

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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**CITIZENSHIP** Canadian

## DEGREES

1946	B.A.	University of Toronto
1947	M.A.	University of Toronto
1948	M.A.	Princeton University
1949	Ph.D.	Princeton University
1992	D.Math.	University of Waterloo
2002	D.Sc.	University of Toronto

## EMPLOYMENT

### APPOINTMENTS

1949-53	Assistant Professor	Mathematics	University of Toronto
1953-58	Associate Professor	Mathematics	University of Toronto
1958-1969	Professor	Mathematics	University of Toronto
1969-70	Professor	Mathematics	University of Hawaii
		Hired by the Chair Paul R Halmos	
1970-77	Professor	Mathematics	University of Toronto
1977-83	Professor & Chairman	Statistics	University of Toronto
1983-present	Professor	Statistics	University of Toronto
1984-86	Adjunct Professor	Mathematics	York University
1986-1995	Professor	Mathematics	York University
1984-present	Adjunct Professor	Statistics	University of Waterloo

### VISITING APPOINTMENTS

1955	Associate Professor	Mathematics	Princeton University
1961-62	Professor	Statistics	Stanford University
1964	Professor	Statistics	University of Copenhagen
1965	Professor	Statistics	University of Wisconsin
1978-79	Professor	Mathematics	University of Geneva
1982-83	Professor	Statistics	Stanford University

2002-03	Professor	Mathematics	EPFL Lausanne
2012	Visiting Professor	Statistics	University College London
2013	Visiting Professor	Statistics & Actuarial Science	University of Hong Kong

## HONOURS & AWARDS

1946	Putnam Competition, Winning Team
1949	Member, Sigma Xi
1954	Fellow, Institute of Mathematical Statistics
1956	Fellow, Royal Statistical Society
1962	Fellow, International Statistical Institute
1962	Fellow, American Statistical Association
1963	Professorship, Princeton Mathematics offered; unable to accept
1967	Fellow, Royal Society of Canada
1971	Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science
1985	First Gold Medal, Statistical Society of Canada
1990	R.A. Fisher Award and Prize, American Statistical Association Annual Meeting, August 8, Anaheim, California
1991	Honorary Member, Statistical Society of Canada
1992	Doctor of Mathematics, University of Waterloo, June 30
1999	Distinguished Statistician, American Statistical Association Videotape Archives.
2000	Gold Medal, Islamic Statistical Society.
2002	Doctor of Science, University of Toronto, June 24
2011	Officer of the Order of Canada, December 16
2012	Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal, June 25
2013	Saw Swee Hock Visiting Professorship, University of Hong Kong
2014	Fellow of the American Mathematical Society, 2015 Class of Fellows

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

Associate Editor	<i>Journal of Multivariate Analysis</i>
Associate Editor	<i>Statistical Papers</i>
Associate Editor	<i>Utilitas Mathematica</i>
Associate Editor	<i>Theory and Decision Library</i>
Editorial Board	<i>Journal Applied Probability and Statistics</i>
Advisory Comm.	<i>International Conference on Applied Statistics 2014</i>

## PH.D SUPERVISION

55 Ph.D. Students completed; 2 current students

## PUBLICATIONS

### BOOKS

1957	Nonparametric Methods in Statistics, New York: Wiley
1958	Statistics: An Introduction, New York: Wiley

- 1968 The Structure of Inference, 1968, New York: Wiley  
 1976 Probability and Statistics, Theory and Applications,  
 North Scituate, Massachusetts: Duxbury  
 1979 Inference and Linear Models, New York: McGraw Hill

