

# Ian Bolliger

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## Education

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2014-present	<b>University of California, Berkeley</b> <b>PhD Student, <a href="#">Energy and Resources Group</a> (Pursuing <a href="#">Designated Emphasis</a> in Computational and Data Science and Engineering)</b> <b>MS, Civil and Environmental Engineering, 2017</b> <b>MS, Energy and Resources, 2016</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">National Defense Science and Engineering</a> Graduate (NDSEG) Fellow</li><li>• Berkeley Graduate Fellow</li><li>• <a href="#">Environment and Society: Data Science for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century</a> National Science Foundation Research Trainee (NRT) program graduate</li><li>• <i>Graduate Certificate in <a href="#">Geospatial Information Science and Technology</a> (GIST)</i></li><li>• Co-founder and project manager, <a href="#">Tiny House in My Backyard</a> (THIMBY)</li><li>• Member of <a href="#">Global Policy Laboratory</a> and <a href="#">Renewable and Appropriate Energy Laboratory</a></li></ul>	Berkeley, CA
2011-2013	<b>University of Washington</b> <b>Researcher, Graduate Non-Matriculated Student</b>	Seattle, WA
2006-2011	<b>Harvard University</b> <b>AB in Applied Mathematics (focus in Geophysical Science)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Honors:</i> Magna Cum Laude in Field, High Honors in Field, Spanish Language Citation</li><li>• <i>Activities:</i> Varsity Baseball, First-year Outdoor Program leader</li></ul>	Cambridge, MA

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## Extra-Curricular Research Experience

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2016-present	<b>empower</b> <b>Co-founder</b> – Founded a student team (considering incorporation) that is developing a forecast-informed optimal control product for homeowners with rooftop solar to maximize use of their array and reduce costs/emissions.	Berkeley, CA
2014-present	<b><a href="#">Tiny House in My Backyard (THIMBY)</a></b> <b>Co-founder, Project Manager</b> - Founded and managed an interdisciplinary team of ~20 graduate and undergraduate students building a low-carbon, 100% solar-powered, off-grid, affordable, 170 sq ft. house on a trailer.	Berkeley, CA
2015	<b><a href="#">Next Generation Ecosystem Experiments - Arctic</a></b> <b>Scientist</b> - Assisted with gathering gas flux and energy balance data from tundra field on and near the Barrow Environmental Observatory (BEO); maintained and operated multiple radiative measurement devices; brainstormed satellite-based methods for understanding seasonal snow accumulation/melt mechanisms.	Barrow, AK
2011-2014	<b><a href="#">Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation</a></b> <b>Researcher, Post-Bachelor Fellow</b> - Created and improved statistical models estimating morbidity and mortality of multiple diseases and injuries. Developed tools to analyze data from a survey assessing racial disparities in chronic health conditions and risk factors in King County, WA.	Seattle, WA
2013	<b>Infectious Diseases Research Collaboration</b>	Kampala, Uganda

### Collaborator

Served as an in-country contact for multiple studies performed in collaboration with IHME.

- 2011 **Anderson Research Group** **Cambridge, MA**  
**Scientist** - Created and improved models to analyze spectroscopic data from a flight-ready optical device that measures carbon dioxide and methane isotope concentrations and fluxes.
- 2009 **Jet Propulsion Laboratory** **Pasadena, CA**  
**NASA Undergraduate Student Research Program Intern** - Developed visualizations for a 3D numerical simulation of convection within Venus and Jupiter's moon Europa. Investigated whether material from Europa's subsurface ocean could migrate to the surface and be captured by future imaging missions.

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### Teaching Experience

- 2017 **Graduate Student Instructor** – Spatial Data Analysis, Goldman School of Public Policy, University of California, Berkeley **Berkeley, CA**
- 2013-present **Volunteer Instructor, Regional Avalanche Advisor, National Ski Patrol** – Teaching Avalanche & Mountain Travel and Rescue (MTR) Courses **Western US**
- 2014 **Lecturer, Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation** – Global Burden of Disease (GBD) Technical Training Workshop **Chania, Greece**
- 2010 **Teaching Fellow, Harvard University** – Mathematical Methods in the Sciences, Harvard University. **Cambridge, MA**
- 2008-2009 **English as a Second Language Tutor, Concilio Hispano** - Tutored Boston-area Spanish-speaking adults 1-4 hours per week to supplement English language classes. **Cambridge, MA**

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### Peer-Reviewed Publications

