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# **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

ACAD	EWIIC FC	Janua		
2017-present		Assistant Professor, Texas A&M University; Department of Biology		
		Faculty of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology		
2015–2017 F		<ul> <li>Faculty of Genetics</li> <li>Postdoctoral Associate, University of Minnesota</li> </ul>		
		Goldberg & Brandvain Labs		
2013		Graduate Fellow, National Evolutionary Synthesis Center		
EDUC	ATION			
2015		Ph.D., Quantitative Biology, University of Texas at Arlington		
		Dissertation: Synthesis and phylogenetic comparative analyses of the causes and		
		consequences of karyotype evolution in arthropods  Major Professor: Jeffery Demuth		
2040				
2010		B.S., Environmental Science, Oregon State University, Summa Cum Laude		
RESE	ARCH <b>G</b> F	RANTS		
2020	\$1.24M	NIH:R35GM138098 – Integrating theory, genomics, and comparative approaches to break barriers to the understanding of genome structure and sex chromosome evolution. Sole PI		
2019	\$14,768 \$18,52			
	\$32,000			
2018	\$32,500	Texas A&M University T3: Research Triad Grant – 10,000 years of genome evolution: a replicated natural experiment in the sky islands of the southwest. Collaborators: J. Spencer Johnston and Alan Pepper.		
2016	\$102,00	University of Minnesota Grand Challenges Grant – Sex chromosome aneuploidy: reproductive health in humans and domestic animals and driving forces in the evolution of genome architecture		
	\$46,000	BARD Fellowship – Declined <i>The evolutionary dynamics of ploidy evolution in plants</i>		
	\$589,88	NSF: DEB-BSF: Breaking barriers to the study of trait-dependent lineage diversification. Emma Goldberg and Itay Mayrose co-Pls. I wrote portions funding my work on discrete trait model adequacy and broader impact activities with veterans.		
2013	\$23,000	NESCent Graduate Fellowship – The Tree of Sex: A comprehensive synthesis of sex determination systems and their evolution in invertebrates		

## PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Blackmon lab members: <sup>1</sup>Undergraduate <sup>2</sup>Graduate <sup>3</sup>Postdoc

## 2020

- **31** Anderson<sup>1</sup> N., C.E. Hjelmen<sup>3</sup>, **H. Blackmon.** The Probability of Fusions Joining Sex Chromosomes and Autosomes. *Biology Letters* 16(11): 20200648. DOI:10.1098/rsbl.2020.0648
- **30** Hancock, Z.B. and **H. Blackmon**. Ghosts of a structured past: Impacts of ancestral patterns of isolation-by-distance on divergence-time estimation. *Journal of Heredity* 111:6 573-582. DOI:10.1093/jhered/esaa042
- **29** Ruckman<sup>2</sup>, S.N., M. Jonika<sup>2</sup>, C. Casola, and **H. Blackmon.** Chromosome number evolves at equal rates in holocentric and monocentric clades. *PLoS Genetics* 16(10): e1009076. DOI:10.1371/journal.pgen.1009076
- **28** Sylvester<sup>2</sup>, T., C.E. Hjelmen<sup>3</sup>,S.J. Hanrahan, P.A. Lenhart, J.S. Johnston, and **H. Blackmon.** Lineage-specific patterns of chromosome evolution are the rule not the exception in Polyneoptera insects. *Proceedings of the Royal Society B* 287:1935 20201388 DOI:10.1098/rspb.2020.1388
- **27** Ruckman<sup>2</sup>, S.N. and **H. Blackmon**. The March of the Beetles: epistatic components dominate divergence in dispersal tendency in *Tribolium castaneum*. *Journal of Heredity* 111:5 498-505 DOI:10.1093/jhered/esaa030
- **26** Jonika<sup>2</sup>, M., J. Lo<sup>1</sup>, **H. Blackmon**. Mode and Tempo of Microsatellite Evolution across 300 Million Years of Insect Evolution. *Genes* 11:8 945 DOI:10.3390/genes11080945 in press
- **25** Hjelmen<sup>3</sup> C.E., V.R. Holmes, C.G. Burrus, E. Piron, M. Mynes, M. Garrett, **H. Blackmon**, J.S. Johnston. Thoracic underreplication in Drosophila species estimates a minimum genome size and the dynamics of added DNA. *Evolution* 74:7 1423-1436 DOI:10.1111/evo.14022

