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EDUCATION

Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons & Saint Luke's/Roosevelt Hospital
NIH Post-Doctoral Research Fellowship in the Department of Medicine & Obesity
Research Center, 1991 – 1994.

Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine & The Kennedy Institute
Post-Doctoral Fellow in Departments of Pediatrics & Behavioral Psychology,
1990 –1991.

Hofstra University, Hempstead, New York
Ph.D. in Clinical and School Psychology from an APA-approved program, July 1990.

Hofstra University, Hempstead, New York
Master of Arts in Clinical and School Psychology, August 1987.

Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, New York
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology, May 1985.

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

Baylor College of Medicine: June 2025 – Present

Professor of Pediatrics and Endowed Chair via Texas Children's Hospital

Chief of Nutrition and Director, Children's Nutrition Research Center, USDA-ARS

Primary Departmental Affiliation: Pediatrics.

My primary roles as Chief of Nutrition and Director, Children's Nutrition Research Center, USDA-ARS (in addition to being a faculty member) are:

- ***Director within the Children's Nutrition Research Center (CNRC)-USDA-ARS:*** Provide strategic leadership and comprehensive stewardship for a nationally acclaimed and globally influential research center that has advanced pediatric nutrition science for more than four decades. This includes serving as the Chief Academic Officer, setting high expectations for faculty to pursue novel, creative, and impactful research that addresses the nutritional needs of all citizens and contributes to the advancement of agriculture and public health across the United States. Champion interdisciplinary inquiry at the intersection of human, environmental, and economic health outcomes through nutrition science. Oversee all scientific, academic, ethical, and fiscal operations of the CNRC, including stewardship of a \$10M+ USDA budget and additional funding from intramural sources, competitive grants, and philanthropic contributions. Manage promotion, recruitment, and evaluation of faculty; lead strategic visioning initiatives in collaboration with faculty, staff, and students; and set the standard for excellence in programmatic evaluation. Responsible for oversight of the CNRC's physical infrastructure, including an 11-floor research facility, greenhouse, and multiple state-of-the-art laboratories.
- ***Director and Faculty Member connecting to Baylor College of Medicine (BCM):*** Cultivate high-impact collaborations across institutional leadership, including division chiefs, the Chair of the Department of Pediatrics, Vice President of Research, and the President of the University, as well as maintain a close strategic partnership with Texas Children's Hospital and its executive leadership and academic teams. Contribute to shaping institutional priorities by developing mentoring and training programs, aligning with philanthropic initiatives, and advancing shared

goals between Texas Children's Hospital and BCM. Foster interdisciplinary alliances with leading research centers such as the Texas Medical Center Digestive Disease Center, the Houston Nutrition Obesity Research Center (H-NORC), the Jan and Dan Duncan Neurological Research Institute, the Genetic Disorders of Obesity Program at Texas Children's, and the Center for Pediatric Abdominal Pain Research. Advance innovative research, clinical excellence, philanthropic efforts, and academic leadership across the pediatric and biomedical landscape through these dynamic partnerships.

- **CNRC Director as ambassador to partners and society at large beyond the university:** Strengthen institutional ties with other nutrition research centers funded by the USDA across the country, as well as non-USDA-affiliated institutions engaged in nutrition science. Lead strategic engagement with the USDA to ensure effective program oversight and coordination, while cultivating communication with elected officials and government agencies including the National Institutes of Health (NIH), Food and Drug Administration (FDA), National Academy of Medicine (NAM) Engineering and Science, National Science Foundation, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), Department of Defense (DOD), and other relevant institutions. Provide expert consultation on nutrition-related issues, advocates for increased funding to support the broader field and the center specifically and advises national leadership on matters of nutrition policy and research. I am additionally responsible for reputation-building, philanthropic fundraising from private and individual donors, emeritus faculty relations, partnership building, contract acquisitions, promoting interest among potential donors, student recruits, faculty candidates, federal and state elected officials, leaders of other universities, academic societies, federal and state agencies, and foundations within and beyond the United States.
- PAST EMPLOYMENT

Indiana University Bloomington: August 2017 – 2025¹

Dean, School of Public Health.

Provost Professor (tenured). Provost professors “have achieved local, national, and international acclaim both for their research/creative activity and for their teaching”² and Indiana University.

Primary Departmental Affiliation: Department of Epidemiology & Biostatistics.

Coined “*It’s about knowing*” as the tagline for the School of Public Health, and the extended motto “*It’s about knowing. Because conjecture is good but knowing is better.*” He conceived a book by the title “It’s About Knowing” written principally by Susan Brackney and co-authored by Dr. Allison (<https://publichealth.indiana.edu/research/IAK-book.html>).

♦ ***Distinguished Professor*** (2018 – current). “Distinguished Professor is a University-wide appointment, recognizes international accomplishments, is to be limited in number, and is to be recommended to the Board by the Office of the President in order to confer richly deserved prestige and honor on those selected to receive this designation” (Indiana University Policy).

My primary roles as Dean (in addition to being a faculty member) were:

¹ I maintain an unpaid IU faculty appointment from July 2025 to present.

² <https://vpfaa.indiana.edu/>

- ***Dean within the school:*** This involved final fiscal, ethical, scientific, academic, and responsibility for all other activities within the school; serving as the Chief Academic Officer of the school, setting the standard for excellence in evaluation, helping to or leading the organization of visioning activities from the school, faculty, staff, and students, and participating in those activities.
- ***Dean outside the school but within the university:*** Partnered, as Dean, with others outside the university: This included engaging with other deans, vice presidents, institute and center directors within the university for initiating and stewarding cross-school, cross-campus, and other collaborative endeavors and advising the IU President, Provost, and Board of Trustees on selected matters ranging from pandemic management, to budgetary crises, to recruitment priorities, to sensitive ethical matters.
- ***Dean as ambassador to society at large beyond the university:*** I was additionally responsible for reputation-building, fundraising, alumni relations, partnership building, contract acquisitions, promoting interest among potential donors, student recruits, faculty candidates, federal and state elected officials, leaders of other universities, academic societies, federal and state agencies, foundations within and beyond the United States, and international partnership promotion. Much of my time was devoted to travel to achieve these objectives.

Selected Accomplishments as Dean:

In my first five-plus years after joining IU as the then-new dean of our relatively new School of Public Health-Bloomington, I was charged with fostering collaboration between university leadership and SPH-B to help our school metamorphose from its nascent form to an established, 21st century, nationally competitive and ranked, science-based school of public health known for its academic excellence.

A small subset of notable milestones includes:

- Annual grants & contracts expenses grew from \$8 million in 2017 to \$21 million in 2023.
- Extramural grant indirect cost funding grew from \$1.2 million in 2017 to 4.1 million in 2023.
- Percentage of faculty salary covered by extramural projects and grants grew from 4.8% in 2017 to 14.8% in 2023.
- Net operating revenue grew from \$32 million in 2017 to \$44 million in 2023.
- Total SPH-B financial support of graduate students grew from \$5.3 million in 2017 to \$6.8 million in 2023.

The University of Alabama at Birmingham – Primary Roles

♦ ***Distinguished Professor*** (2011 – 2017). “Distinguished Professor is a campus-wide appointment, recognizes international accomplishments, is to be limited in number, and is to be recommended to the Board by the appropriate President and the Chancellor in order to confer richly deserved prestige and honor on those selected to receive this designation” (UAB Faculty Handbook). Dr. Allison was the 21st person to receive this distinction in the history of UAB.

October 2016 – August 2017, my two primary roles within UAB (in addition to being a faculty member) were as follows.

Associate Dean for Research & Science of the School of Health Professions

As Associate Dean for Research & Science, I served as part of the School's leadership team. I advised the dean and contributed to the School's development (philanthropic fund-raising campaign). My mission was to promote the highest levels of scientific achievement in terms of rigor, quality, impact, funding, and productivity. I was charged with developing a research promotion program involving seminars and services to facilitate, encourage, and support the School's scientific enterprise. I had responsibility for assessing the School's scientific productivity and needs and constructing a plan that met those needs. Those goals were achieved.

Director, Nutrition Obesity Research Center and Director, Office of Energetics

Position entailed: (a) Grew and lead Center of over 130 members; (b) Obtained competitive renewals of NIH Center Grant; (c) Developed, obtained funding for, and lead extramurally funded training programs in obesity; (c) arranged and oversaw educational enrichment program of seminars, courses, workshops, and national conferences; (d) conducted original research on the causes, consequences, and treatment and prevention of obesity; I Facilitated the nutrition and obesity research of other investigators by funding core laboratories and pilot grants; (f) mentored students, fellows, and young faculty; (g) supervised administrative staff; (h) Promoted new cross-campus collaborations; and (i) publicity and fund-raising.

As Director of the Office of Energetics (with energetics being the study of the causes, mechanisms, and consequences of the acquisition, storage, and utilization of metabolizable energy by biological organisms), I was responsible for developing unique programs and initiatives for this highly collaborative Office. These programs and initiatives addressed obesity and related factors from multiple perspectives that provided new insights.

July 2011 through September 2016, my two primary roles within the University were as follows.

Associate Dean for Science of the School of Public Health

As Associate Dean for Science, I played a major role the School's development (philanthropic fund-raising campaign), had responsibility for promoting higher levels of scientific investigation and developed a comprehensive Research Support Program that offered programs, seminars, and services that facilitated, encouraged, and supported the School's scientific enterprise. I also established programs for the publicity for UAB's research activities and restructuring of the School's IT Department.

In this role I led and/or participated in activities including:

- School Reaccreditation (CEPH)
- School-Level Strategic Planning
- Fund-raising
- Faculty Recruitment
- Development of graduate student and post-doctoral training programs
- Grant promotions
- Managing challenging ethical/personnel issues
- Representing the School on University committees and projects related to research
- Budgeting and fiscal management

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The University of Alabama at Birmingham – Past Primary Roles (2001 – 2011)

Primary Appointment: ***Professor of Biostatistics***. My primary roles within the University were.

Head, Section on Statistical Genetics

Position entailed: (a) Built and lead Section on Statistical Genetics; (b) conducted original research in design and statistical analysis methods with particular emphasis on statistical genetics; (c) conducted original research on the causes, consequences, and treatment and prevention of diseases areas; (d) collaborated with other investigators on their projects, particularly with respect to data analysis, and training students, interns and post-doctoral fellows; (e) developed curricula and participating in graduate level education; (f) supervised faculty, fellows, and staff; and (g) fund-raised and administration.

Director, Nutrition Obesity Research Center

Position (appointed 2003) entailed: (a) Grew and lead Center; (b) Obtained competitive renewals of NIH Core Grant; (c) Developed, obtained funding for, and lead extramurally funded training programs in obesity research; (c) arranged and oversaw educational enrichment program of seminars, workshops, and national conferences; (d) conducted original research on the causes, consequences, and treatment and prevention of obesity; (d) Facilitated the nutrition and obesity research of other investigators by funding core laboratories and pilot grants; (f) mentored students, fellows, and young faculty; (g) supervised administrative staff; and (g) fund-raised.

Other Notable Roles within UAB

- Head, Section of Statistical Genetics (SSG), Dept of Biostatistics, 2001 – 2011. Founded SSG in 2001. At peak, SSG included 13 full- time faculty, and roughly 40 total personnel, with a total annual budget of ~ \$3 to 4 million.
- Associate Director of Clinical Nutrition Research Center, 2001 – 2003.
- Acting Director of Clinical Nutrition Research Center, Jan – May 2003.
- Director of Nutrition Obesity Research Center (NORC; formerly called Clinical Nutrition Research Center), 2003 – 2017.
- Senior Scientist, UAB Arthritis and Musculoskeletal Center, 2002 – 2017.
- Senior Scientist UAB's Center for Outcomes and Effectiveness Research and Education (COERE), 2002 – 2017.
- Senior Scientist of UAB Comprehensive Cancer Center, 2003 – 2017.
- Senior Scientist, UAB Minority Health and Research Center, 2003 – 2017.
- Internal Advisory Committee member for UAB's Center for Aging Research, 2005 – 2017.
- Senior Scientist, UAB Center for Aging Research, 2005 – 2017.
- Senior Scientist, UAB Comprehensive Diabetes Center, 2008 – 2017.
- Senior Scientist, UAB Center for AIDS Research, 2008 – 2017.
- Senior Scientist, UAB Center for Cardiovascular Biology, 2010 – 2017.
- See '*INTRAMURAL COMMITTEE & SERVICE WORK*' section for additional UAB appointments.

Prior to UAB

June 1994 to March 2001

The New York Obesity Research Center, Saint Luke's/Roosevelt Hospital Center. Position: Associate Research Scientist. Position entailed designing and conducting original research in the causes, consequences, and treatment and prevention of obesity and related areas, collaborating with other investigators on their projects, particularly with respect to data analysis, and training students, interns and post-doctoral fellows.

- Member of Executive Committee.
- Associate Director of Biostatistics & Computing Sub-Core.
- Associate Director of Post-Doctoral Fellow Training Program.

PAST ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

October 2016 – 2017

Primary Appointment

Distinguished Professor, Department of Nutrition Sciences, Associate Dean for Research & Science, (with tenure) – University of Alabama at Birmingham, School of Health Professions.

Secondary Appointments

Professor, Department of Biology, College of Arts & Sciences, UAB.
Professor, Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, UAB.

Professor, Department of Genetics, School of Medicine, UAB.
 Professor, Department of Medicine, School of Medicine, UAB.

July 2011 – September 2016

Primary Appointment

Distinguished Professor, Quetelet Endowed Professor of Public Health, Associate Dean for Science, (with tenure) – University of Alabama at Birmingham, School of Public Health.

Secondary Appointments

Professor, Department of Biology, College of Arts & Sciences, UAB.
 Professor, Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, UAB.
 Professor, Department of Nutrition Sciences, School of Health Professions, UAB.
 Professor, Department of Genetics, School of Medicine, UAB.
 Professor, Department of Medicine, School of Medicine, UAB.

March 2001 – June 2011

Primary Appointment

Professor of Biostatistics (with tenure) – University of Alabama at Birmingham, School of Public Health, Department of Biostatistics.

Secondary Appointments

Professor, Department of Nutrition Sciences, University of Alabama at Birmingham.
 Professor, Department of Genetics, University of Alabama at Birmingham.
 Professor, Department of Medicine, Division of Rheumatology, University of Alabama at Birmingham.

April 1999 – March 2001 Associate Professor of Medical Psychology (in Psychiatry) - Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons.

December 1998 – June 2001 Doctoral Program Subcommittee on Nutrition Member, Columbia University Institute of Human Nutrition.

July 1997 – 2000 Assistant Professor (adjunct) of Psychology (in Psychiatry) in the Associated Faculty of the School of Medicine – University of Pennsylvania.

September 1994 – March 1999 Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychology (in Psychiatry) - Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons.

HONORS & AWARDS

- Selected by the Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) Board of Governors to serve on the national Methodology Committee (“MC”), 2025 to Present.
- Recipient of the Irving Wright Award of Distinction of the American Federation for Aging Research that honors individuals who have made exceptional contributions to basic or clinical research, or to the encouragement of such research in the field of aging, 2025.
- Elected as an inaugural Excellence in Nutrition Fellow of American Society for Nutrition (ASN) in recognition of outstanding contributions to the field of nutrition and dedication to advancing the science and practice of nutrition, 2025.
- Elected as President – Elect, President, & Past President by Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Honor Society (see: <https://www.sigmaxi.org/news/article/2024/12/13/new-leaders-chosen-in-2024-sigma-xi-elections>), 2025 – 2028.
- Selected as the 2024-2025 Distinguished Lecturer by the Physiologists in Training group at the University of Mississippi Medical Center.
- Appointed to *Open to Debate* Advisory Council, 2024-present. “Open to Debate is the nation’s only nonpartisan, debate-driven media organization dedicated to bringing multiple viewpoints together for a constructive, balanced, respectful exchange of ideas. Open to Debate is a platform for intellectually curious and open-minded people to engage with others holding opposing views on complex issues.” <https://lnkd.in/gc2Fw4Xe>
- Elected to Delta Omega, the public health honorary society, and to the Indiana Chapter, Gamma Beta, 2024.
- Elected to the Cosmos Club, an exceptional community of history and prestige founded in 1878, 2024.
- Elected to Fellowship in AGE of the American Aging Association, 2024. Fellow status is a distinction awarded by the association based on contributions to the biology of the aging field and to continued efforts and support of the American Aging Association.
- Inaugural Hofstra College of Liberal Arts and Science, Hofstra University Alumni Award for 2024.
- Select as the 2024 Annual Endowed Sokatch Lecturer by the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center.
- Participated by invitation in the President’s Council of Advisors on Technology (PCAST) Advancing Science and Nutrition Workshop to discuss with a wide range of stakeholders’ potential recommendations to the President to help develop and implement “a coordinated federal vision for advancing nutrition science” held at the White House, November 2023.
- Elected as a Sigma Xi Fellow, 2023.
- Inducted into the Academy for Health and Lifespan Research, 2023, the first global non-profit group focused on accelerating breakthroughs in the expansion of the human health span. Inductees are nominated by the world’s leading geroscientists and illustrate the wide range of talent in the science of aging ecosystem, <https://www.ahlresearch.org/>
- Recipient of the 2023 Bodil M. Schmidt-Nielsen Distinguished Mentor and Scientist Award from the American Physiological Society (APS). This award honors a member of the Society who is judged to have made outstanding contributions to physiological research and demonstrated dedication to excellence in training and mentoring of junior physiologists.
- Recipient of the 2022 *Hoebel Prize for Creativity* from the Society for the Study of Ingestive Behavior (SSIB). This award recognizes a member for an exceptional level of creativity and

excellence in his or her research on ingestive behavior (<https://www.ssib.org/web/awards.php>).

- Co-Recipient of the Anatomical Society Aging Cell Best Paper Award 2021 (<https://anatsoc.org.uk/funding-and-awards/prizes/aging-cell-best-paper-prize>) by the Council of Anatomical Society for paper: Mikolaj, O., Evans, S. A., Fielder, E., Victorelli, S., Kruger, P., Salmonwicz, H., Weigand, B. M., Patel, A. D., Pirtskhalava, T., Inman, C. L., Johnson, K. O., Dickinson, S. L., Rocha, A., Schafer, M. J., Zhu, Y., Allison, D. B., von Zglinicki, T., LeBrasseur, N. K., Tchkonja, T., Passos, J. F., Neretti, N., Kirkland, J. L., & Jurk, D. (2021). Whole-body senescent cell clearance alleviates age-related brain inflammation and cognitive impairment in mice. *Aging Cell*. doi.org/10.1111/ace.13296
- Selected as a 2022 Hooker Distinguished Visiting Professor for the Department of Health Research Methods, Evidence and Impact (HEI) at McMaster University.
- Selected as Distinguished Lecturer, 2022-2024 by Sigma Xi, the Scientific Honor Society.
- Recognized as an Expertscape Expert in Both Weightscape.com/ex/weight+loss/s/in) and Pubpaperscape.com/ex/publishing/s/in), 2022.
- Recipient of the 2021 *Friends of Albert (Mickey) Stunkard Lifetime Achievement Award* from [The Obesity Society](#). This award recognizes individuals who have made a lifetime of outstanding contributions to the field of obesity in terms of scholarship, mentorship, and education.
- Recipient of the Don Owen Award sponsored by the San Antonio Chapter of the American Statistical Association and Taylor & Francis and hosted by Texas A&M University, 2020. The award is given to a statistician who embodies the three-fold accomplishments of Dr. Donald B. Owen who excelled in the areas of research, statistical consultation, and service to the statistical community.
- Recipient of the 2020 Pfizer Nutritional Science Award by the American Society for Nutrition (ASN) and its Foundation.
- Testified before the U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Science, Space, and Technology's hearing "Strengthening Transparency or Silencing Science? The Future of Science in EPA Rulemaking" as a member of NASEM's Reproducibility and Replicability in Science Committee held November 1. <https://web.archive.org/web/2022120214900/https://blogs.iu.edu/iusph/2019/11/18/dean-david-allison-testifies-before-house-committee-on-science-space-and-technology/>
- Selected to receive The *Harry V. Roberts Statistical Advocate of the Year Award* from the American Statistical Association, 2018.
- Elected to *European Academy of Sciences and Arts*, 2018.
- Elected to the *Academia Europaea*, 2017. *Academia Europaea* is the only Europe-wide Academy with individual membership from Council of Europe states and other nations across the world and is an organisation of eminent, individual scientists and scholars, covering the full range of academic disciplines.
- Selected to receive the *Thomas A. Wadden Award for Distinguished Mentorship* from the Obesity Society, 2017.
- Elected a fellow to the Academy of Behavioral Medicine Research, 2017.
- Received Texas A&M Department of Health & Kinesiology Scholar Award, the department's highest honor bestowed to colleagues in the field and delivered Distinguished Lecture April 2017.

- Received the American College of Nutrition's Mark Bieber Professional Award, 2016.
- Selected to deliver the 2016 Indiana University School of Medicine Corcoran Lecture and distinguished endowed lectureship. Lecture delivered October 2016.
- Invited to and attended *The White House by the Office of Science and Technology Policy* to participate in a symposium on *STEM mentoring and volunteering*, August 2016.
- Elected a Fellow of the American Heart Association (FAHA) conferred by the Council on Lifestyle and Cardiometabolic Health, 2015.
- Selected as annual 'Blackburn Lecturer,' 2015. Each year, the Blackburn Lectureship honors the seminal accomplishments of a leader in Obesity Medicine, who gives a state-of-the-art lecture at Harvard's *Blackburn Course in Obesity Medicine*.
- Awarded the 'F1000 Faculty Member of the Year Award 2014' for the Diabetes & Endocrinology Faculty.
- Elected as a Fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine, 2014.
- Elected as a Fellow of the Gerontological Society of America, 2014.
- Selected for the 2014 Carl J. Martinson, MD, Lectureship in Preventive Medicine by the University of Minnesota.
- Selected as the 2014 Atwater Lecturer by the USDA and the American Society for Nutrition. The W.O. Atwater Lectureship was established in 1968 to honor the memory of Wilbur Olin Atwater (1844 – 1907) and to recognize scientists who have made unique contributions toward improving the diet and nutrition of people around the world.
- Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Honor Society – Elected to Membership, 2014.
- Appointed a Faculty Member of F1000Prime (<http://f1000.com/prime>), 2014.
- Selected as the 1st prize of "International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health Best Paper Award 2014" and received 600 CHF for paper: Elobeid, M. A., Padilla, M. A., Brock, D. W., Ruden, D. M., & Allison, D. B. (2010). Endocrine disruptors and obesity: An examination of selected Persistent organic pollutants in the NHANES 1999 –2002 Data. *International Journal of Environmental Research in Public Health* 7, 2988-300.; doi:10.3390/ijerph7072988
- Selected as the 2013 Joy Goodwin Distinguished Lecturer by Auburn University.
- Selected for membership in the national public health honor society, Delta Omega, 2013.
- Recipient of 2013 the Wright Gardner Award from the Alabama Academy of Science. This award was established by the Alabama Academy of Science to honor individuals whose research work during residence in Alabama has been outstanding.
- Elected to membership in the Johns Hopkins Society of Scholars in 2013. The Society was established in 1967 by the trustees of the University to honor distinguished former Johns Hopkins postdoctoral fellows and junior or visiting faculty who have served at least a year at Johns Hopkins and thereafter gained marked distinction elsewhere in their fields.
- Recipient of American Society of Nutrition's 2013 Dannon Institute Mentorship Award.
- Recipient of UAB Graduate Dean's Excellence in Mentorship Award for 2013.

Elected to National Academy of Medicine (formerly the Institute of Medicine) of the United States National Academies, 2012.

- Appointed the first Quetelet Endowed Professor of Public Health by the University of Alabama at Birmingham, 2012.
- Elected to Fellowship in the Institute of Mathematical Statistics, 2012.
- Selected as the 2011 UAB Distinguished Faculty Lecturer Award. The Distinguished Faculty Lecturer Award honors individuals in the Academic Health Center of the University of Alabama at Birmingham who have made major contributions in education, research, or service. It is the highest award UAB gives on the Health Sciences campus.
- Selected as 2011 Annual Delta Omega Honorary Society Lecturer by the University of South Carolina. Presented talk entitled: "Obesity: A Look Through the Kaleidoscope."
- Member of National Institutes of Health College of CSR Reviewers, appointed 2010.
- Recipient of the 2009 TOPS Research Achievement Award from the Obesity Society (formerly NAASO). This award recognizes an individual for singular achievement or contribution to research in the field of obesity. Recipients receive a \$5,000 cash prize plus a travel grant to the Annual Scientific Meeting. The award was presented during a plenary session at the annual meeting at which the recipient delivers the TOPS Award Lecture.
- Recipient of the American Society of Nutrition's Centrum Center for Nutrition Science Award. Given in recognition of recent investigative contributions of significance to the basic understanding of human nutrition. Conferred at ceremony at the Experimental Biology meeting in 2009.
- Elected as a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), 2009.
- Elected as a Fellow of the Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM), 2009.
- Faculty mentor of the year nominee at the Compact for Faculty Diversity Institute on Teaching and Mentoring, 2009.
- Elected as a Fellow of the American Psychological Association (APA), 2008.
- Recipient of a 2008 Minority Health Research Center (MHRC) Charles Barkley Excellence in Mentoring Award. Award conferred by Charles Barkley at MHRC Gala.

Recipient of a 2006 Presidential Award for Excellence in Science, Mathematics and Engineering Mentoring (PAESMEM). The White House established the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Science, Mathematics and Engineering Mentoring (PAESMEM) to identify outstanding mentoring efforts to enhance the participation of groups underrepresented in science, mathematics and engineering. The awards are given competitively as part of a national peer-review process. This is the nation's highest award for mentoring given to no more than 10 individuals nationally each year. It was accompanied by a \$10,000 prize, a Presidential certificate awarded at the White House on November 16, 2007, and a personal visit with President Bush in the Oval Office.

- Elected as a Fellow of the American Statistical Association (ASA), 2007, a distinction given to no more than one-third of 1% of the membership annually.

- Elected Fellow of the Association for Psychological Science (APS), previously The American Psychological Society, 2007.
- Selected as a 2007 John H. Blaffer Lecturer by the MD Anderson Cancer Center.
- Selected as the Spring 2006 York Distinguished Lecturer by the University of Florida.
- Selected as 2006 Residents' Invitational Grand Rounds Lecturer for the Department of Psychiatry at Washington University of St. Louis.
- Recipient of the 2005 UAB School of Public Health Distinguished Faculty Investigator Award.
- Elected as Fellow of the Society for Design and Process Science (SDPS), 2004.
- Recipient of the 2002 Andre Mayer Award from the International Association for the Study of Obesity (IASO). This international award is given once every four years to signify outstanding achievement by an investigator who is less than 40 years old. Award conferred August 2002 and accompanied by a \$1,000 prize.
- Recipient of the 2002 Lilly Scientific Achievement Award from the North American Association for the Study of Obesity (NAASO). This annual award is intended to signify outstanding achievement by an investigator who is within 15 years of having received their doctoral degree. Accompanied by a \$5,000 prize.
- Recipient of the 2000 Wodecroft Investigator Award from the National Alliance for Research on Schizophrenia and Affective Disorders.
- Recipient of the 1999 Award for Outstanding Achievement in Health Psychology from the Health Psychology Division of the American Psychological Association.
- Visiting Professor at Guy's & St. Thomas' Trust Hospital's Twin Research & Genetic Epidemiology Unit, London England, 1999 – 2000.
- Recipient of the 1996 Neal Miller Early Career Award from the Academy of Behavioral Medicine. Award accompanied by \$1,500 prize.
- Received Bursary Award from the Ciba Foundation to attend Symposium on *The Origins and Consequences of Obesity* in Kingston, Jamaica, November 27-30, 1995. Award paid all expenses to conference and provided full support to visit and study in another scientist's laboratory. I studied statistical gene mapping strategies with Nicholas Schork and Robert Elston at Case Western Reserve University from January 1996 to February 1996.
- Received 1995 Young Investigators award for travel to and attendance at FASEB Summer Conference on *Genetic Aspects of Obesity and Energy Regulation*.
- Recipient of the 1994 Theodore Tjossom Post-Doctoral Award for paper: Allison, D. B., Heshka, S., Sepulveda, D., Babbitt, R. L., & Heymsfield, S. *Resting Metabolic Rate Among Persons with Down Syndrome*. Award accompanied by \$400 prize.
- Finalist (one of three) for the Society for Clinical Trials' Student and Post-Doctoral Fellow Scholarship Awards for: Allison, D. B., & Pi-Sunyer, F. X. *Optimal Stage I Screening Criteria to Minimize Clinical Trial Recruitment Costs*. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Clinical Trials, May 1994.
- Finalist for 1993 North American Association for the Study of Obesity Young Investigator Award for study: Allison, D. B., Neale, M. C., Heshka, S., & Heymsfield, S. B. *Race Effects in the Genetics of Adolescents' Body Mass Index*.
- Received Travel Award to Young Investigators at the 1993 FASEB Summer Conference on *Genetic Aspects of Obesity and Energy Regulation* held in Copper Mountain Colorado.

