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## Education

- 2020                      Ph.D. Geographical Sciences, University of Maryland College Park.  
*Dissertation: Interdisciplinary Geospatial Assessment of Malaria Exposure in Ann Township, Myanmar*
- 2011                      B.S. Geography, University of Oklahoma

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## Professional Experience

- 2020 – Present        **Director of Undergraduate Studies**, Department of Geographical Sciences, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 2014 – Present        **Instructor**, Department of Geographical Sciences, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 2017 – 2020           **Ph.D. Candidate**, Interdisciplinary Geospatial Assessment of Malaria Exposure in Ann Township, Myanmar, Department of Geographical Sciences, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 2016 – 2020           **Undergraduate Advising Coordinator**, Department of Geographical Sciences, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 2015 – 2016           **Graduate Research Assistant**, NASA Project: Arctic-Boreal Vulnerability Experiment (ABOVE) Arctic Boreal Burned Area (ABBA), Dr. Tatiana Loboda's Lab, University of Maryland College Park, MD
- 2014 – 2015           **Adjunct Professor**, Towson University, Towson, MD
- 2013 – 2016           **Graduate Research Assistant**, NASA Project: Forested land cover and land use change (LCLUC) in Northern Eurasia under the combined drivers of climate and socio-economic transformation, Dr. Tatiana Loboda's Lab, University of Maryland College Park, MD
- 2012 – 2014           **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Geographical Sciences, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 2012 – 2013           **Graduate Research Assistant**, NASA LCLUC Project: Synthesis of forest growth, response to wildfires and carbon storage for Russian forests, Dr. Tatiana Loboda's Lab, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- Graduate Field Assistant**, NASA Carbon Monitoring System Project: A framework for high-resolution estimation of terrestrial carbon stocks and dynamics, Dr. George Hurtt's Lab, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 2011 – 2012           **GIS Analyst**, Chesapeake Energy, Oklahoma City, OK

2011 **Dam Safety Technician**, Oklahoma Water Resources Board, Oklahoma City, OK

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## Funded Grants

- 2020 UMD Teaching Innovation Grant, “Repurpose Geographical Sciences research space into a socially distanced laboratory for undergraduate students” (\$28,520)
- UMD Teaching Innovation Grant, “GEOG201/211: Geography of Environmental Systems” (\$6,800)
- 2020 UMD College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Dean’s Research Initiative Undergraduate Mentored Teams Grant, “Perceptions of Geography Key Words and Program Names by University of Maryland Undergraduates” (\$1,000)
- 2015 UMD College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Dean’s Research Initiative Dissertation Improvement Grant, “Assessing the impact of climate change on *Phytophthora cinnamomi*, a destructive forest pathogen in the northeastern United States” (\$2,500)
- 2014 UMD College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Dean’s Research Initiative Pre-Candidacy Grant, “Assessing the impact of climate change on *Phytophthora cinnamomi*, a destructive forest pathogen in the northeastern United States” (\$1,500)
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## Publications

### *In review*

Hoffman-Hall, A., Puett, R., Silva, J.A., Chen, D., Baer, A., Han, K.T., Han, Z.Y., Thi, A., Htay, T., Thein, Z.W., Aung, P., Plowe, C.V., Nyunt, M.M., Loboda, T.V., 2020. Malaria Prevalence in Myanmar: The Influence of Forest Cover, Forest Loss, and Forest Use. Submitted to **Remote Sensing** Special Issue: “Remote Sensing and Infectious Disease”

### *Published*

Chen, D., Shevade, V., Baer, A., He, J., Hoffman-Hall, A., Ying, Q., Li, Y., Loboda, T.V. A Disease Control-Oriented Land Cover Land Use Map for Myanmar. **Data**, 6(6), 63.