### 2019

- **24** Hjelmen<sup>3</sup>, C.E., **H. Blackmon**, V.R. Holmes, C.G. Burrus, J. Spencer Johnston. Genome size evolution differs between *Drosophila* subgenera with striking differences in male and female genome size in *Sophophora. G3* 9:10, 3167-3179 DOI: 10.1534/g3.119.400560
- **23** Lo<sup>1</sup>, J., M.M. Jonika<sup>2</sup>, and **H. Blackmon**. micRocounter: Microsatellite Characterization in Genome Assemblies. *G3*. 9:10 3101-3104 DOI: 10.1534/g3.119.400335
- **22** Perkins<sup>1</sup>, R.D., J.R. Gamboa<sup>2</sup>, M.M. Jonika<sup>2</sup>, J. Lo<sup>1</sup>, A. Shum<sup>1</sup>, R.H. Adams, **H. Blackmon.** A Database of Amphibian Karyotypes. *Chromosome Research* 27:4 313-319 DOI: 10.1007/s10577-019-09613-1
- **21** Schield, D.R., D.C. Card, N.R. Hales, B.W. Perry, G.I.M. Pasquesi, **H. Blackmon,** R.H. Adams, A.B. Corbin, C.F. Smith, B. Ramesh, J.P. Demuth, E. Betrán, M. Tollis, J.M. Meik, S.P. Mackessy, and T.A. Castoe. The origins and evolution of chromosomes, dosage compensation, and mechanisms underlying venom regulation in snakes. *Genome Research*, 29:4 590-601 DOI: 10.1101/gr.240952.118
- **20** Armstrong, A.<sup>1</sup>, N. Anderson<sup>1</sup>, **H. Blackmon**. Inferring the potentially complex genetic architectures of adaptation, sexual dimorphism, and genotype by environment interactions by partitioning of mean phenotypes. *Journal of Evolutionary Biology*, 32:4 369-379 DOI: 10.1111/jeb.13421
- **19 Blackmon, H.,** J. Justison, I. Mayrose, E.E. Goldberg, Meiotic drive shapes rates of karyotype evolution in mammals. *Evolution*, 73:3 511-523 DOI: 10.1111/evo.13682
- **18** Passow, C., A.M. Bronikowski, **H. Blackmon,** S. Parsai, T.S. Schwartz, S.E. McGaugh, Contrasting patterns of rapid molecular evolution within the p53 network across mammal and sauropsid lineages. *Genome Biology and Evolution*, 11:3 629-643 DOI: 10.1093/gbe/evy273
- **17** Gale, C.C., E. Borrego, **H. Blackmon**, J.K. Harper, D. Richardson, and H. Song. Investigating a Photolytic Metabolite in the Nocturnal Grasshopper Schistocerca ceratiola (Orthoptera: Acrididae). *Annals of the Entomological Society of America*, 112:1, pp.50-55. DOI: 10.1093/aesa/say048

#### 2017

**16 Blackmon H.**, Y. Brandvain. Short-term resolution of sexual antagonism dominates long-term fragility of Y chromosomes. *Genetics* 207:4 1621-1629 DOI: 10.1534/genetics.117.300382

- **15 Blackmon H.**, L. Ross, D. Bachtrog. Sex determination, sex chromosomes and karyotype evolution in insects. *Journal of Heredity* 108:1 78-93– *recommended by Faculty of 1000.* DOI: 10.1093/jhered/esw047
- **14** Adams R., D Schield, D. Card, **H. Blackmon**, and T. Castoe. GppFst: Genomic posterior predictive simulations of Fst and dxy for identifying outlier loci from population genomic data *Bioinformatics* 33:9 1414-1415 DOI:10.1093/bioinformatics/btw795