- Received 1992 Clinical Nutrition Fellows Award by the American Society for Clinical Nutrition for: Allison, D. B., Heshka, S., & Heymsfield, S. B. *The Independent Effects of Age on Metabolic Rate: A "Mini-Meta-Analysis."* Award accompanied by \$750 prize.
- Received Merit Citation from Society for Behavioral Medicine for: Murphy, C. M., Babbitt, R. L., Allison, D. B., & Patterson, H. L. *The Prevalence and Characterization of Obesity Among Children with Developmental Disabilities Compared to Nondevelopmentally Disabled Controls.* Paper presented to the Society for Behavioral Medicine, 1992.
- Nominated for the 21st Annual James McKeen Cattell Award of the New York Academy of Sciences for an outstanding doctoral dissertation in psychology, 1990 – 91.
- Nominated for Robinson Award for best dissertation at Hofstra University in 1990.

KEY LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

IN FUND-RAISING, EDUCATION, TRAINING & RESEARCH PROMOTION (selected)

- **Obesity & Energetics Offerings**
Distributed to over 100,000 subscribers worldwide, the *Obesity & Energetics Offerings* (OEOs) began informally well more than two decades ago. Today, the service is formalized and involves the distribution of approximately 100 or more titles and links to online content from the scholarly literature and other sources regarding obesity and energetics each Friday of each week. Subscription is free and the OEOs receive no commercial support. We receive enormous positive praise for this effort to elevate scholarly dialogue and inform the interested community about thought-provoking, creative, and important findings and opinions in the domain of obesity and energetics. This program grew up "organically" from Dr. Allison communicating with his colleagues and receiving their enthusiastic encouragement to continue. Dr. Allison conceived, developed, and continues to direct and serve as editor-in-chief of this activity. The OEOs serve to both educate trainees who work on producing it as well as providing an educational and informational venue for the world as a whole. Since its instantiation far more than a decade ago, not a single week has been missed despite pandemics, power outages, and any other factors going on in the world. We make sure that every Friday this opportunity to think together about obesity and energetics is shared with the world.
- **Established the "William Sealy 'Student' Gosset Professorship" in Biostatistics at UAB.** Conceived the idea and raised the endowment funds. Approved by UAB's Board of Trustees in 2008. This is the first endowed professorship in UAB's School of Public Health.
- **Established the "Sir David Cox Professorship" in Biostatistics at UAB.** Conceived the idea and raised the endowment funds. Approved by UAB's Board of Trustees in 2010. This is the second endowed professorship in UAB's School of Public Health.
- **Established the "Quetelet Endowed Professor of Public Health" at UAB.** Conceived the idea and raised the endowment funds. Approved by UAB's Board of Trustees in 2012. This is the third endowed professorship in UAB's School of Public Health.
- **Established the "Antoine Lavoisier Endowed Professorship of Energetics and Healthy Lifestyles" at UAB.** Conceived the idea and raised the endowment funds. Approved by UAB's Board of Trustees in 2014. This is the fourth endowed professorship in UAB's School of Public Health.
- **Founding Editor-in-Chief (Field Chief Editor) of Frontiers in Genetics,** an open-source peer-reviewed journal, 2010.
- **Developed & Established Campus-Wide 'Biguan' Program,** a coaching and 'secluded writing' program for helping both senior and early-career faculty and scientists produce better grant applications with greater ease and speed implemented at UAB.

- **Science Unbound Foundation (SUF)**. Founded and still serves as the President of the SUF. The SUF is an IRS-approved 501c3 not-for-profit foundation that was inaugurated on 6/17/03 and has as its mission: "Furthering scientific knowledge in the service of health, happiness, and quality of life of humankind through scientific research and education." The Foundation provides annual awards to investigators for papers published in 5 categories: (UAB) obesity or nutrition, (UAB) statistical genetics, (UAB) general statistics, (UAB Student) obesity-related research, & (New York Obesity Research Center, St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital/Columbia University) obesity-related.
- **Janet L. Norwood Award for Outstanding Achievement by A Woman in The Statistical Sciences**. Conceived and established the award not only to recognize Dr. Norwood's achievements, but also to recognize the contribution of all women to the statistical sciences.
- **Short Course "Statistical Genetics & Genomics."** Principal Investigator & Director of National Science Foundation-funded national short course held annually from 2008 – 2010.
- **Short Course "Statistical Genetics for Obesity & Nutrition Researchers."** Principal Investigator & Director of NIDDK-funded national short course "Statistical Genetics for Obesity & Nutrition Researchers" (R01DK056366 & R56DK056366). Six courses held with roughly 50 students per course for the grant period from 7/1/00 – 6/30/06.
- **Short Course "Frontiers in Statistical Genetics for NIAMS Researchers."** Co-Director of NIAMS-funded national short course "Frontiers in Statistical Genetics for NIAMS Researchers" (R13AR051126). Two courses held with roughly 50 students per course for the grant period 6/1/04 – 5/31/06.
- **Short Course on "Design and Analysis of Plant Microarray Experimentation."** Principal Investigator & Director of NSF-funded national short course offered as part of "Design and Analysis of Plant Microarray Experimentation" (grant # 0217651). Two courses held with roughly 50 students per course for the grant period 10/1/02 – 9/30/06.
- **UAB Statistical Genetics Postdoctoral Training Program**. Principal Investigator & Director of NHLBI-funded T32HL072757 "UAB Statistical Genetics Postdoctoral Training Program" for postdoctoral fellows. Wrote initial grant application to obtain funding for program, responsible for recruitment of fellows, overseeing implementation of program, mentoring other mentors, and mentoring selected fellows. 6 slots per year for the grant period 4/01/09 – 3/31/13.
- **UAB Obesity Post-Doctoral Training Program**. Principal Investigator & Director of NIDDK-funded T32DK062710 "UAB Obesity Training Program" for postdoctoral fellows. Wrote initial grant application to obtain funding for program, responsible for recruitment of fellows, overseeing implementation of program, mentoring other mentors, and mentoring selected fellows. 4 slots per year for the grant period 6/1/04 – 5/20/09.
- **UAB NHLBI-funded Obesity Pre-Doctoral Training Program**. Principal Investigator & Director "UAB Pre-Doctoral Training Program in Obesity Related Research." A T32 pre-doctoral training grant from the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (T32HL105349 with 8 slots per year for the grant period 09/22/2010 – 08/31/2015.
- **Kraft-UAB Obesity Pre-Doctoral Training Program**. Principal Investigator & Director of Kraft Foods-funded grant to offer pre-doctoral training fellowships to Ph.D. students studying obesity-related research at UAB for the period 2006 – 2013.
- **UAB Biostatistics Pre-doctoral Training Program**. Initial Principal Investigator & Director of NHLBI-funded 32HL079888 "UAB Biostatistics Pre-doctoral Training Program" predoctoral fellows. Wrote initial grant application to obtain funding for program, was responsible for recruitment of fellows, oversaw implementation of program, mentored other mentors, mentored selected fellows, for the initial grant period. Then passed Directorship to Hemant Tiwari.
- **Hughes Med-Grad (HMG) Fellowship Program** for predoctoral fellows, Principal Investigator Thomas Clemens Ph.D. Assisted Dr. Clemens in conceiving program and writing grant

application to the Howard Hughes Medical Institute. Served as a member of the HMG Development Committee, Core Leadership team, Co-Directed the Quantitative Methods course, and as a potential mentor for fellows. The program aims to create a new pathway of graduate education designed to give Ph.D. students a more targeted exposure of human biology and disease. The interdepartmental program pairs students with mentors conducting cutting edge disease-based research and provides exposure to patient-oriented, case-based topics, clinical research design and understanding of drug discovery. 6 slots, 4/1/06 – 3/31/10.

- **Chair of UAB's Council of Center Directors.** Elected 2008. Served as Chair-Elect in 2009 and Chair in 2010. UAB's Council of Center Directors is the key convening body for the over 20 University-Wide Interdisciplinary Research Centers on campus that collectively represent on the order of 80% or more of the research conducted at UAB.
- **Creation of Professional Scientist Career Track at the University.** Conceived and led the university-level creation of a career track for professional non-faculty scientists with positions labeled *Scientist I* through *Scientist IV*. Approved by University in 2016.

FORMAL LEADERSHIP TRAINING

Successfully completed Leadership Training in the Executive Education program at Duke University's Fuqua School of Business, 2010.

Selected to Participate in and successfully completed University Presidential Preparation Training with national association specializing in academic administrator leadership.

PATENT(S)

- Patent Pending US 20130261470 A1 Systems and methods for estimating body composition: <http://www.google.com/patents/US20130261470>. Current Status: Abandoned.

BOARDS OF TRUSTEES

- Chairman of the Board of Trustees for the International Life Science Institute, North America, 2013 – 2015.
- Member of the Board of Trustees for the International Life Science Institute, North America, 2002 – 2019.
- Vice-Chair of the Board of Trustees for the International Life Science Institute, North America, 2011 – 2013.

SERVICE TO THE NATIONAL ACADEMIES

Provide regular service to the National Academies (NASEM), including the National Academy of Sciences and the National Academy of Medicine (of which I am an elected member). Examples follow below.

- Selected to serve and serve as Review Coordinator of the draft workshop proceedings—On Leading a Lab: Improving Regulatory Efficiency and Reducing Administrative Workload in Research? for the National Academy of Sciences, 2025.
- Invited panel moderator for “*Leveraging Data for Precision Health and Personalized Care*” at the National Academy of Medicine's (NAM's) 2025 Emerging Leaders in Health and Medicine (ELHM) Forum at the National Academy of Sciences Building in Washington, DC.

- Appointed Member on the National Academy of Medicine's Emerging Leaders in Health and Medicine (ELHM) Advisory Committee, 2022-present. Mentor-panelist-discussant at multiple annual meetings.
- Appointed to serve on the planning committee for the National Academies' "Reimagining STEMM Graduate Education and Postdoctoral Career Development" Summit, 2025.
- Reviewer for Health and Medicine Division of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine draft report by the Evidence Base for the Lyme Infection-Associated Chronic Illness Treatment committee, 2025.
- Invited speaker/panelist at the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine's (NASEM) [Roundtable on the Promotion of Health Equity](#) workshop on "Exploring the Changing Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Legislation and Policy Landscape and its Impact on Health and Public Health's Workforce, Education, Training, and Research" held October 9, 2024.
- Elected as 2024 Chair of Interest Group IG12 (Nutrition, Diabetes, and Obesity).
- Elected to the Board on Science, Technology, and Economic Policy (STEP), 2024.
- Selected to serve and serve a Review Coordinator of the draft workshop proceedings—On Leading a Lab: Strengthening Scientific Leadership in Responsible Research—for the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine, 2024.
- Served on the IG12 (Nutrition, Diabetes, and Obesity) planning meeting, 2023.
- Served on the planning committee to develop the National Academy of Medicine's 2024 - 2029 Strategic Plan, 2023.
- Consultant on National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine; Health and Medicine Division; Food and Nutrition Board; Committee on the Dietary Reference Intakes for Energy. Dietary Reference Intakes for Energy. Washington (DC): National Academies Press (US); 2023 Jan 17. PMID: 36693139.
- Volunteer mentor for the National Academy of Medicine mentoring program, 2022.
- Moderated by invitation the panel "Healthy Aging and End of Life." At the Emerging Leaders Forum of the National Academy of Medicine, 2022.
- Reviewer for the consensus report produced by the Committee on Biotechnology Capabilities for National Security Needs, 2022.
- Participant in the Government Accountability Office's Meeting of Experts on a Technology Assessment on Bioforensic Technologies for Pandemic Origins hosted jointly with the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, March 2022.
- Reviewer for Evaluating the Process to Develop the Dietary Guidelines for Americans, 2020-2025: A Midcourse Report for the Health and Medicine Division (HMD) of The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, 2021.
- Planning member of the NASEM Reproducibility and Replicability in Science: A Meeting of Experts. Commissioned by the National Science Foundation, July 2021.
- Reviewer for the Proceedings of a Workshop: Approaches to Assessing Intake of Food and Dietary Supplements in Pregnant Women and Children 2 to 11 Years of Age, July 2021.
- Co-chair (with Drs. Marcia McNutt and France Cordova) of the National Academy of Sciences' Strategic Council on Research Excellence, Integrity and Trust, a new initiative to advance collectively the integrity, ethics, resilience, and effectiveness of the research enterprise, May 2021 – Present.
- Member of Committee on Addressing Inaccurate and Misleading Information about Biological Threats through Scientific Collaboration and Communication, 2021 – 2022.

- Appointed Member on the National Academy of Medicine's Emerging Leaders in Health and Medicine (ELHM) Program Advisory Committee, 2021 – 2023.
- Chair of the National Academy of Sciences' Committee to Review Department of Veterans Affairs Monograph on Potential Effects of Service & Emotional Support Dogs on Post Traumatic Stress Disorder. 2020 – 2021.
- Committee member of the National Academy of Engineering project on Promising Practices and Innovative Programs in Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR), 2019 – 2020.
- By invitation of the National Science Foundation presented the NASEM's report Reproducibility, and Replicability in Science at the meeting of the Advisory Committee to the Directorate for Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences, December 12, 2019.
- Testified before the U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Science, Space, and Technology's hearing "Strengthening Transparency or Silencing Science? The Future of Science in EPA Rulemaking" as a member of NASEM's Reproducibility and Replicability in Science Committee, November 13, 2021. <https://republicans-science.house.gov/2019/11/full-committee-hearing-strengthening-transparency-or-silencing-science-future>
- Review Monitor for study report: A Class Approach to Hazard Assessment of Organohalogen Flame Retardants, 2019.
- Reviewer for Academy report: Open Science by Design: Realizing a Vision for 21st Century Research, 2018.
- Proposal reviewer for National Academy of Sciences Sackler Colloquium on Science of Science Communication. <http://www.nasonline.org/programs/sackler-colloquia/>
- Appointed Member to The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, & Medicine (NASEM) Committee: Reproducibility and Replicability in Science, 2017 – 2019. Produced [tps://doi.org/10.17226/25303](https://doi.org/10.17226/25303)
- Lead organizer and proposer for National Academy of Sciences Sackler Colloquium titled Reproducibility of Research: Issues and Proposed Remedies held in March 2017.
- By invitation of the Governing Board of the National Research Council provided a lecture offering perspective on reproducibility and replicability in research at the May 2017 meeting at the National Academies Keck <http://www.nasonline.org/programs/sackler-colloquia/>
- Appointed to the Academies' Committee on Breakthroughs 2030: A Strategy for Food and Agricultural Research, to lead the development of an innovative strategy for the future of food and agricultural research, 2017. Produced [tps://doi.org/10.17226/25059](https://doi.org/10.17226/25059)
- Consultant to Editor-in-Chief and Deputy Executive Editor of the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences (PNAS) on checking the statistical analyses of research in question and charged with drafting new instructions for authors on statistical analysis and reporting guidelines for PNAS, 2017.
- Participated by invitation in The National Academy of Sciences' Government-University-Industry Research Roundtable on Scientific Integrity Consortium meeting, March 2017.
- Appointed to first expert panel on purported mathematical errors in the 2011 IOM Report, Dietary Reference Intakes: Calcium and Vitamin D, for which we examined statistical mistakes in reference to the calculation of dietary intake of Vitamin D for the National Academy of Sciences, 2017.
- Appointed to second expert panel to assess impact of mathematical errors in the 2011 IOM Report, Dietary Reference Intakes: Calcium and Vitamin D for the National Academy of Sciences, 2017.
- Serving as Review Monitor for Food and Nutrition Board (FNB) of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine report Development of Guiding Principles for the Inclusion of Chronic Disease Endpoints in Future Dietary Reference Intakes, 2017.

- Reviewer for Fostering Integrity in Research report of the National Academy of Sciences, 2016.
- Reviewer of report by the Health and Medicine Division of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, Committee on Food Allergies: Global Burden, Causes, Treatment, Prevention, and Public Policy, 2016.
- Review of Toward Science-Based Approaches to Science Communication by the Committee on the Science of Science Communication: A Research Agenda, Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences and Education, National Academy of Sciences, 2016.
- Reviewer of Toward Science-Based Approaches to Science Communication by the Committee on the Science of Science Communication: A Research Agenda, Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences and Education, National Academy of Sciences, 2016.
- Member of The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine Intelligence Science and Technology Experts Group (ISTEG) organized to support the Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI), 2015 – Present. Approved by the US Government to review classified information.
- Reviewer for the National Academy of Sciences and National Research Council report on The Postdoctoral Experience Revisited: When the Ideal and the Reality Diverge, 2014.
- Reviewer for Institute of Medicine on Consequences of Sodium Reduction in Populations, 2013.
- Reviewer for Institute of Medicine: Draft on Taking Action in Evaluating Progress of Obesity Prevention Efforts, 2013.
- Appointed Planning Committee Member of the National Academy of Medicine's Interest Group (IG) 12 on Nutrition, Diabetes, and Obesity, December 2012 – November 2013.
- Appointed Chair of the National Academy of Medicine's Interest Group (12) on Nutrition, Diabetes, and Obesity, November 2013 – November 2015.
- Appointed Member the leadership team of the National Academy of Medicine's Interest Group (12) on Nutrition, Diabetes, and Obesity, 2015 – 2016.
- Appointed Member of the National Academy of Medicine Interest Group Monitoring Committee, January 2016 – December 2017.
- Invited speaker on Myths, Presumptions, and Facts of Obesity: Science as the Sifter for the National Academy of Sciences Institute of Medicine (IOM) interest group meeting, Washington, DC, October 14, 2012.
- Moderator/Socratic Dialogue Leader for session on Food Technology: Directions for the Future. http://www.nasonline.org/programs/nas-colloquia/completed_colloquia/SSC2-agenda.html, 2013.
- An invited address on Obesity, Genetics and Mortality delivered before the National Academy of Sciences' Panel on Dietary Reference Intakes, Washington, D.C, July 2000.
- Reviewer for Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences — 2004, 2007, 2009, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2023, 2024.

CONSULTING & ADVISING

(select listing)

GOVERNMENT (not necessarily an exhaustive listing)

- Scientific Advisory Board/Consultant to the National Institutes of Health's Nutrition for Precision Health Program, 2021 – 2024.

- Consultant/reviewer for the U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO), Science, Technology Assessment, and Analytics (STAA) on “Pandemic Origins: Technologies and Challenges for Biological Investigations (GAO-23-105406).” 2022.
- Unpaid consultant and advisor to the USDA on “Reconciliation of Differences between Observational Studies and Randomized Controlled Trials.” 2022.
- External Scientific Advisory Group (ESAG) for UK National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) Leicester Biomedical Research Centre, focusing on six research ‘themes’: 1) cardiovascular, 2) respiratory and infection, 3) lifestyle, 4) cancer, 5) environment, and 6) data innovation for long term conditions. 2021-present.
- Invited member of National Institutes of Health (NIH) Nutrition Research Thought Leader Panel to “provide visionary input in prioritizing gaps and opportunities for strategic planning of nutrition research at the NIH,” 2017.
- By invitation, provided written testimony to the House Committee on Agriculture regarding the use of scientific methods to inform policy decisions regarding nutritional matters, including SNAP benefits, February 2017.
- Advisory Committee Member of the NIH/NIDDK-sponsored Mouse Metabolic Phenotyping Centers (MMPC), 2016 – Present
- Special Government Employee for the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), past - periodically over the years.
- Consultant/Invited Commentator for the Strategic Review of Nutrition and Human Health research of the UK Medical Research Council (MRC) and the UK National Institute for Health Research (NIHR), 2016.
- Consultant to Federal Trade Commission (FTC) on validity of weight loss product claims, 1998 – 2005, 2009 – 2010, 2012 – 2017.
- Consultant to the State of Oregon Department of Justice on the validity of marketed claims in dietary supplements, 2015 – 2016.
- Consultant to NIH's Office of the Director on selecting and prioritizing Common Fund Initiatives via the Innovate to Accelerate committee, 2015.
- Consultant/Panelist to NIH Obesity Research Task Force Seminar on neuromodulatory therapies for the treatment of obesity, 2015.
- Co-led Workshop given to FDA's Contacts in the Center for Biologics Evaluation & Research (CBER) on the Application of Genomic Science, September 2012.
- Member of Advisory Board for National Institutes of Health (NHLBI)'s Bed to Bassinet pediatric heart research program, 2010 – 2011.
- Consultant to U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) on validity of weight loss product claims, 2004 – 2006.
- Consultant to United States Postal Inspectors' Service on validity of weight loss product claims, 2001, 2004 – 2005.
- Consultant to Food and Drug Administration (FDA) on validity of weight loss product claims, 2002 – 2004.
- Consultant/reviewer for the RAND Corporation on a comprehensive report of the safety and efficacy of ephedra and ephedrine containing products for weight loss funded by the Agency for Health Care Policy & Research, 2002.
- Consultant to the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) of the National Institutes of Health on preparation of the document: *Conquering Diabetes. Highlights of*

program efforts, research advances opportunities. A scientific progress report on the Diabetes Research Working Group's strategic plan. NIH Publication No. 02-5137. September 2002.

- Served on a special Public Affairs Task Force of the North American Association for the Study of Obesity (NAASO) to provide information regarding dietary supplements for weight loss to the U.S. General Accounting Office (GAO) – 2002. Consultant to the Food and Drug Administration in their oversight and collaborative development of Proctor & Gamble's post-market surveillance of olestra (Olean); 1996 – 1997.
- Statistical Consultant to U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Prisons regarding detection of malingering versus psychopathology, 1996.
- Member of expert advisory panel convened by the Life Sciences Research Office of the Federation of American Societies of Experimental Biology at the behest of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to prepare a document advising the FDA as to how to review petitions for new food additives (e.g., macronutrient substitutes), 1996 – 1999.
- Served on Food and Drug Administration's (FDA) Scientific Advisory Council to review the fat replacer olestra (sucrose polyester), 1995.

NON-PROFIT (not necessarily an exhaustive listing)

- Appointed to Chair the Planning Committee for the 2025 Academy for Health and Lifespan Research annual meeting.
- Reviewer for Novo Nordisk Foundation for strategic project involving 24-month weight loss/low-carb/exercise RCT in patients with T2DM to obtain medication-free T2DM remission, 2024.
- Consultant to Novo Nordisk Foundation-Funded Center for Childhood Health planning committee on new global flagship program aiming at identifying the (putative) causes of the obesity epidemic to be held 2025.
- Member of Novo Nordisk Foundation advisory board of the "Healthy Weight Center," an organization with the goal to halve the number of overweight children in Denmark, 2021.
- Member of eLife's Ethics Committee, 2021 – 2023.
- Member of the MD Anderson Cancer Center's President's Advisory Board, 2016 – 2018.
- Served as Panelist-Mentor for The Dannon Institute's Nutrition Leadership Institute, June 2017.
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board for the Nutrition Science Initiative, 2015 – 2021.
- Statistical consultant to Palo Alto Longevity Prize (<http://paloaltoprize.com/>), 2015 – Present.
- External Advisory Board member for the Nutrition Science Initiative (NuSI)-funded Consortium Experiment on macronutrient composition and metabolic effects, 2013 – 2016.
- Reviewer of draft position statement for the American Society for Nutrition (ASN), 2013.
- Advisor to The David and Lucile Packard Foundation on fructose-related research, 2012.
- Consultant to Consumers' Union regarding survey design to assess weight loss success associated with various commonly marketed techniques, 2001.
- "Communicator" for the International Food Information Council, an organization whose mission is to help the public and mass media obtain accurate information regarding food-related issues. Responsibilities include giving interviews to members of the mass media, developing educational materials for the general public, and helping to organize conferences; 1995 – 2008.
- Panel participant for the Life Science Research Office of the Federation of American Societies of Experimental Biology's planning group to develop guidelines and procedures for third party review of health and other claims for dietary supplements, 2000.

- Member of the Advisory Board of the Partnership for the Promotion of Healthy Eating and Active Lifestyles (PPHEAL), a group whose mission is to use scientific knowledge to promote healthier lifestyles in the areas of diet and activity, 1999 – 2000.
- Member of International Life Science Research Institute's Food Safety and Nutrition Committee, 1997 – 2000.
- Statistical Consultant to Community Research Initiative on AIDS, 1997.
- Member of the International Food Information Council's Expert Committee, 1995 - 2010.
- Statistical Consultant to God's Love We Deliver for a project related to the effects of home nutrition on health and quality of life, 1995.
- Statistical Consultant to the International Life Sciences Institute and the United States Department of Agriculture on an experimental assessment of the effects of trans-fatty acid consumption.
- Grant writing and statistical consultant to the Milestone School for Child Development, 1991 – 1995.
- Consultant on research design and statistics to the Crossroads School for Child Development, 1995 – 2000.
- Served on the Obesity & Health Task Force on Weight Loss Abuse, 1992 – 1993.
- Served on Advisory Board for the Betty Jane Rehabilitation Center of Ohio, 1991 – 1992.

ACADEMIC/SCIENTIFIC (not necessarily an exhaustive listing)

- Chair of Data Safety and Monitoring Board (DSMB) for NIH-funded grant (R01HL168854) to promote healthy Yup'ik foods and healthy alternatives in their small stores to promote heart health with PIs at Johns Hopkins University, Oregon Health Sciences University, and University of Alabama at Birmingham, 2024-2025.
- Consultant to Dr. Bert Boyer, Oregon Health & Science University, Dr. Hemant Tiwari, The University of Alabama at Birmingham, & Dr. Joel Gittelsohn, Johns Hopkins for NIH-funded grant (R01HL168854) to promote healthy Yup'ik foods and healthy alternatives in their small stores to promote heart health, 2024.
- Appointed faculty privileges by the Mayo Clinic School of Biomedical Sciences Executive Committee, 2022 – 2028 (to serve on Ph.D. Examination Committee for a doctoral candidate).
- Member of the scientific advisory board for the University of Alabama's Center for Convergence of Bioscience and Medicine (CCBM), dedicated to the convergence of bioscience and medicine with chemical, biological, physical, mathematical, and engineering disciplines to overcome obstacles in drug development, 2022 – 2023.
- Member of the board-appointed Committee on Science and Technology Engagement with the Public (CoSTEP) for the American Association for the Advancement of Science, 2014 – 2017, reappointed for second term 2017 – 2020.
- Technical Expert for a Johns Hopkins University Evidence-based Practice Center project on obesity prevention and control, 2016 – 2017.
- NIH COBRE External Advisory Committee for the Center for Childhood Obesity Prevention (CCOP) at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, 2016 – 2017.
- Member of the External Advisory Committee for the Mid-Atlantic Nutrition Obesity Research Center (NORC) at University of Maryland, 2012 – 2014.
- Chaired the First International Advisory Board, Department of Human Nutrition, Faculty of Life Sciences, University of Copenhagen, 2010.