- 2018 GBD 2016 Healthcare Access and Quality Collaborators. "Measuring performance on the Healthcare Access and Quality Index for 195 countries and territories and selected subnational locations: a systematic analysis from the Global Burden of Disease Study 2016." *The Lancet*, May 2018.
- 2015 Haagsma, J. et al. "The global burden of injury: incidence, mortality, disability-adjusted life years, and time trends from the Global Burden of Disease Study 2013." *Injury Prevention*, Dec. 2015.
- Murray, C. J. L., R. M. Barber, K. J. Foreman, GBD 2013 DALYs and HALE Collaborators, "Global, regional, and national disability-adjusted life years (DALYs) for 306 diseases and injuries and healthy life expectancy (HALE) for 188 countries, 1990–2013: quantifying the epidemiological transition." *The Lancet*, Aug. 2015.
- GBD 2013 Disease and Injury Incidence and Prevalence Collaborators. "Global, regional, and national incidence, prevalence, and YLDs for 301 acute and chronic diseases and injuries for 188 countries, 1990–2013: a systematic analysis for the Global Burden of Disease Study 2013." *The Lancet*, Jun. 2015.
- 2014 Hotez, P. J., M. Alvarado, M. Basáñez, I. W. Bolliger, R. Bourne, M. Boussinesq, S. J. Brooker, et al. "The Global Burden of Disease Study 2010: Interpretation and Implications for the Neglected Tropical Diseases." *PLoS Negl Trop Dis* 8, no. 7, July 24, 2014.
- Hay, R. J., N. E. Johns, H. C. Williams, I. W. Bolliger, R. P. Dellavalle, D. J. Margolis, R. Marks, L. Naldi, M. A. Weinstock, S. K. Wulf, C. Michaud, C. J. L. Murray, and M. Naghavi, "The Global Burden of Skin Disease in 2010: An Analysis of the Prevalence and Impact of Skin Conditions." *J Invest Dermatol*, Jun. 2014.

- 2013 200+ authors, including Bolliger IW, "The state of US health, 1990-2010: Burden of diseases, injuries, and risk factors." *JAMA*, vol. 310, no. 6, pp. 591–608, Aug. 2013.  
GBD 2010 Country Collaboration, "GBD 2010 country results: a global public good." *The Lancet*, Mar. 2013
- 2012 Bolliger, I. W., "Analysis of 3D numerical simulations of subsolidus thermal convection: application to Venus and Europa." *THURJ*, vol. 5, no. 1, pp. 10–19, May 2012. **Awarded Best Manuscript, Spring 2012 Issue.**  
200+ authors, including Bolliger IW, "Global and regional mortality from 235 causes of death for 20 age groups in 1990 and 2010: a systematic analysis for the Global Burden of Disease Study 2010." *The Lancet*, vol. 380, no. 9859, pp. 2095–2128, Dec. 2012.  
200+ authors, including Bolliger IW, "Disability-adjusted life years (DALYs) for 291 diseases and injuries in 21 regions, 1990–2010: a systematic analysis for the Global Burden of Disease Study 2010." *The Lancet*, vol. 380, no. 9859, pp. 2197–2223, Dec. 2012.  
200+ authors, including Bolliger IW, "Years lived with disability (YLDs) for 1160 sequelae of 289 diseases and injuries 1990–2010: a systematic analysis for the Global Burden of Disease Study 2010." *The Lancet*, vol. 380, no. 9859, pp. 2163–2196, Dec. 2012.
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### Preprints

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- 2017 Bolliger, I.W. et al., "Ground Control to Major Tom: the importance of field surveys in remotely sensed data analysis." Retrieved from <https://arxiv.org/abs/1710.09342>, Oct. 2017.
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### Research Grants and Fellowships

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- 2017 – CITRIS Tech for Social Good, Tech Development Award  
2017 – Student Opportunity Fund, UC Berkeley  
2016 – Academic Opportunity Fund, UC Berkeley  
2016 – Student Technology Fund, UC Berkeley – THIMBY  
2015, 2016 – Charles K. Birdsall Fellowship, UC Berkeley  
2015 – The Green Initiative Fund, UC Berkeley – THIMBY  
2015 – [National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate](#) (NDSEG) Fellowship  
2014 – Berkeley Fellowship for Graduate Study – University of California, Berkeley  
2008 – Harvard Club of Seattle Summer Community Service Fellowship
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### Honors and Awards

