattle WA 2008, May 4-8, 2008

## Professional Society Membership

American Society for Microbiology (1990-2012)  
International Association for Dental Research (2008)

## Professional Society and Other Service

Appointed to the Associate Editor of *Estuarine Coastal and Shelf Science*, 2014-2017.

Appointed to the Editorial Board of *Journal of Microbiological Methods*, 1999-present.

Appointed to the Editorial Board of *Microarrays (Now called High Throughput)*, 2015-present.

Appointed to the Editorial Board of *Applied and Environmental Microbiology*, 1999-2001.

Re-Appointed to the Editorial Board of *Applied and Environmental Microbiology*, 2001-2004.

Organized and Co-Chaired an international conference entitled: "Physicochemical fundamentals of DNA hybridizations on surfaces as applied to microarrays and bead-based sequencing technologies", which was held on May 9th to 12, 2011 at Max-Planck-Institute for Evolutionary Biology in Ploen, Germany. Web site: <http://www.evolbio.mpg.de/ploenworkshop/>

## Reviews Made

| Journal or Other                                      | Number |
|---|--------|
| <i>Applied and Environmental Microbiology</i>         | 190+   |
| <i>Journal of Microbiological Methods</i>             | 100+   |
| <i>Nucleic Acids Research</i>                         | 5      |
| <i>Environmental Microbiology</i>                     | 9      |
| <i>Nature ISME</i>                                    | 1      |
| <i>Botanica Marina</i>                                | 1      |
| <i>Journal of Shellfish Diseases</i>                  | 1      |
| <i>Journal of Industrial Microbiology</i>             | 1      |
| <i>Genome Biology</i>                                 | 1      |
| <i>Biotechnology Progress</i>                         | 1      |
| <i>Food Microbiology</i>                              | 1      |
| <i>Bioinformatics</i>                                 | 1      |
| <i>Photogrammetric Engineering and Remote Sensing</i> | 1      |
| <i>Estuarine, Coastal and Shelf Science</i>           | 5      |
| <i>Journal of the American College of Nutrition</i>   | 1      |
| NSF Proposals   | 52+    |
| NIH Proposals   | 50     |
| DOE   | 2      |
| National Environment Research Council UK              | 1      |
| Nature  | 1      |
| EPA   | 16     |
| USDA  | 14     |

## **Undergraduate Students**

### Univ. California, Irvine

Emily Bruhms, (Environmental Analysis and Design) – taught microbiological methods.

### Univ. South Carolina

Caroline Roper, (Marine Science) – taught molecular biology methods and was involved in mentoring. Now: Ph.D. from University of California, Davis. Assistant Prof at UCD.

Megan Dantzer, (Marine Science) – taught molecular biology methods. Now: Ph.D. at University of South Carolina

Sara Thieben and Megan Kelly (Marine Science) – taught laboratory and marine biology field skills.

Elizabeth Mack (Biology) – taught fundamentals of neural network computing and was involved in her Honors Thesis: The development of artificial neural networks for the exploration of population genetic data for the exploration of population genetic data. Now: M.D. at University of South Carolina.

### Univ. Washington

Erik Tribou, (Computer Science) - supervised computer activities and mentored. Now: has M.S. (Computing) from the University of Las Vegas.

Travis Krick, (Computer Science) - supervised computer-related activities.

Kyle D. Bailey (BioChemistry) - supervised laboratory activities and mentored. Undergraduate Research Symposium 2006: Identification and quantification of microbes in complex microbial mixtures. K. Bailey, A. Pozhitkov and P. A. Noble. Now: a graduate student at Univ. Missouri.

Alison Thomas, MIAME standards adherence research project

Alisa Carlson, MIAME standards adherence research project

### Alabama State University

Shayla M Duncan (American Society for Microbiology Undergraduate Research Capstone Program Scholar; National Institute of Standards and Technology 2014 Summer Undergraduate Research Fellow; Senior Capstone Fellow; 2015 Post-baccalaureate Program position at Experimental Transplantation and Immunology Branch of National Institute of Health)

Frances White

India Williams

Folasuyi Richardson (ASM undergraduate research honorable mentions award)

Suna M. Njie (Senior Capstone Fellow)

Jaylah Stanley

Taelor Jones

## Graduate Students

### Univ. South Carolina

Yvette M. Piceno, Ph.D. Student, - taught fundamentals of neural network computing. Now a scientist at Lawrence Livermore Laboratory, California

### Univ. Washington

Evaristo Liwa, Ph.D. student (NSF fellow) in the Department of Oceanography and Coastal Sciences, Louisiana State University- Baton Rouge, LA -- taught fundamentals of neural network computing. Ph.D. Thesis (2006): A neural network model for classification of coastal wetlands vegetation structure with moderate resolution imaging spectro-radiometer (MODIS) data.