- Member of Data Safety and Monitoring Board (DSMB) for Serena Trial for Dr. Robert Ross at Queens University of Canada, 2010 – 2013.
- Consultant to Dr. Zhao Chen of the University of Arizona on design and analysis of genome wide association studies, 2008 to 2012.
- Consultant to Dr. Tim Spector at St Thomas Hospital, Twin Research & Genetic Epidemiology Unit for Wellcome Trust grant “Whole-genome transcriptomic profiling: A resource for the discovery of expression QTLs associated with common disease,” 2007 – 2009.
- Consultant to Dr. Anil Malhotra of Long Island Jewish Hospital on antipsychotic-induced weight gain. 2005 - 2007.
- Member of External Advisory Board, Yale/NIDA Neuroproteomics Research Center, 2005 – 2006.
- Consultant to Dr. Catherine Kotz of the University of Minnesota on VA-funded and NIH-funded obesity-related research, 2004 – 2009.
- Consultant to Dr. Nir Barzilai of Albert Einstein College of Medicine on NIH-funded aging- and obesity-related research. 2004 – 2007.
- Ad-hoc Member of the Jackson Laboratory’s Board of Scientific Overseers, 2003.
- Consultant to Dr. Louis Picker of Oregon Health & Science University on the statistical analysis of data regarding the development of HIV vaccines, 2003 – 2006.
- Consultant to Dr. Caryn Lerman of the University of Pennsylvania on statistical aspects of pharmacogenetics, 2003 – 2006.
- Member of the External Advisory Committee to the University of Arkansas’ NIH-funded Biomedical Research Infrastructure Network, 2001 – 2003.
- Consultant/Advisory Board member for Dr. Richard Miller’s program project grant “Genetics of Age-Sensitive Traits in Mice” at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 2001.
- Statistical consultant to Dr. Howard Pratt of Indiana University School of Medicine on NIH-funded research regarding the genetics of blood pressure regulation, 2000 – 2005.
- Consultant to the National Institute of Diabetes Digestive and Kidney Disease’s research center in Phoenix, Arizona (Drs. Knowler, Tataranni, Ravussin, and Bogardus) on statistical and methodological issues in conducting their genome-wide search for obesity and diabetes genes in Pima Indians. December 1997 and on general obesity research issues, 2000 – 2005.
- Consultant to Dr. James Swanson of University of the California at Irvine on Statistical Genetics, 2000.
- Member of the External Advisory Board to the University of Alabama’s NIH-funded Clinical Nutrition Research Center, 1999 – 2001.
- Consultant to Dr. Julie Mattison, and formerly Drs. Mark Lane, George Roth, and Donald Ingram of the National Institute on Aging for a study of Caloric Restriction and Longevity among Non-Human primates, 1999 – 2013.
- Consultant to Dr. Philippe Froguel of the Pasteur Institute on statistical methods for detecting obesity and diabetes genes, 1999.
- Consultant to Dr. David Watkins of the University of Wisconsin at Madison and now University of Miami on the statistical analysis of data regarding the development of HIV vaccines, 1999 - Present.
- Statistical consultant to Dr. Robert Ross of Queen’s University (Canada) on issues related body composition changes with exercise treatment, 1999 – 2001.
- Consultant to Dr. Alan Green of Harvard University on anti-psychotic induced weight gain, 1999 – 2001.

- Consultant to Dr. Richard Weindruch of the University of Wisconsin at Madison on program project grant to evaluate the effects of caloric restriction on health and longevity in non-human primates (rhesus monkeys) and related projects, 1998 – 2012.
- Consultant to Dr. George L. Blackburn of Harvard University on multiple NIH proposals and NIH-funded projects in the 1990s.
- Consultant to Drs. Albert J. Stunkard, Myles Faith, and others of the University of Pennsylvania on statistical and obesity related issues, 1996 – 2000, 2003-2004. Consultant to NIH grant R21 DK44434 on “Long-term outcome of obesity treatment in minority women” (Principal investigator - George Blackburn, Harvard Medical School).
- Statistical consultant for numerous grants obtained by investigators at St. Luke’s/Roosevelt hospital in the areas of obesity, diabetes, body composition, and AIDS, 1994 - 2006.
- Statistical consultant for doctoral students at Hofstra University, Columbia University, Johns Hopkins University, University of Washington at Seattle, Adelphi University, New York University, The New School for Social Research, & Albert Einstein College of Medicine.

LEGAL CONSULTING (not necessarily an exhaustive listing)

- Consultant to Rueb Stoller Daniel as an expert in statistics and epidemiology regarding exposure to glyphosate and the development of non-Hodgkin’s lymphoma, 2023 to present.
- Consultant to The Perry Law Firm, L.L.C on obesity-related litigation, 2006 – 2007.
- Consultant to Bersenas Jacobsen Chouest Thomson Blackburn LLP on obesity- and statistically-related litigation, 2005 – 2007.
- Consultant to Lopez, Hodes, Restaino, Milman & Skikos, A Law Corporation, on obesity-related litigation, 2004 – 2009.
- Consultant to Maynard, Cooper & Gale, P.C., A Birmingham, Alabama law firm regarding anti-obesity drug litigation, 2003.
- Consultant to law firm of Ulmer & Berne LLP, regarding dietary supplement litigation, 2003 – 2009. Consultant to Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP, a Los Angeles, California law firm, 2002 – 2006.
- Consultant to Parenti, Falk, Waas, Hernandez & Cortina, Attorneys at Law, regarding obesity-related litigation, 2002.
- Consultant to Lee, Smart, Cook, Martin & Patterson, PS, Inc., a Seattle, Washington law firm, 2001.
- Consultant to Paterson, MacDougall, a Toronto, Canada law firm serving both domestic and international clients, regarding obesity related issues, 2000 – 2001.
- Consultant to Wilentz, Goldman, & Spitzer, Attorneys at Law regarding OTC weight-loss product claims litigation, 1999 – 2008.
- Consultant to McKenna & Cuneo, L.L.P and McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP, Attorneys at Law regarding anti-obesity drug litigation, 1998 – 2006.
- Consultant to Spadoro & Hilson, Attorneys at Law regarding actuarial life table estimation for obese decedents, 1998.

OTHER INDUSTRY (not necessarily an exhaustive listing)

- Advisor to VitaSoft, 2024 – present
- Advisor to Radicle Science, 2024 – present

- Advisor to Ro (Roman) Health, 2024 to present.
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board for Biofortis, Inc., 2016 – 2021.
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board for Ikea, 2016 – 2018.
- Member of Obesity Education Network Editorial Board for Sui Generis Health and Eisai Pharmaceuticals, 2012 – 2014.
- Chairperson for the Pfizer Visiting Professorships in Obesity Academic Advisory Board, 2009 – 2011.
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board for MediFast, Inc, 2009.
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board for McCormick Science Institute, 2007 – 2009.
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board for Vivus, Inc., 2007 – 2011.
- Member of US Obesity Advisory Board for Merck Pharmaceuticals, Inc., 2007 – 2009.
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board for Genome Explorations, Inc., 2003 – 2010.
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board for Kraft Foods, Inc, 2003 – 2012.
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board for NutriPharma, Inc., 2000 – 2005. Chair of research grants committee, Dry Bean Health Research Program for the Northarvest Bean Growers Association, 2008 – Present. Chair of United Soybean Board's research grants committee, 1999 – 2017.
- Member of the Wheat Council's panel of experts, 1998 – 2001.
- Member of the United Soybean Panel's Nutrition Advisory Board, 1996 – 2006.
- Member of the Nutritional Advisory Board for Nabisco, Inc., 1994 – 2000.

RESEARCH INTERESTS & EXPERIENCE

GRANTS

ACTIVE GRANTS & CONTRACTS

(not necessarily exhaustive or fully updated–see other support pages for more updated listing)

- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Statistical Methods, Developments, and Challenges in Geroscience. Funded by Hevolution Foundation Scientific Conferences Fund. Period 10/1/2024 – 5/31/2025. Total amount: \$10,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Beef Consumption and Health Outcomes: A Systematic Analysis of Rigor, Reproducibility, and Verifiability of Current Randomized Evidence. Funded by The National Cattlemen's Beef Association. Period: 2/1/2023 – 7/1/2025. Total amount: \$200,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Biostatistics Graduate Student Support. Funded by Pfizer, Inc. Period: 2/9/2022 – 5/31/2025. Total amount: \$55,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Biostatistics Graduate Student Support. Funded by Pfizer, Inc. Period: 6/4/2024 – 6/2/2025. Total amount: \$60,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. 2R25HL124208-06. Strengthening Causal Inference in Behavioral Obesity Research. Funded by the National Heart Lung and Blood Institute. Period: 7/15/2020 – 6/30/2025. Total amount: \$848,018.
- Allison, D. B., (**principal investigator**), et al. 2R25DK099080-07. The Mathematical Sciences in Obesity Research. Funded by NIH/NHLBI. Period: 4/1/2020 – 3/31/2026. Total amount: \$540,000.

- Allison, D. B., (principal investigator), et al. A Comparison of Satiety and Glycemic Effects from High Protein Snack Bar and High Carbohydrate Snack Bar. Funded by Linus Technology Inc. 4/23/2024 – 12/31/2025. Total Amount: \$200,000.
- Austad, S. . . . Allison, D. B. (**Associate Director/Co-Investigator**). P30AG050886. Comparative Bioenergetics of Aging. A P30 Nathan Shock Center grant for the study of the basic biology of aging. Funded by the National Institute on Aging (NIA/NIH). Period: 9/15/2020 – 5/31/2025. Total amount: \$4,463,460.
- Brown, A. W. . . . Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). R25GM141507 Removing Barriers to Better Data Practices Through Capacity, Opportunity, and Motivation. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 7/1/2021 – 6/30/2025. Total amount: \$268,756.
- Hawkins, M. . . Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Culturally Appropriate Recipes for Impactful Nutrition Goals for Communities (CARING for Communities). Funded by the National Pork Board. Period: 7/1/2023 – 12/31/2025. Total amount: \$100,125.
- Jolliet, O. . . Allison, D. B. (**consultant/co-investigator**). Identification and Evaluation of Determinants of the Obesity Epidemic Among Children, Adolescents and Young Adults in Denmark and in the US. Submitted to Novo Nordisk Foundation. Period: 8/2023 - 7/2026.
- Lederman, S. Allison, D. B. (**subcontract principal investigator**). U24AG056053. Nathan Shock Centers Coordinating Center (NSC3). Funded by the National Institutes of Health (NIA). Period 4/1/2017 – 6/30/2025. Total amount: \$2,116,815.
- Tekwe, C. Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). R01DK132385. Measurement error correction approaches to wearable device-based measures of physical activity and self-reported measures of dietary intake in obesity and type 2 diabetes research. Funded by the National Institutes of Health (NIDDK). Period 4/15/2022 – 2/28/2026. Total amount: \$2,341,644.
- Wanagat, J. Allison, D. B. (**subcontract principal investigator**). Mitochondrial DNA Deletion Mutation Frequency as a Metric of Biologic Age. Funded by the National Institutes of Health (NIA). Period: 5/15/2022 – 1/31/2027. Total subcontract amount: \$274,514.

GRANT APPLICATIONS AWAITING FINAL ADMINISTRATIVE APPROVAL

(not necessarily exhaustive or fully updated– see other support pages for more updated listing)

- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Comparative Bioenergetics of Aging. Submitted to NIH/NIA. Submitted to National Institute on Aging (NIH/NIA). Period: 6/2025 – 6/2030. Total amount: \$950,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Nathan Shock Centers Coordinating Center (NSC3). Submitted to National Institute on Aging (NIH/NIA). Period: 7/2025 – 6/2030. Total amount: \$1,000,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**consultant**). A Randomized Placebo-Controlled Trial on the Role of Milk Fat Membrane Globule Supplementation in Muscle Injury Prevention and Recovery. Funded by The National Dairy Council. Period: 8/1/2025 – 7/31/2028. Total amount: \$1,200,139.
- Hawkins, M. Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Program of Weight Reduction in Under-served Populations - Rural (POWER-UP Rural). Submitted to National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIH/NIDDK). Period: 4/1/2025 – 3/31/2030. Total amount: \$3,872,889.
- Kirkland, J. L. . . . Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Senolytics target distinct subsets of senescent cells with a tissue-damaging phenotype. Submitted to The Hevolution Foundation. Period: 4/1/2024 – 3/31/2029. Total amount: \$150,000.

GRANT APPLICATIONS IN REVIEW

(not necessarily exhaustive or fully updated– see other support pages for more updated listing)

- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Identifying and Communicating Uncertainty in Scientific Inquiry. Submitted to National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NIH/NINDS). Period: 7/2025 – 6/2028. Total amount: \$269,999.
- Dhurandhar, E. . . Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Preserving Skeletal Muscle in Older Adults Taking Weight Loss Medications. Submitted to the Abbott Fund. Period: 2025–2028. Total amount: \$668,751.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Weight Loss, Quality of Life, and the Role of Food Noise Reduction: A Randomized Controlled Trial. Submitted to National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIH/NIDDK). Period: 7/2025 – 6/2028.
- Austad, S. . . Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Comparative Bioenergetics of Aging. Submitted to NIH/NIA. Submitted to National Institute on Aging (NIH/NIA). Period: 6/2025 – 6/2030. Total amount: \$950,000.
- Austad, S. . . Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Nathan Shock Centers Coordinating Center (NSC3). Submitted to National Institute on Aging (NIH/NIA). Period: 7/2025 – 6/2030. Total amount: \$1,000,000.
- Mokalla, T. R. . . Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Statistical methods for Predicting Cardiovascular Risk Reduction in persons receiving GLP-1/GIP Therapy for Obesity. Submitted to American Heart Association. Period: 5/1/2025 – 5/1/2026. Total amount: \$150,000.

PAST GRANTS

(not necessarily an exhaustive listing)

- Affuso, O.T.....Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). 5R01HL107916-02. A Photographic Method for Human Body Composition Assessment. An R01 funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 6/1/2012 – 4/30/2017. Total amount: \$2,402,394.
- Chusyd, D. E. ...Allison, D.B. (**co-investigator**). Anthropogenic related stress on reproduction in African forest elephants (*Loxodonta africana cyclotis*). Funded by The Morris Animal Foundation. Period: 10/1/2019 – 9/30/2021. Total amount: \$99,930.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. R01AG043972. Energetics, Disparities, & Lifespan: A unified hypothesis. **A Transformative R01** from the National Institutes of Health. Period: 9/2012 - 5/20/2020. Total amount: \$8,000,000. This grant application addresses evolutionary genetic hypotheses involving obesity, social disparities, and longevity.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Toward a More Rigorous and Informative Nutritional Epidemiology: The Rational Space Between Dismissal and Defense of the Status Quo. Funded by the National Cattlemen's Beef Association. Period: 1/1/2020 – 9/30/2020. Total amount: \$25,200.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Aegis: A study of SARS-CoV-2 Immunity. A research grant funded by private philanthropy. Period: 10/1/2020 – 9/1/2022. Total amount: \$15,000,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Biostatistics Graduate Student Support. Funded by Pfizer, Inc. Period: 3/12/2023 – 5/31/2025. Total amount: \$60,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. R01AG057703. Obesity and Longevity Across Generations. An R01 grant funded by the National Institute on Aging (NIA). Period: 9/1/2018 – 5/31/2023. Total amount: \$1,178,608.
- Allison, D. B., (**principal investigator**). Potato consumption and risk of colorectal cancer: A systematic analysis of rigor, reproducibility, and verifiability of current evidence. Funded by the Alliance for Potato Research and Education. Period: 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2023. Total amount: \$154,000.

- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Incidence of Infection or Re-Infection In Healthy Adults With or Without Prior SARS-CoV-2 Infection: The Aegis Study. Funded by Eli Lilly and Company. Period 8/13/2021 – 8/12/2023. Total amount \$300,000. *The Aegis Study is assessing the incidence of infection or re-infection among those with and without prior SARS-CoV-2 infection, evaluating the biological and behavioral correlates of infection/reinfection and severity of clinical course.*
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Biostatistical and Epidemiological Collaboration with and Support of Eli Lilly and Company on Health and Methodologic Research. Funded by Eli Lilly and Company. Period: 7/30/2021 – 6/15/2023. Total amount: \$660,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Rigor, Reproducibility and Transparency Support. Funded by The Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation. Period: 8/1/2022 – 7/1/2024. Total amount: \$477,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator; site PI**), et al. Weight-related Outcomes by Degree of Weight Loss in Patients with Overweight and Obesity: A Retrospective Analysis of Optum's Market Clarity Database. Funded by Eli Lilly and Company. Period: 2/4/2021 – 12/31/2022 (ongoing without additional costs as of April 2023). Total amount: \$79,697.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Data analysis DRI energy. Funded by the National Academy of Sciences. Period: 4/22/2022 – 8/21/2022. Total amount: \$89,259.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Post-Doc Support. To train a post-doc in studying rigor, reproducibility, and transparency in science. Funded by the Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation. Period: 9/1/2019 – 8/31/2022. Total amount: \$177,500. Allison, D. B. (**joint-principal investigator**) & Smith, D. L. (joint-principal investigator). Potato Consumption and Energy Balance: A Randomized, Controlled Clinical Trial. Funded by the Alliance for Potato Research & Education. Period: 7/01/2017 – 3/11/2020. Total amount: \$175,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Rigor, Reproducibility, and Transparency (RRT) in the Interdisciplinary Interface. A grant to host a think-tank on the promotion of RRT in science. Funded by the Sloan Foundation. Period: 4/1/2019 – 3/31/2020. Total amount: \$19,960.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) & Thomas, D. M. (principal investigator – multi-PI grant). R25DK099080. The Mathematical Sciences in Obesity Research. A national short course funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Disease of NIH. Period: 7/01/2013 – 6/30/2018. Total amount: \$543,995.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. P30DK056336. Supplement to UAB Nutrition Obesity Research Center to Identify aspects of the reporting and conduct of murine obesity-related research that can use improvement and provide ways to improve at least one aspect of such research: statistical analysis. Funded by the National Institutes of Diabetes Digestive and Kidney Diseases. Period: 6/01/2016 – 5/31/2018. Total amount: \$100,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) Science Dialogue Mapping of Knowledge and Knowledge Gaps Related to the Effects of Dairy Intake on Human Health. Funded by the National Dairy Council. Period: 6/01/2016 – 3/31/2018. Total amount: \$151,376.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) & Brown, A. W. (principal investigator – multi-PI grant). R25GM116167. Beyond textbook, yet simple, statistical tools for reproducible animal research. A grant to develop training modules and educational materials that address commonly encountered but unexpectedly complex statistical and research design issues for the NIH. Funded by the National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) of NIH. Period: 9/10/2015 – 8/31/2017. Total amount: \$142,644.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Dialogue mapping the health effects of dairy. Funded by Dairy Management Inc. Period: 6/1/2016 - 6/01/2017. Total amount: \$250,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Testing Disinfecting Properties of Air Filters and Related Equipment. Funded by Dynamic Air Quality Solutions. Period: 2/01/2021 – 1/31/2022. Total amount: \$20,000.

- Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator**) & Michael, M. (co-principal investigator), et al. Grand Rounds program inspired by the Moments in Leadership: Case Studies in Public Health Policy and Practice. Funded by Pfizer Pharmaceuticals. Period: 1/1/2009 to 12/31/2009. Total amount: \$15,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Statistical Support Contract to The National Institute of Aging's Study on Caloric Restriction and Aging In Non-Human Primates. Funded by the National Institute on Aging. Period: 6/1/1999 – 9/25/2014. Total amount: \$660,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) & Fontaine, K. R. Obesity & Headache in Women. Funded by Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceuticals. Period: 6/1/2004 – 5/31/2006. Total amount: \$38,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. 2P41RR06009-110234. Robustness of Maximum Likelihood-Based Variance Components Tests of Genetic Linkage for Quantitative Traits When Data Are Not Normally Distributed. A grant funded by the Pittsburgh Supercomputing Center for supercomputing time (no dollar amount requested) through NIH grant Period: 3/1/1998 – 7/31/2005.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. GWA Test-Driver: A Do-it-Yourself Genome-Wide Association study planner. Funded by the UAB Health Services Foundation General Endowment Fund. Period: 3/1/2007 – 2/28/2008. Total amount: \$236,344.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Development & Evaluation of a Rodent Model of Anti-Psychotic Induced Weight Gain. Funded by Pfizer Central Research. Period: 1/1/2000 – 12/31/2000. Total amount: \$49,623
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Development of an Obesity Data Book Proposal. Funded by the North American Association for the Study of Obesity. Period: 4/1/1997-12/31/2001. Total amount: \$60,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. A Method to Increase Activity in Obese Children. An R03 proposal funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive and Kidney Diseases. Period: 3/1/1997 – 3/1/1999. Total amount: \$100,000
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. Allelic Variants of Murine-Model Obesity Genes in Massively Obese Humans. Funded by Millennium Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Period: 5/31/1996 – 11/31/1996. Total amount: \$17,500.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. Baseline Levels of Obesity and Weight Gain Among Patients Taking Antipsychotic Medications: A Comprehensive Quantitative Literature Synthesis. Funded by Pfizer, Inc. Period: 12/1/1996 – 6/1/1996. Total amount: \$15,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. Does Weight Loss Reduce Mortality Rate among Obese Rats? Funded by the New York State Department of Health's Diabetes Bridge Grant Program. Period: 11/1/1998 – 3/1/1999. Total amount: \$35,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. R01DK067487. Effects of Intentional Weight Loss on Mortality Rate. Funded by the NIDDK/NIH. Period: 1/1/2005 - 12/31/2008. Total amount: \$725,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. Genetic Admixture and Resting Energy Expenditure among African American Women. Funded by the W.R.I.S.C. foundation of Knoll Pharmaceuticals. Period: 3/1/1999 – 3/1/2000. Total amount: \$85,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. T32HL105349. UAB Pre-Doctoral Training Program in Obesity Related Research. A T32 pre-doctoral training grant from the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute. Period: 9/22/2010 – 7/31/2025 Total amount: \$1,070,567.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. An Inquiry into the Causes and Measurement of Adiposity Among Persons with Down Syndrome. Funded by The International Resource Center for Down Syndrome. Period: 3/1993-3/1994. Total amount: \$3,408.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. United Soybean Board. Evaluation of a Philanthropic Grant Incentive Program. Period: 6/30/2016 – 6/29/2017. Total amount: \$10,000.

- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Randomized Controlled Trial of MediFast Program for Weight Loss. Funded by MediFast. Period: 9/01/2010 – 8/31/2012. Total amount: \$400,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et.al. Role of the 5HT2c receptor in Antipsychotic Induced Weight Gain. An Independent Investigator Award funded by NARSAD. Period: 9/30/2000 — 9/29/2004. Total amount: \$83,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Development of Standardized Measurement Systems for Rating and Ranking the Fidelity of Research Reporting in the Nutrition and Obesity Literature. Funded by Coca-Cola Company. Period: 11/28/2011 – 12/31/2011. Total amount: \$150,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Advancing the Genetics of Obesity: Strategies & Methods. An R13 (conference grant) funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive and Kidney Diseases and the Office of Research on Women's Health and supported by numerous industrial sponsors. Conference held July 1997. Total amount: \$110,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. R13MH086166. Adipogenic and Metabolic Effects of Antipsychotic Drugs. Funded by the National Institute of Mental Health and National Institute of Diabetes Digestive and Kidney Disease. Period: 8/1/2010 – 7/31/2011. Total amount: \$55,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Body Composition & Mortality Pooling Project. An R21 funded by the National Institute of Aging. Period: 9/1/1999 – 8/30/2001. Total amount: \$100,000 (direct costs – [plus \$25,000 contributed by industrial sponsors]).
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. R01DK51716SI Body Mass vs. Composition and the U-Shaped Mortality Curve (A supplement to Quantitative Synthesis of Clinical Obesity Research) Funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive and Kidney Diseases. Period: 8/1/1996 – 7/31/2000. Total amount: \$153,736.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. 1R13AG030317. Body Weight, Adiposity, Energetics and Longevity. Funded by the National Institute on Aging Period: 01/15/2007 – 1/14/2008. Total amount: \$35,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Does Weight Loss Reduce Mortality Rate among Obese Rats? An R01 grant funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period 1/15/2000 – 1/31/2004. Total amount: \$700,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. R01GM077490. Genome-wide Structured Association Testing & Regional Admixture Mapping. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 9/1/2007 – 8/31/2011. Total amount: \$1,250,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Is Dietary Fat Fattening: A Comprehensive Synthesis? Funded by Frito-Lay North America. Period: 2 years. Total amount: \$149,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Novel Antipsychotics and Glucose Tolerance by the Bergman Minimal Model. Funded by Pfizer Pharmaceuticals. Period: 1/15/2000-1/14/2001. Total amount: \$200,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. R01DK076771. Obesity & Mortality. Funded by the National Institute of Diabetes Digestive & Kidney Diseases, National Institutes of Health. Period: 8/15/2007 – 6/30/2010. Total amount: \$928,878.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. 5R01DK051716. Quantitative Synthesis of Clinical Obesity Research. Funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive and Kidney Diseases. Period: 8/1/1996 – 7/31/2000. Total amount: \$505,096.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Randomized Controlled Trial of Chewing Gum for Weight Loss. Funded by William Wrigley, Jr. Company. Period: 6/10/2009 – 6/15/2011. Total amount: \$412,034.

- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Short Course on Statistical Genetics and Statistical Genomics. Funded by the National Science Foundation. Period: 10/01/2007 – 09/30/2009. Total amount: \$300,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. R01DK056366. Statistical Genetics for Obesity & Nutrition Researchers. An R01/R56 grant funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 6/1/2000 – 6/30/2008. Total amount: \$425,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. UAB Doctoral Training Grants in Obesity and Nutrition Research. Funded by Kraft Foods North America, Inc. Period: Renewed annually, began in 2007. Total amount: \$90,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. T32DK062710. UAB Obesity Training Program. A post-doctoral training grant funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Disease. Period: 6/17/2004 – 6/12/2018. Total amount: \$3,365,929.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. T32HL079888. UAB Statistical Genetics Post-Doctoral Training Program. Post-doctoral training grant funded by the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute. Period: 4/15/2003 - 3/31/2011. Total amount: \$2,800,000
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. How Many Deaths are Attributable to Obesity in the United States? A grant-in-aid from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Period: 1/1/1999 – 6/30/1999. Total amount: \$10,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. T32DK062710. UAB Obesity Training Program. A post-doctoral training grant funded by the National Institute of Diabetes Digestive & Kidney Diseases, National Institutes of Health. Period: 7/01/2004 – 7/20/2009. Total amount: \$1,095,665.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. A Randomized Placebo-Controlled Clinical Trial of an Auricular Acu-Pressure Device for Weight Loss. Funded by Original Marketing, Inc. Period: 11/1993 – 11/1994. Total amount: \$75,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Assortative Mating for Relative Weight: Genetic and Social Implications. Henry A. Murray Research Center of Radcliffe College. Period: 4/1993 – 4/1994. Total amount: \$4,860
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. A Randomized Controlled Clinical Trial of a Novel Soy-Based Meal Replacement Formula for Weight Loss Among Obese Individuals. Funded by *NutriPharma*. Period: 3/1/2000 – 3/1/2001. Total amount: \$170,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. A Twin Study of the Genetic Covariation Between Adiposity and Cardiovascular Disease Risk. Funded by the Twinsday Festival Committee. Total amount: \$1,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. The genetics of resting metabolic rate in relation to adiposity: A twin study. A grant of 500 bed days as part of a General Clinical Research Center (GCRC) grant from the NIH through Columbia University College of Physicians Surgeons.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), Laying the Foundation for the Alabama Obesity Institute. Funded by the Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs. Period 03/01/2010 – 08/31/2013 (NCE). Total amount: \$510,075.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Models of Anti-psychotic Induced Weight Gain: Pharmacogenetics & Mechanisms of Action. Funded by Eli-Lilly & Co. Total amount: \$142,520.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Design and Analysis of Microarray Gene Expression Studies in Plants: Toward Sound Statistical Procedures. Funded by the National Science Foundation. Period: 10/1/2002 – 9/30/2006. Total amount: {\$2,200,000}.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Microarray Data Analysis Clearinghouse. Funded by the University of Alabama at Birmingham's Health Service Foundation General Endowment Fund. Period: 3/1/2002 – 2/28/2004. Total amount: \$319,000.

- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. Linkage & Linkage Disequilibrium Data Analysis Clearinghouse. Funded by the University of Alabama at Birmingham's Health Service Foundation General Endowment Fund. Period: 3/1/2004 – 2/28/2006. Total amount: \$236,583.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. UAB Statistical Genetics Post-Doctoral Training Program. A T32HL072757 proposal funded by the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, National Institutes of Health. Period: 4/15/2003 – 3/31/2008. Total amount: \$869,104.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Genetics of NIDDM, Obesity and Related Risk Factors Among Black Women. A Career Development Award from the American Diabetes Association. Period: 1/1/1994 – 12/31/1996. Total amount: \$225,000 [Award returned on 9/1/94 upon receipt on FIRST award from the National Institutes of Health].
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Genetics of Obesity and Related Risk Factors Among Black Women. A FIRST Award from the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive and Kidney Diseases. Period: 9/1/1994 – 8/31/1999. Total amount: \$350,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Genetics of Obesity and Related Risks Among Black Americans. An Investigatorship Award offered by the New York City Affiliate of the American Heart Association. Total amount: \$90,000. [Award returned due to receipt of overlapping award from American Diabetes Association.]
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Meta-analysis of the Effects of Anti-psychotic Medication on Weight Gain. A grant-in-aid from Pfizer Central Research. Period: 3/1/997 – 3/1/1998. Total amount: \$30,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Race and The Heritability of Obesity. A pilot and feasibility grant from the Executive Committee of the Obesity Research Center. Period: 1/1/1993 - 12/31/1993. Total amount: \$15,000. Renewal funded 2/1/1994 – 1/31/1995. Total amount: \$8,750.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). An Obesity Cost Model. A contract from Wyeth-Ayerst. Period: 1/1/1997 – 9/1/1997. Total amount: \$11,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). R13DK077555. Design, Analysis, & Interpretation of RCTs in Obesity. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 11/01/2006 – 10/31/2007. Total amount: \$25,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Development, Evaluation, & Dissemination of Methods for the Analysis of Gene Expression by Microarrays. A Research Coordination Network proposal funded by the National Science Foundation. Period: 3/12/2001 – 2/28/2007. Total amount: \$476,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). R29DK047256. Genetics of Obesity and Related Risk Factors Among Black Women. A supplement to a FIRST Award from the National Institutes of Health (NIDDK) to support Melissa Kezis, an undergraduate student with a disability. Period: 6/1/1995 – 8/31/1996. Total amount: \$14,547.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Genetics of Obesity and Related Risk Factors Among Black Women. A minority supplement to a FIRST Award from the National Institutes of Health (NIDDK) to support Elizabeth Manibay, a minority graduate student. Period: 6/10/1996 – 8/31/1996. Total amount: \$7,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Methodology for Combining Multiple Genome Scan Datasets with Application to Human Obesity. A supplemental proposal submitted to the National Institutes of Health. Period: 10/01/2001 – 9/30/2002. Total amount: \$40,968.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Recipient of the first Organizational Behavior Management Network Special Projects Award, May 1990, for an experimental study: Relative Effectiveness and Cost-Effectiveness of Cooperative, Competitive, and Independent Monetary Incentive Systems for Improving Staff Performance. Total amount: \$1,500

- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Self-Esteem and Obesity Among African Americans. A grant from the Henry A. Murray Research Center at Radcliffe College. Period: 1/1/1996 – 12/31/1996. Total amount: \$4,860.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Study of HEAL Childhood Obesity Prevention Program. Funded by HEAL Alabama. Period: 6/1/2016 – 6/01/2017. Total amount: \$10,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). The Genetics of Human Energy Regulation in Relation to Obesity. A Future Leaders Award from the International Life Sciences Institute (ILSI). Period: 1/1/1995 – 12/31/1996. Total amount: \$30,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**). Weight Gain & Compliance with Anti-Psychotic Medication. Funded by Pfizer Central Research. Period: 3/1/1999 – 3/1/2000. Total amount: \$33,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal-investigator**), et al. Body Composition, Energetics, and Longevity. R01AG033682. An R01 grant funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 2/15/2010 – 2/14/2016. Total amount: \$2,661,398.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal-investigator**), et al. Dell High Performance Computing Cluster and Associated Hitachi Terabyte Data Storage. An S10 (shared instrumentation) proposal funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 7/26/2010 – 7/25/2011. Total amount: \$500,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal-investigator**), et al. R01DK078826. Design Issues in Obesity RCTs Building an Evidence Base. An R01 proposal submitted to the National Institute of Diabetes Digestive & Kidney Diseases, National Institutes of Health. Period: 3/01/2009 – 2/28/2013. Total amount: \$797,500.
- Allison, D. B. Awarded grant from the National Science Foundation to attend NATO Advanced Study Institute #115/91 on "Methodology for Genetic Studies of Twins and Families," September 1991, Leuven, Belgium. Total amount: \$1,000.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator, director**), et al. P30DK056336. UAB Nutrition Obesity Research Center, Funded by the National Institutes of Diabetes Digestive and Kidney Diseases. Period: 1/01/2000 – 6/30/2017. Total amount: \$115,459,444.
- Allison, D. B. Sub-contract to Johns Hopkins Clinical Trial of Olestra as an Aid to Weight Maintenance to provide statistical support. Funded by the Proctor & Gamble Company. Period: 7/1/1999 – 6/30/2002. Total amount: \$16,900.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**), et al. R13CA168347. Functional and Dysfunctional Foods: Issues in Evaluating Bioactive Food Component. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 4/01/2012 – 3/31/2013. Total amount: \$ 48,336
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator**) et al. Statistical Studies of the Effect of Excluding Early Deaths When Analyzing Prospective Cohort Studies in the Presence of Confounding by Occult Disease. Funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Period: 6/1/1996 – 5/31/1997. Total amount: \$8,500.
- Allison, D. B. (**principal investigator [titular]**), Dhurandhar, E. (Co-I; functionally PI). The Role of Protein in Regulating Ad Libitum Energy Intake in Humans. Funded by the Egg Nutrition Research Center (ENRC). Period: 12/01/2014 – 11/30/2016. Total amount: {\$252, 020}
- Allison, D. B., (**principal investigator**), et al. Data Analysis for a Clinical Trial of PWS Treatment. Funded by Soleno Therapeutics, Inc. Period: 7/1/2020 – 7/31/2020. Total amount: \$39,980.
- Anthony, J. ... Allison, D. B. (**subcontract principal investigator**). Minding A Mid-America Gap: NIDA/NIAAA Epidemiology Research Training for Clinical Researchers and Clinicians in Currently Under-Served Areas. Funded by the NIH/NIDA. Period: 9/30/2020 – 8/31/2023. Total Amount: \$1,532,530.
- Amos, C. I., Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**), et al. R01ES09912. Linkage and Linkage Disequilibrium Methods for Quantitative Traits. A proposal funded by the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences. Period: 1/1/1999 – 12/31/2002. Total amount: \$900,000

- Amos, C. I., Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**), et al. R01ES09912. Positional Gene Identification of Complex Traits. Funded by the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences. Period: 7/1/2002 – 6/30/2007. Total amount: \$2,310,925.
- Atkinson, R. L., Dhurandhar, N., Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator**). 7R01DK056277-02. Adenoviruses and Human Obesity – Longitudinal and Twin Studies. An R01 funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases. Period: 9/1/2001 – 9/1/2004 Total amount: \$1,805,817.
- Austad, S. (**principal investigator**) . . . Allison, D. B. (**Associate Director/Co-Investigator**). P30AG050886. Comparative Energetics and Aging. A P30 Nathan Shock Center grant for the study of the basic biology of aging. Funded by the National Institute on Aging (NIA/NIH). Period: 7/15/2015 – 6/30/2020. Total amount: \$1,724,135.
- Austad, S., Allison, D. B. (**Director of Supplement**), et al. P30AG050886. Sex Differences Supplement to Comparative Energetics and Aging. Sub-Project ID: 5972. A P30 Nathan Shock Center grant for the study of the basic biology of aging. Funded by the National Institute on Aging (NIA/NIH). Period: 6/01/2016 – 6/30/2018. Total costs: \$99,904.
- Barnes, S. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Polyphenols & Nutrients: Genes, Proteins and Cancer Risk. A P20 proposal funded by the National Cancer Institute. Period: 9/28/2001 – 3/27/2002. Total amount: \$69,323.
- Barnes, S. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator; PI of 1 of 4 projects**). U54CA100949. Center for Gene-Nutrient Interaction (CNGI). A center grant proposal funded by the National Cancer Institute Period: 9/01/2003 – 8/31/2009. Total amount: \$13,809,062.
- Bartolomucci, A. . . . Allison, D. B. (**unpaid consultant**). Mouse Models for the Influence of the Social Environment on Health and Aging. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period 9/1/2022 – 8/31/2024. Total Amount Year One: \$311,318.
- Baskin, M. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Impact of Fruit and Vegetable Cost on Obesity in Children and Parents. Funded by an anonymous private philanthropist. Period: 5/01/2004 – 6/30/2007. Total amount: ~\$50,000.
- Boyer, B. B. ... Allison, D. B. (**originally co-investigator, then consultant**). R01DK104347. Epigenome Modification by a Dietary Pattern Rich in Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids. Funded by the NIDDK/NIH: Period: 9/20/2016 – 7/31/2020. Total amount: \$2,568,000.
- Boyer, B. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**), et al. R01DK074842. Genetics of Obesity in Yup'ik Eskimos. Funded by the National Institutes of Health Period: 9/13/2007 – 8/31/2012. Total amount: \$2,306,134.
- Brown, A. W. & Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator**). Good Plants, Bad Plants: Potatoes and cardiometabolic health. Funded by the Alliance for Potato Research and Education. Period: 4/1/2020 – 9/30/2022. Total amount: \$150,000.
- Brown, A. W. . . . Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). R25GM141507 Removing Barriers to Better Data Practices Through Capacity, Opportunity, and Motivation. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 7/1/2021 – 6/30/2024. Total amount: \$268,756.
- Brown, A. W. (principal investigator) & Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Science Dialogue Mapping of Knowledge and Knowledge Gaps Related to the Effects of Dairy Intake on Human Health. Funded by Dairy Management Inc. (DMI). Period: 11/1/2018 – 6/30/2019. Total amount: \$65,313.
- Brown, A. W. & Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Moving Beyond Single Analyses for More Rigorous Inferences About Beef intake and Cardiovascular Health. Funded by the National Cattlemen's Beef Association. Period: 10/1/2019 – 5/31/2022. Total amount: \$74,365.
- Cheung, K. ... Allison, D. B. (**consultant**). Exploring Approaches for Microarray Databases that Enable Flexible Design and Integrative Analysis. Funded by the National Science Foundation. Period: 11/01/2002 – 10/31/2004.

- Cox, J. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). DK075685. BOLD Prediction of Success in a Weight Loss Program. An R1 funded by the National Institute of Diabetes Digestive & Kidney Diseases, National Institutes of Health. Period: 7/01/2007 – 6/30/2009. Total amount \$398,750.
- Cui, X, Zhu, D., & Allison, D. B. Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). R13 HG005792. Statistical Analyses for Next Generation Sequencing. Funded by the National Institute of Human Genome Research Period: 1/21/2011 – 12/31/2011. Total amount: ~\$35,000.
- Cutter, G. Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator**). T32NS054584. UAB Pre- and Post -Doctoral Training Program in Biostatistics. A pre- and post-doctoral training grant funded by the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke. Period: 7/01/2007 – 6/30/2012. Total amount: \$890,000.
- DeLuca, M. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). 5R01HL80812-3. QTL Mapping Age-related Changes in Lipid Storage. Funded by the National Heart, Lung & Blood Institute Period: 9/27/2004 – 8/31/2008. Total amount: \$1,000,000.
- Deng, H. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**), et al. P50AR055081. Identifying Osteoporosis Risk Genes via Genomic Convergence. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 9/7/2007 – 7/31/2012. Total amount: \$82,752 (total costs of UAB subcontract).
- Din-Dzietham, R. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). 5UH1HL073461. Cardiovascular Disease Preventive Intervention Program. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 5/15/2003 – 11/30/2010. Total amount: \$19,573.
- Dutton, G.... Allison, D. B. (**subcontract principal investigator**). R01DK118939. Daily Self-Weighing for Obesity Management in Primary Care. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 6/15/2019 – 3/31/2024. Total amount: \$2,648,617.
- Emanuel, P. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Comprehensive Cancer Center Core Support Grant. A P30 grant funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 4/1/2005 – 3/31/2020. Total amount: \$37,597,934. [Removed from grant after 1st year due to budget cuts].
- Faith, M. S. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Maternal Control Feeding Style: Effects on Childhood Obesity. Funded by the ATPM/CDC/ATSDR Cooperative Program. Period: 9/1/1999 – 8/31/2000. Total amount: \$90,000.
- Faith, M. S. ... Allison, D. B. (**consultant**). R01HD042169. Food Substitution for Child Nutrition/Obesity Prevention. An R01 proposal funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 9/15/2003 – 7/31/2008. Total amount: \$1,604,815.
- Flaherman, V. J. ... Allison, D. B. (**subcontract principal investigator**). Ameliorating Infant Childhood Wasting Through Early Infancy. Funded by the Gates Foundation. Period: 11/1/2021 – 10/31/2022. Total amount: \$51,555.
- Flint, J. & Allison, D. B. (**collaborator**). Methods for Gene Mapping in Complex Traits: Obesity and Neurosis. An International Collaboration Grant funded by the Wellcome Trust. Period: 6/1/1999 – 5/31/2002. Total amount: 16,000 British Pounds.
- Flint, J. ... Allison, D. B. (**collaborator**). Mapping Genes for Anxiety and Depression. Funded by the Wellcome Trust. Total amount: 600,000 British Pounds.
- Fontaine, K. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**), et al. R21DK077959. Obesity and Mortality among Hispanics. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 7/1/2008 – 6/30/2010. Total amount: \$511,142.
- Fouad, M. ... Allison, D. B. (**originally co-investigator, now consultant**). R25DK113652. UAB STEP-UP: Promoting Diversity through Mentored Research Experiences (UAB STEP-UP). Funded by the National Institutes of Health (NIDDK). Period: 4/01/2017 – 3/31/2022. Total amount: \$1,314,140.

- Gallagher, D. [Formerly Heymsfield, S. B.] ...Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator/switched to consultant**). Body Composition: Methods, Model & Clinical Application. A P01 proposal funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 6/1/2001 – 5/30/2006. Total amount: \$5,000,000.
- Gao, G. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). 5R01GM073766-06. Haplotyping and QTL Mapping in Pedigrees with Missing Data. An R01 funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 6/1/2007 – 5/31/2014. Total amount: \$774,187.
- Garvey, W.T.... & Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator & director of training program**). 17SFRN33570038. UAB Strategically Focused Obesity Center (SFOC) Intergenerational Transmission of Obesity. Funded by the American Heart Association. Period 04/01/2017 – 03/31/2021. Total amount: \$3,709,200.
- Heimbürger D. C. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator/switched to consultant**). R03DK067357. Reimbursement Effects on Enrollment in Obesity Treatment. Funded by the NIH/NIDDK. Period: 8/1/2004 – 6/30/2006. Total amount: \$100,000.
- Heymsfield, S. B. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). 1R01AG013021-01. Aging and Skeletal Muscle: New Body Composition Models. An R01 grant from the National Institute of Aging. Period: 4/1/1995 - 3/31/1999. Total amount: \$702,399.
- Hosur, M. ... Allison, D. B. (**collaborator**). EPS-0814103 RII. Enhancing Alabama's Research Capacity in Nano/Bio Science and Sensors NSF EPSCoR Research Infrastructure Improvement Grant Program (RII). Funded by Center for Environmental Cellular Signal Transduction (CECST). Period: 9/1/2008 – 10/31/2011. Total amount: \$6,000,000.
- Huang, L.S. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator/switched to consultant**). Regulation of ApoB Secretion in Inbred Mouse Strains. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 4/1/2000 – 3/31/2004. Total amount: \$1,000,000.
- Jayawardene, W. P. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Tracking Together: Human and Canine Activity Monitors for Longer, Healthier Lives. Funded by Mars, Inc. Period: 1/01/20 – 07/31/21. Total amount: \$25,880. Jensen, M. D. ...Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Advances in Obesity – From the Environment to the Gene. An R13 (conference) grant funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases. Period: 8/1/2001 – 7/31/2002. Total amount: \$15,000.
- Kaslow, R. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Genetic Factors in the Epidemiology of HIV-1 Infection. Funded by the National Institute of Health. Period: 12/1/2001 – 11/30/2006. Total amount: \$2,835,056. [Withdrew from grant due to over-commitment – replaced by Varghese George].
- Kim, J. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). R21 HD067784. Risk and Injury Severity of Obese Child Passengers in Motor Vehicle Crashes. An R21 proposal funded by the National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Child Health & Human Development. Period: 12/1/2010 – 11/30/2012. Total amount: \$387,313
- Kimberly, R. P. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator/mentor**). 2T32AR007450-21. Training Program in Rheumatic Diseases Research. A T32 grant funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 5/1/2002 – 4/30/2007. Total amount: \$1,784,968.
- Kimberly, R. P. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Multidisciplinary Clinical Research Center. Funded by the National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases. Period: 01/01/2002 – 12/31/2006. Total amount: \$3,994,828. [Withdrew from grant due to over-commitment – replaced by Varghese George].
- Kimberly, R. P. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator/PI of statistical genetics core**). 1P01AR049084-01. Program Project in the Genetics of SLE. Funded by the National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases. Period: 9/24/2002 – 8/31/2007. Total amount: \$5,000,000.
- Kotler, D. P., Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**), et al. Application of Molecular Techniques to the study of HIV-Associated Lipodystrophy. Funded by the Campbell Foundation. Period: 6/1/2001 – 5/30/2002. Total amount: \$72,000.

- Lefevre, M. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). U01HL072510. Diet, Genetics, and CVD Risk Factor Response in Blacks. Funded by the National Heart, Lung & Blood Institute. Period: 10/01/2002 – 08/31/2006. Total amount of UAB subcontract: \$1,063,005.
- Leibel, R. L. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-PI**). R01DK52431. Molecular Genetic Analysis of Human Obesity. An R01 proposal Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 12/07/2008 – 11/30/2013. Total amount: \$2,500,000.
- Lemacks, J. . . .Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). R56HL164335. The Okla Achukma Project. Funded by the National Institutes of Health (NHLBI). Period: 9/19/2022 – 8/31/2024. Total subcontract amount: \$25,000.
- Lerman, C. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Transdisciplinary Tobacco Use Research Center. A P50 grant funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 09/01/2004 — 08/31/2009. UAB subcontract amount: \$108,750. [Removed from grant after 2nd year due to budget cuts].
- Liu, N. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**), et al. R01GM081488. Genome Wide Haplotype Association Analysis. funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 4/1/2008 – 3/31/2013. Total amount: \$1,160,000.
- Ludwig, D. (joint principal investigator) Allison, D. B. (**joint principal investigator**). Macronutrients and Body Fat Accumulation: A Multicenter Mechanistic Feeding Study. Funded by the Laura & John Arnold Foundation. Period: 9/01/2017 –04/30/2021. Total amount: >\$12,000,000.
- Mohatt, G., ...Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Building a Center of Biomedical Research Excellence for Alaska Native Health Research. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 7/01/2001 – 06/30/2007. Total amount: \$7,498,540.
- Morgan/Hahn & Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). LIT: Integrating physiological and genetic mechanisms to understand the evolution of cold tolerance. Funded by the National Science Foundation. Period: 4/01/2011 – 3/31/2024. Total amount: \$135,724.
- Mountz, J. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Administrative Supplement to “Defective Fas Apoptosis During Aging”. Funded by the National Institute of Aging. Period: 9/30/2001 – 9/29/2002. Total amount: \$100,000.
- Nagy, T. ...Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator**). Effects of Dairy Products on Insulin Sensitivity. An investigator-initiated proposal funded by General Mills. Period: 7/01/2004 – 6/30/2005. Total amount: \$125,000.
- Nagy, T. ...Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator**). Antipsychotic Drug-Induced Weight Gain. An R01 proposal funded by the NIH/NIDDK. Period: 7/01/2004 – 6/30/2009. Total amount: \$1,407,121.
- Page, G. P. [original PI: Edwards, J.], & Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator**). A Power & Sample Size Atlas for Microarray Research. Funded by the National Science Foundation. Period: 9/1/2003 – 8/31/2005. Total amount \$97,835.
- Palacios, A. . . . Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). WW Improving Nutrition Study: A Randomized Controlled Trial (WINS). Funded by WW. Period 12/17/2022 – 12/31/2024. Total amount: \$102,813.
- Pi-Sunyer, F. X. ...Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator/switched to consultant**), et al. Obesity Research Center. A P30 (center grant) grant funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases. Period: 5/1/2000 – 5/1/2005. Total amount: \$5,000,000.
- Pi-Sunyer, F. X., Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**), et al. The NIDDM Primary Prevention Trial. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 8/15/1994 – 4/14/2003. Total amount: \$2,043,926.
- Pi-Sunyer, F. X., Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**), et al. Obesity Treatment: Establishing Goals, Improving Outcomes, and Reviewing the Research Agenda. A grant for a three-day international scientific conference funded by the NIH, NATO, the American Psychological Association, and several industrial corporations, June 1993. Total amount: \$98,000.

- Pi-Sunyer, F. X., Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator**), et al. Obesity Research Center Training Grant. A T32 application for post-doctoral training funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases. Period: 5/1/2000 – 5/1/2005. Total amount: \$1,000,000.
- Prolla, T. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). 1R01AG020681-01A1. Gene Expression, Caloric Restriction & the Aging Brain. An R01 proposal funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 3/15/2003 – 1/31/2008. Total amount: \$1,558,205.
- Ruden, D. ...& Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). 5R21ES011751-02. Toxicogenomics of Lead, Mercury, and Cadmium. A proposal funded by the National Institute of Health. Period: 6/1/2002 – 5/31/2004 Total amount: \$287,000. [Withdrew from grant due to over-commitment – replaced by Nengjun Yi].
- Saag, K. G. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). P30AI27767. UAB Center for AIDS Research (CFAR). Funded by the National Institutes of Health/National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Disease. Period: 3/01/2009 – 2/28/2014. Total amount: \$480,000. [Withdrew from grant due to over-commitment – replaced by Gary Cutter].
- Saffer, H. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). 1R01DK054826-01A2. Prevention, Economics, and Obesity. Funded by the National Institutes of Health. Period: 7/1/2000 – 6/30/2004. Total amount: \$750,000.
- Stahl, C. ... Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Improving Swine Growth via Nutritional Programming of Stem Cell Populations. Funded by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). Project Period: 4/1/2016 – 6/30/2020. Total amount: \$499,970.
- Stahl, C. Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). R01HD092304. A Porcine Model for Investigating the Role of an Insulin Signaling Regulator in Development and Disease. An R01 grant funded by the National Institutes of Health (NICHD). Period: 8/15/2018 – 6/30/2024. Total amount: \$1,585,870.
- St-Onge, M.P....Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator**). Cardiovascular Health Effects of Isocaloric Substitution of Polyunsaturated Fat Rich Snacks for Saturated and Trans-fat or Refined Carbohydrate Snacks in Moderately Hypercholesterolemic Individuals. Funded by Frito-Lay North America. Period: 3/1/2006 – 2/28/2007. Total amount: \$569,708.
- Stunkard, A. J. ... Allison, D. A. (**co-investigator**) et al. Twin Study of Obesity. A Fogarty International Research Collaboration Award. Period: 7/1/1995 – 6/30/1996. Total amount: \$20,000.
- Tiwari, H. ...Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). R25HG006110. Short Course on Next-Generation Sequencing Technology and Statistical Methods. An R25 funded by the National Human Genome Research Institute, National Institutes of Health. Period: 04/01/2011 – 03/31/2014. Total amount: \$242,920.
- Tiwari, H. K. & Allison, D. B. (**co-investigator**). Statistical Integration of Genetic Information Across Data Domains: Biomedical, Agricultural, and Comparative Genomics. A grant from the Institute of Mathematical Statistics for a 1-day meeting held on 12/2/2002. Total amount: \$1,500.
- Tiwari, H. K., Cutter, G., & Allison, D. B. (**co-principal investigator; formerly principal investigator**). T32HL079888. UAB Biostatistics Pre-doctoral Training Program. A pre-doctoral training grant funded by the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute. Period: 09/01/2005 – 08/31/2015. Total amount: \$1,073,783.
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PRESENTATIONS

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1. **Allison, D. B.** (2019). "Rigor in Obesity Research and Its Communication: A Call for Renewed Commitment." Invited to present the November 21, 2019 Edna W. Park Lecture at the University of Toronto. Toronto, ON, Canada.
2. **Allison, D. B.** (2019). "Scientific Integrity: Principles and Best Practices." Invited presentation at the AAAS 2019 Annual Meeting. Washington, DC.
3. **Allison, D. B.** (2019). "Facts vs. Myths about Obesity Treatment and Prevention: How to Make Obesity Science More Rigorous." An invited "lunch and learn" presentation to the Scientific Advisory Board (SAB) at Biofortis Research. Addison, IL.
4. **Allison, D. B.** (2019). Invited briefing on the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine's Reproducibility and Replicability Report to the Council on Government Relations. Washington, DC.
5. **Allison, D. B.** (2018). "Regression to the Mean – A frequently neglected source of confused conclusion." Invited presentation at Nutrition 2018, the American Society for Nutrition's annual meeting. Boston, MA.
6. **Allison, D. B.** (2018). "Rigor and Reproducibility in Research." Invited presentation at the Mid-Year Meeting of the International Life Sciences Institute (ILSI) in Arlington, VA.

7. **Allison, D. B.** (2018). "Obesity, Energetics, and Longevity: Social, Experimental, Evolutionary, and Epidemiologic Perspectives" invited lecture at the City-Wide Grand Rounds on Obesity and Metabolic Diseases. Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee.
8. **Allison, D. B.** (2018). "Obesity, Energetics, and Longevity: Social, Experimental, Evolutionary, and Epidemiologic Perspectives." Invited DeWitt Goodman Seminar Series at Columbia University, New York.
9. **Allison, D. B.** (2018). "Best practices for communication – Lessons from Public Health." Invited presentation at AAAS Committee on Science and Technology Engagement with the Public (CoSTEP). Washington, DC.
10. **Allison, D. B.** (2018). "Scientific Integrity Principles and Best Practices: Transcending Boundaries Across the Scientific Enterprise." Invited presentation at the American Public Health Association's (APHA) 2018 Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA.
11. **Allison, D. B.** (2018). "Obesity, Energetics, and Longevity: Social, Experimental, Evolutionary, and Epidemiologic Perspectives." Invited lecture at the Sciencetech Club, Indianapolis, IN.
12. **Allison, D. B.** (2018). "Obesity, energetics, and longevity: social experimental, evolutionary, and epidemiologic perspectives" invited webinar obesity theories webinar for Lifestyle, Obesity and Metabolic research (LOM) Conference 2018, University of Copenhagen.
13. **Allison, D. B.** (2017). Breaches in Research Reproducibility: Contributing Factors, Examples, & Plausible Prophylaxis. Invited lecture presented to the DOJ/NIST National Commission on Forensic Science.
14. **Allison, D. B.** (2017). "Causal modeling in assessing effects of nutritional interventions" invited lecture for the National Institute on Aging's Nutritional Interventions to Promote Health Aging workshop in Bethesda, MD.
15. **Allison, D. B.** (2017). "Application of complex thinking and modeling in the field of obesity" invited presentation at the National Academy of Medicine's 2017 Annual Meeting: Program on the Complexity of Obesity. Washington, DC.
16. **Allison, D. B.** (2017). "Obesity, Energetics, and Longevity: Social, Experimental, Evolutionary, and Epidemiologic Perspectives" invited presentation in the Endocrine Rounds at the 17th Annual National Meeting of the Mouse Metabolic Phenotyping Center Program (MMPC). Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN.
17. **Allison, D. B.** (2016). "Dependability, Defendability, and Transparency" invited lecture for Cedars-Sinai Diabetes-Obesity-Wellness symposium in Los Angeles CA on Fri 2/19/2016.
18. **Allison, D. B.** (2016). "Rigor, Reproducibility, and Transparency: Paths Forward" invited lecture for Experimental Biology in San Diego CA on Sun 4/3/2016.
19. **Allison, D. B.** (2016). "Creativity, Rigor, Reproducibility, and Transparency in Research – What, How, Why" invited lecture for UAB Vision Science Center in Birmingham AL on Thu 4/14/2016.
20. **Allison, D. B.** (2016). "Obesity, Weight Loss, Energetics, and Longevity" invited lecture to Janssen Research & Development, LLC.
21. **Allison, D. B.** (2016). "Obesity, Energetics, Security, and Longevity" accept award at invited Indiana University Corcoran lecture in Evansville, IN on Tue 10/18/2016.
22. **Allison, D. B.** (2016). "Reproducibility: A tragedy of errors" invited webinar for ISMPP (International Society for Medical Publication Professionals).
23. **Allison, D. B.** (2016). "Some Lessons Learned from 2/3rds of a Lifetime of Trial and Error (and a few readings)" Keynote lecture for the Obesity Society Early Career Academic workshop at TOS annual meeting in New Orleans LA.

