SCASA Fall 2011 Meeting Old Towne Grill and Seafood

229 King Street Charleston, SC 29401

I. Agenda

Talk title: Statistical Issues in MRI Analysis

II. Speaker Profile

Chris Rorden, PhD Endowed Chair of Neuroimaging, Department of Psychology University of South Carolina

Education: PhD 1996 Cambridge University, experimental psychology.

III. Announcements:

- 1. Searches are currently underway for Editors of the following journals. Link follows.
- * Journal of the American Statistical Association, Applications and Case Studies Editor (http://pubs.amstat.org/page/JASA Search)
- * Journal of Business & Economic Statistics, Co-Editors (http://pubs.amstat.org/page/JBES_Search)
- * Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics, Editor (http://pubs.amstat.org/page/JCGS_Search)
- * Journal of Statistics Education, Editor (http://pubs.amstat.org/page/JSE_Search)
- * Journal of Nonparametric Statistics, Editor (http://pubs.amstat.org/page/JNPS Search)
- * Statistical Analysis and Data Mining, Editor (http://pubs.amstat.org/page/SAM_Search)
- 2. The Director of the Division of Mathematical Sciences (DMS) at the US National Science Foundation (NSF), Dr. Sastry Pantula, has proposed changing the name of the Division to the Division of Mathematical and Statistical Sciences. Please submit your views and comments on or before November 30, 2011, to dmsnamechange@imstat.org.
- 3. The spring SC-ASA meeting will be held in conjunction with The Palmetto Lectures at the University of South Carolina Columbia. **The joint meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 10 and Thursday, April 12, 2012** culminating with a presentation by **Dr. Ed George from The Wharton School on April 12.** Student presentations will also be held on April 12th; abstracts for student presentations will be due on March 15, 2012.

IV. Organizing Committee

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