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1. Fraser, D.A.S. (1950). Note on the  $\chi^2$ -smooth test. *Biometrika* **37**, 447-448.
2. Fraser, D.A.S. (1951). Generalized hit probabilities with a Gaussian Target. *Annals Math. Statist.* **22**, 248-255.
3. Fraser, D.A.S., and Wormleighton, R. (1951). Nonparametric estimation IV. *Annals Math. Statist.* **22**, 294-298.
4. Fraser, D.A.S. (1951). Sequentially determined statistically equivalent blocks. *Annals Math. Statist.* **22**, 372-381.
5. Fraser, D.A.S. (1951). Normal samples with linear constraints and given variances. *Can. J. Math.* **3**, 363-366.
6. Baillie, D.C., and Fraser, D.A.S. (1951). The statistical analysis of the Rosvold and Mishkin data. *Can. J. Psych.* **5**, 82-84.
7. Fraser, D.A.S. (1952). Sufficient statistics and selection depending on the parameter. *Annals Math. Statist.* **23**, 417-425.
8. Fraser, D.A.S. (1952). Confidence bounds for a set of means. *Annals Math. Statist.* **23**, 575-585.
9. Fraser, D.A.S., and Guttman, I. (1952). Bhattacharyya bounds without regularity assumptions. *Annals Math. Statist.* **23**, 629-632.
10. Fraser, D.A.S. (1953). Nonparametric tolerance regions. *Annals Math. Statist.* **24**, 44-55.
11. Fraser, D.A.S. (1953). Generalized hit probabilities with a Gaussian target II. *Annals Math. Statist.* **24**, 288-294.
12. Fraser, D.A.S. (1953). The Behrens-Fisher problem for regression coefficients. *Annals Math. Statist.* **24**, 390-402.
13. Fraser, D.A.S. (1953). Completeness of order statistics. *Can. J. Math.* **6**, 42-45.
14. Fraser, D.A.S. (1953). Non-parametric theory: Scale and location parameters. *Can. J. Math.* **6**, 46-68.
15. Fraser, D.A.S. and Guttman, I. (1956). Tolerance regions. *Annals Math. Statist.* **27**, 162-179.
16. Fraser, D.A.S. (1956). A vector form of the Wald-Wolfowitz-Hoeffding theorem. *Annals Math. Statist.* **27**, 540-543.
17. Fraser, D.A.S. (1956). Sufficient statistics with nuisance parameters. *Annals Math. Statist.* **27**, 838-842.
18. Fraser, D.A.S. (1957). A regression analysis using the invariance method. *Annals Math. Statist.* **28**, 517-520.