24. **Allison, D. B.** (2016). "State of the Science of Energy Balance Research Across the Lifespan" invited lecture at ILSI Tech Summit: Innovative Tools for Assessing Diet & Physical Activity for Health Promotion in San Diego CA on Wed 11/30/2016.
25. **Allison, D. B.** (2015). "Just Cause: Some Thoughts About Estimating Treatment and Genetic Effects and their Heterogeneity". Invited lecture given at the National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI) of the National Institutes of Health.
26. **Allison, D. B.** (2015). Invited speaker as part of UAB's Donaldson Lecture Series at the Donaldson Correctional Institute: Title "Obesity & Nutrition."
27. **Allison, D. B.** (2014). Invited Lecture on leadership and ethics to the students of the Altamont School (a private school for gifted students).
28. **Allison, D. B.** Tue 5/7/2013. Invited speaker at Birmingham Kiwanis luncheon: Title "Myths, Presumptions, and Curious Conjectures about Obesity"
29. **Allison, D. B.** Tue 2/26/2013. Invited speaker as part of UAB's Donaldson Lecture Series at the Donaldson Correctional Institute: Title "Fallacies of weight control"
30. **Allison, D. B.** Wed 1/16/2013. Invited speaker at a Health Panel for the Birmingham Junior League: Title "Myths, Presumptions, and Facts of Obesity: Science as the Sifter"
31. **Allison, D. B.** Wed 12/12/2012. Invited speaker for the Rotary Club of Birmingham: Title "Obesity: Separating Myths, Presumptions, and Facts".
32. **Allison, D. B.** Thu 11/8/2012. Invited speaker for Leadership Birmingham - Birmingham Area Chamber of Commerce: Title "Obesity: Separating Myths and Presumptions from Facts with Rigorous Evaluation and Probative Research."
33. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Detecting and Minimizing Biases in the Evidence Base: Steps to Move Forward." 2012 ILSI Annual Meeting. Phoenix, AZ on January 23, 2012.
34. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Genetic and Environmental Influences on Obesity." Seminar speaker at Monell Chemical Senses Center's Thomas Jefferson University Medical College. Philadelphia, PA on January 31, 2012.
35. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Open-mindedness and skepticism about causes and alleviators of the obesity epidemic". Invited speaker at Obesity Roundtable Discussion at Boston University's School of Medicine. Boston, MA on February 13, 2012.
36. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Genetic and Environmental Influences on Obesity." Seminar speaker at Center for Translational and Public Health Genomics at University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center. Houston, TX on Feb 23, 2012.
37. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Open-mindedness and skepticism about causes and alleviators of the obesity epidemic". Invited speaker at Brain/Obesity NIDDK Intramural lecture series. Washington, DC on March 22, 2012.
38. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Open-mindedness and skepticism about causes and alleviators of the obesity epidemic". Invited speaker at Mid-Atlantic NORC Mini-symposium at University of Maryland's School of Medicine. Baltimore, MD on March 23, 2012.
39. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "The challenging trail from basic discovery to practical utility: Examples from the genetics of obesity". Invited speaker at Genetics / Genomics Featured Symposium for the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA on April 12, 2012.
40. Cai, D., Powell, M. L., **Allison, D. B.**, & Watts, S. A. (2012) Development of *Nothobranchius furzeri* as a Model for Aging and Nutrition. Poster at 5th Annual UAB Expo, Birmingham AL, April 20, 2012. <http://www.uab.edu/undergraduateresearch/uab-expo>.

41. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Energy Balance: A New Paradigm. Statistical and Study Design Issues". Invited speaker at Experimental Biology (EB2012) annual meeting by the ILSI North America Technical Committee on Energy Balance and Active Lifestyle. San Diego, CA on April 21, 2012.
42. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "A Call for Skepticism, Open-Mindedness, and Fidelity of Communication About Causes and Alleviators of the Obesity Epidemic". Lecture at Nutrition and Psychology class at Cornell University. Ithaca, NY on April 26, 2012.
43. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "What Contributes to Obesity: The Need for Skepticism & Open-mindedness". Keynote Address at the New York Academy of Sciences (NYAS) Conference: New Thoughts about Cause, Prevention, & Treatment of Childhood Obesity. Binghamton, NY on April 27, 2012. <http://www.nyas.org/Publications/Ebriefings/Detail.aspx?cid=421ef88d-4efa-41b1-9d5e-0440ddc8cfd0>.
44. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "A perspective from Academia". Invited speaker at Red Bull Planning meeting re advising federal regulatory agencies on the safety/efficacy of products. Washington, DC on May 8, 2012.
45. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "A Call for Skepticism, Open-Mindedness, and Fidelity of Communication About Causes and Alleviators of the Obesity Epidemic". Keynote Address for the University of Tennessee's (Knoxville) Comparative and Experimental Medicine program. Knoxville, TN on May 22, 2012.
46. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Contributions to Obesity: Exploring the Road Less Traveled". Speak @ American Psychological Association (APA) annual Convention, obesity track of presidential programming. Orlando, FL on August 3, 2012.
47. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Making data publicly available: benefits, challenges, and suggestions". Host and speak at Conference on Scientific Approaches to Strengthening Research Integrity in Nutrition and Energetics. New Paltz, NY on August 8, 2012.
48. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Why study energy balance and how?" Invited speaker at Latin-American Scientific Series Energy Balance Symposium. Sao Paulo, Brazil on August 16, 2012.
49. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) TOS Keynote Debate re The Role of Sugar-Sweetened Beverages in the Obesity Epidemic: Plague Rat or Red Herring? The Obesity Society Annual Meeting. San Antonio, TX on September 2, 2012.
50. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "Introduction to Genomics & Utility in Healthcare: With Examples from Obesity". Invited speaker at FDA Genomic Evaluation Team for Safety's (GETS) symposium on The Application of Genomics at CBER. Washington, DC on September 6, 2012.
51. **Allison, D. B.** (2012) "A Call for Skepticism and Open-Mindedness About the Causes and Ameliorators of Obesity". Keynote speaker at Annual HDDAC Diabetes Research Symposium at the Oklahoma University Health Sciences Center. Oklahoma City, OK on October 19, 2012.
52. **Allison, D. B.** *Causes and Consequences of Obesity*. An Invited Lecture delivered at the Danish House of Parliament, November 2011.
53. **Allison, D. B.** *Body Fat and Survival: From Ecology to Public Health*. An Invited Keynote Lecture delivered at the 9th International Symposium on In Vivo Body Composition Studies HangZhou, China May 21-24, 2011.
54. Kim, J. E., Hsieh, M. H., Shum, P. C., Kim, Y. H., Shih, A. M., Tubbs, R. S., & **Allison, D. B.** "Modeling methodologies and simulations to investigate impact-induced traumatic injuries sustained by obese children," International Symposium on Models and Modeling Methodologies in Science and Engineering, Orlando, FL, Jul. 19-22, 2011.
55. **Allison, D. B.** *Ideas from the Outlands: Contributors to Obesity from (A)mbient Temperature to (Z)oonitic Viruses*. Invited lecture delivered at the Canadian Society for Exercise Physiology (CSEP), November 2010.

56. **Allison, D. B.** Discussion leader for session in *Obesity: The Gene-Environment Interaction and its Implications*. An invited role in a closed meeting at Melville Castle, Aberdeen Scotland, hosted by the Company of Biologists.
57. **Allison, D. B.** *The Rise of Statistics as an Empirical Science: Genomics as the Leavening*. Invited lecture delivered at Zhejiang University, Institute of Bioinformatics, Huajiachi Campus, Hangzhou, China, April 2010.
58. **Allison, D. B.** *Obesity: A Look Through the Kaleidoscope*. Invited lecture delivered at Zhejiang University, School of Public Health, Hangzhou, China, April 2010.
59. **Allison, D. B.** *Data credibility and faithfulness in research reporting*. Invited lecture delivered at American Heart Association INAP Meeting, March 2010.
60. **Allison, D. B.** *Conjectures on Some Curious Connections Among Social Status, Hunger, Fatness, and Longevity*. Invited lecture delivered at the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Disease, NIH, February 2010.
61. **Allison, D. B.** *Dissecting the Evidentiary Basis of Outcome Claims in A Regulatory Framework*. Invited lecture delivered at the International Association for the Study of Obesity's Nutrition Discussion Forum: Monday 1st December 2008, Royal Society of Medicine, Chandos House, London. 'Health Claims': An analysis of FTC (US), EFFSA (EU) and Scandinavian Regulations.
62. Padilla, M. A., Elobeid, M., & **Allison, D. B.** (2008). An Examination of the Association of Heavy Metals with Weight Gain/Obesity: NHANES 99-02 T5: PS.180 (Submitted as an Oral or Poster Presentation to the 16th European Congress on Obesity, in Geneva Switzerland, May 16, 2008, 1545-1715)
63. Elobeid, M., Padilla, M., & **Allison, D. B.** Environmental Toxins and Obesity: An Examination of Pesticides and Phthalates, NHANES 99-02. (Will be presented as an Oral Presentation at the 16th European Congress on Obesity, in Geneva, Switzerland, May 14-17, 2008).
64. Yi, N., Ding S., Keith, S. W., Coffey, C. S., & **Allison, D. B.** (2007) Bayesian Analysis of the Effect of Intentional Weight Loss on Mortality Rate. Presented at the Joint Statistical Meetings; St Lake City, UT, July 29 - Aug 2.
65. **Allison, D. B.** (2007) Accounting for unobserved confounders via data augmentation. Presented at the Joint Statistical Meetings; St Lake City, UT, July 29 - Aug 2.
66. Vaughan, L. K., Divers, J., Padilla, M., Redden, D. T., Tiwari, H. K., Pomp D., & **Allison, D. B.** (2007) Evaluating individual admixture estimation through plasmodes. Presented at the Joint Statistical Meetings; St Lake City, UT, July 29 - Aug 2.
67. Keith, S. W. & **Allison, D. B.** 2007. A simulation study of a model selection procedure for nonlinear logistic regression. Poster presented at IBS ENAR 2007. March 11 - 14, 2007, Atlanta GA.
68. Bartolucci, A., **Allison, D. B.**, Singh, K., & Bae, S. (2006) Demonstrating the Use of the Mixture Model in Analyzing Microarray Gene Expression Data. Presented at 2006 Joint Research Conference on Statistics in Quality, Industry and Technology. Knoxville, TN, June 7-9, 2006.
69. Hughes, L. B., Moreland, L. W., Howard, G., Alarcón, G. S., **Allison, D. B.**, Westfall, A. O., Conn, D. L., Jonas, B. L., Callahan, L. F., Smith, E. A., Gilkeson, G. S., Fraser, P., Reich, D., & Bridges, S. L. (Nov, 2006). The HLA DRB1 Shared Epitope Is Associated With Rheumatoid Arthritis In African-Americans And Correlates With Higher Estimated Admixture Of European Ancestry: Results From the CLEAR Registry. ACR/AHP Scientific Meeting 06, Nov 11 - 15. Washington DC.
70. **Allison, D. B.** (March 2006). Regional Admixture Mapping (RAM) and Structured Association Testing (SAT): A Unified Framework. Invited lecture at the 6th Annual NIDDK-funded Short Course in Statistical Genetics for Obesity & Nutrition Researchers. San Francisco, CA.
71. **Allison, D. B.** (March 2006). Genetic & Environmental Influences on Obesity: No Simple Answers. Invited lecture at the Grand Rounds at Washington University. St. Louis, MO.

72. **Allison, D. B.** (March 2006). Regional Admixture Mapping (RAM) and Structured Association Testing (SAT): A Unified Framework. Invited lecture at the 2nd Annual Frontiers NIAMS-funded Short Course on Statistical Genetics. Atlanta, GA.
73. Brand, J. P. L., Chen, L., Cui, X., Bartolucci, A. B., Page, G. P., Kim, K., Barnes, S., Srinivasasainagendra, V., Beasley, M., & **Allison, D. B.** 2006. An Adaptive Alpha-Spending Algorithm Improves the Power of Statistical Inference in Microarray Data Analysis. ENAR 2006 Spring Meeting, March 26-29, Tampa, FL.
74. Brand, J. P. L., Chen, L., Cui, X., Bartolucci, A., Page, G., Kim, K., Barnes, S., Shrinivasasainagendra, V., Beasley, M., Ptitsyn, A., & **Allison, D. B.** 2006. An Adaptive Alpha-spending Algorithm Improves the Power of Statistical Inference in Microarray Data Analysis. 2006. The Third Annual Conference of the MidSouth Computational Biology and Bioinformatics Society. March 2-4, Baton Rouge, LA.
75. **Allison, D. B.** (February 2006). Structured Association Testing and Regional Admixture Mapping: A Unified and Extensible Model. Invited lecture at the Institut de Biologie de Lille - Institut Pasteur de Lille. Lille CEDEX, France.
76. **Allison, D. B.** (February 2006). Controversies and Confusions regarding Obesity and Longevity. Invited lecture at University of Florida. Gainesville, FL.
77. **Allison, D. B.** (February 2006). Environmental Interactions with Genetics that Influence Obesity. *Invited lecture at University of Florida's York Distinguished Lecture Series.* Gainesville, FL.
78. **Allison, D. B.** (February 2006). Genetic and Environmental Influences on Obesity. Invited lecture for Dr. Douglas Ruden's Environmental Health Masters Level Seminar (ENH 695/791) @ UAB. Birmingham, AL.
79. **Allison, D. B.** (January 2006). Obesity, Overweight, and Mortality Rates: Understanding the Data behind the Differing Estimates. Invited lecture at 2006 ISLI NA Annual Scientific Meeting. San Juan, Puerto Rico.
80. **Allison, D. B.** (November 2005). Obesity: Person and Population. Keynote lecture delivered at Workshop on obesity, hunger, and treatment hosted by SlimFast, Inc. West Palm Beach, FL.
81. **Allison, D. B.** (November 2005). Obesity and Mortality Rate. Invited lecture at Morehouse School of Medicine's CVRI Lecture Series. Atlanta, GA.
82. **Allison, D. B.** (November 2005). Regional Admixture Mapping (RAM) and Structured Association Testing (SAT): A Unified Framework. Invited lecture delivered at the Department of Statistics, Texas A&M University. College Station, TX.
83. **Allison, D. B.** (October 2005). Relationship of Obesity and Psychiatric Disorders. Invited lecture delivered at a National Institute of Mental Health workshop on Obesity and Severe Mental Disorders. Bethesda, MD.
84. **Allison, D. B.** (October 2005). Medication effects on weight and adiposity. Invited lecture delivered at a National Institute of Mental Health workshop on metabolic effects of antipsychotic drugs and mood stabilizers. St. Louis, MO.
85. **Allison, D. B.** (September 2005). Resampling-based Inference in High Dimensional Biology. Lecture delivered at a National Science Foundation sponsored retreat on design and analysis of microarray studies. New Paltz, NY.
86. **Allison, D. B.** (September 2005). Regional Admixture Mapping (RAM) and Structured Association Testing (SAT): A Unified Framework. Lecture delivered at the Data Analysis Workshop of the National Heart, Lung, and Blood's PROGENI Network. Baltimore, MD.
87. **Allison, D. B.** (September 2005). Regional Admixture Mapping (RAM) and Structured Association Testing (SAT): A Unified Framework. Invited lecture delivered at the annual Joint Statistical Meeting (JSM).

88. **Allison, D. B.** (September 2005). Regional Admixture Mapping (RAM) and Structured Association Testing (SAT): A Unified Framework. Invited lecture delivered at the annual Joint Statistical Meeting (JSM).
89. **Allison, D. B.** (September 2005). Genetic & Environmental Influences on Obesity: No Simple Answers. Invited lecture delivered at the Department of Psychology, University of Alabama at Birmingham. Birmingham, AL.
90. **Allison, D. B.** (July 2005). New approaches for dealing with bioinformatics OR Sense & Nonsense in Microarray Research & HDB. Invited lecture delivered at the annual meeting of the American institute on Cancer Research.
91. **Allison, D. B.** (May 2005). Structured Association Testing (SAT) & Regional Admixture Mapping (RAM). Lecture delivered at UAB-sponsored workshop on genetic admixture. Birmingham, AL.
92. **Allison, D. B.** (March 2005). Genetic & Environmental Influences on Obesity: No Simple Answers. Invited lecture delivered at the National Cancer Institute. Bethesda, MD.
93. **Allison, D. B.** (February 2005). Genetic & Environmental Influences on Obesity: No Simple Answers. Invited lecture delivered at the annual meeting of the UAB Medical School Alumni. Birmingham, AL.
94. **Allison, D. B.** (February 2005). Sense & Nonsense in Microarray Research & HDB. Invited lecture delivered at St. Jude's Children's Hospital. Memphis, TN.
95. **Allison, D. B.** (December 2004). Attributable Risk in Practice-Examples from the Field: Obesity. Invited lecture delivered at the Institute of Medicine.
96. **Allison, D. B.** (December 2004). Sense & Nonsense in Microarray Research & HDB. Invited lecture delivered at Ligand Pharmaceuticals. San Diego, CA.
97. Zakharkin, S. O., Hunter, G. R., Lara-Castro, C., Byrne, N. M., & **Allison, D. B.** (2004). Weight Loss Needed to Maintain Visceral Adipose Tissue During Aging. Presented at the UAB Center for Aging Annual Meeting; Birmingham, Alabama, September 10, 2004. **Paper won the post-doc/junior faculty award in the Clinical Science - Health Services - Outcomes Research category at the conference.**
98. Garge, N. R., Page, G. P., Sprague, A. P., & **Allison, D. B.** (2004) Cluster Stability in Microarrays. Presented at Midsouth Computational Biology and Bioinformatics Society Conference; Little Rock, Arkansas, October 8, 2004.
99. Zakharkin S. O., Page G. P., **Allison, D. B.**, Fuller C. M., Gillespie G. Y., Reddy A. T., Mapstone, T. B., & Benos D. J. Gene Expression Profiling in Pediatric Brain Tumors Using Microarray Analysis. ASBMB Annual Meeting & 8th IUBME Conference. Boston MA, June 12 - 16, 2004. Poster B434.
100. Henderson, D. C., **Allison, D. B.**, Cagliero, E., Daley, T. B., Borba, C., Copeland, P., Anderson, E., Hayden, D., Schoenfeld, D., & Goff, D. C. Glucose metabolism in schizophrenia patients treated with atypical antipsychotics: a frequent sampled intravenous glucose tolerance test and minimal model analysis. 44th Annual New Clinical Drug Evaluation Unit (NCDEU) Conference. Phoenix, AZ, June 1-4, 2004. Poster No. 232.
101. Brand, J. P., Beasley, T. M., Page, G. P., Bartolucci, A. A., Gadbury, G., Kim, K., Barnes, S., & **Allison, D. B.** (April 2004). An adaptive weighted p-value algorithm for more powerful multiplicity control in finding differentially expressed genes in microarray data. Bioinformatics Symposium, University of Louisiana, Lafayette.
102. **Allison, D. B.** (November 2003). Adiposity associated with the use of anti-psychotic drugs. Invited lecture delivered to the ADA Consensus Development Conference on Anti-psychotic Drugs & Diabetes, Alexandria, VA.
103. **Allison, D. B.** (December 2003). Design & Analysis of Microarray Studies. Invited lecture delivered to the Emory University School of Medicine, Dept of Human Genetics, Atlanta, GA.

104. **Allison, D. B.** (December 2003). Genetics of Obesity: A methodological Perspective. Invited lecture delivered to the Duke University Medical Center, Center for Human Genetics, Durham, NC.
105. **Allison, D. B.** (December 2003). Pharmacologic management of obesity. Invited lecture delivered to Health Learning System: Pri-Med Update at the Binge Eating & Obesity Symposium, San Antonio, TX.
106. **Allison, D. B.** & Fernandez, J. (February 2004). Statistical Genomics: Riding the Wave of the Data Torrent. Invited lecture delivered to the University of Alabama at Birmingham's Honors Program, Birmingham, AL.
107. **Allison, D. B.** (March 2004). Novel Statistical Approaches to High Dimensional Analyses. Invited symposium delivered to the ENAR 2004, Pittsburgh, PA.
108. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2004). A statistical geneticist looks at obesity. Invited lecture delivered at the ILSI - Pre-Experimental Biology Meeting 2004, Washington, DC.
109. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2004). Mathematical modeling in microarray analysis. Invited lecture delivered at the APS Experimental Biology 2004 session: A Bioinformatics How-to-for the Wet-Lab Physiologist, Washington, DC.
110. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2004). Microarray and related topics III. Invited lecture at the 2004 UAB Short Course on Statistical Genetics, Washington, DC.
111. **Allison, D. B.** (May 2004). Weight Gain and its Associated Comorbidities. Invited lecture delivered to the Florida Association For The Study of Headache and Neurological Disorders, Palm Beach, FL.
112. **Allison, D. B.** (May 2004). Methods for Multiple Comparison Adjustments. Invited lecture at the University of Arizona's Oligonucleotide Microarray Workshop, Tucson, AZ. [See: <http://ag.arizona.edu/microarray/workshopMay2004.html>]
113. **Allison, D. B.** (October 2003). Food and Nutrition in Obesity Prevention: Implications for Research and Education. Invited Keynote Lecture delivered at the annual meeting of the USDA Advisory Board Committee, Washington, DC.
114. **Allison, D. B.** (October 2003). Genetic Study Designs. Invited Keynote Lecture delivered at Phenotyping Obesity for Human Genetic Studies hosted by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases, Bethesda, MD.
115. **Allison, D. B.** (October 2003). Hogs in Montana, Tea in China, Stars in the Heavens: Objectively Connecting Knowledge in High Dimensional Biology. Invited Lecture delivered at UAB's Comprehensive Cancer Center's Annual Retreat, Birmingham, AL.
116. **Allison, D. B.** (October 2003). Antipsychotic induced weight gain: A second generation of research. Invited Lecture delivered at the annual meeting of the North American Association for the Study of Obesity, Fort Lauderdale, FL.
117. **Allison, D. B.** (September 2003). Applying High-Dimensional Approaches to Microarray Research. Invited Lecture delivered at The Institute for Mathematics and its Applications' workshop on Statistical Methods for Gene Expression: Microarrays and Proteomics, Minneapolis, MN.
118. **Allison, D. B.** (August 2003). Microarray Research: Goldmine or Minefield. An Invited Lecture delivered at a meeting on Genomics of Diabetes And Associated Diseases In The Post Genome Era, Lille, France.
119. **Allison, D. B.** (July 2003). Statistical Issues in Longitudinal Data Analysis. An Invited Lecture delivered at the National Institute of Aging, Bethesda, MD.
120. **Allison, D. B.** (July 2003). Antipsychotic-induced weight gain: A second generation of research. An Invited Lecture delivered to Pfizer Pharmaceuticals, Ann Arbor, MI.

121. **Allison, D. B.** (July 2003). Obesity: True Knowledge, presumed knowledge, and false beliefs. Invited Keynote Lecture delivered at the Chief Scientific Officers' meeting of the International Food Technologists annual meeting, Chicago, IL.
122. **Allison, D. B.** (June 2003). Genetic & Environmental Influences on Obesity. An Invited Lecture delivered at the "Healthy Solutions: Innovation in Response to the Obesity Epidemic" meeting for the food industry sponsored by McNeil Pharmaceuticals, NY, NY.
123. **Allison, D. B.** (June 2003). Obesity & Headache. An Invited Lecture delivered at the annual meeting of the American Headache Society, Chicago, IL.
124. **Allison, D. B.** (June 2003). Applying High-Dimensional Approaches to Microarray Research. An Invited Lecture delivered at the Graybill Conference on Microarrays, Bioinformatics, & Related Topics, Fort Collins, CO.
125. **Allison, D. B.** (June 2003). Problems in statistical genetics. An Invited Lecture delivered at the annual meeting of The Southern Regional Council on Statistics' Summer Research Conference in Statistics, Jekyll Island, GA.
126. **Allison, D. B.** (May 2003). Antipsychotic induced weight gain. An Invited Lecture delivered at the annual meeting of The American Psychiatric Association, San Francisco, CA.
127. **Allison, D. B.** (May 2003). Antipsychotic induced weight gain. An Invited Lecture delivered at the annual Biological Psychiatry meeting, San Francisco, CA.
128. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2003). Adenovirus 36 as a potential cause of obesity: What additional evidence is needed. An Invited Lecture delivered at the annual Experimental Biology meeting, San Diego, CA.
129. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2003). Antipsychotic-induced weight gain: A second generation of research. An Invited Lecture delivered to Eli Lilly & Co., Indianapolis, IN.
130. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2003). Obesity among African Americans. An Invited Lecture delivered at the annual meeting of the National Organization for the Professional Advancement of Black Chemists and Chemical Engineers, Indianapolis, IN.
131. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2003). Use of Microarrays for Pharmacogenomics Research. An Invited Lecture delivered at Indiana University's Division of Clinical Pharmacology in the Department of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN.
132. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2003). Design & Analysis of Microarray Studies. An Invited Lecture delivered at Indiana University's Indiana University School of Medicine Department of Endocrinology & Medical & Molecular Genetics, Indianapolis, IN.
133. **Allison, D. B.** (March 2003). Design & Analysis of Microarray Studies. An invited lecture delivered at the Wistar Institute, Philadelphia, PA.
134. **Allison, D. B.** (March 2003). Statistical Methods in High Dimensional Biology: Examples from Microarray Research. An invited lecture delivered at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.
135. **Allison, D. B.** (March 2003). Obesity, Weight Loss, & Mortality. The 1st Janssen Distinguished Lecture delivered at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA.
136. Holt, J., Beasley, T. M., & **Allison, D. B.** (March 2003). Statistical Models of Gene Expression from Microarray Data. Presented at the 2003 ENAR conference, Tampa, Florida.
137. **Allison, D. B.** (December 2002). Integrating QTL Mapping Data Across Species: Comparative Genomics Made Quantitative. Invited address delivered at conference sponsored by the Institute of Mathematical Statistics on *Statistical Integration of Genetic Information Across Data Domains: Biomedical, Agricultural, and Comparative Genomics*. Held in Birmingham, Alabama.

