



Dr. David Marker
Short bio

David Marker recently retired from Westat (www.westat.com) after more than 37 years as a senior statistician and associate director. He consulted with a wide range of government agencies on projects ranging from environmental regulation (water, fracking, air, and solid waste) to health to education to homelessness. Dr. Marker is currently Co-Chair of the American Statistical Association's Anti-racism Task Force and was a candidate for 2021 ASA President. He received his PhD in Biostatistics from the University of Michigan, with a dissertation focused on Bayesian and classical methods of small area estimation. He is an international expert in improving the quality of data, advising the governments of Sweden, Finland, Norway, Great Britain, The

Netherlands, Denmark, and South Africa. Dr. Marker has appeared as an expert witness on voting rights and language minority rights before Federal, State, and Canadian Provincial courts. He has also testified before Congress and State and local legislators.