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Summer Program in  
Quantitative Sciences

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## Summer Program in Quantitative Sciences, June 5-July 2, 2005 Calendar of Events

Last revised on: Friday, June 24, 2005

Unless noted otherwise, AM Morning classes will meet in FXB G-11.  
PM: Epi Lectures will be in Kresge 908. SHDH Lectures will meet in Kresge 708, except for June, 16.  
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Computer: Intro to Stata and Computer Lab Hours will meet in Kresge LL-19.

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### WEEK ONE

Sunday June 5	1.15 pm – 05:00 pm  5:30 pm-6:30 pm MCPH - 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor lounge  07:30 pm	Summer Program Participants will arrive throughout the early afternoon and familiarize themselves with the residential hall at Mass College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences (MCPHS). <b>Ms. Isabelle Anguelovski</b> , Diversity Program Coordinator, will be on site to greet you and answer questions.  Residential Hall Orientation: Residence Hall Director, <b>Mr. Will Cribby</b>  <b>Welcome Dinner:</b> <b>California Pizza Kitchen.</b> Address: Prudential Center (Green Line, T Stop “Hynes Convention Center” or “Copley Square”) Phone: 617-247-0888
Monday June 6	08:45 am FXB G-11    11:00 am – 12:00 noon FXB G-11  12:00 noon – 01:00 pm FXB G-11  01:00 pm – 1.30 pm Meeting in FXB Lobby  01:30 pm – 2:00 pm	<b>Breakfast: Program Introduction and Overview/Stipend and Salary Disbursement</b> Dr. Louise Ryan, Dr. Rebecca Betensky, Dr. Andres Houseman, Melody Goodman, Isabelle Anguelovski, Sabrina Toomer, and Student Mentors:  Binta Beard Alane Izu Amy Murphy Brisa Sanchez Priyaa Shanmugham Reginald Tucker-Seeley  <b>Dr. Ed De Vos and Rodela Khan, NEMC</b> Fill out Entrance Questionnaires  <b>Catered Lunch</b> <b>(Lunch will take place every day usually between 12:00 noon – 01:30 pm)</b> Pictures for IDs taken at HSPH ID Office, HSPH Cafeteria  <b>Harvard Medical School Campus Tour</b> Paul Riccardi, Dean of Operations (617-432-3682)  <b>Pictures for IDs taken at Mass College of Pharmacy</b>