Rebecca A. Rule, M.Eng, Civil and Environmental Engineering. June 1st, 2007 - 2009. Now: USA Army Core of Engineers.

Hsu-Ya Kang, Ph.D, Civil and Environmental Engineering. Jan. 2009 –transferred to PhD Program at University of Taiwan.

### Alabama State University

Cecile Mitchell, MS student, 2013 (graduated)

Ismail Can, MS student, 2014

M. Colby Hunter, PhD student, 2013-2016 (graduated), now Assistant Professor.

## Other Student Supervision (service on graduate degree committees)

### Ph.D. Committees

#### Univ. South Carolina

Hongyue Dang - taught molecular biology skills. Now: Professor at Institute of Oceanology Chinese Academy of Sciences, Qingdao, China

#### Univ. Washington

Jeremy Nadeau, Analytical Chemistry, Fall, 2006- graduated

Jennifer Maki, Analytical Chemistry, Spring, 2009- graduated

#### Alabama State University

Kelly Frazier, MS Forensic Science, Fall, 2013 – 2014

## Research Activities

## Sponsored Research



- 1997-2000 US Dept. of Defense/Office of Naval Research: Accelerated research in biofouling control, \$383,251. Co-Principal Investigator with M. Fletcher and C.R. Lovell, Baruch Institute, University of South Carolina.
- 1999-2000 National Science Foundation: Determining genome organization by using a back propagating neural network, DEB Microbial Genetics, \$28,680, Principal Investigator.
- 1999-2001 EPA/NOAA/NASA: CISNET- Molecular to landscape monitoring of estuarine eutrophication, \$586,553. Co-Principal Investigator with J.T. Morris, M. Fletcher.
- 2000-2001 National Science Foundation: Novel mathematical approaches for determining ecosystem structure and dynamics. DEB Ecological Systems, \$137,146. Principal Investigator.
- 2000-2002 National Science Foundation: Bicomplexity Incubation Activity: Consequences of urban encroachment on natural ecosystems.. DEB Ecological Systems, \$93,409, Co-Principal Investigator with G. Kleppel.
- 2001-2005 Environmental Protection Agency: Consortium for Ecoindicator Research for the Gulf of Mexico EPA 2001 STAR Program, \$6,000,000, Co-Principal with Marius Brouwer and others, University of Southern Mississippi.
- 2002-2006 National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research: DNA Microchips: Detecting microbes and virulence factors in oral cavity fluids, \$3,938,123, Co-Principal.
- 2007-2008 University of Washington Provost Bridge Funding: Simultaneous quantification of multiple nucleic acids targets in complex microbial mixtures. \$44,804, Principal Investigator.
- 2007-2008 University of Washington Royalty Research Fund: Simultaneous quantification of multiple microbes in complex microbial mixtures. \$35,597, Principal Investigator.
- 2008-2010 Hach Memorial fund: Simultaneous quantification of microbial targets in mixtures using high density arrays. \$25,800, Principal Investigator.
- 2010-2013 National Science Foundation: Major Research Instrumentation: Acquisition of a Roche/454 GS-Jr for Research and Training in Microbiology at Alabama State University. \$107,200 (funded) + 30,000 matching funds. Principal Investigator.
- 2011-2011 Molecular Devices- Microarray Systems: Funding for the Conference entitled "Physical chemistry of DNA hybridizations occurring on the solid surfaces as applied to microarray and bead-based sequencing technologies" at Max-Planck-Institute in Ploen Germany, May 9 to 12, 2011, \$1,500, Principal Investigator.
- 2011-2012 MESC: Microbial community activities in seawater amended with MR252 oil and Corexit 9500. \$35,000, Principal Investigator.
- 2012-2012 ASU Provost Innovation Award: SEED-SET -- SEED money to Strengthen a NIH proposal, Enhance national and international research collaborations at top universities, and Train undergraduate students on a state-of-the-art DNA sequencing instrument. \$6000, Principal Investigator.
- 2012-2012 University of Düsseldorf : Matching funds to SEED-SET grant, \$5,972, Principal Investigator.
- 2013-2014 National Institute of Health R21: Transplantation of health-associated oral microbiome for treatment of periodontitis. Collaboration with University of Washington. (Scored 23).