<https://doi.org/10.3390/data6060063>

Hoffman-Hall, A., Puett, R., Silva, J.A., Chen, D., Baer, A., Han, K.T., Han, Z.Y., Thi, A., Htay, T., Thein, Z.W., Aung, P., Plowe, C.V., Nyunt, M.M., Loboda, T.V., 2020. Contextualizing Malaria Exposure in Myanmar by Combining Satellite-Derived Land Cover and Use Observations with Field Surveys. **GeoHealth**, 4, 12. <https://doi.org/10.1029/2020GH000299>

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Bergen, K., Loboda, T., Sun, G., Newell, J., Kharuk, V., Hitztaler, S., Johnson, T., Hoffman-Hall, A., Ouyang, W., Park, K., Fort, C. (2020). Long-term trends in anthropogenic land use in Siberia and the Russian Far East: A case study synthesis from Landsat. **Environmental Research Letters**, 15, 105007.

<https://doi.org/10.1088/1748-9326/ab98b7>

Hoffman-Hall, A., Loboda, T. V., Hall, J. V., Carroll, M. L., & Chen, D. (2019). Mapping remote rural settlements at 30 m spatial resolution using geospatial data-fusion. **Remote Sensing of Environment**, 233, 111386. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.rse.2019.111386>

Jacquelyn K Shuman, J.K., Foster, A.C., Shugart, H.H., Hoffman-Hall, A., Krylov, A., Loboda, T.V., Ershov, D., and Sochilova, E. (2017). Fire disturbances and climate change: implications for Russian forests. **Environmental Research Letters**, 12(3). <https://doi.org/10.1088/1748-9326/aa5eed>

Chen, D., Loboda, T.V., Hoffman-Hall, A., Channan, S., (2014). Long-term record of sampled disturbances in Northern Eurasian boreal forest from pre-2000 Landsat data. **Remote Sensing**, 6: 6020-6038. <https://doi.org/10.3390/rs6076020>

### **Published Datasets**

Chen, D., Baer, A., He, J., Hoffman-Hall, A., Shevade, V., Ying, Q., Loboda, T.V. 2020. Land cover land use map for Myanmar at 30-m resolution for 2016. **PANGAEA**, <https://doi.pangaea.de/10.1594/PANGAEA.921126>

Loboda, T.V., J.V. Hall, A.H. Hall, and V.S. Shevade. 2017. ABoVE: Cumulative Annual Burned Area, Circumpolar High Northern Latitudes, 2001-2015. **ORNL DAAC**, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, USA. <https://doi.org/10.3334/ORNLDAAC/1526>

Chen, D., T.V. Loboda, S. Channan, Hoffman-Hall, A. 2015. Russian Boreal Forest Disturbance Maps Derived from Landsat Imagery, 1984-2000. **ORNL DAAC**, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, USA. <http://dx.doi.org/10.3334/ORNLDAAC/1294>

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## **Presentations**

### **Invited**

Hoffman-Hall, A. April 2021. Fighting Malaria through Geospatial Data Fusion. Invited speaker for **AGU GeoHealth Early Career Seminar Series**, virtual. Recording: [https://youtu.be/Qe\\_U8Kt2k9c](https://youtu.be/Qe_U8Kt2k9c)

Hoffman-Hall, A., Buenemann, M., Labosier, C., Shabram, P., Porter-Morgan, H., Maer, J. April 2018. Teaching and Advising About Careers in Geography. Invited panelist at **American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting**, New Orleans, LA.

### **Accepted**

Hoffman-Hall, A., Chen, Z., Kuei, C., Lutebula, N., McPartland, C., Mills, A. April 2021. Is Geography for Gen Z? Perceptions of Geography Key Words by University of Maryland Undergraduates. **American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting**, virtual.

Loboda, T.V., Puett, R., Hoffman-Hall, A., Chen, D., Shevade, V., Baer, A. November 2020. Assessing multi-scale exposure pathways in zones of patchy distribution of malaria reservoirs within remote regions of Myanmar. **American Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene Annual Meeting**, virtual.

Hoffman-Hall, A., Puett, R., Loboda, T.V., Silva, J.A., Chen, D., Baer, A., Nyunt, M., Aung, P. November 2019. Contextualizing Malaria Exposure in Myanmar by Combining Satellite-Derived Land Cover and Use Observations with Field Surveys. **American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting**, Denver, CO.