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	02:00 pm – 03:30 pm FXB G-11	<p><b>Project Option Presentations</b> Student Mentors Introduction</p> <p><b>Dr. Yi Li and Alane Izu Dr. Christoph Lange and Amy Murphy, Dr. Deborah Prothrow-Stith, Dr. Brian Gibbs, and Binta Beard Dr. Kaumudi Joshipura, Priyaa Shanmugham Dr. Elizabeth Barbeau and Reginald Tucker-Seeley Dr. Steve Gortmaker and Brisa Sanchez</b></p>
	4:00-6:00 pm Snyder Auditorium Kresge G-1	<p><b>“Reality Check”:</b> African-American Perceptions of Health and Research” hosted by Cherishing our Hearts and Souls Coalition, a community coalition that aims to improve the health of African-Americans in the Roxbury area of Boston.</p>
	6:00-8:00 pm	<b>Reception to follow.</b>
Tuesday June 7	9:00am - 10am FXB G-11	Optional one-to-one meeting between summer students and mentors to start working on Research Projects.
	10:00am - 11am FXB G-11	Homework Assignment: Read the article <b>“PC Versus Mac: An Exploration of the Computer Preferences of Harvard Students”</b> . The article will discussed during the first lecture of the course Introduction to Biostatistics.
	11:00am – 12:00am (time for that day only) FXB G-11	<p>Instructor: <b>Dr. Andres Houseman</b> <b>Research Associate, HSPH Biostatistics</b> <b>HSPH Biostatistics alumni</b></p> <p><b><u>Introduction to Biostatistics</u></b> The material in this course will be covered over a 4-week period. This class will take place each morning from 9:00 am – 11:00am, unless noted otherwise. Introduction to Biostatistics acquaints the student with the basic concepts and methods of biostatistics, their applications, and their interpretation. The material covered includes data presentation, numerical summary measures, rates and standardization, and life tables. Probability is introduced to quantify uncertainty, especially as it pertains to diagnostic and screening methods. Also covered are sampling distributions so that students may be introduced to confidence intervals and hypothesis testing. The computer is used throughout the course, and the student will gain familiarity with the software package STATA.</p>
	12:00 noon – 02:00 pm FXB G-13	<b>Lunch – possible time for meeting between summer students and mentors to start working on Research Projects</b>
	02:00 pm – 04:00 pm Kresge 908	<b>EPI Lecture 1: Dr. Heather Baer and Dr. Heather Eliassen</b> Introduction to Epidemiology
	04:15 pm – 06:00 pm LL-19	<b><u>Intro to STATA</u></b> <b>Melody Goodman</b> , Graduate Student, Biostatistics.
Wednesday June 8	09:00 am – 11:00 am	<b><u>Introduction to Biostatistics</u></b>
	12:00 noon – 01:30 pm Biostat Conference Room II-426	<b>Catered Lunch with Epi Faculty</b> Dr. Kaumudi Joshipura Dr. Fran Grodstein Dr. Imaculada Devivo Dr. Brenda Birmann
	01:30 pm – 03:30 pm	<b>EPI Lecture 2: Dr. Marc Lipsitch</b> Infectious Disease Epidemiology

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<p>Thursday June 9</p>	<p>09:00 am – 11:00 am  11:00 am – 11:30 am  11:30 am – 1:30 pm  02:30 pm – 05:00 pm</p>	<p><u><a href="#">Introduction to Biostatistics</a></u>  <b>Lunch</b>  <b>EPI Lecture 3: Dr. Stacey Missmer</b> Cancer Epidemiology  <b>HSPH Graduation Ceremony</b></p>
<p>Friday June 10</p>	<p>09:00 am – 11:00 am  12:00 noon – 01:30 pm Kresge 708  01:30 pm – 03:20 pm  Evening</p>	<p><u><a href="#">Introduction to Biostatistics</a></u>  <b>Catered Lunch with Epi Students</b> <b>Shakira Franco, Graduate Student</b> <b>Dary Mozaffarian, Graduate Student</b> <b>Jeremy Rassen, Graduate Student</b> <b>Monik Jimenez, Graduate Student</b> <b>Natasha Morozova, Graduate Student</b> <b>Anshu Mohllajee, Graduate Student</b> <b>Eric Ding, Graduate Student</b>  <b>EPIDEMIOLOGY Lecture 4 : Dr. Meir Stampfer</b> Cardiovascular Epidemiology Kresge 908  Suggestion: Coolidge Corner neighborhood and Theater. Green Line Track C, Stop “Cleveland Circle”</p>
<p>Saturday June 11</p>	<p>12:00 pm – 03:00 pm Meet Kaplan Instructor in Kresge 201  03:30-7:00 pm Meet in FXB Lobby  7:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>GRE Practice Exam – Paper and Pencil Test</b> Kaplan Educational Center is one of the nation’s premier education companies providing students with a full range of resources to achieve their educational goals. During this time, Kaplan will provide you with an opportunity to prepare for GRE testing. Students will take a practice exam administered under simulated testing conditions and find out their scores on their exam.  <b>Visit of Downtown Boston: Boston Common, Boston Public Garden, Back Bay and Copley Square.</b> Carmen Mandic, Graduate Student, SHDH Magdalena Cerda, Graduate Student, SHDH  <b>Dinner at Bob the Chef’s</b>, 604 Columbus Avenue, Boston. Tel (617) 536-6204. Orange Line T Stop “Massachusetts Avenue”  Dr. Louise Ryan Dr. Stuart Lipsitz Dr. DeJuran Richardson Dr. Cassandra Arroyo Carmen Mandic, Graduate Student, SHDH Magdalena Cerda, Graduate Student, SHDH Melody Goodman, Graduate Student, Biostatistics  Bob the Chef provides New Englanders with a switched from lard and bacon fat to canola oil, and from bacon to smoked turkey as a seasoning. With the addition of some Louisiana-style dishes (a meaty Cajun crab cake, a sweet-style shrimp étouffée and a generous jambalaya), the soul food emphasis has become a little more pan-Southern. The restaurant has an ongoing venue of live jazz artists.</p>
<p>Sunday June 12</p>	<p>4:00pm-8:00pm</p>	<p><b>Free Day</b>  <b>Advisory Board Meeting at the Longwood Inn, Boston</b></p>