138. Beasley, T. M., Fernandez, J. R. George, V., & **Allison, D. B.** (November 2002). Quantitative Genomics and Biostatistics: Exciting Career Opportunities in 21st Century Science. Presented at the annual American Indian Science & Engineering Society National Conference in Tulsa, Oklahoma.
139. **Allison, D. B.** (September 2002). Design & Analysis in High Dimensional Biology: Examples from Microarray & Related Research. Keynote Address delivered at Auburn University's Cellular & Molecular Biosciences Fall Mini-Symposium.
140. **Allison, D. B.** (March 2002). Genetic & Environmental Influences on Obesity. An invited lecture delivered to the Palm Chapter of the Florida Psychological Association.
141. **Allison, D. B.** (October 2001). Standards of evidence in obesity treatment loss trials. In Non-pharmacological Treatments for Obesity. A symposium sponsored by Nutripharma Inc at the 2001 meeting of the North American Association for the Study of Obesity.
142. **Allison, D. B.** (August 2001). Data Analytic Approaches to Microarray Technology. An invited address delivered at the summer conference on Obesity sponsored by the Federation of American Societies of experimental Biology. Snowmass, CO.
143. **Allison, D. B.** (July 2001). Statistical Analysis in Pooling Data from Multiple Genome Scans. An invited address delivered at the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, & Kidney Disease's second *AdiMap* workshop. Washington, DC.
144. **Allison, D. B.** (July 2001). Statistical Analysis of Microarray Gene Expression Data. An invited address delivered at the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, & Kidney Disease's conference on *Genomic and Proteomics in Kidney and Urologic Disease*. Washington, DC.
145. **Allison, D. B.** (May 2001). New approaches to the epidemiology of obesity and cardiovascular disease risk. An invited address delivered at the NHLBI-NIDDK Working Group on the Pathophysiology of Obesity-Associated Cardiovascular Disease, Bethesda, MD.
146. **Allison, D. B.** (May 2001). Public Health & Environmental approaches to obesity. An invited address delivered to Kraft (Nabisco) Nutrition Group, Chicago, Ill.
147. **Allison, D. B.** (May 2001). Statistical Analysis of Microarray Gene Expression Data. An invited address delivered to R. W. Johnson Research Foundation, La Jolla, California.
148. **Allison, D. B.** & Mackell, J. (2000). Healthcare resource use and body mass index among individuals with schizophrenia. Presented at the 13th annual meeting of the European College of Neuropsychopharmacology, Munich, Sept 9-13, 2000.
149. **Allison, D. B.** (August 2000). Statistical Methods for Gene Mapping with Quantitative Traits. An invited address delivered at the Indiana University School of Medicine.
150. **Allison, D. B.** (July 2000). Statistical Methods for Gene Mapping with Complex Traits. An invited address delivered at the Sackler Institute, NY, NY.
151. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2000). Food Policy & Obesity: What Do the Data Tell Us. An invited address delivered at the 2000 Food Update Conference, Sanibel Island, Florida.
152. **Allison, D. B.** (April 2000). Genetic Influences on Obesity: Something for Everyone. An invited address delivered at the Inauguration of the Clinical Nutrition Research Unit at the University of Alabama at Birmingham.
153. **Allison, D. B.**, Mackell, J. A., & Gutterman, E. M. (June 1999) The Impact of Weight Gain on Quality of Life among Individuals with Schizophrenia. 39th Annual New Clinical Drug Evaluation Unit (NCDEU) Conference. Boca Raton, FL.
154. **Allison, D. B.** & Mackell, J. A. (May 2000) Healthcare Resource Use and Body Mass Index among Individuals with Schizophrenia. 40th Annual New Clinical Drug Evaluation Unit (NCDEU) Conference. Boca Raton, FL.

155. **Allison, D. B.** (March 1999). Genetic & Environmental Influences on Obesity. An invited address delivered at the Research Institute on Addictions at the State University of New York at Buffalo.
156. **Allison, D. B.** (February 2000). Statistical Analysis of Microarray Gene Expression Data. An invited address delivered to the Biostatistics Department of the New York State Psychiatric Institute at Columbia University.
157. **Allison, D. B.** (February 2000). Research Directions in Antipsychotic Induced Weight Gain. An invited address delivered at the University of Innsbruck.
158. **Allison, D. B.** (January 1999). Genetic & Environmental Influences on Obesity. An invited address delivered at the Jean Mayer Center for Research on Nutrition and Aging at Tufts University.
159. **Allison, D. B.** (December 1999). Some estimation and inference problems in mapping quantitative trait loci. An invited address delivered to the Columbia University Genetic Epidemiology Seminar.
160. **Allison, D. B.** (December 1999). Genetic & Environmental Influences on Obesity. An invited address (Grand Rounds) delivered to the Department of Psychiatry, Medical College of Virginia.
161. **Allison, D. B.** (October 1999). Tests of Linkage in the Presence of Association with Quantitative Traits. An invited address delivered to the American Society of Human Genetics, San Francisco.
162. **Allison, D. B.** (October 1999). Body composition and longevity. An invited address delivered at the International Symposium on in Vivo Body Composition at the Brookhaven National Laboratory.
163. **Allison, D. B.** (September 1999). Body weight, body composition and longevity. An invited address delivered to the Primate Research Center of the University of Wisconsin.
164. **Allison, D. B.** (September 1999). Body weight, body composition, aging, and mortality rate. An invited address delivered at the Annual Conference on Nutrition and Aging, Little Rock, Arkansas, Veterans Administration.
165. **Allison, D. B.** (September 1999). The Rising Tide of Obesity. What is the role of the food industry. An invited address delivered at the annual meeting of the Grocery Manufacturers' Association, Washington, DC.
166. **Allison, D. B.,** Mackell, J., & Gutterman, E. M. (August 1999). The Impact of Weight Gain on Quality of Life among Individuals with Schizophrenia: The Patient's Perspective. Presented to the CINP in Hamburg Germany.
167. **Allison, D. B.** (June 1999). Genetics of Obesity: A very complex trait. An invited address given at the National Institute of Health's STEP Forum on "Complex Traits: Genes, Environment and Disease.". Bethesda, MD.
168. **Allison, D. B.** (March 1999). Genetic influences on the longevity response to caloric restriction in humans. An invited address given at the National Institute of Aging's workshop on "Caloric Restriction: Clinical Implication and Extensions". Bethesda, MD.
169. **Allison, D. B.,** Mentore, J. M., Heo, M. Chandler, L., Cappelleri, J. C., Infante, M., & Weiden, P. *Meta-analysis of the effects of anti-psychotic medication on weight gain.* Presented to the 9th Congress of the Association of European Psychiatrists in Copenhagen, Denmark.
170. **Allison, D. B.,** Mentore, J. M., Heo, M. Chandler, L., Cappelleri, J. C., Infante, M., & Weiden, P. (July 1998) *Meta-analysis of the effects of anti-psychotic medication on weight gain.* Presented to the XXIst Collegium Internationale Neuropsychopharmacologicum (CINP) meeting in Glasgow, Scotland.
171. **Allison, D. B.,** Mentore, J. M., Heo, M. Chandler, L., Cappelleri, J. C., Infante, M., & Weiden, P. (June 1998). *Meta-analysis of the effects of anti-psychotic medication on weight gain.* Presented to the New Clinical Drug Evaluation Unit (NCDEU) Meeting in Florida.

172. **Allison, D. B.**, Mentore, J. M., Heo, M., Chandler, L. P., Cappelleri, J. C., Infante, M., & Weiden, P. (May 1998). *Meta-analysis of the effects of anti-psychotic medication on weight gain*. Presented to the 151st Annual Meeting of the American Psychiatric Association in Toronto, Canada.
173. Carpenter, K. M., Hasin, D. S., **Allison, D. B.**, & Faith, M. S. (August 1998) DSM-IV Major Depression and Obesity: A General Population Study. Presented to the American Psychological Association,
174. **Allison, D. B.** (June 1998). How to Interpret Outcomes Research. An invited address delivered to the media spokespersons of the American Dietetic Association.
175. **Allison, D. B.** (May 1998). Meta-Analysis: Extensions & Applications. An invited address delivered as part of a workshop on *Meta-analysis: Methods, Issues, Examples*. Sponsored by the NY Metropolitan Chapter of the American Statistical Association.
176. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1998). The Genetics of Obesity from an Environmental Point of View. An invited address delivered at the Grand Opening of the University of Maryland's Joslin Center for Diabetes.
177. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1998). The Genetics of Obesity and Eating Disorders. An invited plenary address delivered at the Eighth International Conference on Eating Disorders, New York, New York.
178. **Allison, D. B.** (March 1998). Issues and Applications of Meta-Analytic Methods. In (L. Primavera; Chair) *Methods for Meta-Analysis*. An invited workshop presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
179. **Allison, D. B.** (February 1998). Methods for the assessment of eating behaviors and weight related problems. An invited *Magestral* (keynote) address delivered at the opening of the *Italian Congress on Eating Disorders*, Bologna, Italy.
180. **Allison, D. B.** (January 1998). Genetic and Environmental Influences on Obesity. Paper presented to the American Society of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition.
181. **Allison, D. B.** (December 1997). Prevalence and Consequences of Obesity. An invited address delivered at the Englewood Hospital, Englewood, NJ at a one-day symposium on Clinical Issues in Obesity hosted by Dr. Peter Bennotti.
182. **Allison, D. B.** (July 1997). Selective Sampling Strategies for Gene Mapping. Presented at the NAASO/NIDDK sponsored workshop *Advancing the Genetics of Obesity: Strategies & Methods*.
183. **Allison, D. B.** (June 1997). Fitness *AND* fatness affect health and longevity. An invited lecture/debate with Dr. Steven Blair at the University of Colorado Health Sciences Center.
184. Nathan, J. S., Heymsfield, S. B., Albu, J., Pi-Sunyer, F. X., & **Allison, D. B.** (April 1997). Descriptive Results from Phase I of the BMI50 Study: Measurement Challenges in the Massively Obese People. Presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
185. Faith, M. S., Manibay, E. P., & **Allison, D. B.** Self-Concept and Obesity in Adolescents. (April 1997). Presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
186. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1997). Scaling and Adjusting Data with Ratios, Residuals, Regression, and Allometry. Presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
187. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1997). Obesity and body mass index, body composition, and gene mapping. Presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
188. **Allison, D. B.** (February 1997). *Genetic Epidemiology of Obesity*. Invited presentation delivered at the 2nd Abraham Conference on Preventive Nutrition "Obesity in the 1st Century" at Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons.

189. **Allison, D. B.** (January 1997). *Genetic Influence on Food Intake: A Twin Study*. Invited presentation delivered at the 1997 annual meeting of the International Life Sciences Institute.
190. **Allison, D. B., & Faith, M. S.** (November 1996). Bridging the data gap. In D. B. Allison (Chair) *Controversies in Obesity Treatment: Moving Toward Common Ground* (Symposium). Presented to the Association for the Advancement of Behaviour Therapy.
191. **Allison, D. B.** *Recent Advances in the Genetics of Obesity*. (November 1996). Invited Keynote address presented to the Obesity and Eating Disorders Special Interest Group of the Association for the Advancement of Behaviour Therapy.
192. **Allison, D. B.** (November 1996). *Obesity: Prevalence and Consequences*. In *Obesity: Problems, mechanisms & Therapies*. A one-day symposium at Montefiore Medical Center.
193. **Allison, D. B.** (September 1996). *Advocacy (and other) Science: Separating the Reasonable from Unreasonable*. An invited lecture delivered at the annual meeting of the D.C. Science Writers' Association.
194. **Allison, D. B. & Faith, M. S.** (August 1996). A Proposed Heuristic for Communicating Heritability to the General Public. Presented to the American Psychological Association.
195. **Allison, D. B.** (1996). *Statistical Aspects of Data Normalization Procedures*. In Goran, M. I. *Workshop on Data Normalization Procedures*. Presented at the 1996 Experimental Biology meeting.
196. Pietrobelli, A., Brambilla, P., Manzoni, P. Heymsfield, S. B., Gallagher, D., **Allison, D. B., Faith, M. S., & Chiumello, G.** (April 1996). Validation of BMI as a Measure of Adiposity in Children and Young Women. Presented at the 1996 International Congress on Eating Disorders.
197. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1996). Psychobiology of Eating Disorders I: Genetics. Presented at the 1996 International Congress on Eating Disorders.
198. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1996). Eating Disorders Research Viewed from an Obesity Research Perspective: What Can We Learn? Presented at the 1996 International Congress on Eating Disorders.
199. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1996). Overview and Introduction on Obesity: Pathophysiology and Treatment II (Metabolic Processes in Health and Disease Theme). Presented at the 1996 Experimental Biology Meeting.
200. Faith, M. S. & **Allison, D. B.** (March 1996). Do Social Comparison Tendencies Moderate the Obesity Body Image Relationship. Presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
201. Edlen-Nezin, L., **Allison, D. B., & Clay-Williams, G.** (March 1996). Race effects on body weight satisfaction and dieting beliefs and behaviors. Presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
202. **Allison, D. B.** (March 1996). Alternative Models for Meta-Analysis. In (L. Primavera; Chair) *Methods for Meta-Analysis*. Presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
203. **Allison, D. B.** (March 1996). Going to Extremes: Statistical Issues in Mapping Genes for Complex Traits. An invited address presented to the New York Metropolitan Chapter of the American Statistical Association.
204. **Allison, D. B.** (November 1995). *New findings in the genetics of obesity*. An invited address presented at the annual Nutrition Symposium at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.
205. **Allison, D. B.** (October 1995). *Interpreting epidemiological research*. An invited address delivered at the annual meeting on journalistic reporting of epidemiological research hosted by the Boston University School of Journalism.
206. **Allison, D. B.** (August 1995). *The Measurement of Food Intake in Children*. Invited paper presented at the National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Diabetes Digestive and Kidney Disease's symposium on *Methods for Research in Childhood Obesity*, September 1995.

207. **Allison, D. B.**, Faith, M.S. & Gorman, B.S. (August 1995). *The effects of autocorrelation on Type I error rates in single case research analyzed via randomization test*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
208. **Allison, D. B.**, Engel, C., Kreibich, K., Heshka, S., & Heymsfield, S.B. (August. 1995). *Predicting weight loss: Assessing the predictive validity of three psychometric instruments*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Society.
209. **Allison, D. B.**, Neale, M.C., Kezis, M. I., Alfonso, V.C., Heshka, S., & Heymsfield, S.B. (August 1995). *Assortative Mating for Relative Weight: Genetic and Social Implications*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Society.
210. **Allison, D. B.** (August 1995). *Meta-Regression: Issues and Applications*. In Primavera, L.H. (Chair). Issues in the use of regression analysis. A symposium presented to the American Psychological Association.
211. **Allison, D. B.** & Heymsfield, S. (August 1995). Racial Admixture, adiposity, and adipose tissue distribution among Black females: A pilot study. Presented to the 1995 FASEB Summer Conference on Genetic and Behavioral Influences on Obesity and Energy Regulation.
212. **Allison, D. B.** *Genetics of Human Obesity: Myths, Methods, & Measurements*. (June 1995). An invited address delivered to the New York City American Heart Association.
213. **Allison, D. B.**, & Neale, M. C. *Does Genetic Predisposition to Obesity Moderate the Obesity-Hypertension Relation*. (May 1995). Paper presented to the International Twin Society.
214. **Allison, D. B.** *The Epidemiologic Evidence Regarding Trans-Fatty Acids and CHD*. (October 1995). Invited address presented at the 1995 meeting of the Oil Chemists Society.
215. **Allison, D. B.**, & Faith, M. *Publication Bias in Obesity Treatment Trials?* (April 1995). Paper presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
216. Goran, M. I., **Allison, D. B.**, & Poehlman, E. T. (April 1995) *Are Body Composition Ratios Valid Obesity Indices*. Paper presented to the Federation of American Societies of Experimental Biology.
217. **Allison, D. B.** (August 1994). *More Power & More Money*. In Primavera, L. H., Gorman, B. S., & **Allison, D. B.** *Practical Issues in Power Analysis*. A symposium presented to the American Psychological Association.
218. Mulheim, L. S., **Allison, D. B.**, & Heymsfield, S. B. (April 1994). *Caloric Underreporting in obese persons*. Presented to the 6th International Conference on Eating Disorders.
219. **Allison, D. B.** (Invited Panel Presenter) at *Research and the New Paradigm*. (April 1994). Presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Health Enrichment of Large People.
220. **Allison, D. B.** *Power and Money*. (April 1994). A symposium presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
221. **Allison, D. B.**, Heshka, S., Sepulveda, D., Babbitt, R. L., & Heymsfield, S. (March 1994). *Resting Metabolic Rate Among Persons with Down Syndrome*. Paper presented to the annual Gatlinburg Conference on Mental Retardation.
222. Basile, V. C., Motta, R., & **Allison, D. B.** (November 1993). *Antecedent Exercise as a treatment for disruptive behavior: Testing hypothesized mechanisms of action*. Paper presented to the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy.
223. Alfonso, V. C. & **Allison, D. B.** (August 1993). *Convergent and Discriminant Validity of the Extended Satisfaction with Life Scale*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
224. Primavera, L. H., Gorman, B. S., & **Allison, D. B.** (August 1993). *Common questions of statistical consultants: What to do before hitting the ENTER key*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.

225. Gorman, B. S., Primavera, L. H., & **Allison, D. B.** (April 1993). *Difficulty factors in the restrained eating scale: When is a scale a scale?* Paper presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
226. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1993). Methodological Issues in Obesity Research with Examples from Biometrical Genetics. Paper presented to at the symposium Obesity and Weight Control: Advances in the Medical and Psychosocial Management of the Nation's most Prevalent Life-Threatening Illness sponsored by The American Institute of Life-Threatening Illness and Loss,
227. **Allison, D. B.**, & Heymsfield, S. B. (February 1993). Do the obese overeat? In Allison, D. B., & Pi-Sunyer, F. X. *Current Status of Scientific and Clinical Progress in Human Obesity*. A two-day symposium held at the annual AAAS convention.
228. **Allison, D. B.** (February 1993). If we live in a deterministic world, why can't we predict treatment outcome? In Allison, D. B., & Pi-Sunyer, F. X. *Current Status of Scientific and Clinical Progress in Human Obesity*. A two-day symposium held at the annual AAAS convention.
229. **Allison, D. B.**, Gorman, B. S., & Primavera, L. H. (August 1992). *The Most Commonly Asked Questions by Statistical Consultees: Our Favorite Responses and Recommended Readings*. Invited address (Division 1) delivered to the American Psychological Association at the 1992 annual convention.
230. **Allison, D. B.**, Heshka, S., & Heymsfield, S. B. (August 1992). *A Method for the Identification and Analysis of Homologizer/Moderator Variables When the Moderator is Continuous*. Paper presented to the American Statistical Association.
231. Alfonso, V. C., & **Allison, D. B.** (August 1992). *Further Psychometric Development of the ESWLS*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
232. **Allison, D. B.**, & Heymsfield, S. B. (August 1992). *Is the Asymptotic Variance-Z Test Robust with Truly Small Samples?* Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
233. **Allison, D. B.** (August 1992). *The Confounding of Single-Case Designs When Cyclicity is Present*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
234. Gorman, B. S., & **Allison, D. B.** (August 1992). *Calculating Effect Sizes for Meta-analysis: The Case of the Single-Case*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
235. Franklin, R. D., & **Allison, D. B.** (August 1992). *Visual Inspection, Response Guided Experimentation, and Type I Error Rate*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
236. Silverstein, J. M., & **Allison, D. B.** (August 1992). *Proposed Designs for Informative, Ethical, and Inferentially Sound Clinical Evaluation*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
237. **Allison, D. B.** (August 1992). *Evidence of Commingling in Human Eating Behavior*. Presented at the FASEB Summer Conference on "Energy Balance from Gene to Organism."
238. **Allison, D. B.** (May 1992). *The Validity of Assumptions Underlying the Promotion of Weight Loss*. Invited address delivered to the Food and Nutrition Council of Greater New York.
239. **Allison, D. B.**, & Heymsfield, S. B. (May 1992). *Do Obese Persons Eat More Than Nonobese Persons? A Methodological Perspective*. Paper presented to the Association for the Health Enhancement of Large Persons.
240. Silverstein, J. M., & **Allison, D. B.** (May 1992). *Antecedent Exercise in the Treatment of Disruptive Behavior*. Invited address delivered at the Young Adult Institute's 13th Annual International Conference.
241. **Allison, D. B.**, Heshka, S., & Heymsfield, S. B. (May 1992). *The Independent Effects of Age on Metabolic Rate: A "Mini-Meta-Analysis"*. Paper presented to the American Society of Clinical Nutrition.

242. Gerace, L., Russell, M., Aliprantis, A., Wang, J., Pierson, R. N., Baumgartner, R., **Allison, D. B.**, & Heymsfield, S. B. (May 1992). *Differences in Bone Mass and Skeletal Linear Dimensions Between Black and White Men*. Paper presented to the American Society for Clinical Nutrition.
243. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1992). *A Note on The Selection of Control Groups and Control Variables in Comorbidity Research*. Paper presented at the Fifth International Conference on Eating Disorders.
244. **Allison, D. B.**, Heshka, S., & Heymsfield, S. B. (April 1992). *Counting Calories? - Caveat Emptor*. Short paper presented at the Society for the Study of Ingestive Behavior Annual Meeting at the Meeting of The Eastern Psychological Association.
245. **Allison, D. B.**, Silverstein, J. M., & Galante, V. (April 1992). *Relative Effectiveness and Cost-Effectiveness of Cooperative, Competitive, and Independent Monetary Incentive Systems for Improving Staff Performance*. Paper presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
246. **Allison, D. B.** & Heshka, S. (April 1992). *Emotionality and Eating Among the Obese?: A Critique*. Paper presented to the Eastern Psychological Association.
247. **Allison, D. B.** (March 1992). *Upper versus Lower and Central versus Peripheral as Distinct Components of Body Fat Distribution*. Paper presented to the Society for Behavioral Medicine.
248. Murphy, C. M., Babbitt, R. L., **Allison, D. B.**, & Patterson, H. L. (March 1992). *The Prevalence and Characterization of Obesity Among Children with Developmental Disabilities Compared to Nondevelopmentally Disabled Controls*. Paper presented to the Society for Behavioral Medicine.
249. **Allison, D. B.** & Franklin, R. D. (November 1991). *The Readability of Three Measures of Dietary Restraint*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy.
250. **Allison, D. B.**, Murphy, C. M., Babbitt, R. L., & Patterson, H. L. (October 1991). *Adiposity Amongst The Mentally Retarded*. Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Association of University Affiliated Programs.
251. Franklin, R. D., Fisher, W. F., & **Allison, D. B.** (August 1991). *Reinforcer Assessment: A Twenty-Five Year Retrospective*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
252. Franklin, R. D. & **Allison, D. B.** (August 1991). *Violent Crime and Substance Abuse Among North Carolina Prisoners, 1989*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Association.
253. **Allison, D. B.** & Franklin, R. D. (June 1991). *Opiate Peptides: Their Putative Role in the Pathogenesis and Treatment of Obesity*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Society.
254. Burke, J. B., Summers, J. A., Lynch, P. S., & **Allison, D. B.** (June 1991). *Treating a disrupted sleep phase disorder in a nine-year old boy with Angelman Syndrome*. Paper presented to the American Psychological Society.
255. Alfonso, V. C., **Allison, D. B.**, & Dunn, G. M. (June 1991). *The Development of The Extended Satisfaction With Life Scale*. Paper presented at the first annual meeting of the American Association for Applied and Preventive Psychology, Washington, DC.
256. **Allison, D. B.**, Burke, J. C., & Silverstein, J. M. (May 1991). *Scaling the Acceptability of Behavior Decelerative Procedures: Perceptions of Psychologists and Psychology Interns Working With Developmentally Disabled Persons*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis.
257. **Allison, D. B.** (May 1991). *Antecedent Exercise in the Treatment of Disruptive Behavior: A Meta-analytic Review*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis.
258. **Allison, D. B.** & Silverstein, J. M. (May 1991). *Scaling aversiveness of behavior decelerative procedures: Perceptions of staff working with developmentally disabled persons*. Paper presented to the American Academy on Mental Retardation.

259. **Allison, D. B.** (April 1991). *Four Paradigms, Five Procedures, and Three Purposes for Assessing The Stability of Cluster Analysis Solutions*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association.
260. **Allison, D. B.** & Heshka, S. (March 1991). *Toward an Empirically Derived Typology of Obese Persons: Derivation in A Patient Population*. Paper presented to the Society for Behavioral Medicine.
261. **Allison, D. B.** & Heshka, S. (March 1991). *Toward an Empirically Derived Typology of Obese Persons: Replication in A Divergent Sample*. Paper presented to the Society for Behavioral Medicine.
262. **Allison, D. B.** & Gorman, B. S. (February 1991). *Calculating and Estimating Effect Sizes from Between Group, Within Group, and Single Case Designs for Meta-analysis*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, Washington DC.
263. **Allison, D. B.** & Franklin, R. D. (February 1991). *The Association Between Carbohydrate Craving and History of Depression and Anxiety: Support for Serotonergic Involvement*. Paper presented to the American Association for the Advancement of Science.
264. **Allison, D. B.**, Basile, V. C., & McDonald, R. B. (October 1991). *The Comparative Effects of Antecedent Exercise and Lorazepam on Aggressive Behavior in an Autistic Man*. Paper presented at the meeting of the New England Psychological Association, Worcester, MA.
265. **Allison, D. B.** (July 1990). *Is OBM Needed in The Developmental Disabilities Field? Some Ongoing Research*. Invited address delivered at the Regional Symposium of the New York State Association for Behavior Analysis.
266. **Allison, D. B.**, Lee, M. J., & Gorman, B. S. (May 1990). *Dimensionality of Punishment: Exploratory Inquiry into the Perceptions of Professionals Working with Disturbed Children*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis, Nashville, TN.
267. **Allison, D. B.** & Silverstein, J. M. (May 1990). *Quantifying Treatment Aversiveness: An Empirical Approach*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis, Nashville, TN.
268. **Allison, D. B.** & Silverstein, J. M. (August 1990). *Scaling Aversiveness of Decelerative Procedures*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, MA.
269. Alfonso, V. C., **Allison, D. B.**, & Dunn, G. M. (February 1990). *The Relationship Between Sexual Fantasy and Satisfaction: A Multidimensional Analysis of Gender Differences*. Paper presented to the American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors and Therapists, Arlington, VA.

SELECTED CLASSROOM TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
Professor

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Co-designed, co-led, and lectured in course on *Energetics: Scientific Foundations of Obesity and Other Health Aspects* UAB's School of Public Health with Dr. Emily Dhurandhar as co-director.

University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
Professor

2007

Co-designed, co-led, and lectured in course on statistical methods for students enrolled in UAB's Howard Hughes Medical institute training program with Drs. Dimmit and Tiwari as co-directors.

St. John's University, Queens, NY
Adjunct Assistant Professor Jan. 1992 - June 1992

Taught graduate course in Multivariate Statistics for psychology Ph.D. candidates.

Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY
Adjunct Faculty Jan. 1990 - August 1990

Taught undergraduate courses in Social, Adolescent, and Introductory Psychology.

Nassau Community College, Garden City, NY
Adjunct Faculty May 1990 - July 1990

Taught undergraduate courses in Introductory Psychology.

St. John's University, Queens, NY
Adjunct Faculty Jan. 1990 - May 1990

Taught undergraduate course in Tests and Measures.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

PLUS Group Homes, Westbury, NY
Applied Behavior Specialist Aug. 1988 - April 1990

Developed and implemented behavior modification programs for autistic/retarded adults living in residential units. Designed and implemented staff training and organizational behavior management systems. Initiated research program. Performed psychological evaluations.

Astor Child Guidance Center, Bronx, NY
Intern Psychologist Sept. 1988 - Aug. 1989

Provided group and individual therapy to severely emotionally disturbed children and their families in a day treatment hospital. Provided consultation to classroom teachers in the shaping of classroom behavior through operant procedures.

Farmingdale School District, Farmingdale, NY
Intern Psychologist Sept. 1987 - June 1988

Provided psychological and educational evaluations and counseling for elementary and junior high school students.

Mercy Hospital Community Residence, Wantagh, NY
Mental Health Assistant Sept. 1987 - Aug. 1988

Assisted out-patients with histories of major mental disorders in adapting to life outside a hospital, maintaining a home, and becoming integrated into the community.

