

## Alex Lenkoski

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### Academic Experience

#### Amherst College 9/1999-5/2003

- AB in Mathematics and Economics, *summa cum laude*
- Thesis in Economics: *Encountering Endogeneity in Survival Time Models*
- Awarded James R. Nelson Prize for best economics thesis addressing an issue of public policy

#### University of Washington, Department of Statistics 9/2006-Present

- PhD candidate in Statistics
- Passed Master's Statistical Theory Qualifier
- Research Interests: Bayesian Statistics, Computational Statistics, Graphical Models and Copulas, Model Selection and Model Averaging

### Work Experience

#### NERA Economic Consulting, *Analyst* 7/2005-7/2006

- Worked in Boston office in Energy and Environmental Practice
- Represented major automobile manufacturer assessing costs of proposed fuel efficiency regulations in California
- Presented EPA with cost estimates of NO<sub>x</sub> and SO<sub>2</sub> regulations on behalf of the Pulp and Paper Industry
- Lead study on costs of proposed EPA regulations on lawnmower manufacturers

#### NERA Economic Consulting, *Research Associate, Associate Analyst* 7/2003-7/2005

- Was lead data manager during the UK's implementation of the Kyoto Protocol
- Modeled effect of Kyoto Protocol on electricity prices for major Japanese utility
- Determined profit risk from potential future US CO<sub>2</sub> regulations on proposed coal plant construction for major Southwestern utility
- Contact: David Harrison, *Senior Vice President*, 617-621-2612

### Miscellaneous

- Computer Skills: R, C, Matlab, VBA for MS Office, Latex, GNU/Linux
- Outside Interests: Avid mountaineer, cyclist, swimmer. Former competitive distance runner, captain of Amherst College Cross Country and Track teams