**WEEK TWO**

Monday June 13	08:00 am – 05:30 pm Snyder Auditorium G-1	<b>Diversity Workshop “Obesity and Physical Activity among Minority Populations”</b> All summer participants will attend the workshop. Breakfast and Lunch will be provided.
Tuesday June 14	08:30 am-10:00 am FXB G-11	<b>Opportunities for undergraduate and graduate studies:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Conferences for Minority Students</b></li> <li>- <b>Summer Internship</b></li> <li>- <b>Graduate Schools</b></li> <li>- <b>Funding Possibilities</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Dr. Louise Ryan, Dr. Rebecca Betensky, Brisa Sanchez, Isabelle Anguelovski</b></p>
	10:00 am – 12:00 am	<a href="#"><u>Introduction to Biostatistics</u></a>
	12:00 noon – 01:30 pm FXB-G11	<b>Catered Lunch with Scarlett Belamy</b> , Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine.
	01:30 pm – 03:00 pm Kresge 708	<b>SHDH Lecture 1: Dr. Gary Bennett</b> Health Disparities: A Population Health Perspective
Wednesday June 15	09:00 am – 11:00 am	<a href="#"><u>Introduction to Biostatistics</u></a>
	12:00 noon – 01:30 pm	<b>Lunch</b>
	01:30 pm – 03:00 pm Kresge 708	<b>SHDH Lecture 2: Dr. Jay Silverman.</b> Violence Against Women Prevention Practice: Current Research Programs and Methods
	03:15 pm – 04:45 pm LL6	<a href="#"><u>Introduction to STATA</u></a> <b>Melody Goodman</b> , Graduate Student, Biostatistics.
Thursday June 16	09:00 am – 11:00 am	<a href="#"><u>Introduction to Biostatistics</u></a>
	12:00 noon – 01:30 pm Biostat II-426	<b>Catered Lunch with SHDH Faculty</b> Dr. Greg Connolly Dr. Lisa Berkman
	01:30 pm – 03:00 pm Biostatistics Conference Room II-426	<b>SHDH Lecture 3 : Dr. Laura Kubzansky</b> A Toolkit for Studying Social Determinants in Health
Friday June 17	09:00 am – 11:00 am	<a href="#"><u>Introduction to Biostatistics</u></a>
	12:00 noon – 01:30 pm Kresge 708	<b>Catered Lunch with SHDH students</b> Magdalena Cerda, Graduate Student SHDH Kerith Jane Conron, Graduate Student SHDH Carmen Mandic, Graduate Student SHDH Shoba Ramanadhan, Graduate Student SHDH
	01:30 pm – 03:00 pm	<b>SHDH Lecture 4: Dr. Dolores Acevedo-Garcia</b> Immigration and Latino Health
	03:00 – 04:30 pm LL 19	<b>ONLINE Human Subjects Training</b> Discussion of Issues of Protection of Research Subjects: Nuremberg Code, Belmont Report. Ms. Sarah Putney