Approved for funding by NIH – but declined by the University of Washington, Co-Principal Investigator.

- 2014-2015 International Team for Implantology: Submucosal microbiome and titanium corrosion in peri-implantitis. Collaboration with University of Washington and University of Düsseldorf. \$25,500, Co-Principal Investigator.
- 2013-2014 University of California Irvine: DNA sequencing of biofilms from sludge bioreactors. \$10,000, Principal Investigator.
- 2013-2014 University of Düsseldorf: DNA sequencing of canine periodontal samples. \$3,600, Principal Investigator.
- 2014-2017 National Science Foundation: RIA: Life after death: the human thanatomicrobiome in organs as a function of post-mortem interval, \$200,000, Faculty mentor.

### **Short courses, workshops, and other educational programs**

Pathogens in drinking water, waste and recreational water, American Society for Microbiology Workshop, Washington, DC, day-long workshop, 1995.

The identification, enumeration and detection of water-borne microbes, American Society for Microbiology Workshop, New Orleans, Louisiana, day-long workshop, 1996.

Controlling microbes in drinking water: biostability, biofilms, pathogens and disinfectants, American Society for Microbiology Workshop, Miami Beach, Florida, day-long workshop, 1997.

Neural computing approaches for analyzing microbiological data, American Society for Microbiology Workshop, Atlanta, Georgia, day-long workshop, 1998.

Organized an international conference entitled: "Physical chemistry of DNA hybridizations occurring on the solid surfaces as applied to microarray and bead-based sequencing technologies". Max-Planck-Institute in Ploen Germany, May 9 to 12, 2011.

Organized a College workshop entitled: "Use of Roche 454 Pyrosequencer: Genomes, Metagenomes, and Transcriptomes", Alabama State University, Montgomery, AL, Sept. 25th, 2012.

### **Service**

#### **College Service**

NSF ADVANCE Cross-Department Cultural Change Program member: Winter, Spring, Fall 2004-2005  
 Chair of 2013 Research Symposium, Alabama State University, Montgomery AL, March 20-21, 2013  
 Chair of 2014 Research Symposium, Alabama State University, Montgomery AL, March 19-20, 2014  
 Chair of 2015 Research Symposium, Alabama State University, Montgomery AL, March 18-19, 2015

#### **National Service**

2002 NSF Biological Oceanography Review Panel  
 2003 NIH Oral Cavity Review Panel  
 2004 NIH Oral Cavity Review Panel

2006 (Feb and March) EPA Biological Oceanography Review Panels  
 2010 (Feb and March) EPA Star Program Review Panels  
 2011 USDA Review Panel - Animal health and disease  
 2013 NIH Human Microbiome Review Panel  
 2013 NSF Division of Biological Infrastructure Review Panel  
 2015 NSF Division of Biological Review Panel

### All Other Service

Science Judge at 2011 Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation poster competition, Renaissance Hotel, Montgomery AL, April 11, 2011.

Science Judge at 2012 Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students, San Jose, CA, November 7-10, 2012

Sponsored Visiting Professor (at Baruch Institute, Univ. South Carolina): Prof. Jonas S. Almeida, (1998-2000) from New University of Lisbon (Universidade Nova de Lisboa), Portugal. Now: Full Prof. at University of Texas, Huston, TX.

Mentored post-doctoral fellow: Alex Pozhitkov (at University of Washington), He just finished as Research Associate, Max-Planck-Institute for Evolutionary Biology. Ploen, Germany and was a Research Associate and NIH scholar at the University of Washington and Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Institute and is now Associate Director of Informatics at City of Hope Beckman Research Center, CA.

Mentored post-doctoral fellow: Hidetoshi Urakawa at the University of Washington. He was associate professor of The Ocean Research Institute, The University of Tokyo and is now an associate professor in Florida.

