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# **EDUCATION**

2012–2018 Ph.D. in Ecology, University of Georgia

Advisor: Ford Ballantyne IV

2013–2016 M.S. in Statistics, University of Georgia

Advisor: Daniel B. Hall

2009–2011 M.A. in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, University of Kansas

Advisor: Ford Ballantyne IV

2005–2009 B.S. in Ecology, Peking University

Advisor: Jin-sheng He

2006–2009 B.A. in Economics, Peking University

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

2022– Professor

College of Ecology, Lanzhou University

2020–2021 Research Associate

Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, Michigan State University

Advisor: Jay P. Zarnetske

2018–2020 Research Associate

Department of Fisheries and Wildlife, Michigan State University

Advisor: James R. Bence

## HONORS AND AWARDS

Best Student Paper Award, Sino-Ecologists Association Overseas, 2019.

Odum School of Ecology Best Student Paper Award, University of Georgia, 2018.

Endowment Award, Society for Freshwater Science, 2018.

Meyer-Helfman Graduate Travel Award, University of Georgia, 2017.

Kenneth B. Armitage Award for Excellence in Teaching, University of Kansas, 2012.

National Scholarship for Undergraduate, Ministry of Education of China, 2009.

#### **GRANTS**

Ecosystem processes in the alpine terrestrial—aquatic meta-ecosystems, Excellent Young Scientists Fund (Overseas), National Natural Science Foundation of China, 2022–2025, Principle Investigator.

### **TEACHING**

Lanzhou University: Scientific Writing and English for Academic Research (416133001).

Michigan State University: Introduction to Meta-analysis in Ecology (PLB 809).

University of Georgia: Ecology lab (ECOL 3500L).

University of Kansas: Principles of Molecular and Cellular Biology lab (BIOL 150); Principles of Organismal Biology lab (BIOL 152); Introduction to Biostatistics lab (BIOL 570).

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

College of Ecology teaching advisory committee, Lanzhou University, 2022–present.

College of Ecology academic degree evaluation committee, Lanzhou University, 2022–present.

Newsletter editor, Sino-Ecologists Association Overseas, 2014–2022.

Odum School of Ecology graduate program committee, University of Georgia, 2015-2016.

Odum School of Ecology seminar committee, University of Georgia, 2015–2016.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- Ma, X., S. Jiang, Z. Zhang, H. Wang, C. Song, J.—S. He. (2023) Long-term collar deployment leads to bias in soil respiration measurements. Methods in Ecology and Evolution, 14(3): 981–990.
- Wolheim, W. M., T. K. Harms, A. L. Robinson, L. E. Koenig, A. M. Helton, C. Song, W. B. Bowden, and J. C. Finlay (2022) Superlinear scaling of riverine biogeochemical function with watershed size. Nature Communications, 13:1230.
- Song, C., S. D. Peacor, C. W. Osenberg, and J. R. Bence (2022) An assessment of statistical methods for non-independent data in ecological meta-analysis: Reply. Ecology, 103(1): e03587.
- Wang, Y., C. Song, H. Liu, S. Wang, H. Zeng, C. Luo, and J.-S. He (2021) Precipitation determines the magnitude and direction of interannual responses of soil respiration to experimental warming. Plant and Soil, 458: 75–91.
- Song, C., S. D. Peacor, C. W. Osenberg, and J. R. Bence (2020) An assessment of statistical methods for non-independent data in ecological meta-analysis. Ecology, 101(12): e03184.
- Rüegg, J., D. T. Chaloner, F. Ballantyne, P. S. Levi, C. Song, J. L. Tank, S. D. Tiegs, and G. A. Lamberti (2020) Understanding the relative roles of samlon spawner enrichment and disturbance: a high-frequency, multi-habitat field data and modeling approach. Frontiers in Ecology and Evolution, 8: 19.

- Song, C., W. K. Dodds, J. Rüegg, A. Argerich, C. L. Baker, W. B. Bowden, M. M. Douglas, K. J. Farrell, M. B. Flinn, E. A. Garcia, A. M. Helton, T. K. Harms, S. Jia, J. B. Jones, L. E. Koenig, J. S. Kominoski, W. H. McDowell, D. McMaster, S. P. Parker, A. D. Rosemond, C. M. Ruffing, K. R. Sheehan, M. T. Trentman, M. R. Whiles, W. M. Wollheim, and F. Ballantyne (2018) Continental—scale decrease in net primary productivity in streams due to climate warming. Nature Geoscience, 11(6): 415–420.
- Wang, Y., C. Song, L. Yu, S. Mi, S. Wang, H. Zeng, C. Fang, J. Li, and J.–S. He (2018) Convergence in temperature sensitivity of soil respiration: evidence from the Tibetan alpine grasslands. Soil Biology and Biochemistry, 122: 50–59.
- Koenig, L. E., C. Song, W. M. Wollheim, J. Rüegg, and W. H. McDowell (2017) Nitrification increases nitrogen export from a tropical river network. Freshwater Science, 36(4): 698–712.
- Geng, Y., F. Baumann, C. Song, M. Zhang, Y. Shi, P. Kühn, T. Scholten, and J.–S. He (2017) Increasing temperature reduces the coupling between available nitrogen and phosphorus in soils of Chinese grasslands. Scientific Reports, 7: 43524.
- Song, C., W. K. Dodds, M. T. Trentman, J. Rüegg, and F. Ballantyne (2016) Methods of approximation influence aquatic ecosystem metabolism estimates. Limnology and Oceanography: Methods, 14(9): 557–569.
- Song, C., F. Ballantyne, and V. H. Smith (2014) Enhanced dissolved organic carbon production in aquatic ecosystems in response to elevated atmospheric CO<sub>2</sub>. Biogeochemistry, 118: 49–60.
- Shi, Y., F. Baumann, Y. Ma, C. Song, P. Kühn, T. Scholten, and J.–S. He (2012) Organic and inorganic carbon in the topsoil of the Mongolian and Tibetan grasslands: pattern, control and implications. Biogeosciences, 9(6): 2287–2299.