**WEEK TWO**

	<p>05:00 p.m. Meeting in FXB Lobby</p>	<p><b>Dinner with Health Policy Program (5.30pm) – Bus 39 towards Forest Hills</b>                  El Oriental de Cuba, Jamaica Plain                  416 Centre Street                  617-524-6464</p> <p>Manager: Abel Garcia 617-594-9026.</p> <p>For more than 10 years, El Oriental de Cuba has been pleasing Jamaica Plain residents with quality Cuban cuisine.</p>
<p>Saturday June 18</p>	<p>10:00 AM Departure from Mass College of Pharmacy</p> <p>11:00 AM</p>	<p><b>Day Trip</b></p> <p><b>De Cordova Museum with Ann Alton Concord and Walden Pond.</b></p>
<p>Sunday June 19</p>	<p>12:pm Meeting at Out of Town News</p> <p>01:00 pm</p> <p>6:30 pm</p>	<p><b>Picnic in Harvard Sq – Red line T Stop “Harvard Square”</b></p> <p>Brisa Sanchez, Graduate Student, Biostatistics</p> <p><b>Tour of Harvard University, Cambridge</b></p> <p><b><i>The Mission of Harvard:</i></b> Harvard adheres to the purposes for which the Charter of 1650 was granted: "The advancement of all good literature, arts, and sciences; the advancement and education of youth in all manner of good literature, arts, and sciences; and all other necessary provisions that may conduce to the education of the ... youth of this country...." In brief: Harvard strives to create knowledge, to open the minds of students to that knowledge, and to enable students to take best advantage of their educational opportunities.</p> <p>To these ends, Harvard encourages students to respect ideas and their free expression, and to rejoice in discovery and in critical thought; to pursue excellence in a spirit of productive cooperation; and to assume responsibility for the consequences of personal actions. Harvard seeks to identify and to remove restraints on students' full participation, so that individuals may explore their capabilities and interests and may develop their full intellectual and human potential. Education at Harvard should liberate students to explore, to create, to challenge, and to lead. The support Harvard provides to students is a foundation upon which self-reliance and habits of lifelong learning are built: Harvard expects that the scholarship and collegiality it fosters in its students will lead them in their later lives to advance knowledge, to promote understanding, and to serve society.</p> <p><b>Sackler Museum</b>  <a href="http://www.artmuseums.harvard.edu/sackler/">http://www.artmuseums.harvard.edu/sackler/</a></p> <p><b>Dinner at Penang Restaurant Harvard Sq.</b>                  57 JFK Street, Cambridge, MA 02138                  (617) 234-3988  <a href="http://www.penangusa.com/location_boston.html">http://www.penangusa.com/location_boston.html</a></p> <p>Penang's culinary heritage is similar to Singapore's, mixing Malay and Siamese food influences with those of old overseas communities of semi-assimilated Chinese, Indian Muslims, and Tamils. Unlike most melting pots, this one actually generated exciting hybrid foods — dishes with local spices, Chinese finesse, Indian breads, and brilliant use of hot chili peppers. Penang has largely cut the chili peppers from most dishes, but if you ask for Malaysian hot sauce, you will get a little saucer of fiery balachan: red-chili sauce with a hint of shrimp paste and lime juice.</p>

