

MEMORANDUM

To: Xihao Li

From: JHS Publications & Presentations Committee

Date: July 18, 2023

RE: Manuscript Review (M1405: A statistical framework for powerful rare variant multi-trait analysis in large-scale whole-genome sequencing studies)

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