19. Fraser, D.A.S. (1957). On the combining of interblock and intrablock estimates. *Annals Math. Statist.* **28**, 814-816.
20. Fraser, D.A.S. (1957). Most powerful rank-type tests. *Annals Math. Statist.* **28**, 1040-1043.
21. Chung, J.H., and Fraser, D.A.S. (1958). Randomization tests for a multivariate two-sample problem. *J. Amer. Statist. Assoc.* **53**, 729-735.
22. Fraser, D.A.S. (1961). On fiducial inference. *Annals Math. Statist.* **32**, 661-676.
23. Fraser, D.A.S. (1961). The fiducial method and invariance. *Biometrika* **48**, 261-280.
24. Fraser, D.A.S. (1962). On the consistency of the fiducial method. *J. Royal Statist. Soc.* **B24**, 425-434.
25. Fraser, D.A.S. (1963). On sufficiency and the exponential family. *J. Royal Statist. Soc.* **B25**, 115-123.
26. Fraser, D.A.S. (1963). On the sufficiency and likelihood principles. *J. Amer. Statist. Assoc.* **58**, 641-647.
27. Fraser, D.A.S. (1964). On the definition of fiducial probability. *Bull. Int. Statist. Inst.* **40**, 842-856.
28. Fraser, D.A.S. (1964). On local unbiased estimation. *J. Royal Statist. Soc.* **B26**, 46-51.
29. Fraser, D.A.S. (1964). Local conditional sufficiency. *J. Royal Statist. Soc.* **B26**, 52-62.
30. Fraser, D.A.S. (1964). Fiducial inference for location and scale parameters. *Biometrika* **51**, 17-24.
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32. Fraser, D.A.S. (1965). On information in statistics. *Annals Math. Statist.* **36**, 890-896.
33. Fraser, D.A.S. (1965). Fiducial consistency and group structure. *Biometrika* **52**, 55-65.
34. Fraser, D.A.S. (1966). Structural probability and a generalization. *Biometrika* **53**, 1-9.
35. Fraser, D.A.S. (1966). Sufficiency for regular models. *Sankhya* **A28**, 137-144.
36. Fraser, D.A.S. (1966). On sufficiency and conditional sufficiency. *Sankhya* **A28**, 145-150.
37. Fraser, D.A.S. (1966). Sufficiency for selection models. *Sankhya* **A28**, 329-334.
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39. Fraser, D.A.S. (1967). Statistical models and invariance. *Annals Math. Statist.* **38**, 1061-1067.
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47. Fraser, D.A.S. and Haq, M.S. (1970). Inference and prediction for the multilinear model. *J. Statist. Research* **4**, 93-109.
48. Fraser, D.A.S., and Prentice, R.L. (1971). Randomized models and the dilution and bioassay problems. *Annals Math. Statist.* **42**, 141-146.
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51. Fraser, D.A.S. (1972). The determination of likelihood and the transformed regression model. *Annals Math. Statist.* **43**, 898-916.
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61. Fraser, D.A.S., and MacKay, Jock. (1976). On the equivalence of standard inference procedures. In Harper and Hooker (Eds.), *Foundations of Probability Theory, Statistical Inference, and Statistical Theories of Science II*, 47-62. Dordrecht: D. Reidel Publishing Company.
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104. Evans, M., Fraser, D.A.S., and Monette, G. (1985). Mixtures, embedding, and ancillarity. *Can. J. Statist.* **13**, 1-6.
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- 89.2 Statistical inference: its contributions and directions. Environmetrics Conference. Cairo. April 6, 1989
- 89.3 Statistical inference: on reduction methods and new directions. University of Windsor. April 26, 1989
- 89.4 Some recent results in inference. University of Madrid. June 9, 1989
- 89.5 Conditional and marginal methods of inference. Amer. Statist. Assoc., Washington. August 8, 1989



- 89.6 Some improvements for normal approximations in large samples. University of Montreal. October 4, 1989
- 89.7 Improvements to normal approximations in large samples. University of Toronto. October 10, 1989
- 89.8 Second order corrections to limiting normality in large samples. Amer. Math. Soc. meeting. Muncie, Indiana. October 27, 1989
- 89.9 Some improvements for the normal approximation. York University. November 30, 1989
- 89.0 Corrections to normality for inference. University of Waterloo. December 13, 1989
- 90.1 How close can a normal approximation be? University of Western Ontario. January 19, 1990
- 90.2 Processing likelihood to probability. Stanford University. February 20, 1990
- 90.3 Data analysis and statistical foundations. Conference on Data Analysis and Statistical Foundations Toronto, Ontario. June 1, 1990
- 90.4 Converting likelihood to significance. Statistical Society of Canada workshop. Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario. June 29, 1990
- 90.5 From likelihood to significance: Linking the Fisher concepts. R.A. Fisher lecture and prize. Anaheim, California. August 8, 1990
- 90.6 Statistical inference; likelihood to significance. Environmetrics International Meeting. Como, Italy. September 30, 1990
- 90.7 Some new approaches to conditional inference. McMaster University. October 9, 1990
- 90.8 Statistical inference as likelihood to significance. University of Waterloo. November 1, 1990
- 90.9 Likelihood functions and significance functions. Carleton University. November 23, 1990
- 91.1 Converting likelihood to significance. University of Western Ontario. February 1, 1991
- 91.2 Inference with semiparametric models. International Symposium on Nonparametric Methods. Carleton University. May 6, 1991
- 92.1 Some recent asymptotics in statistical inference. University of California, Santa Barbara. March 6, 1992
- 92.2 Higher order asymptotics with generalized linear models. International Symposium in Multivariate Analysis. Hong Kong. March 17, 1992
- 92.3 Some recent directions in statistical inference. Department of Statistics, University of Waterloo. June 29, 1992
- 92.4 Statistics as the meta language of science. Convocation address. University of Waterloo. June 30, 1992
- 92.5 Ancillaries and third order significance. Invited address, Institute Mathematical Statistics, Penn State University. October 26, 1992
- 93.1 Methods of third order Significance. International Symposium on Inference and Biostatistics. Guanajuato, Mexico. March 23, 1993