Hoffman-Hall, A., Puett, R., Loboda, T.V., Silva, J.A., Chen, D., Baer, A., Nyunt, M., Aung, P. November 2019. Malaria Risk in Myanmar: Contextualizing Remotely Sensed Land Cover Data with Qualitative Land Use Data to Inform Targeted Interventions. **Mid-Atlantic Division American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting**, Baltimore, MD.

Loboda, T. V., Carroll, M., Hoffman-Hall, A., Nyunt, M., Plowe, C. April 2019. Malaria landscape: examining the role of land cover / land use nexus in malaria transmission in Myanmar. **Global Land Programme Open Science Meeting**, Bern, Switzerland.

Hoffman-Hall, A., Loboda, T.V., Puett, R. April 2019. More than Mosquitoes: Malaria Risk in Ann Township, Myanmar. **American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting**, Washington DC.

Hoffman-Hall, A., Loboda, T.V., Hall, J. V., Carroll, M. December 2018. Rural Population Mapping at Moderate Spatial Resolutions Using Geospatial Data Fusion. **Geophysical Union Annual Meeting**, Washington DC.

Hoffman-Hall, A. April 2018. Mapping Population: Utilizing Satellite Derived Metrics in Data-Poor Regions. **American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting**, New Orleans, LA.

Hoffman-Hall, A. Assessing the impact of climate change on *Phytophthora cinnamomi*, a destructive forest pathogen in the northeastern United States. April 2014. **Association of Geographers Annual Meeting**, Tampa, FL.

### **Posters**

Shevade, V., Hoffman-Hall, A., Loboda, T.V. December 2021. Using Land Use Engagement Surveys to Improve Understanding of Malaria Exposure In Ann Township, Myanmar. Poster presented at **American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting**, New Orleans, LA.

Hoffman-Hall, A., Puett, R., Silva, J., Chen, D., Baer, A., Plowe, C. V., Nyunt, M. M., Loboda, T. V. December 2020. Land Use Engagement and Malaria Prevalence in Ann Township, Myanmar: The Role of Forest-Related Activities. **American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting**, virtual.

Hoffman-Hall, A., Baer, A.E., Loboda, T.V.. December 2019. Assessing occupational exposure risk factors for subclinical malaria as a function of land cover and land use in Myanmar. **American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting**, San Francisco, CA.

Shevade, V., Chen, D., Hoffman-Hall, A., Baer, A., He, J., Loboda, T.V. December 2019. Identifying Population Vulnerability to Malaria in Myanmar. **Geophysical Union Annual Meeting**, San Francisco, CA.

Loboda, T.V., Carroll, M., Chen, D., Hoffman-Hall, A. December 2018. Mapping and Monitoring Myanmar's Malaria Landscape. **American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting**, Washington DC.

Hoffman-Hall, A., Loboda, T.V., Hall, J. V., Carroll, M. October 2018. Rural Population Mapping at Moderate Spatial Resolutions Using Geospatial Data Fusion. **Race, Ethnicity, and Place Conference**, Austin, TX.

Loboda, T., Hoffman-Hall, A., French, N., Jenkins, L., Miller, M. E., Bourgeau-Chavez, L. April 2015. Long-term Multi-Sensor Record of Fire Disturbances in High Northern Latitudes. **Carbon Cycle and Ecosystems Joint Science Workshop**, College Park, MD.

Bergen, K., Loboda, T., Shugart, H. H., Newell, J., Shuman, J., Brown, D., Sun, G., Hitztaler, S., Poon, W., Hoffman-Hall, A. April 2015. LCLUC Synthesis: Forested Land-Cover and Land-Use Change in the Far East and East Siberia of Northern Eurasia under the Combined Drivers of Climate and Socio-Economic Transformation. **NASA Carbon Cycle and Ecosystems Joint Science Workshop**, College Park, MD.