- **13 Blackmon**, **H.** and J.P. Demuth. An information-theoretic approach to estimating the composite genetic effects contributing to variation among generation means: moving beyond the joint-scaling test for line cross analysis. *Evolution* 70:2 420-432. DOI: 10.1111/evo.12844
- **12** Asian Longhorn Beetle Consortium (67 Authors). Genome of the Asian longhorned beetle (*Anoplophora glabripennis*), a globally significant invasive species, reveals key functional and evolutionary innovations at the beetle-plant interface. *Genome Biology* 17:1 227 *Responsible for analysis of genome structure evolution*. DOI: 10.1186/s13059-016-1088-8
- **11** Ross, L. and **H. Blackmon.** Sex Determination. In R. Kliman (Ed.) *Encyclopedia of Evolutionary Biology.* 81-88 Elsevier Academic Press. DOI:10.1016/B978-0-12-800049-6.00146-3
- **10** Adams R.; **H. Blackmon**; J. Reyes-Velasco; D. Schield; D. Card; A. Andrew; N. Waynewood; T. Castoe. Microsatellite landscape evolutionary dynamics across 450 million years of vertebrate genome evolution. *Genome* 59:5, 295-310 *Editor's choice*. DOI: 10.1139/gen-2015-0124

## 2015

- **9 Blackmon**, **H.**, N. Hardy, L. Ross. The evolutionary dynamics of haplodiploidy: genome architecture and haploid viability. *Evolution* 69:11 2971-2978. DOI: 10.1111/evo.12792
- **8 Blackmon, H.**, and J. P. Demuth. The fragile Y hypothesis: Y chromosome aneuploidy as a selective pressure in sex chromosome and meiotic mechanism evolution. *Bioessays* 37:9 942-950. DOI: 10.1002/bies.201500040
- **7 Blackmon, H.**, and J. P. Demuth. Coleoptera Karyotype Database. *The Coleopterists Bulletin* 69:1 174-175. DOI: 10.1649/0010-065X-69.1.174
- **6** Ross, L., **H. Blackmon**, P. Lorite, V. Gokhman, and N. Hardy. Recombination, chromosome number and eusociality in the Hymenoptera. *Journal of Evolutionary Biology* 28:1 105-116. DOI: 10.1111/jeb.12543
- **5 Blackmon, H.**, and J. P. Demuth. Genomic origins of insect sex chromosomes. *Current Opinion in Insect Science* 7 45-50. *recommended by Faculty of 1000*. DOI: 10.1016/j.cois.2014.12.003

## 2014

- **4 Blackmon, H.**, and J. P. Demuth. Estimating tempo and mode of Y chromosome turnover: explaining Y chromosome loss with the fragile Y hypothesis. *Genetics* 197:2 561-572. DOI: 10.1534/genetics.114.164269
- **3** Streicher, J. W., T. J. Devitt, C. S. Goldberg, J. H. Malone, **H. Blackmon**, and M. K. Fujita. Diversification and asymmetrical gene flow across time and space: lineage sorting and hybridization in polytypic barking frogs. *Molecular Ecology* 23:13 3273-3291. DOI: 10.1111/mec.12814
- **2** Ashman T., D. Bachtrog, **H. Blackmon**, E.E. Goldberg, M.W. Hahn, M. Kirkpatrick, J. Kitano, J.E. Mank, I. Mayrose, R. Ming, S.P. Otto, C.L. Peichel, M.W. Pennell, N. Perrin, L. Ross, N. Valenzuela, and J.C. Vamosi. Tree of Sex: A database of sexual systems. *Nature Scientific Data* 1:140015. responsible for 11,526 invertebrate records and all figures. DOI: 10.1038/sdata.2014.15