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- 93.3 Significance with nuisance parameters. Rutgers University, New Jersey. April 8, 1993
- 93.4 Towards closer connections between mathematics and statistics. 150 years of mathematics at the University of Toronto. May 15, 1993
- 94.1 Statistical inference and significance for scalar parameters. University of Waterloo. February 10, 1994
- 94.2 Objective priors for component parameters. Third Valencia Conference on Bayesian Statistics. Alicante, Spain. June 5, 1994
- 94.3 On Statistics and the Environment. Environmetrics Conference. Hamilton, Canada. August 18, 1994
- 94.4 Directions and approximations in statistical inference. Columbia Univ., Dept. of Statistics, New York. November 21, 1994
- 95.1 Directions in recent statistical inference. Dept of Statistics, Stanford University, California. February 28, 1995
- 95.2 Separating error, Nuisance effect, and interest effect. International Conference on Statistical Inference. Brixen, Italy. June 25, 1995
- 95.3 Asymptotics:Its contribution to the theory and methods of statistical inference. Institute of Mathematical Statistics. Montreal, Quebec. July 13, 1995
- 95.4 Priors and posteriors for scalar parameters. International Bayesian Conference. Oaxaca, Mexico. September 29, 1995
- 95.5 New theory in statistical inference. Dept of Statistics, Iowa State University. Ames, Iowa. November 3, 1995
- 95.6 Some recent methods in statistical inference. International Conference in Pure and Applied Mathematics. University of Bahrain, Bahrain. November 19, 1995
- 96.1 How do you like your likelihoods? Symposium on the Foundations of Statistical Inference. University of Waterloo. October 3, 1996
- 96.2 Data dependent priors for scalar interest parameters. Workshop on Default Bayesian Methodology. Purdue University. November 2, 1996
- 96.3 Nonsubjective priors for probability matching posteriors. 4th International Society Bayesian Analysis Meeting. Cape Town. December 17, 1996
- 97.1 Probability matching: the frequentist Bayesian Interface. University of Western Ontario. January 30, 1997
- 97.2 The problem of inference and likelihood asymptotics. Florida Atlantic University International Conference on Combinatorics, Graph theory, and Computing Boca Raton, Florida. March 4, 1997
- 97.3 The problem of inference and likelihood asymptotics. University of Toronto. January 30, 1997
- 97.4 The problem of inference and likelihood asymptotics. Nonparametric Statistics and Related Topics. Carleton University, Ottawa. May 5, 1997