Bergen, K., Loboda, T., Newell, J., Sun, G., Krankina, O., Blam, Y., Cui, L., Estrada, J., Hoffman-Hall, A., Hitztaler, S., Johnson, T., Park, K., Wang, Y., Wang Y.C., Wen, X. April 2014. Synthesis of Long-Term Datasets and of Trends and Variation of Landscape LCLUC Across The Russian Far East and Central Siberia. **NASA LCLUC Annual Meeting**, Rockville, MD.

Chen, D., Loboda, T. V., Hoffman-Hall, A., and Weber, C. Y. Mapping stand-age distribution of Russian forests from satellite data. December 2013. **American Geophysical Union**, San Francisco, CA.

Hoffman-Hall, A. Phytophthora cinnamomi and climate change. November 2013. **Research Interaction Day for Graduate and Early Career Scientists**, College Park, MD

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## Undergraduate Student Researchers Supervised

- 2021 Paul Raeder, *Social Media Movements and Environmentalism* (Senior Internship Thesis)
- 2020 Zihan Chen, Chin-Yun Kuei, Numbi Lutebula, Caitlin McPartland, Adam Mills, *Perceptions of Geography Key Words and Program Names by University of Maryland Undergraduates* (Oral Presentation at AAG 2021)
- Benjamin Grove, *Impacts of Invasive Species on Environmental & Human Health in the United States* (Senior Internship Thesis)
- 2019 Reiley Auger, *Water Resources Influence on Civil Conflict: Syrian Case Study* (Poster Presentation at AAG 2019)
- Mahnoor Khan, *Land Cover Change in Southern California* (Poster Presentation at AAG 2019)
- Damien Wilson, *Alternate Routes to avoid Flooding in Mozambique* (Poster Presentation at AAG 2019)
- Daryl Rouleau, *Undergraduate Motivations to Enrolling in a Geographical Sciences Major* (Poster Presentation at AAG 2019)

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## Teaching Experience

- 2014 – Present **University of Maryland College Park (Lecturer)**
- 2021 – Present **GEOG441: The Coastal Ocean**  
40 students. In-person.

2020 – Present	<b>GEOG201: Geography of Environmental Systems &amp; GEOG211: Laboratory</b> 240 students. In-person and online (both synchronous and asynchronous).
2015 – Present	<b>GEOG 212: Career Planning for Geographical Sciences, GIS, and Environmental Science and Policy Majors</b> 50 students. In person, hybrid, and online (asynchronous and synchronous).
2014 – 2017	<b>GEOG 306: Introduction to Quantitative Methods for Geographic and Environmental Sciences</b> 20 students. Online (synchronous).
2014	<b>GEOG 472: Advanced Remote Sensing</b> 50 students. In-person.
<u>2014 – 2015</u>	<b><u>Towson University (Adjunct Professor)</u></b>
2015	<b>GEOG 101: Introduction to Physical Geography</b> 75 students. In-person and online.
2014	<b>GEOG 232: Introduction to Geographic Information Systems</b> 20 students. In-person.

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## Relevant Trainings and Certifications

October 2021	<b>Mental Health First Aid Training</b> <i>National Council for Mental Wellbeing</i> <a href="https://www.mentalhealthfirstaid.org/">https://www.mentalhealthfirstaid.org/</a>
April 2021	<b>Fostering Terp Success Campus Coach Training for Foster Youth</b> <i>University of Maryland Fostering Terp Success Program</i> <a href="https://umd.edu/fostering-terp-success">https://umd.edu/fostering-terp-success</a>
Nov 2019	<b>Trauma Informed Hate-Bias Response Training</b> <i>University of Maryland Office of Diversity and Inclusion</i> <a href="https://diversity.umd.edu/training-education/hate-response/">https://diversity.umd.edu/training-education/hate-response/</a>
August 2018	<b>An Introduction to Evidence-Based Undergraduate STEM Teaching</b> <i>The Center for the Integration of Research Teaching and Learning</i> <a href="http://stemteachingcourse.org/">http://stemteachingcourse.org/</a>
June 2018	<b>Teaching Institute</b> <i>Johns Hopkins University Teaching Academy</i> <a href="https://cer.jhu.edu/teaching-academy/">https://cer.jhu.edu/teaching-academy/</a>
May 2018	<b>Khan Academy for Teachers 101</b> <i>Khan Academy</i> <a href="http://www.khanacademy.org">www.khanacademy.org</a>

