

Profile – Cynthia R Long, PhD



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The JCCA is delighted to announce that Dr. Cynthia Long has joined the Editorial Board of the Journal of the Canadian Chiropractic Association. Dr. Long received her PhD from the University of Iowa in 1995 in Biostatistics. Her dissertation title was “Simultaneous interval estimation for functions of multinomial probabilities”.

Currently Dr. Long is an Associate Professor at the Palmer Center for Chiropractic Research in Davenport Iowa, and is the Co-Director of the Palmer Clinical Research Program. In addition, Dr. Long is the Director, Office of Data Management & Biostatistics at PCCR. She has published 33 papers in scholarly peer reviewed journals. The most recent publication is “Hawk C, Long CR, Rowell R, Gudavalli RM, Jedlicka J (2005). A randomized trial investigating a chiropractic manual placebo: a novel design using standardized forces in the delivery of active and control treatments. The Journal of Alternative and Complementary Medicine 11:109–117”.

Dr. Long is a co-investigator in many active NIH grants, including grant 1-U19-AT-00206-01 “Developmental Center for the Study of Mechanisms and Effects of Chiropractic Manipulation,” and has reviewed grant applications on the NIH/NCCAM Clinical Sciences Special Emphasis Panel for the past 3 years. Dr. Long is Chair-Elect, 2005, Section on Teaching of Statistics in the Health Sciences – American Statistical Association and is a current Editorial Board member for the Journal of Manipulative and Physiological Therapeutics.