**1 Blackmon, H.**, and J. P. Demuth. Ring Species and Speciation. *Encyclopedia of Life Science*. www.els.net. DOI: 10.1002/9780470015902.a0001751.pub3

### **SOFTWARE AND DATABASES**

## R Packages

- 1. chromePlus: Probabilistic models of chromosome evolution <a href="https://github.com/coleoguy/chromePlus/">https://github.com/coleoguy/chromePlus/</a>
- SAGA2: Software for the Analysis of Genetic Architecture. https://github.com/coleoguy/SAGA2
- 3. EvobiR: Evolutionary biology analysis in R. https://github.com/coleoguy/EvobiR
- 4. micRocounter: Microsatellite quantification. https://github.com/johnathanlo/micRocounter

#### **Databases**

- 1. Karyotype Database. <a href="https://karyotype.org">https://karyotype.org</a>
- 2. Tree of Sex Database. https://treeofsex.org

## **Pedagogy**

1. PopGenSim: Wright-Fisher Simulator <a href="https://github.com/coleoguy/popgensim">https://github.com/coleoguy/popgensim</a>

#### **INVITED SEMINARS**

#### 2019

Making sense of biological data with Bayesian approaches, Statistics symposium; Texas A&M University The evolution of alternative forms of meiosis, Reproductive biology group; Texas A&M University CVM Drivers of Chromosome Evolution across the tree of life; Evolution Conference; Spotlight talk Evolution of Genome Architecture; Texas A&M University; Department of Entomology Theoretical Approaches in Evolutionary Biology; Texas A&M University; Department of Math

### 2018

Effective population size and chromosome evolution; University of Arizona; Department of Ecology, Evolution and Behavior

Linking traits and rates in comparative analyses; Saint Edwards University; Department of Biology

Outreach Symposium – Success entering graduate school; Saint Edwards University; Department of Biology

2017

Causes of chromosome evolution; Louisiana State University; Department of Biology
Evolution of genome organization; University of Houston; Department of Biology and Biochemistry
Karyotype evolution in arthropods; Texas A&M University; Genetics and Genomics Seminar Series
The evolutionary fate of Y chromosomes; Texas A&M University; Biology Department
The evolutionary fate of Y chromosomes; University of Minnesota, Department of Plant and Microbial Biology
2016

#### 2010 The in

The impact of binary traits on rates of chromosome evolution; Tel Aviv University, Department of Plant Biology The fragile Y Hypothesis; James F. Crow early career researcher award symposium - GSA. Florida **2015** 

Y chromosome evolution and it impact on meiosis; American Genetics Association: President's Symposium, Bainbridge Washington

## 2013

Karyotype evolution in Coleoptera; University of Texas at Austin, Department of Population Biology

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS** (T – talk, P – poster, † coauthored with a student/postdoc)

### 2019

- The impact of operational sex ratio bias on sexually antagonistic variation in finite populations; Evolution Conference. Rhode Island – P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Julio Rincones-Gamboa)
- Evolution of chromosome number and sex chromosomes in Polyneoptera; Evolution Conference. Rhode Island P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Terrence Sylvester)