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- 2018 – 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Energy and Resource Alternatives Category, Big Ideas @ Berkeley Competition (empower)  
2017 – 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Energy and Resource Alternatives Category, Big Ideas @ Berkeley Competition (PowerTank)  
2017 – "People's Choice Award" – Berkeley Energy and Resources Collaborative (BERC) [Innovation Expo](#) Poster Competition (empower)  
2016 – 2<sup>nd</sup> place overall, 1<sup>st</sup> place in *Sustainability, Water Conservation, Craftsmanship, and Home Life* categories - Sacramento Municipal Utility District (SMUD) [Tiny House Competition](#) (THIMBY)  
2016 – MIT [Climate Co-Lab](#) Semi-Finalist (THIMBY)  
2016 – 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Patagonia Eco-Innovation Case Competition  
2014, 2015 – [Live Your Dream Grant](#) – American Alpine Club  
2014 – [The Adventure Fund](#) – Sidetracked Magazine  
2012 – Best Manuscript – Spring Issue of [The Harvard Undergraduate Research Journal](#) (THURJ)
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### Conference Participation

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*Panels Organized*

- 2018 Primary Convener, Session Chair. "Societal Impacts of Global Cryosphere Change and Associated Mitigation and Adaptation Policies," (accepted). *American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting*, Washington, DC, 10-14 Dec 2018.
- 2017 Primary Convener, Session Chair. "Estimating the Impacts of Terrestrial Cryospheric Change on Physical, Social and Economic Systems," (oral and poster). *American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting*, New Orleans, LA, 11-15 Dec 2017.

#### *Papers Presented*

- 2017 Bolliger, I. W., "Spatiotemporal Variability in Topographic and Vegetative Controls on Basin-Wide Snow Distribution in the Tuolumne River Basin." *American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting*, New Orleans, LA, 15 Dec 2017.
- Bolliger, I. W., "Modeling our Snowpack with Terrain and Vegetation: Implications for Water Resource Forecasting Under Climate Change." *Graduate Climate Conference*, Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, MA, 11 Nov 2017.
- Bolliger, I. W., "Modeling the Influence of Terrain and Vegetation on Snowpack: Findings and Implications for Water Management in Snowmelt-fed Regions." *Interdisciplinary PhD Workshop on Sustainable Development*, Columbia University, 21 Apr 2017.
- Bolliger, I. W., A. Siegner, B. Webster, "THIMBY: A Platform for the Development and Testing of Off-grid Home Energy Management Systems." *Berkeley Energy and Resources Collaborative Innovation Expo*, Berkeley, CA, 23 Feb 2017.
- 2016 Bolliger, I. W., "Quantifying Persistent Spatial Variability in the Influence of Topography and Vegetation on Snow Depth in the Tuolumne River Basin: Implications for Prediction and Process Knowledge." *American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting*, San Francisco, CA, 12 Dec 2016.
- Bolliger, I. W., J. Chen, L. Lam, A. Liu, J. Yang, "A review of policy and business strategy approaches to photovoltaic trade barriers in China." *International Youth Photovoltaic Forum, China International Fair for Investment and Trade*, Xiamen, CHN, 9 Sep 2016.
- Bolliger, I. W., "Geographically Weighted Regression on large raster images: understanding spatial variability in the influence of topography and vegetation on snow depth in the Tuolumne River Basin." *Workshop on Algorithms for Modern Massive Data Sets*, Berkeley, CA, 23 Jun 2016.
- Bolliger, I. W., "Capturing spatiotemporal variability in the influence of topography and vegetation on snow depth in the Tuolumne River Basin using geographically weighted regression." *2016 Western Snow Conference*, Seattle, WA, 19 Apr 2016.
- Bolliger, I. W., "Satellites, lasers, and global snowpack models: Leveraging new data and models to track and predict water scarcity in meltwater-dependent regions." *Los Angeles Global Health Conference*, Los Angeles, CA, 06 Feb 2016.
- 2015 Bolliger, I. W., A. Siegner, and C. Karmann, "Tiny House in My Backyard." *International Alliance of Research Universities Global University Climate Forum*, Paris, France, 05 Dec 2015.
- Bolliger, I. W., and A. Siegner, "Zero Net Energy Tiny Houses: A Campus Sustainable Housing Solution." *Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education 2015 Conference & Expo*, Minneapolis, MN, 26 Oct 2015.
- 2012 Bolliger, I. W., "Monitoring Disparities in Chronic Conditions: A novel surveillance system to capture country-level data on chronic health conditions, risk factors, and treatment." *SACNAS 2012 National Conference: Creating a Healthy World through Science, Diversity & Technology*. Washington State Convention & Trade Center, Seattle, WA. 11 Oct 2012. Graduate Oral Scientific Symposium.