St. Francis Hospital, Roslyn, NY
Psychiatric Assistant Sept. 1986 - Oct. 1987

Assisted psychiatric staff in providing care and therapy for adult in-patients with acute mental disorders.

Blueberry Treatment Center, Brooklyn, NY
Childcare Worker

July 1985 - Aug. 1986

Responsible for primary care, counseling, and therapeutic intervention with severely disturbed children ages four to seventeen.

Physician's Weight Loss Center, Hicksville, NY
Behavior Therapist

Sept. 1985 - March 1986

Provided group and individual counseling, behavior modification lectures, and psychological screenings for massively and morbidly obese adult outpatients.

Lifeline Center For Child Development, Queens, NY
Substitute Teacher

April 1986 - June 1986

Assumed teacher responsibilities for emotionally disturbed children of various ages.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

[Listing not kept current. Archival listing available in CV version 213]

EDITORIAL & REFEREEING EXPERIENCE

EDITORSHIPS

Obesity & Nutrition Related Journals

- Statistical Editor for *International Journal of Obesity*, 2010 – Present.
- Associate Editor of *Obesity*, 2007 – 2023.
- Associate Editor of *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition* (AJCN), 2013 – 2024.
- Regional Editor for the Americas for *Clinical Obesity*, 2010 – 2011, Editorial Board member, 2012 - Present.
- Co-Specialty Chief Editor, *Frontiers in Nutrition Methodology*, 2013 – 2016.
- Associate Editor, *Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases*, 2008 – Present.
- Editorial Board Member for:
 - *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, 2003 – 2004, 2024.
 - *Advances in Nutrition and Food Technology*, 2014 – Present.
 - *Elife*, 2021 – 2023.
 - *Geromedicine*, 2025.
 - *Global Epidemic Obesity Journal*, 2013 – Present.
 - *International Journal of Eating Disorders*, 1998 – 2005.
 - *International Journal of Obesity*, 2000 – 2006.
 - *ISRN Obesity*, 2012 – 2014.
 - *Journal of Diabetes Research and Clinical Metabolism*, 2011 – Present.
 - *Journal of Obesity*, 2009 – 2013.
 - *Nutrients*, 2009 – 2011.
 - *Nutrition Today*, 1998 – Present.
 - *Obesity Reviews*, 2000 – Present.
 - *ISRN Nutrition*, 2012 – 2014.
- Honorary Editorial Board Member for *Journal of Nutrition and Dietary Supplements*, 2009 – 2015.

- Contributing Editor for *Nutrition Reviews*, 2002 – 2006.
- Co-edited special issue of *Nutrition* on Nutrigenomics, January 2004.
- Guest Associate Editor for *Obesity*, 2007.

Genetic Journals

- Founding Editor-in-Chief (aka Field Chief Editor), *Frontiers in Genetics*, 2010 – 2017.
Frontiers in Genetics indexed in JCR and received its first *impact factor* 3.789 in 2017.
Listed as Founding Field Chief Editor (emeritus), 2018 – Present.
- Associate Editor for *PLOS Genetics*, 2005 – 2017, Consulting Editor 2017-2019.
- Associate Editor for *Behavior Genetics*, 2005 – present.
- Associate Editor of *Human Heredity*, 2002 – 2011.
- Editorial Advisory Board Member for *Recent Patents on DNA & Gene Sequences*, 2008 - 2011.
- Editorial Advisory Board member of *Behavior Genetics*, 2000 – 2005.
- Co-edited special issue of *Behavior Genetics* on the Genetics of Obesity, August 1997.
- Co-edited special issue of *Human Heredity* on the Genetics and the Environment in Obesity, September 2013: <http://www.karger.com/Journal/Issue/261106>

Statistical Journals

- Associate Editor for *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, 2003 - 2011.
- Co-edited special issue of *Computational Statistics & Data Analysis* on Statistical Genetics, 2009.
- Co-edited special issue of *Statistics and Its Interface* on Statistical Genetics, 2011.

Other Journals

- Editorial Board Member. *Experimental Gerontology*, 2018 – Present.
- Editorial Board Member. *AGE: The Official Journal of the American Aging Association* (renamed *GeroScience* in 2017), 2004 - Present.
- Academic Editor for *PLoS One*, 2014 – 2016.
- Editorial Board Member for *European Journal of Clinical Investigation*, 2009 - 2020.
- Honorary Editorial Board Member: *Evidence-Based Preventive Medicine*, 2003 – Present.
- Honorary Editorial Board Member for *Journal of Clinical Pharmacology: Advances and Applications*, 2009 - Present.
- Editorial Board Member for *The Open Access Journal of Science and Technology*, 2012 – 2014.
- Associate Editor for *PeerJ*, 2012 – 2015.
- Special Issue Co-Editor for issue on “Perspectives in Aging: Mechanisms Nutritional Interventions” in *Experimental Gerontology*.
- Associate Editor *Journal of Gerontology*, through 2022.

JOURNAL & BOOK REVIEWING

- *Acta Physiologica Scandinavica*, 1997.
- *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, 1997-1998, 2000, 2002-2003, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2013 – 2015.
- *American Journal of Epidemiology*, 1997 – 1999.
- *American Journal of Human Genetics*, 1997 – 2003.
- *American Journal of Medicine*, 1997 – 1998.
- *American Journal of Physiology*, 2000.
- *American Journal of Psychiatry*, 2000.

- *American Journal of Public Health*, 1994, 1999.
- *Annals of Epidemiology*, 2004.
- *Annals of Internal Medicine*, 1998-2001, 2003.
- *Appetite*, 1992, 1994, 1996.
- *Archives of Internal Medicine*, 2001.
- *Behavior Modification*, 1993 – 1994.
- *Behavior Genetics*, 1998 – 2001.
- *Behaviour Research and Therapy*, 1993.
- *Biometrics*, 2005 – 2006.
- *British Journal of Nutrition*, 2013 – 2014, 2017.
- *British Medical Journal (Open)*, 2011.
- *Childhood Obesity*, 2021.
- *Children and Youth Services Review*, 1991.
- *Clinical Obesity*, 2011.
- *Computational Statistics & Data Analysis*, 2002 – 2004.
- *Current Developments in Nutrition*, 2018.
- *Current Medical Research & Opinion*, 2011.
- *Diabetes*, 2000.
- *Encyclopedia of Dietary Supplements*, 2004.
- *Ethnicity & Disease*, 2000.
- *F1000 Research Journal*, 2017.
- *Frontiers in Nutrition*, 2013.
- *Genetic Epidemiology*, 1996 – 1999.
- *Genetics*, 2000-2001.
- *Human Genetics*, 2009.
- *Human Heredity*, 1999 – 2004.
- *Human Molecular Genetics*, 1997 – 1998.
- *International Journal of Body Composition Research*, 2007.
- *International Journal of Eating Disorders*, 1995 – 2001, 2003.
- *International Journal of Obesity*, 1992-2005, 2009, 201 – 2015, 2020.
- *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 1998 – 2019, 2021.
- *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, 2006.
- *Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis*, 1991, 1996.
- *Journal of Applied Physiology*, 1994 – 1997.
- *Journal of Clinical Epidemiology*, 2000.
- *Journal of Clinical Endocrinology & Metabolism*, 1996, 1998.
- *Journal of Clinical Psychiatry*, 2000, 2006.
- *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*, 1992.
- *Journal of Gerontology*, 1998 – 1999.
- *Journal of Nutrition Education*, 1994.
- *Journal of Pediatrics*, 2002.
- *Lancet*, 2012.
- *Measurement and Evaluation in Counseling and Development*, 1992.
- *Medicine and Science in Sports & Exercise*, 1995 – 1997.
- *Nature*, 2004, 2014.
- *Nature Aging*, 2023 – 2024.
- *Nature Biotechnology*, 2009 – 2011.
- *Nature Cell Biology*, 2004 – 2005.
- *Nature Communications*, 2011 – 2012, 2025.
- *Nature Food*, 2023.
- *Nature Genetics*, 2003 – 2007.
- *Nature Medicine*, 2016.
- *Nature Methods*, 2009 – 2010.
- *Nature Reviews Disease Primers*, 2017.

- *Neuropsychiatric*, 2004.
- *New England Journal of Medicine*, 2008-2010, 2012, 2015, 2016.
- *Obesity Facts*, 2010
- *Obesity Research* [now *Obesity*], 1994-2001, 2004, 2006.
- *Obesity Reviews*, 2000 – 2004, 2009-2014.
- *Perceptual & Motor Skills/Psychological Reports*, 1991, 1997.
- *Philosophical Transactions*, 2023.
- *Physiological Genomics*, 2000, 2003.
- *PLoS Genetics*, 2005 – 2006.
- *PLoS One*, 2007, 2009.
- *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, 2004, 2007, 2009, 2015, 2017, 2023, 2024.
- *Psychological Assessment*, 1992.
- *Psychological Bulletin*, 1994.
- *Psychological Methods*, 1997 – 2001.
- *Science*, 2003-2007, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2020.
- *Science Translational Medicine*, 2014, 2015.
- *Surgery for Obesity and Related Disorders (SOARD)*, 2006, 2007.
- *Statistics in Medicine*, 2005 – 2006.

GRANT, CONFERENCE, & OTHER REVIEWING

(selected)

- **1990.** Served on Selection Committee for television entries for the American Association for the Advancement of Science - Westinghouse Science Journalism 1990 Awards.
- **1992.** Proposal Reviewer for the American Psychological Society's 1992 Convention.
- **1992.** Reviewer of grants-in-aid proposals for the Organizational Behavior Management Network's small grants program, 1992.
- **1993 – 1995.** Book proposal reviewer for American Psychological Association (1993) and Lawrence Erlbaum Publishers (1994), and Johns Hopkins press (1995).
- **1994.** Proposal Reviewer for the American Psychological Association's 1994 Convention (Division 5) and 1998 convention (Division 38).
- **1995.** Grant reviewer for the University of Colorado's Center for Research in Clinical Nutrition's Pilot and Feasibility Program (1995).
- **1995 – 2000.** Grant reviewer for the New York Obesity Research Center's Pilot and Feasibility Program (1995; 1999, 2000).
- **1995 – 2000.** Grant reviewer for the Wellcome Trust (1995, 1998, 2000).
- **1996.** Proposal Reviewer for the Society of Epidemiological Research Convention, 1996.
- **1997 – 1998.** Grant reviewer for the United Soybean Board (1997-1998).
- **1999 – 2017.** Chair of the United Soybean Board's grant review committee 1999 – 2017.
- **1999.** Grant reviewer for the Austrian *Fonds zur Förderung der wissenschaftlichen Forschung* (1999).
- **1999 – 2002.** Grant reviewer for the International Life Sciences Institute Future Leader's Award (1999 - 2002).
- **2000.** Ad hoc reviewer for NIH Cardiovascular Disease Study Section (2000).
- **2000.** Ad hoc reviewer for NIH Nutrition Study Section (2000).
- **2000.** Grant reviewer for the Wellcome Trust & Juvenile Diabetes Foundation Joint Funding Program (2000).
- **2001 – 2002.** Grant reviewer for the University of Alabama at Birmingham's Clinical Nutrition Research Center pilot & feasibility grants program (2001 - 2006).
- **2001.** Special Study Section Reviewer for National Institute of Aging RFA on Caloric Restriction studies. August 2001.
- **2002.** Grant reviewer for Genome Canada, a not-for-profit corporation established through funding from the federal government of Canada (2002).

- **2002 – 2005.** Grant reviewer for the University of Alabama at Birmingham's Comprehensive Cancer Center pilot & feasibility grants program (2002 – 2005).
- **2003 – 2005.** Reviewer for UCLA's Clinical Nutrition Research Unit's pilot & feasibility grants program (2003 – 2005).
- **2004.** Ad hoc reviewer for the NIH Look AHEAD study's ancillary projects program (2004).
- **2004.** Grant proposal reviewer for National Science Foundation CAREER proposal.
- **2004.** Grant proposal reviewer for National Science Foundation *FIBR* proposal, 2004.
- **2004.** Reviewer for the University of South Carolina's intramural research promotion grants., 2004
- **2004 – 2005.** Special Emphasis Panel reviewer for National Institutes of Health (ZMH1-NRB-G-12 and ZMH1-ERB-P) for applications proposing Schizophrenia Treatments and Treatment Related to Aging, 2004 and 2005.
- **2005.** Ad hoc reviewer for NIH Endocrinology, Metabolism, Nutrition and Reproductive Sciences IRG (2005).
- **2008.** Evaluator/Reviewer for National Award Program for Creativity, 2008.
- **2009.** Chair of NIH (NIDDK) Special Study Section for R24 grant review 11/16/2009.
- **2009.** Grant reviewer for t Clinton Foundation and the Solae Company for proposals to develop novel ready to use therapeutic foods for developing countries, 2009.
- **2009.** Grant reviewer for UAB's Minority Health Research Center ,2009.
- **2009.** Reviewer for National Institutes of Health Challenge Grants, June 2009.
- **2010.** Ad hoc reviewer for NIH's Bioengineering Sciences and Technology Integrated Review Group for the National Centers for Biomedical Computing (NCBC), 2010.
- **2010.** Ad hoc statistical reviewer/advisor to the Molecular Genetics B Study Section [MGB], 2010, National Institutes of Health
- **2010.** Grant proposal reviewer for National Science Foundation regular grant, 2010.
- **2011.** Evaluator/Reviewer for National Award Program for Creativity, 2011.
- **2012.** Peer Reviewer for Croucher Foundation, Hong Kong.
- **2012.** Nominator for National Award Program for Creativity.
- **2012.** Evaluator/Reviewer for National Award Program for Creativity, 2012.
- **2012.** Reviewer for NIH Pioneer Award applications.
- **2013.** Reviewer for NIH Loan Repayment Plan applications.
- **2014.** Reviewer for NIH Pioneer grant applications.
- **2015.** Abstract reviewer for the Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting.
- **2015.** Served as grant reviewer for The Leverhulme Trust of the United Kingdom.
- **2015.** Served on the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Science, Mathematics, and Engineering Mentoring (PAESMEM) National Selection Review Panel of the National Science Foundation.
- **2015.** Abstract reviewer for The Gerontological Society of America.
- **2015.** Reviewer for an analysis and research management support report to be published by the National Center for Education Research.
- **2015.** Served on Grant Review Panel for U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences.
- **2016.** Served on Grant Review Panel for U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences.
- **2016.** Grant reviewer for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).
- **2016.** Grant reviewer for ZonMw – The Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development.
- **2017.** Reviewer of grant proposals for the Laura and John Arnold Foundation.
- **2017.** Reviewer of intramural research program for NIH (NIDDK) investigator(s).
- **2017.** Reviewer for the Evidence-based Practice Center Evidence-based Practice Center Program of the U.S. Agency for Health Research and Quality.
- **2017.** Reviewer of Fostering Responsible Research Practices for The Netherlands Organization for Health Research and Development.

- **2018.** Reviewer for AHRQ Evidence-based Practice Center Program: comments on "Methods for Evaluating Natural Experiments in Obesity: A Systematic Evidence Review."
- **2021:** Scientific Review Panel for State of the Science Symposium: "Defining a National Research Vision Targeting the Biology of Aging to Optimize Human Performance, Healthspan and Lifespan"
- **2024:** Reviewer for Novo Nordisk Foundation for strategic project involving 24-month weight loss/low-carb/exercise RCT in patients with T2DM to obtain medication-free T2DM remission.
- **2024:** Served on the selection committee for the Don Owen Award of the American Statistical Association (Texas Branch). The award is given to a statistician who embodies the three-fold accomplishments of Dr. Donald B. Owen who excelled in the areas of research, statistical consultation, and service to the statistical community.

INTRAMURAL COMMITTEE & SERVICE WORK

(selected)

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- Member standing investigative committee in IU Office of Research Integrity, 2019 – 2023.
- Appointed by President Michael Microbe to the Indiana University Executive Policy Group (EPG) and then Restart committee in response to COVID-19, March 2020 – Present.
- Selected as a Faculty Scientist within the Indiana University School of Medicine's Diabetes Translational Research Center (DTRC), December 2019 – Present.
- Member of Indiana University Advisory Board of the Institute for Advanced Study (IAS), July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2022.
- Member Indiana University School of Medicine's Center for Diabetes and Metabolic Diseases (CDMD) in the Nutrition and Physiology of Obesity interest group.
- Internal Advisory Committee (IAC) member for Indiana University Developmental Center for AIDS Research (D-CFAR) August 2018 application submission.
- Member of University-wide Council for Innovation and Entrepreneurship. The overarching purpose for the Council is to ensure that UAB continues to cultivate a campus-wide entrepreneurial spirit among students, faculty and staff that builds upon past successes and creates opportunities that will profoundly impact UAB, Birmingham, Alabama and beyond, 2017, 2017.
- Member of University-wide committee to develop integrated plan for training in responsible conduct of research for all students in UAB from undergraduate through post-doctoral, 2016 – 2017.
- Co-Chair of Intellectual Property and Tech Transfer Committee of the UAB Council of Center Directors, 2017 – 2017.
- Member of Dean of Graduate School's University Wide Committee to Determine Policies for Distributing Graduate Fellowships, 2017.
- Chair of School of Health Professions Committee on Enhancing Statistical Support and Teaching within the school, 2017.
- Member of UAB School of Public Health Diversity Committee, 2015 – 2016.
- Chair of UAB School of Public Health Committee to Increase Enrollment in Masters Programs, 2005 – 2006.

- Chair of UAB School of Public Health Research Advisory Council, 2005 – 2016.
- Chair of UAB's Council of Center Directors – Chair in 2010, Chair-Elect in 2009.
- Member of Search Committee for UAB's Comprehensive Diabetes Center Director, 2009 – 2010.
- Co-Director, Genetic Core of Minority Health and Research Center, 2002 – 2005.
- Member of committee to review applications for University-Professors (a special honorific designation within UAB), 2008.
- Member of internal advisory committee for Dr. Suzanne Oparil's post-doctoral training program in CVD biology.
- Member of Search Committee for Comprehensive Cancer Center Director, 2005 – 2007.
- Member of Search Committee for Department of Epidemiology faculty, 2004 – 2005.
- Member of Search Committee for UAB's Associate Dean for Postdoctoral Education, 2006 – 2007.
- Member of Search Committee for UAB's Comprehensive Cancer Center Director, 2005 – 2007.
- Member of Search Committee for UAB's Department of Nutrition Sciences Department Chair, 2001 – 2002.
- Member of Search Committee for UAB's Department of Nutrition Sciences Endowed Webb Chair, 2008 – 2009.
- Member of Search Committee for UAB's Department of Nutrition Sciences, 2003 – 2004.
- Member of Search Committee for UAB's School of Public Health Associate Dean, 2003 – 2004.
- Member of the Executive committee of the Center for Nutrient Genome Interaction, 2003 – 2009.
- Member of the Executive committee of the Heflin Center for Human Genetics, 2002 – 2005.
- Member of the Leadership Committee of the NIH-Funded Diabetes Research and Training Center, 2008 – 2017.
- Member of the Steering Committee of the UAB Comprehensive Diabetes Center, 2008 – 2017.
- Member of the UAB School of Public Health Faculty Affairs Committee, 2001 – 2003.
- Member of UAB University-Wide Office of Grants & Contracts Oversight Committee, 2003 – 2005.
- Member of UAB's Comprehensive Cancer Center Institutional Research Grant Committee, 2001 – 2004.
- Member of UAB's University-Wide Research Advisory Group, 2005 – 2017.

ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATIONS & APPOINTMENTS

- AAAS Committee on Nominations and Leadership Development (NLDC), 2023
- Academy of Behavioral Medicine Research, 2017 – Present.

- Agriculture & Applied Economics Association (AAEA), 2021 - Present.
- American Aging Association, 2015 – present
- Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy (AABT).
- American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), 1989 – Present.
 - Elected as Fellow, 2009.
- American College of Nutrition, Elected as Fellow, 2006.
- American Diabetes Association (ADA)
- American Heart Association (AHA), 2006 – Present
 - Elected fellow 2015.
 - Silver Heart Member, 2017 – Present.
- American Indian Science and Engineering Society, 2023.
- American Mathematical Society, 2023.
- American Psychological Association (APA)
 - Member of Division 38 - Health Psychology
 - Member of Division 5 - Measurement & Statistics
- American Public Health Association (APHA)
 - Appointed the 1st American Public Health Association (APHA) Ethics SPIG Nominations Chair in 2014 – 2016.
- American Society for Human Genetics (ASHG)
- American Society of Nutrition (ASN) (formerly American Society for Clinical Nutrition (ASCN))
 - Elected Member of Nominating Committee, 2003.
 - Member of Education/Mentoring awards nominating committee – 2008 – 2009
 - Member of Graduate & Continuing Education Committee – 2008 – 2009.
 - Member of the Public Policy/Public Information Awards Nominating Committee for 2010.
 - Elected to the Nutritional Sciences Council's Executive committee as NSC *Human Nutrition Representative*, 2013. Term: June 2013 – May 2015.
 - Elected as Chair Elect of Obesity Research Interest Section, 2014.
 - Appointed to serve as a member of the 2016 Gilbert A. Leveille Award and Lectureship Jury. This is a joint award administered by IFT and the American Society for Nutrition.
 - Appointed to Serve on Open Access Journal Search Committee for founding editor in chief, 2015 – 2016.
 - Appointed to serve on search committee for 2016 Atwater Award Lecturer
- American Statistical Association (ASA)
 - Member of the executive board of the New York Metropolitan chapter of the American Statistical Association, 1995 – 1999.
 - Elected as Fellow, 2007.
- Association for Women in Science (AWIS).
- Behavior Genetics Association (BGA).
- Biometric Society - Eastern North American Region (ENAR).
- Classification Society of North America (CSNA).
- Committee for Skeptical Inquiry – 2014 to Present.
- Committee on Publication Ethics (COPE), 2022 to Present.
- Eastern Psychological Association (EPA) – membership not current.
- Gerontological Society of America (GSA).
- Human Genome Organization - (HUGO).

- Institute of Food Technologists (IFT) – 2017 – Present.
- Institute for Mathematical Statistics (IMS).
- International Statistical Institute (ISI).
- Mathematical Association of America (MAA)
- National Academy of Medicine (NAM) [formerly Institute of Medicine (IOM)].
 - Elected to membership in 2012.
- National Hispanic Medical Association (NHMA).
- New York Academy of Science (NYAS).
- NIDDK Network of Minority Health Research Investigators (NMRI), 2014 – Present.
- Obesity Action Coalition (OAC) – 2015 – Present.
- The Obesity Society (formerly NAASO).
 - Chair of Public Relations subcommittee to develop *Media Guide to Contact People and Consultants* ~1992.
 - Member of Publications Committee October 1996 – 1997, 2021-
 - Elected Member of Nominations Committee 1996 – 1997.
 - Elected to NAASO Council May 1995. Served on council from October 1995 through August 1998.
 - Elected as Secretary/Treasurer of NAASO August 1998. Served from August 1998 through October 2001.
 - Served on a special Public Affairs Task Force to provide information regarding dietary supplements for weight loss to the U.S. General Accounting Office (GAO) – 2002.
 - Track co-leader for the Population Studies track of the 2003, 2004, and 2005 annual meetings.
 - Elected Member of Nominations Committee 2005-2006.
 - Elected and served as Vice President ,2006-2007.
- Royal Society of Medicine – Admitted as Overseas Fellow, 2017.
- Sigma Xi
 - Development Committee, 2023.
 - Elected President - elect, 2025 – 2026.
 - Elected President, 2026 – 2027.
 - Elected Past President, 2027 – 2028.
- Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM).
- Society for Epidemiologic Research (SER).
- Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM), 2021 - Present.
- Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior (SNEB), 2017 - Present.
- Society for Public Health Education (SOPHE).
- Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics & Native Americans in Science (SACNAS).
- Society for the Study of Ingestive Behavior (SSIB).
- TED – Ideas Worth Spreading (TED).

CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP ORGANIZATION

- Organized an international Advanced Research Workshop (≈150 participants) sponsored by the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) and the National Institute of Diabetes Digestive & Kidney Diseases, *Obesity Treatment: Establishing Goals, Improving Outcomes, and Reviewing the Research Agenda*, held June 3-5, 1993.

- Chair (with F. Xavier Pi-Sunyer) of a two-day meeting (≈ 200 participants) sponsored by the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), *Current Status of Scientific and Clinical Progress in Human Obesity* in February 1993.
- Chaired organizing committee for the NAASO-sponsored and NIDDK-funded conference (≈ 120 participants) *Advancing the Genetics of Obesity: Strategies & Methods*, 1997.
- Co-Chair with David Harrison of Genetics Committee of National Institute of Aging Conference on Application of Caloric Restriction Research to Humans, March 1999.
- Elected Vice-Chair (with Michael Jensen, Chair) of 2001 FASEB summer conference on *Obesity & Energy Metabolism*.
- Vice Chair of the year 2000 annual meeting of the International Life Sciences Institute (ILSI) and Chair of the year 2001 annual ILSI meeting.
- Serve on the International Advisory Committee for the 2002 9th International Congress on Obesity in Brazil as the “International Expert” for the Track on *Genetics Of Obesity*.
- Chair (with Drs. Arlen Price and Anthony Comuzzie) of the first meeting for a putative consortium of human obesity gene mappers titled ‘*Adi-Map*’ *Obesity Gene Mapping Collaborative Project: Are we ready?* Sponsored by the National Institute of Diabetes Digestive, and Kidney Diseases, July 14, 2000.
- Co-Leader (with June Stevens and Anthony Comuzzie) of Population Studies & Public Health Track of the 2003, 2004, and 2005 annual meetings of the North American Association for the Study of Obesity.
- With Dr. Jose Fernandez in the lead, I organized a 1-day workshop on UAB’s campus regarding genetic admixture studies.
- Primary organizer and PI of NIH R13 grant for 2-day conference on *Design, Analysis, Interpretation of Randomized Clinical Trials in Obesity* held in Newark, NJ, Dec 4-5, 2006.
- Primary organizer and host of NIH (NIA) sponsored 2-day workshop on *Statistical Methods for Longitudinal Data on Aging Workshop* held in Bethesda, Maryland, June 13-14, 2007.
- Primary organizer and PI of NIH R13 grant for 2-day conference on *Body Weight, Adiposity, Energetics, and Longevity* held on St. Simons Island, Nov 29-30, 2007.
- Principal UAB organizer of 3-day 2nd annual Southern Obesity Summit held in Birmingham, AL, Nov 9-11, 2008.
- Member of committee on statistics for World Congress on Genetics Applied to Livestock Production (WCGALP), 2012 – 2013.
- With Dr. John R. Speakman, Dr. Thorkild IA Sorenson, & Dr. Kevin D. Hall, organized an international scientific meeting on Causes of obesity: theories, conjectures and evidence for The Royal Society, London, October 17-19, 2022.

Invited Conference Speaker and Panelist: Virtual and In Person (selected from among many more)

- **Allison, D. B.** (2025). “Unsolved Mysteries of Obesity Science” Invited podcast discussion on Weight Loss And. . . with Dr. Holly Wyatt & Dr. James Hill. <https://www.weightlossand.com/unsolved-mysteries-of-obesity-science-with-david-allison/>
- **Allison, D. B.** (2025). “The Good Life Hypothesis: Curious Conjectures About Longevity, Obesity, Caloric Restriction, and Downtroddenness.” Invited online speaker at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health Graduate Nutrition Seminar.
- **Allison, D. B.,** Lehana, T., Brenneman, W., & Shen, W. (2023). Invited to participate in a Section for Statistical Programmers and Analysts (SSPA) panel session at the Joint Statistical Meeting (JSM) in Toronto.

<https://www.aievolution.com/JSMAnnual/index.cfm?do=ev.viewEv&ev=1561>. JSM is one of the largest statistical events in the world with 5,000 attendees from 52 countries.

