AFESA Outreach Sub-Committee Spotlight / *MEMBER-AT-LARGE*

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Bio

I joined Fairfax County FRD in April 2025, making the switch over from actuarial science and insurance analytics. At Fairfax, I have applied statistical methods to explore processes and predict key outcomes-- like response times. I also help the department with data reporting and automation. I studied economics at Binghamton University, and I have a M.S. in Statistics from Purdue University.

My proudest accomplishment is

Although my experience with Fire and Emergency services is limited, I am proud to bring a fresh perspective, and a few ideas about risk modeling.

I found my way to AFESA

After joining Fairfax County FRD, I was introduced to AFESA by colleagues; especially Jessica LeBlanc who has been a strong mentor for me in my early-career. And Jessica Nelson, the current Chair of the Outreach Sub-Committee.

Goal for AFESA

I would like to get involved with the information exchange that AFESA provides for our field. Especially due to the diverse, industry specific perspectives that might be hard to come across elsewhere. Otherwise, I am excited to help grow the organization and spread the message about its value for professionals.

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