- The evolution of microsatellite content during the evolution of insects; Evolution Conference. Rhode Island P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Michelle Jonika)
- Tempo and Mode of Microsatellite Evolution in Insects; Texas Genetic Society Meeting. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Michelle Jonika)
- micRocounter: and R package for microsat analysis; Texas Genetic Society Meeting. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Johnathan Lo)
- Operational Sex Ratio Bias and the fate of sexually antagonistic variation; Texas Genetic Society Meeting.
   Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Amy Shum and David Gafford-Gabey)
- Chromosome evolution in Polyneoptera; Texas Genetic Society Meeting. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Terrence Sylvester)
- Incorporating environmental and sex effects in line-cross analysis; Texas Genetic Society Meeting. Texas
   A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Andrew Armstrong)
- How much water is in the fountain of youth 1<sup>st</sup> place undergraduate poster; Texas Genetic Society Meeting.
   Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Andrew Anderson)
- Tempo and Mode of Microsatellite Evolution in Insects; Genetics Recruiting Seminar. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (coauthor Michelle Jonika)
- micRocounter: and R package for microsat analysis; Student Research Week. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Johnathan Lo)
- Operational Sex Ratio Bias and the fate of sexually antagonistic variation; Student Research Week. Texas
   A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Amy Shum and David Gafford-Gabey)
- Chromosome evolution in Polyneoptera; Student Research Week. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Terrence Sylvester)
- Incorporating environmental and sex effects in line-cross analysis; Student Research Week. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup>
  (co-author Andrew Armstrong)
- How much water is in the fountain of youth; Student Research Week. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Andrew Anderson)
- *Microsatellite content in hexapods*; Student Research Week. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Michelle Jonika)
- Amphibian chromosome number evolution; Student Research Week. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Riddhi Perkins)

- Detection of temporal correlations in trait evolution; Texas Genetics Society. Texas A&M P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Nathan Anderson)
- Promises and perils of environmental variation Software for the Analysis of Genetic Architecture; Texas Genetics Society. Texas A&M - P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Andrew Armstrong) - Best undergraduate poster

#### 2017

- Inference of outlier loci in population genomic studies; Society for the Study of Evolution. Oregon T<sup>†</sup> (coauthor Richard A. Adams)
- The evolution of transfer RNA genes in Tigriopus californicus; Society for the Study of Evolution. Oregon P<sup>†</sup>
  (co-author Eric Watson)
- Life history predict evolutionary patterns in P53 network; Society for the Study of Evolution. Oregon P<sup>†</sup> (coauthor Erin Gilbertson)
- Gene loss in reptile lineages; Society for the Study of Evolution. Oregon P<sup>†</sup> (co-author Courtney Passow)
- Short-term resolution of sexual antagonism leads to long-term Y chromosome instability; Society for the Study of Evolution. Oregon P

#### 2016

- Chromosome number evolution in beetles; Society for the Study of Evolution. Texas. P
- Software for the Analysis of Genetic Architecture: SAGA; Society for the Study of Evolution. Texas. P

#### 2015

 Fragile Y chromosomes may be common across the tree of life; University of Minnesota Postdoctoral Symposium. – P

- A three locus 2 allele model of chromosome aneuploidy; University of Minnesota theory group T
- The causes and consequences of karyotype evolution in invertebrates; University of Texas at Arlington, Exit Seminar – T
- Transitions in life history lead to higher rates of chromosome evolution; University of Texas at Arlington, Genome Biology Group. T

- SilicoPainter an R package to perform in-silico chromosome painting; Arthropod Genomics Conference,
   Notre Dame, Indiana. P
- Y chromosome loss is driven by meiotic mechanisms; University of Texas at Arlington, Genome Biology Group. – T

### 2012

- Evolution of sex chromosome systems in Coleoptera; Society for the Study of Evolution. Canada. P **2011**
- Chromosome number variation across 1000 Beetles; Society for the Study of Evolution. Oklahoma. P

### **AWARDS AND MINOR GRANTS**

2016	Outstanding presentation University of Minnesota postdoctoral seminar
	Finalist James F. Crow early career researcher award
2010-2015	Carrizo Oil and Gas Doctoral Student Fellowship – \$10,000
	STEM Fellowship – \$104,000
2014	Learning Community Grant - University of Texas at Arlington – \$500
	Writing Fellowship - University of Texas at Arlington – \$6,726
	Eck Institute for Global Health Travel Grant – \$600
2013	Excellence in Teaching Award - \$500
2012	NESCent Working Group Travel Funds – \$2,300
	Department Travel Grant – \$1,125
2010	The Utley Graduate Fellowship - \$2,000