### Courses Taught

| University                       | Course    | Course Title          | Quarter     | Credit hours | Students |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------|----------|
| University of California, Irvine | BIO 101   | Intro Biology Course  | Fall 1995   | 3            | 60       |
| University of Washington         | CEE 700   | Graduate Research F06 | Fall 2006   | 2            | 1        |
|                                  | CEE 700   | Graduate Research W07 | Winter 2007 | 2            | 1        |
|                                  | CEE 700   | Graduate Research S07 | Spring 2007 | 2            | 1        |
|                                  | CEE 700   | Graduate Research F08 | Fall 2008   | 2            | 1        |
|                                  | CEE 700   | Graduate Research W09 | Winter 2009 | 10           | 1        |
|                                  | CEE 700   | Graduate Research S09 | Winter 2009 | 2            | 1        |
|                                  | CEE 600   | Graduate Research W09 | Winter 2009 | 3            | 1        |
|                                  | CEE 600   | Graduate Research S09 | Spring 2009 | 3            | 1        |
| Alabama State University         | BIO 730.1 | Microbial Physiology  | Fall 2009   | 3            | 10       |
|                                  | CHE 700.1 | Biochemistry          | Winter 2010 | 3            | 3        |
|                                  | BIO 614   | Applied Microbiology  | Fall 2010   | 4            | 2        |

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|--|-------------|---|-------------|---|----|
|  | BIO 614/702 | Applied Microbiology                    | Winter 2011 | 4 | 2  |
|  | BIO 619/704 | Molecular Genetics                      | Spring 2012 | 4 | 2  |
|  | BIO 614/701 | Applied Microbiology                    | Fall 2012   | 4 | 5  |
|  | BIO 719-01  | Scientific Writing and Presentation     | Winter 2013 | 4 | 1  |
|  | BIO 521     | Bioinstrumentation and Biotechniques    | Summer 2013 | 4 | 6  |
|  | BIO 730.1   | Microbial Physiology                    | Fall 2013   | 3 | 10 |
|  | BIO 740.1   | Environmental Microbiology              | Winter 2014 | 4 | 1  |
|  | BIO 799     | Graduate Research                       | Winter 2014 | 1 | 1  |
|  | BIO805      | Microbial Ecology                       | Summer 2014 | 4 | 4  |
|  | BIO 799     | Graduate Research                       | Summer 2014 | 1 | 1  |
|  | BIO521      | Bioinstrumentation and Biotechniques    | Fall 2014   | 4 | 5  |
|  | BIO 799     | Graduate Research                       | Fall 2014   | 1 | 1  |
|  | BIO835      | Water Microbiology/Distribution Systems | Fall 2014   | 4 | 10 |
|  | BIO730      | Genomes and Genes                       | Spring 2015 | 3 | 3  |
|  | BIO730.1    | Microbial Physiology                    | Fall 2015   | 3 | 1  |
|  | BIO700      | Biostatistics                           | Winter 2016 | 3 | 10 |

### References for Peter A. Noble

1. Dr. Alex Pozhitkov, Senior Technical Lead in Research Applications. Associate Director. City of Hope, Information Sciences - Beckman Research Institute, 4920 Rivergrade Rd., Irwindale, CA 91706 Email: [apozhitkov@coh.org](mailto:apozhitkov@coh.org) Phone: 626 218-6647
2. Dr. Christopher (Kitt) Bagwell, Energy and Environmental Directorate, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, 902 Battelle Boulevard, P.O. Box 999, MSIN P7-59, Richland, WA 99352 Email: [christopher.bagwell@pnl.gov](mailto:christopher.bagwell@pnl.gov) Phone: 509-375-3744
3. Professor Shivani Soni, Department of Biological Sciences, California State University Fullerton, CA, Email: [shivani\\_soni\\_2000@yahoo.com](mailto:shivani_soni_2000@yahoo.com) Phone: 617-501-0937
4. Professor and Chair Oladele Ogunseitan, Department of Population Health & Disease Prevention, Director of Research Education, Training and Career Development, Institute for Clinical and Translational Science, Board Member, UC Global Health Institute University of California, Irvine. 92697 Email: [oladele.ogunseitan@uci.edu](mailto:oladele.ogunseitan@uci.edu) Phone: 949-824-0611
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6. Director Prof. Diethard Tautz, Max-Planck-Institute for Evolutionary Biology, Ploen, Germany, August-Thienemannstrasse 2, 24306 Ploen (Germany) Email: [tautz@evolbio.mpg.de](mailto:tautz@evolbio.mpg.de) Phone: 011 49 4522 763 390
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