- 97.5 Ancillary information for statistical inferencetics. International Conference on Multivariate Analysis. Hong Kong. June, 1997
- 97.6 Constructing second order ancillaries. CRM Workshop on Likelihood Asymptotics. Banff. July, 1997
- 97.7 The problem of inference and likelihood asymptotics. CRM University of Montreal, Montreal. November 10, 1997
- 98.1 Simple and accurate p-values. Dept of Statistics, Michigan State University. E Lansing, Michigan. March 24, 1998
- 98.2 Inference from likelihood asymptotics: simple and unique. University of California. Davis, California. April 20, 1998
- 98.3 Does the Bayesian need or want model information other than at the data point. Purdue University, Illinois. June 18, 1998
- 98.4 Some useful integrals for asymptotic densities: The mystery of hyper-accuracy. University of Montreal, Montreal. December 3, 1998
- 99.1 Some useful integrals for asymptotic densities: The mystery of hyper-accuracy. University of Chicago. January 13, 1999
- 99.2 Directions in likelihood asymptotics Statistical Society of Australia, Monash University, Melbourne, Australia. April 19, 1999
- 99.3 Recent directions in likelihood asymptotics. University of Sydney. Sydney, Australia. April 23, 1999
- 99.4 Strong matching of frequentist and Bayesian inference. International Workshop on Objective Bayesian Methodology. University of Valencia, Valencia. June 13, 1999
- 00.1 Likelihood asymptotics: Removing the singularities. Bernoulli-IMS World Congress. Guanajuato, Mexico. May 18, 2000
- 00.2 Ancillaries and Conditional Inference. Data Analysis and Statistical Foundations II, Fields Institute. Toronto, Canada. June 15, 2000
- 00.3 Default priors: Deference priors from Observed Information. Workshop on Inference and Asymptotics. Center Stefano Franscini. Ascona, Italy. July 10, 2000
- 00.4 Objective priors that defer to model shape. Third International Conference on Objective Bayes Methodology. Ixtapa. September 23, 2000
- 00.5 Objective Bayesian analysis based on model shape. Florida State University. September 29, 2000
- 00.6 Objective Bayesian analysis based on model shape. University of Western Ontario. November 30, 2000
- 00.7 Frequentist or objective Bayesian analysis. University of Waterloo. December 7, 2000
- 01.1 On the Bayesian frequentist interface. University of Toronto. January 11, 2001
- 01.2 Likelihood for interest parameters. Stern School of Business. New York University. March 30, 2001
- 01.3 Objective priors for scalar parameters. International Society for Bayesian Analysis. University of California Irvine. April 7, 2001

- 01.5 Economic models and modern likelihood analysis. Fox School of Business, Temple University. April 27, 2001
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- 02.1 Likelihood for component parameters. University of Western Ontario. January 10, 2002
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- 02.3 Is the future Bayesian or frequentist I. Fields Institute, Toronto. April 16, 2002
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- 03.1 Student analysis and higher order likelihood theory. EPFL Lausanne. January 17, 2003
- 03.2 Recent likelihood theory: Analysis as simple as the Normal location scale case. University of Geneva. January 30, 2003.
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- 04.1 Is there total inference? Saddlepoint and beyond. Dept of Mathematics, University of British Columbia January 15, 2004.
- 04.2 Statistical models and the implications. Dept of Statistics, University of Western Ontario February 5, 2004.
- 04.3 Model with data; What does it say? Dept of Statistics, University of Toronto. April 1, 2004.
- 04.4 Assessing vector parameters. Conference for Sir David Cox Neuchatel July 16, 2004.
- 04.5 Is there statistical inference? The Bayesian-frequentist divergence. Dept. of Statistics, Case Western Reserve University October 1, 2004.
- 05.1 Neutral priors. COBAL2 Baja, California, Mexico. February 6-10, 2005.
- 05.2 Why a prior? Dept of Statistics, Univ of Toronto Munk Centre April 28, 2005.
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- 05.4 What model information is appropriate for the Bayesian paradigm? Statistical Society of Canada, Annual meeting. Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. June 15, 2005.
- 05.5 Some thoughts on model based priors. Dept of Statistics, University of Waterloo Waterloo, Canada. November 17, 2005.

- 05.6 Should Bayesians and frequentists calibrate their parameters? Dept of Statistics, University of Western Ontario London, Canada. December 8, 2005.
- 06.1 Default priors for Bayesian and frequentist inference. Valencia 8, ISBA 2006 Benidorm, Spain. June 6, 2006.
- 06.2 Combining p-values from independent sources. International Conference on Nonparametric Statistics, Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada Sept 15, 2006.
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- 08.1 The Bayes myth - Probabilities. Or just approximate confidence. University of Western Ontario, London, Feb 7, 2008.
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