Jessica L. Burnett

Computational Ecology | Macroecology | Regime Shifts

Education

University of Nebraska-Lincoln in Lincoln, NE

Ph.D. (expected 2019) Natural Resource Sciences and Applied Ecology

University of Florida in Gainesville, FL

M.Sc. (2015) Wildlife Ecology and Conservation

B.Sc. (2013) Wildlife Ecology and Conservation

Peer-reviewed Publications

- 1. La Sorte, F.A., C.A. Lepczyk, **J.L. Burnett**, A. Hurlbert, M. Tingley, and B. Zuckerberg. (revisions submitted) Opportunites and challenges for Big Data ornithology. The Condor
- 2. Chuang, W.C., T. A. Garmestani, T. Eason, T.L. Spanbauer, H.B. Fried-Peterson, C. Roberts, S. Sundstrom, **J.L. Burnett**, D. G. Angeler, B. Chaffin, L. Gunderson, D. Twidwell, C. R. Allen (accepted) Quantitative approaches for assessing ecological and community resilience. *Journal of Environmental Management*.
- 3. Burnett, J.L., K. L. Pope, A. Wong, C. R. Allen, D. M. Haak, B. J. Stephen, and D. R. Uden. (accepted) Thermal tolerance limits of the invasive Chinese mysterysnail *Bellamya chinensis* and implications for management". *American Malacological Bulletin*
- 4. **Burnett, J.L.**, C. R. Allen, C. P. Roberts, M. Bomberger Brown, and M. P. Moulton. 2017. Eurasian Tree Sparrow (*Passer montanus*) range expansion in North America. *Biological Invasions* 19(1): 5-9 doi:10.1007/s10530-016-1273-4
- 5. Burnett, J. L. and K. E. Sieving. 2016. Songbird distress call as a detection enhancement method and application to Red-shouldered Hawks (*Buteo lineatus*). Florida Field Naturalist 44(4):157-168
- 6. C. R. Allen, H. E. Birge, S. L. Bartlet-Hunt, R. A. Bevans, **J. L. Burnett**, B. A. Cosens, X. Cai, A. S. Garmestani, I. Linkov, E. A. Scott, M. D. Solomon, and D. R. Uden. 2016. Avoiding decline: Fostering resilience and sustainability in midsize cities. *Sustainability* 8(9):844-868 doi:10.3390/su8090844
- Burnett, J.L. and M. P. Moulton. 2015. Recent trends in House Sparrow (Passer domesticus) distribution and abundance in Gainesville, Alachua County, Florida. Florida Field Naturalist 43(4):167-172

Manuscripts under review

- 1. Donovan, V.M., **J.L. Burnett**, C.H. Bielski, H. E. Birge, R. Bevans, D. Twidwell, and C.R. Allen. (submitted) Patterns of woody encroachment from native tree plantings in a temperate grassland. Journal of Applied Ecology
- 2. Roberts, C.P., **J.L. Burnett**, V.M. Donovan, C. Wonkka, C.H. Bielski, C.R. Allen, A. Garmestani, D.G. Angeler, T. Eason, S. Sundstrom, D. Twidwell (*revisions submitted*) Early warnings for state transitions. *Rangeland Ecology and Managements*

Select Honors & Awards

| 2017-18 | Fling Fellowship, University of Nebraska-Lincoln \$20,000 | |
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| 2016-18 | University of Nebraska Center for Great Plains Studies Graduate | Fellow |
| 2016- | AAAS/Science Program for Excellence in Science Award 2016 | 2nd place, School of Natural |
| Resources 1 | Elevator Speech Competition \$300 | |
| 2016-18 | Resilience Alliance Young Scholar, The Resilience Alliance | |
| 2015-18 | Othmer Fellowship, University of Nebraska-Lincoln \$24,000 | |
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Grants

$for\ research$

| 2013 | IFAS Extension Internship for Undergraduate Research, University of Florida \$2,200 |
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| 2013 | Ordway-Swisher Biological Station Undergraduate Research, University of Florida \$550 |

$for\ travel$

| 2017 | Nelson Memorial Fellowship, Univeristy of Nebraska-Lincoln \$695 |
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| 2017 | Kellogg Biological Station, Michigan State University and Big Ten Academic Alliance \$500 |
| 2016 | Nelson Memorial Fellowship, University of Nebraska-Lincoln \$900 |
| 2016 | Center for Great Plains Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln \$750 |
| 2016 | American Ornithologists' Union \$250 |
| 2015 | NSF Diversity Award, Southeastern Ecology and Evolution Conference \$650 |
| 2015 | Department of Wildlife Ecology and Conservation, University of Florida \$250 |
| 2015 | Graduate Student Council, University of Florida \$350 |
| 2015 | Office of Research University of Florida \$500 |
| 2014 | Department of Wildlife Ecology and Conservation, University of Florida \$250 |
| 2013 | Office of the Dean, Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences, University of Florida \$750 |
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$for\ community\ outreach$

2015 Outdoor Education Program, Reichert House, Gainesville Police Department, FL \$1,200

Recent Service

at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln

| 2018- 2017 2016- 2016- 2016 2016 2015-16 2015-16 | Natural Resources Diversity Initiative committee, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Key player in achieving institutional membership to the Association for Women in Science Student Representative, Faculty Advisory Committee, School of Natural Resources Student Representative, Digital Team, School of Natural Resources Organizer, Association for Women in Science Mentor Workshop Seminar Coordinator, School of Natural Resources Founder & President, Natural Resources Diversity Initiative student group Department Representative Representative, Graduate Student Association |
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| 2015-16 2015 | Department Representative Representative, Graduate Student Association Founder, Affiliate Chapter of the Association for Women in Science |
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$to\ the\ profession$

| 2016 | Contributor to founding documents, Committee for Inclusive Ecology Section, ESA |
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| 2016- | Reviewer, Wilson Journal of Ornithology |
| 2015-16 | Liaison, Urban Ecosystem Ecology Section, ESA |