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RESEARCH INTERESTS

My research concerns the challenges involved in conserving biodiversity. I am interested in understanding how areas can be managed to achieve conservation objectives for minimal cost. In particular, I specialize in operationalizing ecological and evolutionary processes to develop plans for protected area systems that maximize the long-term persistence of biodiversity.

EDUCATION

2013–2018 PhD, Biology, The University of Queensland, Australia (Advisors: Richard Fuller and Jonathon Rhodes, thesis: *Conserving evolutionary processes.*)

2011–2012 BS (Hons), First Class, The University of Queensland, Australia (Advisors: Steve Salisbury, Craig Franklin, Hamish Campbell, and Ross Dwyer, thesis: *Using stable isotopes to assess the relationship between body-size, habitat use and diet in estuarine crocodiles (Crocodylus porosus)*)

2007–2010 BS, Major in Ecology, The University of Queensland, Australia

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

2012–2013 Research Assistant to Richard Fuller, The University of Queensland, Australia

2012–2013 Research Assistant to Jonathon Rhodes, The University of Queensland, Australia

2012 Casual Professional Staff, The School of Biological Sciences, The University of Queensland, Australia

EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Classroom Instruction, The University of Queensland, Australia

2013–2015   Professional tutor to the "Field Ecology" course, coordinated by Myron Zalucki

Workshop Instruction

2017   *Use of Machine Learning in Conservation, Moving beyond just Maxent and SDMs* coordinated by Falk Huettmann at the 28th International Congress for Conservation Biology (ICCB), Cartagena, Colombia.

2015   *Geospatial Analysis in R* coordinated by Hawthorne Beyer, Rebbecca Runting and Jutta Beher at the Student Conference of Conservation Science, Australia.

            Smoothing the Marxan Flow with R coordinated by Matthew Watts at the Student Conference of Conservation Science, Australia.

2013   *Introduction to Geospatial Analysis* coordinated by Hawthorne Beyer at The University of Queensland, Australia.

            Introduction to Spatial Data Analysis in R workshop coordinated by Hawthorne Beyer at The University of Queensland, Australia.

2011   *Introducing R* coordinated by Simon Blomberg at The University of Queensland, Australia.

PUBLICATIONS

Journal articles

2019   **Hanson JO**, Fuller RA, & Rhodes JR (2019) Conventional methods for enhancing connectivity in conservation planning do not always maintain gene flow. *Journal of Applied Ecology*, 56: 913–922.

2018   **Hanson JO**, Rhodes JR, Possingham HP & Fuller RA (2018) raptr: Representative and Adequate Prioritization Toolkit in R. *Methods in Ecology & Evolution*, 9: 320–330.

2017   **Hanson JO**, Rhodes JR, Riginos C & Fuller RA (2017) Environmental and geographic variables are effective surrogates for genetic variation in conservation planning. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*, 114: 12755–12760.

            Mather AT, **Hanson JO**, Pope LC & Riginos C (2017) Comparative phylogeography of two co-distributed but ecologically distinct rainbowfishes of far-northern Australia. *Journal of Biogeography*, 45: 127–141.

2016	Dhanjal-Adams KL, **Hanson JO**, Murray NJ, Phinn SR, Wingate VR, Mustin K, Lee JR, Allan JR, Cappadonna JL, Studds CE, Clemens RS, Roelfsema CM & Fuller RA (2016) Distribution and protection of intertidal habitats in Australia. *Emu* **116**: 208–214.
	Dudaniec RY, Worthington Wilmer J, **Hanson JO**, Warren M, Bell S & Rhodes JR (2016) Dealing with uncertainty in landscape genetic resistance models: a case of three co-occurring marsupials. *Molecular Ecology*, **25**: 470–486.
2015	Auerbach NA, Wilson KA, Tulloch AI, Rhodes JR, **Hanson JO** & Possingham HP (2015) Effects of threat management interactions on conservation priorities. *Conservation Biology*, **29**: 1626–1635.
	Bunton JD, Ernst AT, **Hanson JO**, Beyer HL, Hammill E, Runge CA, Venter O, Possingham HP & Rhodes JR (2015) Integrated planning of linear infrastructure and conservation offsets. In Weber, T, McPhee, MJ & Andersson RS (eds) *MODSIM 2015, 21st International Congress on Modelling and Simulation*. Modelling and Simulation Society of Australia and New Zealand, December 2015, pp. 1427–1433.
	Hanson JO, Salisbury SW, Campbell HA, Dwyer RG, Jardine TD & Franklin CE (2015) Feeding across the food web: the interaction between diet, movement and body size in estuarine crocodiles (*Crocodylus porosus*). *Austral Ecology*, **40**: 275–286.
	Rabeb D, Othman DS, Essilfie AT, Hansbro PM, **Hanson JO**, McEwan AG & Kappler U (2015) Maturation of molybdoenzymes and its influence on the pathogenesis of non-typeable *Haemophilus* influenzae. *Frontiers in Microbiology*, **6**: 01219.
	Runge CA, Watson JEM, Butchart HM, **Hanson JO**, Possingham HP & Fuller RA (2015) Protected areas and global conservation of migratory birds. *Science*, **350**: 1255–1258.

Popular science articles

| 2015 | Beher J & **Hanson JO** (2015) Welcome to the Mapotron. *Decision Point*, **86**: 10–11. |

PEER REVIEW ACTIVITIES

I have reviewed submissions to following journals: *Austral Ecology*, *Conservation Letters*, *Diversity and Distributions*, *Global Change Biology*, and *PLoS ONE*.

PRESENTATIONS

Conference presentations

2018   **Hanson JO**, Schuster R, Morrell N, Strimas-Mackey M, Watts ME, Arcese P, Bennett JR, Possingham HP (2018) prioritizr: Systematic conservation prioritization in R. Oral presentation to UseR! 2018, Brisbane, Australia.

2016   **Hanson JO**, Rhodes JR, Possingham HP, Fuller RA (2016) RAPR: Representative and Adequate Prioritizations in R. Oral presentation to Society for Conservation Biology 4th Oceania Congress, Brisbane, Australia.

2014   **Hanson JO**, Rhodes JR, Fuller RA (2014) Conservation planning for intra-specific biodiversity using surrogates. Oral presentation to the Meeting of the Minds mini-conference at The University of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia.

Seminars

2017   *Systematic conservation prioritization in R* presented to members of the Center for Biodiversity and Conservation Science at The University of Queensland, Australia.

2016   *Biodiversity processes in reserve-selection* presented to members of the Center for Biodiversity and Conservation Science at The University of Queensland, Australia.

Scientific meetings and networking events

2018   rOpenSci Unconference, Melbourne, Australia.

2017   R Unconference hosted by the Brisbane Users of R Group, Brisbane, Australia.

2016   rOpenSci Unconference, Brisbane, Australia.

SELECTED PROJECTS

raptr   An R package for generating spatial prioritizations that capture within feature variation (e.g. intra-specific genetic variation). Available at https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=raptr.

prioritizr   An R package for designing and solving conservation planning problems. Available at https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=prioritizr.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

- Compute resource allocation by the National eResearch Collaboration Tools and Resources (NeCTAR) project (2017)

- Postgraduate Travel Award Scholarship, The School of Biological Sciences, The University of Queensland, Australia (2016)

- Australian Postgraduate Award (APA) Scholarship (2013)