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#### **Other Presentations**

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- 2017 Bolliger, I.W., "Modeling Variability in the Influence of Terrain and Vegetation on Snowpack: Findings and Implications for Water Management in Snowmelt-fed Regions." *International High-Performance Computing Summer School*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, 27 Jun 2017.
- Bolliger, I.W., "The Hunt for the Missing Precipitation." *Advanced Study Program Summer Colloquium*, National Center for Atmospheric Research, Boulder, CO, 16 Jun 2017.
- Alexander, L. Asai, J., Baughman, J., Bolliger, I. W., Gordon, H., Ju, Y., Kling, M., Pennington, K., Seidel, D., Stoudt, S., Tubbesing, C., Vasquez, V., & Wilkinson, C. "Interdisciplinary Graduate Education in Data Science: Environment and Society DS421 NRT." *Berkeley Institute for Data Science's Data Science Faire*, Berkeley, California, 1 May 2017.
- 2016 Bolliger, I. W., "A Walk Through Two Research Projects." *Bay Currents Series: Engaged Locally and Globally – Young Climate Researchers at UC Berkeley*, Berkeley, CA, 08 Mar 2016.
- 2014 Bolliger, I. W., "Modeling non-fatal outcomes of injuries," "Introduction to the global burden of disease interactive data visualization tools," and "Global Health Data Exchange: Discover the world's health data." *Global Burden of Disease Technical Training Workshop*. Chania, Greece. May 2014.
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### Popular Writing

- 2016 Lam, Long T., I. W. Bolliger, J. Chen, A. Liu, J. Yang, R. Margolis. "Chinese Solar Makers' Strategies to Overcome Trade Conflicts." *The Energy Collective*. Web. Nov 9, 2016. <http://www.theenergycollective.com>.
- 2014-201 Regular contributions to *The Inertia Mountain*. Wrote and edited series on interface of adventure and environmental change: "Adventuring in an Evolving World." <http://www.theinertia.com/author/ian-bolliger>.
- 2013 Bolliger, I. W. "HIV Positives: Uganda's AIDS Epidemic Over Time." *Solutions Journalism Network*. Web. Aug. 30, 2013. <http://solutionsjournalism.org/2013/08/30/hiv-positives-how-the-aids-epidemic-has-dramatically-changed-in-uganda/>.
- Bolliger, I. W. "HIV Positives: Uganda Tackles AIDS." *Solutions Journalism Network*. Web. Aug. 22, 2013. <http://solutionsjournalism.org/2013/08/22/hiv-positives-uganda-tackles-aids/>.
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### Additional Experience

- Extreme Science and Engineering Discovery Environment (XSEDE)** International High Performance Computing Summer School on HPC Challenges in Computation Science, 25-30 Jun 2017, Boulder, CO.
- National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR)** Advanced Study Program Colloquium, "Interaction of Precipitation with Orography", 5-16 Jun 2017, Boulder, CO.
- NCAR** Coupled Model Intercomparison Project (CMIP) Analysis Tutorial, 16-18 Aug, 2016, Boulder, CO.
- NCAR** Regional Climate Modeling and Weather Research and Forecasting (WRF) Tutorial, 22 Jul – 7 Aug 2015, Boulder, CO.
- University of New Mexico** Methods in Environmental Data Acquisition, 14-21 Jun 2015, La Joya, NM.
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### Skills

- Climate Modeling** Experience with NCAR's Weather Research and Forecasting (WRF) Model, experience with analyzing CMIP5 model output
- Programming Languages and Packages** Python, Stata, MATLAB, OpenMP, MPI; introductory skills with C, C++, UPC, CUDA, OpenACC, Spark, Tensorflow, Fortran, R, Java, Javascript
- Languages** Spanish (conversational ability)
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### Memberships and Service

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*American Geophysical Union*

- 2017-present – Cryosphere Section Executive Committee Member
- 2017-present – Liaison between Cryosphere and Societal Impacts and Policy Sciences Sections

*American Meteorological Society*

*Energy and Resources Group*

- 2017-present – ERG Development Committee Student Member
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**References**

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Daniel Kammen, University of California, Berkeley

Solomon Hsiang, University of California, Berkeley

Christopher JL Murray, University of Washington

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