

# CSAM | CAROLINAS SPORTS 2014 | ANALYTICS MEETING



FURMAN

April 12, 2014  
Townes Science Center

8:15am – 8:45am	<b>Registration</b>	
8:45am – 9:00am	<b>Welcome and Introductory Remarks</b>	
9:00am – 9:45am	<b>Keynote Address</b> Jason Rosenfeld, Charlotte Bobcats	
	Room 151	Patrick Lecture Hall
10:00am – 10:25am	<b>“Sports Analytics Research: Lessons from a Beginner”</b> Hope McIlwain, Mercer University	<b>“Picks for Kicks (How FIFA's Structure Complicates Ranking National Soccer Teams)”</b> Mark Kozek, Whittier College
10:25am – 10:50am	<b>“Understanding Intracontinental Trade in Europe Using Rankings”</b> Sophia Rivera, Mercer University	<b>“FIFA Foe Fun!”</b> Mike Mossinghoff, Davidson College
10:50am – 11:15am	<b>“Random Matchups and NBA Ratings”</b> Dante Durrman, Furman University	<b>“Designing a College Conference Tournament”</b> Gavin Cross, Coe College
11:15am – 11:40am	<b>“Predicting Atlantic Sun Volleyball Tournament Outcomes”</b> Lizzie Knapper, Mercer University	<b>“FBS Conference Realignment”</b> Mikaela Cashman, Coe College
11:45am – 1:00pm	<b>Poster Presentations and Lunch</b>	
	Room 151	Patrick Lecture Hall
1:00pm – 1:25pm	<b>“Evaluating NFL Field Goal Kicker Performance by a Value Added Metric”</b> Drew Pasteur, College of Wooster	<b>“The Gender Gap and the Two-Hour Mark in Major Marathon Races”</b> Kirstie Doehler, Elon University
1:25 – 1:50pm	<b>“The Effects of League Parity and Season Length on NFL Team Success”</b> Jai Kedia, College of Wooster	<b>“The Impact of the Number of Players on Ice in NHL Games”</b> Marty Thomas, Georgia Gwinnett College
1:50pm – 2:15pm	<b>“Can Coase Govern the Green Bay Packers?”</b> Manish Khadka, Coe College	<b>“Putting Putting In Its Proper Place”</b> Roland Minton, Roanoke College
2:15pm – 2:25pm	<b>Afternoon Snack Break</b>	
	Room 151	Patrick Lecture Hall
2:25pm – 2:50pm	<b>“A Monte Carlo Simulation Approach to Determine the Greatest Post-Season Players”</b> Abigail Stryker, Muhlenberg College	<b>“College Sports Rankings via HodgeRank”</b> Ryan Gutschick, Wake Forest University
2:50pm – 3:15pm	<b>“Implicitly Defined MLB Batter and Pitcher Statistics”</b> Darin Mohr, Georgia College	<b>“Identifying Influential Upsets in College Football”</b> Kevin Hutson, Furman University
3:20pm – 4:05pm	<b>Keynote Address</b> Peter Keating, ESPN The Magazine	
4:05pm – 4:20pm	<b>Closing Comments and Giveaways</b>	