**WEEK THREE**

Monday June 20	<p>09:00 am – 11:00 am     <b><u><a href="#">Introduction to Biostatistics</a></u></b></p> <p>12:00 noon – 01:30 pm     <b>Catered Lunch with Dr. Marc Mitchell</b> Building I, 11<sup>th</sup> floor Conference Room <b>Population and International Health</b></p> <p>01:30 pm – 3:00 pm     <b>Biostatistics Lecture 1: Dr. Louise Ryan and Brisa Sanchez</b> Biostatistics II-426 Environmental Statistics from an international perspective</p> <p>03:00 pm – 4:30 pm     <b>Computer Lab: LL19</b> Office Hours with a STATA/ SAS expert to help with your questions <b>Farzad Noubary</b>, Graduate Student, Biostatistics</p>
Tuesday June 21	<p>09:00 am – 11:00 am     <b><u><a href="#">Introduction to Biostatistics</a></u></b></p> <p>11:00 am -11:30     <b>What is the life of a researcher?</b> FXB G-11 <b>Dr. Andrés Houseman</b>, Department of Biostatistics</p> <p>11:45 pm – 01:00 pm     <b>Catered Lunch with Biostatistics Faculty</b> Biostatistics II-426 <b>Dr. Stephen Lagakos</b></p> <p>01:30 pm – 02:30 pm     <b>Biostatistics Lecture 2: Dr. Ken Kleinman</b> Biosurveillance</p> <p>02:45 pm – 04:15 pm     <b><u><a href="#">Introduction to STATA:</a></u></b> Computer Lab LL-19 <b>Melody Goodman</b>, Graduate Student, Biostatistics</p>
Wednesday June 22	<p>09:00 am – 11:00 am     <b><u><a href="#">Introduction to Biostatistics</a></u></b></p> <p>11:15 – 01:30 pm     <b>Lunch with the Movie “A Civil Action”</b> FXB G-11 "A Civil Action" focuses on a liability lawsuit filed by eight Woburn families against Beatrice Foods and W. R. Grace. These corporations were accused of dumping chemicals (especially trichloroethylene, a probable human carcinogen) in ways that allowed the compounds to reach the water in Woburn, MA. In the end, both companies agreed to finance an expensive cleanup plan, Grace pleaded guilty to two felony counts of lying to the Government about what happened, and Beatrice's lawyers were judged to have engaged in misconduct. Harvard biostatisticians Dr. Stephen Lagakos and Dr. Marvin Zelen consulted on this case.</p> <p>01:30 pm – 02:30 pm     <b>Biostatistics Lecture 3: Dr. Hongyu Jiang</b> Biostatistics II-426 Biostatistics and Aid Research.</p> <p>02:45 pm – 4:15 pm     <b>Computer Lab: Bldg LL19</b> Office Hours with a STATA/ SAS expert to help with your questions. <b>Farzad Noubary</b>, Graduate Student, Biostatistics.</p> <p>6:30 pm     <b>Dinner at Shabu Zen Restaurant, T Stop on Orange Line “Chinatown” or Greenline “Boylston”</b> Address: 16 Tyler Street, Boston Phone: 617.292.8828 <a href="http://www.shabuzen.com/">http://www.shabuzen.com/</a></p> <p>Reginald Tucker-Seeley, Graduate Student, SHDH Shakira Franco, Graduate Student, SHDH Alane Izu, Graduate Student, Biostatistics Farzad Noubary, Graduate Student, Biostatistics</p> <p>Shabu-Zen specializes in the Japanese hot pot cooking called Shabu Shabu, meaning “swish, swish”. Shabu-Zen replicates Tokyo restaurants where you cook raw meat, fish and vegetables yourself in a bubbling pot of broth. A variety of exotic garnishes and sauces are provided with each meal for dipping the seafood, meats and vegetables.</p>
Thursday June 23	<p>09:00 am – 11:00 am     <b><u><a href="#">Introduction to Biostatistics</a></u></b></p>