### **STUDENT'S ACHIEVEMENTS**

2020 Barry Goldwater Scholarship – J. Lo Astronaut Scholarship – J. Lo

### **OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

2018	Scientific Consultant The Evolution of Insects by Christine Evans, Abdo Publishing
2010 – presen	t Coleopterists Corner - blog. 100+ posts. 1,000+ views/month
2014	Blackmon, H. Coleoptera Karyotypes: The evolution of sex chromosomes and
	chromosome number. Newsletter of the Ontario Entomological Society 19:2 19–21

### **ADDITIONAL TRAINING**

2016	Software Carpentry Instructor Training
2015	CIRTL Associate level certification in STEM teaching
2014	Bark Beetle Academy; University of Florida
2012	Bodega Phylogenetics Workshop; University of California Davis
2011	Geometric Morphometrics Workshop; University of Manchester

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

U – undergraduate G – graduate

Average student evaluation for all classes taught at Texas A&M 4.5/5

Directed graduate study

Each semester I provide an evolutionary theory journal club and an EEB book club.

Semester	Enrollment	Journal club topic	Book covered:
2020 Winter	20	NA	NextGen Ph.D.: Sinche
2020 Fall	16	Theory in genomics	Genes categories and species: Hey
2020 Summer	16	Phylogenetics	Evolution of Sex Determination: Bull
2020 Spring	14	Sexual antagonism	Inferring phylogenies: Felsenstein
2019 Fall	12	Population genetics	Evolution by gene duplication: Ohno
2019 Spring	6	Foundations of EEB	Origin of species: Darwin
2018 Fall	8	Recent advances in EEB	Evolutionary theory: Rice
2018 Spring	10	Phylogenetics	Adaptation: Williams

U 72 students

# Developed curricula and primary instructor

**Bioinfromatics** 

2020	Experimental design	G 32 students
2019	R for Bioinformatics	G 12 students
2019	Experimental design	G 23; U 2 students
2019	EEB: Phylogenetics module	G 15 students
2018	Experimental design	G 13 students
2018	EEB: Phylogenetics module	G 7 students
2013	Introduction to R for Biologists	G 12 students
2011	Entomology Laboratory	U 60 students

## Teaching assistant

2020

2016	Biostatistics	U 60 students
2014	Bioinformatics	G 21 students

## Laboratory instructor

2014-2015	Anatomy and Physiology I	U 96 students
2014	Anatomy and Physiology II	U 72 students
2013-2015	Research Methods	U 76 students
2012	Zoology	U 46 students
2010	Introductory Biology (majors)	U 72 students
uest lectures		

## Gu

2019	Guest Lectures: phylogenetics	U 42 students
2019	Guest Lecture: population size	U 60 students
2016	Measurement error in PCMs	G 6 students
2015	Reproducible research in R	G 15 students
2014	Phyloinformatics	G 21 students
2012	Graphing in R	G 21 students
2011	Ancestral State Reconstruction	G 14 students
2011	Evolution and Ecology of Insects	U 191 students

#### **MENTORING**

### **Postdoc**

Carl Hjelmen

### **Current Graduate Students in Blackmon Lab**

Terrence SylvesterChairTAMU-BiologyPh.D.Michelle JonikaChairTAMU-GeneticsPh.D.Jamie AlfieriChairTAMU-EEBPh.D.

#### **Current Graduate Students Mentored**

Jenna Hulke Member TAMU-Biology
Kasuni Daundasekara Member TAMU-Biology
Kevin Bredemeyer Member TAMU-Genetics
Sarah O'Leary Member TAMU-Genetics
Mateo Garcia Member TAMU-EEB

Constance Lin Member TAMU-Entomology

Stephen Bovio Member TAMU-EEB
Xue Fan Member TAMU-Statistics

Nicholas Farmer Member TAMU-Plant pathology

Breann Richey Member TAMU-EEB
Emma Lehmberg Member TAMU-EEB
Ashley Marchand Member TAMU-Genetics

#### **Former Graduate Students**

Sarah Ruckman Chair TAMU-EEB
Andrew Anderson Co-Chair TAMU-Biology
Andrew Sakla Member TAMU-Biology