- April 2018      **UndocuTerp Training Series: Working with DACA, TPS, and Undocumented Students**  
*University of Maryland Office of Immigrant and Undocumented Student Life*  
[https://stamp.umd.edu/engagement/immigrant\\_undocumented\\_student\\_life](https://stamp.umd.edu/engagement/immigrant_undocumented_student_life)
- Feb 2018      **Universal Design: Making Your Course Accessible to Everyone**  
*University of Maryland Teaching & Learning Transformation Center*  
[www.tltc.umd.edu](http://www.tltc.umd.edu)
- Nov 2017      **Teaching Backwards: Learning Outcomes & Course Design**  
*University of Maryland Teaching & Learning Transformation Center*  
[www.tltc.umd.edu](http://www.tltc.umd.edu)
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## **Awards and Honors**

- Spring 2020      O.E. Baker Award, for outstanding performance as a Graduate Student in Geographical Sciences, University of Maryland
- Spring 2019      Nominated for University of Maryland Graduate Advisor of the Year Award
- Fall 2018      Race, Ethnicity, and Place Conference Graduate Student Poster Competition (1<sup>st</sup> Place)
- Spring 2018      BSOS Enlightening Talk (3 Minute Thesis) Competition (3<sup>rd</sup> Place)  
UMD Graduate Research Appreciation Day Oral Presentation (1<sup>st</sup> Place)  
Nominated for College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Advisor of the Year Award
- Spring 2017      Department of Geographical Sciences Excellence in Graduate Research Award (3<sup>rd</sup> Place)
- Spring 2015      Department of Geographical Sciences Outstanding Teaching Assistant
- Fall 2012      University of Maryland Athletics MVP (Most Valuable Professor)
- Spring 2011      University of Oklahoma Geography Chair's Best Capstone (Senior Research) Award  
University of Oklahoma Clyde Bollinger Award (Outstanding Senior Geography Student)  
Association of College Rowing Coaches Scholar Athlete Award
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## **Service**

### **Reviewer**

- 2021      Reviewed manuscripts for "GeoHealth", "International Journal of Applied Earth Observations and Geoinformation", and "Land"

- 2020 Reviewed manuscripts for “International Journal of Remote Sensing” and “Environmental Research Letters”
- 2019 Reviewed manuscripts for “Science of Remote Sensing” and “International Journal of Applied Earth Observations and Geoinformation”

***Professional Organization Service***

- 2021 Session Organizer for AGU Town Hall: Surviving Global Change: GeoHealth, Marginalized Communities and Environmental Justice in the Anthropocene
- 2020 - Present Early Career Chair of AGU GeoHealth Section Diversity Committee

***Campus Service***

- 2020 – Present Workshop Coordinator for Fostering Terp Success
- 2020 – Present TerrapinSTRONG (Campus DEI Training) Facilitator
- 2020 Faculty Essay Reviewer for Maryland Ascent Fellows (First Generation Baltimore City Students)

***College Service***

- 2021 College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Social Data Science Advisor Search Committee
- 2015 – 2016 College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Dean’s Graduate Student Advisory Council Geographical Sciences Representative
- 2014 – 2015 College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Dean’s Graduate Student Advisory Council Chair
- 2013 – 2014 Co-Chair of College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research Interaction Day for Graduate and Early-Career Scientists
- College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Dean’s Graduate Student Advisory Council Geographical Sciences Representative

***Departmental Service***

- 2020 - Present UMD Geographical Sciences Diversity Committee
- 2016 - Present UMD Geographical Sciences Undergraduate Committee
- 2014 – 2015 UMD Center for Geospatial Information Science Director Search Committee
- 2013 – 2014 UMD Geographical Sciences Orientation Committee
- 2012 – 2013 UMD Geographical Sciences Awards Committee



***Professional Organizations***

2014 – Present American Association of Geographers

2018 – Present American Geophysical Union

2011 – Present Gamma Theta Upsilon (Geography Honors Society)