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	<p>11:15 – 12:30 pm Biostats II- 426</p> <p>12:30 – 2:00 pm FXB G10</p> <p>01:30 pm – 02:30 pm Biostatistics II-426</p> <p>02:45 pm – 4:15 pm</p> <p>4.30pm-8</p>	<p><b>Catered Lunch with Biostatistics Students</b></p> <p>Bethany Hedt , Graduate Student Biostatistics Farzad Noubary, Graduate Student Biostatistics David Fardo, Graduate Student Biostatistics Christoph, Lange, Faculty member in the Biostatistics Department will also be joining us.</p> <p><b>Joan Curhan, Kennedy School of Government</b> Director of the PhD Program in Health Policy</p> <p><b>Biostatistics Lecture 4: Dr. Marvin Zelen</b> “A Civil Action” - A view from the Biostatisticians</p> <p><b>Computer Lab: Bldg LL19</b> Office Hours with a STATA/ SAS expert to help with your questions</p> <p><b>Community Servings</b></p> <p>As Greater Boston's meals program for people ill with AIDS, we deliver free, hot, nutritious meals to men, women, and children infected with or affected by the disease. We nutritionally tailor our meals to meet the complex dietary needs of people ill with AIDS, and each meal contains enough food for lunch, dinner, and a snack. Our clients are men, women and children infected with or affected by AIDS. 95% live at or below the poverty line. They are gay and straight. They are African-American, Haitian, Latino, Asian and Caucasian.</p> <p>Take the 39 Bus to Copley and catch the 10 Bus to Community Servings</p> <p><a href="http://www.servings.org/home.html">http://www.servings.org/home.html</a></p> <p><b>Jennifer Pockoski: 617 445 7777 (x230)</b></p>
<p>Friday June 24</p>	<p>09:00 am – 11:00 am</p> <p>11:00 am – 12:00 am FXB G-11</p> <p>12:00 – 02:00 pm</p> <p>02:00 – 03:00 pm Kresge 201</p> <p>03:00 pm – 4:30 pm FXB G 11</p>	<p><b><u>Introduction to Biostatistics</u></b></p> <p><b>Group Meeting with Medical School and Public Health School advisers to give insight about PhD programs in Public Health VS MDs/MPH degrees.</b> Roberta Gianfortoni, Assistant Dean for Professional Education, HSPH One MPH student One PhD student One MD Student</p> <p><b>Lunch</b></p> <p><b>GRE Practice Exam Results and Feedback</b> All students will be given their scores and will receive feedback from one of Kaplan's Instructors on ways for improving GRE</p> <p><b>How to Read a Paper</b> Dr. Jane Burns, D.Sc. in Epidemiology and Environmental Health</p>
<p>Saturday June 25</p>	<p>2 pm</p> <p>7:00-9:30 pm</p>	<p>Free day:</p> <p>Suggestion: Black Heritage Trail <a href="http://www.nps.gov/boaf">www.nps.gov/boaf</a>, click on “In depth” 617-742-5415</p> <p>Suggestion: <b>WODS Oldies in Concert, Animals &amp; Box Tops Boston</b>, Hatch Shell at the Redline T stop Charles MGH <a href="http://www.mass.gov/dcr/hatch_events.htm">http://www.mass.gov/dcr/hatch_events.htm</a></p>

Sunday  
June 26

11:00 am Brunch

**Dim Sum at China Pearl.** Chinatown T Stop on the Orange Line  
9 Tyler Street, Boston  
617-426-4338

Corrine Williams, Graduate Student SHDH  
Reginald Tucker-Seeley, Graduate Student SHDH  
Simone Pinheiro, Graduate Student, Epidemiology

Located in the heart of Chinatown, this acclaimed restaurant has become synonymous with dim sum, offering a breathtaking variety of Chinese delicacies. Harried servers are constantly in motion, pushing rickety carts of dim sum past curious onlookers.

Afternoon

**Harbor Tour with Mass Bay Lines (probably 2pm)**

2.30 pm

**New England Aquarium**  
Central Wharf  
Boston  
(617) 973-5205  
Reservation Number 214 6204

Within its compact exhibit space, the Aquarium shows off everything from a lumbering, 500-pound sea turtle to the ghostly swirl of jellyfish just inside the front entrance. Flap your wings at the African and rockhopper penguins basking in the floodlights, and welcome the little blue penguins recently added to the renovated exhibit. The little blues, the smallest of the world's 17 penguin species, are a noisy little bunch. <http://www.nea.com>

The visit is followed by the Black Heritage Trail and Faneuil Hall Marketplace.

