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**Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Being A Biostat Prof*
* but were afraid to ask and your adviser neglected to tell you!**

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ABSTRACT: Often biostatistics graduate students are so absorbed in learning the technical tools of their trade that they don't become aware of all the other (highly multidimensional) features that an academic career entails. In this talk we describe the job of a professor of biostatistics in a School of Public Health, drawing from our own personal experiences. In particular, we discuss the pluses and minuses of such a career and the corresponding job duties including biostatistical research, collaborative research, teaching, administration and service. We will also talk briefly about how to apply for and succeed in such a position.