- **Allison, D. B.** (2023). "Obesity Research: Rigor, Reproducibility & Truthful Communication." Invited podcast discussion on Sound Bites. (<https://soundbitesrd.com/240>)
- **Allison, D. B.** (2023). "From Study Conception to Study Dissemination: How Do We Assure Rigor of Research, Rigor of Communication, and Communication of Rigor." Invited speaker at a *virtual* workshop of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine on: *Translating Nutrition Science from Bench to Plate: Complexity of Iterative Processes*. This workshop, which is being convened by the NASEM *Standing Committee on Evidence Synthesis and Communications in Diet and Chronic Disease Relationships*.
- **Allison, D. B.** (2022). "Living Large: The Effects of Obesity, Body Fat, Food Intake, and Changes Therein on Longevity" Sigma Xi Distinguished Lecturer Presentation hosted by The Greenbrier Valley Chapter of Sigma Xi and the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine.
- **Allison, D. B.** (2022). "The need and opportunity for increased rigor in scientific research: nutrition and obesity examples." Universidad Iberoamericana Health Sciences Department webinar presenter.
- **Allison, D.B.,** Rivers, R., & Carnethon (2022). "Diversity, Equity and Inclusion" virtual session of the 2022 Nutrition Leadership Academy (NLA). The NLA is organized by the American Society for Nutrition Early Career Nutrition Group (ASN/ECN).
- **Allison, D. B.** (2022). "The Science of Obesity & How to Improve Nutritional Epidemiology" Invited podcast discussion on The Peter Attia Drive (<https://peterattiamd.com/davidallison/>).
- **Allison, D. B.,** Bradley, E., Mehta, A., Fried, L., Friedland, L. & Tripathi, M. (2021) "Public Health in the Time of COVID-19." Invited to participate in a Vassar College panel discussion moderated by Elizabeth Bradley, President of Vassar College.
- **Allison, D. B.** (2021). "Science is Self-Correcting – But the Record is Not: Building Self-Correction into the Scientific Enterprise" Invited to speak at the Toxicology Forum Virtual Summer Meeting.
- **Allison, D. B.,** Richardson, A., & Kaczorowski, C. (2021). "Best Practices for Using Animals in Aging Research." Nathan Shock Centers of Excellence in the Basic Biology of Aging. Webinar Presenter.
- **Allison, D. B.** (2020). "Reproducibility and Replicability in Science." Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory Colloquium Talks Speaker. Webinar. Tek
- **Allison, D. B.,** Schwartz, P., Garfinkel, E., Caplan, A., & Bird, S. (2020). "Challenge Studies, Avalanche Testing and other Approaches to Vaccine Development." Invited to participate in a panel discussion for the National Academy of Engineering.

MENTORSHIP ACTIVITIES

(selected; see also *leadership activities section*)

- Mentored High School Student attending John F. Kennedy High School in Bellmore, New York on obesity research project through school's *Advanced Science Research* program, 2014.
- Mentored High School Student on Girls Scout Gold Award project involving obesity and nutrition, 2015.

- Mentor for American Heart Association Minority Mentoring Program, 2009 - Present.
- Selected as a mentor for the Mentored Experiences in Research, Instruction, and Teaching (MERIT) Program, an NIH-funded Institutional Research and Academic Career Development Award (K12) from the Division of Minority Opportunities in Research (MORE) at NIGMS. It is facilitated through the partnership of UAB, Miles College (Fairfield, AL), and Stillman College (Tuscaloosa, AL). The primary goal of the MERIT Program is to provide postdoctoral scholars with outstanding research and teaching experiences while improving the recruitment of underrepresented minorities into the field of biomedical research, 2010 – 2017.
- Served on Doctoral Dissertation Committees for students at UAB, Columbia University Teachers' College, Hofstra University, Rutgers University.
- Master's thesis advisor to Masters' students at Columbia University and New York University.
- Pre-examiner for doctoral dissertation of Minna Oman from the University of Helsinki, 2001.
- Scientist participant in *Science-By-Mail*, a science correspondence program with fourth grade children, 1992 – 93
- Mentor in New York Academy of Science's summer student internship program, 1992-1998. Co-Mentor, 1999 – 2001. Supervised high school students in research projects.
- Supervise/mentor high school interns from LaGuardia High School for Gifted Students, 1994- 1996.
- Supervise/provide research experience to numerous masters and Ph.D. students from Fordham University.
- Internship supervisor of doctoral student in health psychology from Ferkauf College at Albert Einstein College of Medicine, 1995 – 1996.
- A UAB post-doctoral fellow I have helped, Dr. Xuxia Wu, won an award for our collaborative work: Wu X, Wang J, Allison, D. B, Garvey WT. (2004) Muscle response to insulin is impaired in diabetic humans, in association with a defect in signaling pathway. Presented at the University of Alabama at Birmingham's 2004 Annual Center on Aging Meeting in September. UAB Center of Aging Abstract Winner.
- UAB Dept of Medicine Junior Faculty Mentoring Program led by Lisa M. Guay-Woodford, M.D., Director, Division of Genetic and Translational Medicine. As of Spring 2007, serving as one of three Scholar Advisory Committee (SAC) members for John Hartman MD, Asst Prof of Genetics, 2007 – 2010.
- Mentor for the NHLBI eMentoring Initiative, 2010 – Present.
As community service, serve as advisor to one Girl Scout going for Girl Scout Gold Award with a nutrition and health project, 2014.
- Registered Mentor for the National Alliance for Doctoral Studies in the Mathematical Sciences, an alliance between a group of proven mentors in math sciences departments at several Ph.D. and master's granting universities together with mentors at math science departments at colleges and universities which serve a substantial number of underrepresented undergraduate students, 2009 – Present.

A (non-exhaustive) Listing of Individuals Mentored Appears Below:

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High School Students				
Angelique Fournier	Social & Ethnic Influences on Obesity	NY Academy of Science Summer Internship program for Gifted High School Students	1992	One peer-reviewed paper.
Orlando Valazco	Estimating weight loss success.		1993	Completion of high school and entry into college.
Rachel Weber	Estimating weight loss success.		1993	
Denise Sanchez	Obesity & Mortality Rates		1995	
Diana Townsend-Butterworth	Obesity & Mortality Rates		1997	One peer-reviewed paper. Completed B.A. at Harvard University and MBA at University of Pennsylvania.
Adwoa Dadzie	Obesity & Mortality Rates		1998	Completed Bachelor's at Trinity College and Master's at NYU. Currently employed as Chief People Officer at Hearst Magazines. Member of IU School of Public Health Dean's Alliance Advisory Board.
Jessica Singleton	Alternative Medicine & Obesity		1999	Completed bachelor's in honors cognitive neuroscience program at Harvard. Currently research assistant at Columbia University.
Kristen Jozkowski ³	Genetics of Food Intake		2000	Participant and finalist in several high school science fairs. Regional finalist in the U.S. Intel "Science and Engineering" Competition. Endowed Full Professor at Indiana University Bloomington School of Public Health.
Stella David	Nutrition education in disadvantaged youths.	Girl Scouts Gold Award	2015	High School student.
Undergraduate Students				
Meredyth Kravitz	Obesity and self-esteem	Undergraduate Summer Volunteer	1997	One peer-reviewed paper; Obtained PsyD degree from Albert Einstein-Yeshiva University. Clinical Neuropsychologist Child Mind Institute.
Judy Liu	General Research	Student Assistant	1996	Professor at UNC Chapel Hill School of Media and Journalism
Ankur Moondan	Statistical Methods for Power Analysis	Summer Intern from India	2008	One peer-reviewed paper published. Vice President at AlpahGrep Securities.

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Giulianna Murati	Obesity and Genetics	Minority summer intern collaboration with University of Puerto Rico	2009	One peer-reviewed paper published. Associate Veterina at Veterinary Medical Center St. Lucie County.
Keara Ginell	Rigor, reproducibility, and transparency in obesity research	Visiting Research Associate	June 2021-August 2021	Clinical Research Assistant, University of Michigan.
Post-Baccalaureate Students				
Elizabeth Manibay	Obesity	Ph.D. program in Psychology at CUNY Baruch College	1996	One paper published in peer-reviewed journal; Received NIH minority supplement grant. Currently Senior Business Management Consultant at Charles Schwab Advisor Services.
Ming Infante	Statistical Genetics and obesity	Post-baccalaureate pre-med program, Columbia University	1998 – 1999	Three peer-reviewed papers. Currently getting Executive Master's at Cranfield University.
Nathaniel Berman	Pediatric Obesity	Pre-Med program, Columbia University	1998 – 1999	One peer-reviewed paper in <i>Pediatrics</i> . Currently Assistant Professor in Medicine, Weill Cornell Medical College.
Master's Students				
Dennis Sepulveda	Obesity in Down Syndrome	Master's Program at Columbia in Nutrition	1993	Two published papers. Received award for outstanding achievement by employee of Sanofi Pharmaceuticals.
Jennifer L. Kraker	Meal Replacement formulae for obesity treatment.		2000 – 2001	Two papers published. Winner of 2005 scholarship from the American Society of Clinical Nutrition for an internship in nutrition and medicine. Completed MD training. Currently practicing psychiatrist.
Paula Iocova	Obesity	Extern from Psychology Master's program at Fordham University	1995 – 1996	Successful application to Ph.D. program.

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Tapan Mehta	Analysis of microarray data.	M.S. Student in Engineering at UAB. Now Ph.D. mentoree at UAB.	2002 – 2013	Many papers published. Winner of multiple Young Investigator awards. Professor (Tenure Earning), School of Health Professions, at UAB; Tenured Full Professor and Vice Chair for Research Department of Family and Community Medicine, UAB School of Medicine. Inducted into the DELTA OMEGA Honorary Society in Public Health, Upsilon Chapter
Doctoral Students				
Hansen Bannerman-Thompson	Microarray analysis by support vector machines.	Graduate Intern (Ph.D. candidate at N. Dakota State U.)	Summer 2000	University of Cincinnati Post-Doc, Environmental Health
Eva Gropp	Obesity & Genetics	Medical Student/Visiting Scholar from Germany	2000 – 2001	Several papers published. Currently post-doctoral fellow at Institute for Genetics, University of Cologne.
Janet Mentore (Lee)	Obesity	Extern from Psychology Ph.D. program at Fordham University	1996 – 1997	Three peer-reviewed papers. Currently psychologist and published children's book author.
Susan Tennant	Obesity		1998	Completed Ph.D. Practicing Psychologist.
Julie Nathan	Obesity	Extern from Psychology Ph.D. program at Fordham University	1996 – 1997	Four published papers. Completed Ph.D. Practicing psychologist.
Chenxi Wang	Statistical methods for studying the relation between obesity and mortality.	Ph.D. Student in Nutrition Sciences, UAB	2001–2004	Multiple published papers. Won Samuel L. Barker Award for Best Graduate Student at UAB in 2004, given to one and only one student in entire university per year. Currently Assistant professor of Nutrition, University of Louisville.
Scott W. Keith, Ph.D.	Statistical methods for studying obesity and mortality rate.	UAB Ph.D. Program in Biostatistics. Supported by NHLBI T32.	2004 – 2008	Many papers published and awards won. Associate Professor, Biostatistics, Thomas Jefferson University.
Matt Giddings	Hormetic effects of caloric	Psychology at UAB	2007 – 2011	Received \$10,000 grant as PI from the Alzheimer's of Central Alabama to study nutritional influences on the

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	restriction on lifespan			progression of Alzheimer's disease in a mouse model.
Tiffany Cox, Ph.D., MPH	Design issues in obesity treatment trials	Epidemiology program at UAB	2009 – 2011	Assistant Professor, UAB Division of Preventive Medicine.
Molly Bernhard Richardson	Ambient temperature and food intake in humans.	Environmental Health Sciences Ph.D. program at UAB	2013 - 2017	UAB Pre-doctoral Fellow NIH T32HL105349; Assistant Professor, Health Policy and Organization, UAB
Henry Robertson. Ph.D.	Statistical methods for studying longevity.	Biostatistics Ph.D. program at UAB	2008 -2011	Scientist, Seton Health Care
Tapan Mehta, Ph.D.	Statistical methods for studying BMI and mortality.	Biostatistics Ph.D. program at UAB	2011 - 2013	Assistant Professor, Dept of Physical Therapy, University of Alabama at Birmingham
Daniella Chusyd	Energy expenditure and body composition in animal models. Co-mentored with Tim Nagy.	Nutrition Ph.D. program at UAB	2013 - 2017	UAB Pre-doctoral Fellow NIH T32HL105349. Received PI grant from Eppley Foundation, a second co-PI grant from the Smithsonian, and a diversity supplement from the NIA; Assistant Professor, IU School of Public Health
Jennifer Davis	Exploring impact of a high fat diet on circadian rhythms of glycogen synthase kinase 3 (GSK3) on learning and memory. Co-mentored with Karen Gamble	Genetics, Genomics, and Bioinformatics Ph.D. program at UAB	2014 - 2017	UAB Pre-doctoral Fellow NIH T32HL105349.
Luis Mestre	Biostatistics and obesity.	Epidemiology and Biostatistics Ph.D. program at IU	2017 – 2022	Post Doctoral Fellow at The Consultation Center, Department of Psychiatry, Yale Medical Center
Wasiuddin Najam	Epidemiology, biostatistics, energetics, rigor in science	Epidemiology and Biostatistics Ph.D. program at IU	2022 - Present	Ph.D. Student

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Annie Yu	Biostatistics, rigor in science	Epidemiology and Biostatistics Ph.D. program at IU	2022 - Present	Ph.D. Student
Post-Doctoral Fellows				
Myles S. Faith, Ph.D.	Behavioral genetics of obesity.	Post-Doctoral Fellow	1995 – 1998	Professor and Associate Chair and subsequently Chair of the Department of Counseling, School, and Educational Psychology, University at Buffalo. Many papers and NIH grants as PI. 2022 Oded Bar-Or Award for Excellence in Pediatric Obesity Research from the Obesity Society.
Angelo Pietrobelli ⁴ , M.D.	Pediatric obesity & Body Composition.	Post-Doctoral Fellow (from Italy)	1995 – 1998	Faculty Investigator, Verona University Medical School. Many papers published. Assoc editor of obesity journals.
Moonseong Heo, Ph.D.	Statistical methods in obesity research.	Post-Doctoral Fellow	1996 – 1999	Professor, Albert Einstein College of Medicine of Yeshiva University & Montefiore Medical Center. Numerous papers published.
Raffaella Zannolli, M.D.	Epidemiologic al studies in obesity.	Post-Doctoral Fellow (from Italy)	1998 – 1999	Multiple peer-reviewed papers. University of Siena, Assistant Professor.
Jose Fernandez, Ph.D.	Statistical genetics applied to obesity.	Post-Doctoral Fellow	1999 – 2001	Many papers published. Professor and Vice Chair, UAB Dept of Nutrition Sciences. NIH R01 funding as PI.
Daniel Hoffman ⁵ , Ph.D.	Body composition.	Post-Doctoral Fellow	1999 – 2001	Many papers published. Professor, Dept. of Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers University.
James (Yong-woo) Park ⁶ , M.D.	Body composition.	Post-Doctoral Fellow (from Korea)	2000 – 2001	Many papers published. Professor, Sungkyunkwan University School of Medicine.
Shankuan Zhu, M.D., Ph.D.	Body composition & mortality rates.	Post-Doctoral Fellow	2000 – 2001	Many papers published. Professor & Executive Dean Zhejiang University, School of Public Health, PR China. NIH R01 funding as PI.
Jacob Pieter Laurens Brand Ph.D.	Statistical analysis of microarray data through computer	Post-Doctoral Fellow	2001 – 2003	Multiple papers published. Biostatistician, The EMMES Corporation.

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	intensive methods.			
Mark Cope, Ph.D.	Pharmacogenomics of Anti-Psychotic Induced Weight Gain: Rodent Models.	Post-Doctoral Fellow	2001 – 2006	Principal Designer, Re-Imagine Wellness™ at International Flavors & Fragrances
Dongyan Yang, M.D., M.S.	Statistical Genetics.	Post-Doctoral Fellow	2002 – 2003	Associate Director, Immunology Clinical Development at The Janssen Pharmaceutical Companies of Johnson & Johnson
Jode Edwards, Ph.D.	Statistical analysis of microarray data.	Post-Doc (T32)	2002 – 2004	Research Geneticist USDA ARS and Faculty Iowa State University.
Stanislav Zakharkin, Ph.D.	Statistical analysis of genetic data	Post-Doc (T32)	2002 – 2005	Director, Daiichi Sankyo, Inc
Siham Elamin, DVM	Genetic Epidemiology	Post-Doctoral Fellow	2003 – 2004	Veterinary Medical Officer, USDA/APHIS/VS.
Kyoungmi, Kim, Ph.D.	Statistical genetics.	Post-Doctoral Fellow	2003 – 2005	Professor, University of CA–Davis.
Solomon Musani, Ph.D.	Statistical genetics of Obesity	Post-Doc (T32)	2003 – 2005	Assistant Professor, University of Mississippi Medical Center.
Jasmin Divers	Statistical genetics – Genetic association and Gene Mapping in Admixed individuals.	Post-Doc (T32)	2004 – 2007	Tenured Professor of Biostatistics and Division Chief, Division of Health Services Research, Department of Foundations of Medicine, NYU Long Island School of Medicine
Laura Kelly Vaughan, Ph.D.	Statistical Genetics of Obesity	Post-Doc (T32)	2005 – 2008	Department Chair and Associate Professor of Biology College of Arts and Sciences King University
Daniel Shriner ⁷ , Ph.D.	Statistical Genetics of Obesity	Post-Doc (T32)	2005 –	NIH Staff Scientist, Center for Research on Genomics and Global Health
David Brock, Ph.D.	Obesity	Post-Doc (T32)	2006 – 2007	Associate Professor of Exercise Physiology, University of Vermont

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Mai Elobeid, Ph.D.	Obesity	Post-Doc (T32)	2006 – 2008	Researcher, King Saud University
Marcus Guyton, Ph.D.	Obesity	Post-Doc (T32)	2006 – 2008	Unknown
Daniel Smith Ph.D.	Caloric Restriction and Longevity	Post-Doc (T32)	2007 – 2010	Assistant Professor, Dept of Nutrition Sciences, UAB; PI of grant from the Ellison Foundation.
Stephen Erickson, Ph.D.	Statistical Genetics	Post-Doc (T32)	2006 – 2009	Assistant Professor, University of Arkansas Med. Sciences
Nicholas Pajewski, Ph.D.	Statistical Genetics	Post-Doc (T32)	2008 – 2010	Associate Professor with Tenure, Department of Biostatistics and Data Science, Wake Forest School of Medicine.
Gustavo de los Campos, Ph.D.	Statistical Genetics	Post-Doc	2009-2011	Associate Professor of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, Michigan State University. Two R01s as PI. Many published papers.
Yann Klimentidis, Ph.D.	Genetics of Obesity Phenotypes	Post-Doc (T32)	2009 – 2011	Assistant Professor, University of Arizona. K-award and R01 as PI.
Kathryn Kaiser, Ph.D.	Design issues in obesity treatment trials	Post-Doc (T32)	2009 – 2011	Assistant Professor, UAB SOPH
Katherine Ingram, Ph.D.	Design issues in obesity treatment trials	Post-Doc (T32)	2009 – 2011	Assistant Professor, Department of Exercise Science and Sport Management, Kennesaw State University
Kirk Williams, Ph.D.	Genetic methods in obesity research	Post-Doc (T32)	2009 – 2011	Investigator, FDA (past)
Ana Inés Vázquez, Ph.D.	Obesity, genes, and cancer	Post-Doctoral Fellow	2010 – 2012	Assistant Professor of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, Michigan State University
Henry Robertson, Ph.D.	High-dimensional Survival analysis	Statistician, Seton Healthcare Family	2011 – 2012	Statistician, Seton Healthcare Family
Emily Dhurandhar , Ph.D.	Effects on Ad36 on glucose metabolism in cell culture models	Post-Doc (T32)	2011 – 2014	Assistant professor, Texas Tech University.
Andrew Brown, Ph.D.	Investigation and promotion of research	Post-Doc (T32)	2012 – 2014	Associate Professor, Department of Biostatistics, University of Arkansas

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	reporting integrity in obesity research.			for Medical Sciences Biostatistics Core Director, Center for Childhood Obesity Prevention, Arkansas Children's Research Institute
Jacqueline Harris, Ph.D.	Genetics and health disparities.	Post-Doc (T32)	2011 – 2013	Assistant Professor at Grambling State University
John Dawson, Ph.D.	Statistical genetics of obesity.	Post-Doc (T32)	2012 – 2014	Assistant Professor, Dept of Nutrition, Texas Tech University
Dwight Lewis, Ph.D.	cardio-metabolic risk overweight & obese African American males	Post-Doc (T32)	2012 – 2014	Associate Professor of Healthcare Management, Associate Director of the Institute of Data Management & Analytics, University of Alabama (Tuscaloosa)
Alexis (Lekki) Wood, Ph.D., F. A.H. A	Genetics	Post-Doc	2012 – 2014	Associate Professor, Baylor College of Medicine
Aaron (Davis) Fobian, Ph.D.	Assess the effects of increased sleep duration in overweight and obese adolescents	Post-Doc (HRSA)	2013 - 2014	Asst Prof, Psychiatry, UAB Received NIH K-award as PI. Selected as "Rising Star" by American Psychological Society, 2019.
Patrice Capers, Ph.D.	Weight, body composition, and human traits	Post-Doc (MERIT)	2013 – 2016	Visiting Assistant Professor in the Biology Department, the Citadel.
Cynthia Kroeger, Ph.D.	Research fidelity in nutrition research	Post-Doc (F32)	2015 – 2018	Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Sydney
Greg Pavela, Ph.D.	Co-mentor with Dr. Julie Locher. Interpersonal influences on obesity	Post-Doc (T32)	2013 – 2015	Associate Professor, Associate Dean, Academic Affairs, Assistant Director, Survey Unit Health Behavior, University of Alabama at Birmingham
TaShauna Goldsby, Ph.D.	Social defeat and energetics	Post-Doc (T32)	2014 – 2016	Vice President, Data Governance, Regions Bank
Tonia Schwartz, Ph.D.	Evolution of Molecular Networks and Complex	Post-Doc (McDonnell Foundation)	2014 – 2015	Assoc. Prof, Department of Biological Sciences, Auburn University

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	Energetic Traits			
Brandon George	Biostatistics	Post-Doc (Statistician II)	2014 – 2016	Assistant Professor, College of Population Health, Thomas Jefferson University
Keisuke Ejima, Ph.D.	Mathematical models of obesity	Post-Doc	2014 – 2022	Assistant Professor, Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine
Anarina Murillo, Ph.D.	Mathematical models of obesity	Post-Doc	2016 – 2017	NIH T32 Received a 2018 mentor/mentoree grant of \$5,000 from the Sloan Scholars Mentoring Network of the Social Sciences Research Council and the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation.
Colby Vorland, Ph.D.	Meta-research in nutrition and obesity	Post-Doc	2019-2022	Assistant Research Scientist, IU
Daniella Chusyd, Ph.D.	Body composition, aging & large mammal endocrinology & reproduction	Post Doc	2018 - 2020	Assistant Professor, Environmental and Occupational Health, IU, Morris Animal Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship
Jasmine Jamshidi-Naeini, Ph.D.	Meta-research in nutrition and obesity	Post Doc	2020 – Present	
Stella Twumwaa, Larrey, Ph.D.	Health economics and epidemiology	Post Doc	2020 - 2021	Researcher/Faculty at St. Jude's Hospital for Children
Abu Bakkar Siddique, Ph.D.	Scientific Integrity and Statistics	Post Doc	2022–2023	Assistant Professor, School of Public Administration, Florida Atlantic University
Daniel Edem Kpormegbey, Ph.D.	Research Reproducibility and Replicability	Post Doc	2023– Present	Mathematical Statistician at the Food and Drug Administration
Deependra Thapa, Ph.D.	Epidemiology, Aging, & Research Rigor	Post Doc	2023– Present	
Thirupathi Reddy Mokalla, Ph.D.	Epidemiology; Biostatistics; Rigor, Reproducibility &	Post Doc	2023– Present	

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	Transparency in Scientific Research.			
Armando Peña, Ph.D.	Addressing Type 2 Diabetes Disparities among Latinos	Post Doc	2023–Present	Assistant Professor, Indiana University - Bloomington
Rita Wang, Ph.D.	Research Methodological and Analytical Rigor; Aging, Obesity, & Diabetes Interventions	Post Doc	2024–Present	
Olivia Robertson, Ph.D.	Maternal and Child Obesity; Rigor, Reproducibility & Transparency in Research	Post Doc	2024–Present	
Mounika Kandukuri	Statistics and Natural Language Processing	Post Doc	2025–Present	
Young Faculty				
Bert Boyer ⁸ , Ph.D.	Genetic epidemiologic methods in obesity.	Senior Post-Doctoral Fellow (NIH F32) on 1-year sabbatical from University of Alaska	1998 – 1999	Director, Center for Alaska Native Health Research; Professor of Molecular Biology, Department of Biology and Wildlife
Gary Gadbury, Ph.D.	Statistical analysis of microarray data.	Visiting Junior Professor	2000 – 2001	Professor Emeritus (Former Department Chair of Statistics), Kansas State University
Mary Weber, R.N., Ph.D. U. of Texas at Arlington	Antipsychotic-Induced Weight Gain	Remote Faculty Mentoree in the NIMH/NINR Mentorship Program for Building the Capacity of Psychiatric	2002 – 2003	Endowed Associate Professor, University of Colorado College of Nursing

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		Mental Health Nurse Researchers. Pairs doctorally prepared psychiatric nurses who have high potential for a successful research career with mentors who are the top researchers in the nurses' areas of research interest.		
David Redden, Ph.D.	Statistical Methods for Partitioning of Linkage Data	Mentored K-Award recipient/Asst Prof.	2002 – 2011	Professor of Statistics, UAB
Jamy Ard, M.D.	Treatment and prevention of obesity	Mentored K-Award.	2003 – 2011	Assoc Prof, Internal Medicine & Public Health Sciences & Dir, Weight Management Center; Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center. Independent R01 funding.
Monica Baskin, Ph.D.	Treatment and prevention of childhood obesity	Serve as mentor on her pilot grants from CNRC and from an anonymous philanthropist .	2003 – 2010	Adjunct Professor, Preventative Medicine, UAB, multiple R01s as PI; Assistant Vice Chancellor, University of Pittsburg
Nita Limdi, Ph.D.	Pharmacogenetics of Anticoagulation Therapy	Mentored K-Award recipient/Asst Prof./ Masters student in Public Health	2003 – 2012	Professor; Ray L. Watts, M. D. Heersink Endowed Chair in Neurology; Associate Director of Precision Medicine Institute; Program Director, Pharmacogenomic
Nefertiti Durant, M.D.	Community and clinical aspects of obesity and its prevention	Assistant Professor of Pediatrics – Individual Mentor Arrangement	2006 – 2012	Associate Professor, UAB Dept. of Pediatrics, Division of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine. Funding from RWJF as PI.

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Olivia Thomas (now Affuso), Ph.D.	Exercise, epidemiology, and obesity.	Assistant Professor of Epidemiology – Individual Mentor Arrangement	2005 – 2010	Assoc Professor, UAB Dept. of Epidemiology, School of Public Health. R01 as PI.
Bret Rust, Ph.D.	Obesity and Nutrition	Visiting Clinical Assistant Professor, IU's Department of Applied Health Science	2023 - Present	
Other				
Julie Yu	Obesity	Visiting Scholar (Nutritionist) from Taiwan	1997	
Wendy Packer-Munter, PsyD	Obesity	Extern.	1995 – 1996	School Psychologist, Louis M. Klein Middle School
Lauren Balkin Cohen, MS, RD, CDN		Nutrition intern, Hofstra University	1997	Registered dietitian and clinical nutritionist in private practice, Lauren Cohen Nutrition,

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- * New York State Licensed Clinical Psychologist; License # 011212-1. Voluntary temporary inactive status.
- * Certified instructor in physical intervention and restraint (SCIP) by the New York State Office of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities (certification now expired).
- * New York State certified school psychologist (2/1/1989 – 1/31/1994).

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