Roberto Garcia Intern Sponsor University of Sonora-Entomology
Luke Bower Member TAMU-Wildlife and Fisheries

Alexis Earl Statistical consultation TAMU-WFSC

# UNDERGRADUATES MENTORED (\* Published peer reviewed manuscripts while in lab)

Nathan Anderson\*Alli KonstantinovAmy Shum\*Andrew Armstrong\*Johnathan Lo\*Eleanor SimpsonTiffany BrownAthena MyerKayla WilhoitDavid Gafford-GabbeyRiddhi Perkins\*Madyson Wynn

Mayra Gonzalez Julia Plocica
Shawn Hingo Paulina Serra Rossi

### PEER REVIEW (NUMBER OF REVIEWS)

ABDO Publishing (1) Genetics (3)

Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences (1) Genome Biology and Evolution (7)

Applications in Plant Science (2)

Axios (1)

BMC Genomics (1)

Genomics (2)

Heredity (4)

Cambridge University Press (1) Intl Jrnl of Gynecology and Obstetrics Research (1)

Cells (1) Journal of Genetics and Genomics (1)

European Journal of Entomology (1) Journal of Heredity (2)

Evolution (3) Molecular Biology and Evolution (5)
G3: Genes|Genomes|Genetics (1) Molecular Ecology Resources (2)

Genes (9) Myrmecological News (1)

National Science Foundation – panelist (2) PLoS One (1)

Proceedings of the Royal Society B (1) National Science Foundation – ad hoc reviewer

Nature Scientific Reports (4)

New Phytologist (1)

PeerJ (2)

PLoS Genetics (1)

Systematic Biology (1) Zoological Science (1)

Zoologic Journal of the Linean Society (1)

# **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

**Genetics Society of America** American Genetics Association **Texas Genetics Society** American Society of Naturalists Society for the Study of Evolution Coleopterists Society

## **UNIVERSITY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

2020-present	Undergraduate program committee
2020-present	Texas A&M Taskforce for Women's Health and Sex Differences
2020-present	Biology head search committee
2020-present	College of Science IT head search
2019-present	TAMU Coffee Club faculty advisor
2018-present	Texas Genetics Society board member
2017-present	Aggie Vets who Code organizer and director
2017-present	Biology Department Graduate Recruitment & Admissions Committee (2020-Chair)
2018-2020	Genetics IDP outreach committee
2018-2020	Biology department student and postdoc research conference committee
2019-2020	Biology department faculty search committee
2020	Committee for design of new biological sciences building
2019	Society for Systematic Biology Maximizing Human Diversity in Systematic Panel
2019 November	Organized and led R Hackday (40 graduate, 2 undergraduate, 2 faculty)
2019 June	Midwest Phylogenetics Workshop (1 Week workshop)
2019 April	Organized and taught Intro to R for biologists at Texas Genetics Society meeting
2019 March	Organized and led R Hackday (38 graduate, 3 undergraduate, 3 faculty)
2018	Research presentation for TAMU Science Leadership Scholars Program
2016–2018	Genetics Society of America Board of directors – postdoctoral representative
	Grant review for Phi Sigma Biological Sciences Honor Society;
2016	The Allied Genetics Conference GSA poster judge
	software Carpentry Instructor: Reproducible research in R - 4 hour module
2010–2015	Elementary and Middle School Hands on Science Programs:
	Scientific Inference - Fossils and Skeletons: 213 students
	Insects Adaptation: 69 students
2015	Organize and facilitate the EvolTwin group (evolution group in the Twin Cities)
2015	Software Carpentry Class at University of Texas at Arlington; assistant
	Organized and led reading group – Primary literature in undergraduate biology
2014	Formed and moderated foundations of evolutionary biology graduate study group
2012	Session Moderator for ACES conference
	Faculty search committee — graduate student representative
2011	Judge for Undergraduate Research Posters at LSAM Conference

## REFERENCES

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