**WEEK FOUR**

Monday June 27	09:00 am – 10:20 pm	<a href="#"><u>Introduction to Biostatistics</u></a>
	10:30 pm – 12:00 pm Biostatistics II 426	<b>Lecture on Community-Based Research</b> Melody Goodman, Graduate Student, Department of Biostatistics
	12:00 noon – 01:30 pm	<b>Lunch</b>
	03:00 pm – 4:30 pm	<b>Computer Lab: Bldg LL19</b> Office Hours with a STATA/ SAS expert to help with your questions <b>Farzad Noubary</b> , Graduate Student, Biostatistics.
Tuesday June 28	9:00-12:00 noon	Time to work on presentation
	12:00 noon – 01:30 pm FXB G -11	<b>Lunch</b> (volunteers only) <b>Isabelle Anguelovski</b> , Diversity Program Coordinator "Community-Based work in indigenous communities in Peru and Ecuador"
	01:30 pm – 02:45 pm FXB G-11	<b>Applying to HSPH</b>  <b>Kerri Noonan</b> , HSPH Admissions Office <b>Dr. David Wypij</b> , Associate Professor, Director of Admissions, Department of Biostatistics <b>Jamie Johnson-Riley</b> , Academic Services Coordinator, Department of Epidemiology (to be confirmed) Harvard School of Public Health <b>Michele Brooks</b> , Academic Coordinator, Department of SHDH, Doctoral Candidates <b>Trish Lavoie</b> , Academic Coordinator, Department of SHDH, Master's Candidates (to be confirmed)
	03:00 pm – 4:00 pm	<b>Computer Lab: Bldg LL19</b> Office Hours with a STATA/ SAS expert to help with your questions
	4:00pm – 5:00 pm	<b>Meeting with Dr. Joan Reede</b> , Dean for Diversity and Community Partnership, Harvard Medical School Applying and Studying at Harvard Medical School
Wednesday June 29	9:00-12:00 noon	Time to work on presentation Biostatistics Conference Room II-426 available
	12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	<b>Brown Bag lunch with Dr. Nancy Turnbull</b> Lecturer on Health Policy Department of Health Policy and Management
	1:30 pm – 4:30 pm FXB G-11	<b>Project Presentation Rehearsal</b> **Required**
Thursday, June 30	<b>09:00 am – 12:00 pm</b> FXB G-11	<b>Summer Program in Biostatistics Project Presentations</b> Each Student will have approximately 20 minutes for presentations and 10 minutes for Questions and Answers. Faculty, mentors, and graduate students are expected to attend the presentations.
	01:00 – 03:00 pm Kresge 201	<b>Personal Statements for Graduate School and Mock Interviews</b>
	3:00 – 7:00 pm	Charles River Boat Tour (cruise at 4.15pm) Picnic on the Charles River
Friday, July 1	10:00 am – 12:00 noon FXB G-11	<b>Certificate Presentation</b> Dr. Stephen Lagakos, Chair of the Biostatistics Department.
	01:30 pm – 03:30 pm	<b>Dr. Ed de Vos, NEMC</b> Exit Interviews

WEEK FOUR

	5:30 pm	<p><b>Summer Program Farewell Dinner: Redbones (Redline, T Stop "Davis Square")</b> 55 Chester Street, Somerville, MA 617-628-2200 (Manager to contact : Jeff Brodman)</p> <p>Mary Townsend, Graduate Student SHDH</p> <p>Red bones is a well-established, much-loved restaurant in Davis Square, a fun and casual neighborhood in Somerville. Redbones has become a favorite for local folks since many years for its downhome style Southern food and its unique atmosphere.</p> <p><b>Johnny D's</b></p>
Saturday July 2		<p><b>Summer Program participants fly back home</b></p>