# Dongmin (Dennis) Kim

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# **Education**

2019-2024	<b>Ph.D.</b> , Ecology, Evolution, and Behavior, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
	(Advisors: Allison Shaw and John Fieberg)
2013-2019	B.A., Statistics, University of Minnesota, Morris

# **Primary Academic Appointments**

2024+	Postdoctoral Researcher, Department of Ecology, Evolution, and Behavior
	University of Minnesota (Advisor: Jesus Pinto-Ledezma)
2024+	Postdoctoral Researcher, Department of Organismic and Evolutionary Biology
	Harvard University (Advisor: Paul Moorcroft)

# Other Academic Appointments

2024+	Research Associate, Animal-Environment Interactions  May Planck Institute of Animal Rehavior (Advisor Komran Sofi)
	Max Planck Institute of Animal Behavior (Advisor: Kamran Safi)
2022+	Research Associate, Conservation Ecology Center
	Smithsonian Conservation Biology Institute (Advisor: Jared Stabach)
2022	Smithsonian Institution Fellow, Migratory Bird Center
	Smithsonian Conservation Biology Institute (Advisor: Autumn-Lynn Harrison)

# Fellowships, honors and awards

2023-2024	University of Minnesota - Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship (\$26,000)
2022-2023	National Science Foundation (NSF) - INTERN Award (\$50,329)
2022	Smithsonian Institution Fellowship (\$11,200)
2022	World Wildlife Fund (WWF) BRIDGE Data Science Intern (declined)
2021-2023	University of Minnesota - Graduate Summer Fellowship (\$14,570)
2019	Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) Inclusive Excellence Teaching Assistant
	Fellowship (\$1,000)

## Peer reviewed publications

#### Published/In Press

- J1. AK, S., L, F., S, M., **Kim D**, N, C., D, W., B, A., N, A., CE, B., R, B., *et al.* Perceived and observed biases within scientific communities: a case study in movement ecology. *Proceedings of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences* (2025).
- J2. E, G., HS, F., TH, P., S, N., SC, G., PA, V., F, F., DG, H., RN, A.-L., JK, A., **Kim D**, *et al.* Same data, different analysts: variation in effect sizes due to analytical decisions in ecology and evolutionary biology. *BMC Biology* (2025).
- J3. A, S., AT, B., C, W., **Kim D**, M, T., N, N., P, L., R, A. & C, S. Six personas to adopt when framing theoretical research questions in biology. *Proceedings of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences* **291** (2024).
- J4. **Kim D**, PR, T., D, W., J, M., LGR, O.-S., JD, F., T, A., MA, L. & J, F. Identifying signals of memory from observations of animal movements. *Movement Ecology* (2024).
- J5. MS, T., DW, W., SM, S., DJ, W., AB, H., **Kim D**, YF, T., GR, K. & DE, A. Conservation of North American migratory birds: insights from emerging technologies. *Avian Conservation and Ecology* (2024).
- J6. N, C., D, W., **Kim D**, J, V., S, F., NM, B., K, S., JC, T. & J, F. Modeling individual variability in habitat selection and movement using integrated step-selection analyses. *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* **15** (2024).
- J7. **Kim D** & AK, S. Migration and tolerance shape host behavior and response to parasites infection. *Journal of Animal Ecology* **90** (2021).

#### Under review

- U1. K, S., S, B., **Kim D**, Y, Y. & S, K. Variation in activity patterns of Japanese serow (Capricornis crispus) across different temporal scales. *European Journal of Wildlife Research* (2025).
- U2. **Kim D**, T, M., K, M., J, S. & J, F. Detecting disease progression from animal movement using hidden Markov models. *Ecology* (2025).

## In preparation

- I1. **Kim D**, T, P., D, W., E, A., P, M. & J, P.-L. Partial migration across space and time: bridging hypotheses and mechanisms. *Ecology Letters (Invitation)*.
- 12. N, C., D, W., **Kim D**, S, F., A, K., J, H. & J, F. Synthesis of methods to analyze responses to linear features using telemetry data.
- 13. R, O., S, Y., L, P., ES D and, ., **Kim D**, *et al.* Seven reasons we need movement-based indicators.

# **Teaching**

2022 FW 5051: Analysis of Population

2019, 2021 EEB 3407/5407: Ecology

2021 EEB 1961: Foundations of Biology Lab I

2018 STAT 3601: Data Analysis 2018 STAT 1601: Intro to Statistics

## Mentoring

2023-2024 Henry Parks (undergraduate)

#### **Presentations**

#### **Talks**

- T1. Harvard University Davies and Moorcroft Labs (*Invitation*). Apr. 2025.
- T2. Smithsonian National Zoological Park Remote Sensing Group (*Invitation*). Aug. 2024.
- T3. Harvard University Moorcroft Lab (Invitation). Sept. 2023.
- T4. University of Minnesota EEB Seminar (*Invitation*). Sept. 2023.

#### **Posters**

- P1. The Wildlife Society (TWS) Annual Conference, KY, USA. Nov. 2023.
- P2. Gordon Research Conference (GRC), Lucca, Italy. May 2023.
- P3. Gordon Research Seminar (GRS), Lucca, Italy. May 2023.
- P4. North American Duck Symposium (NADS), Winnipeg, Canada. Aug. 2019.

### **Academic Service**

### Broadening Representation and Equity With Science (BREWS)

2024-2025 Committee Member

Brainstorm and help organize BREWS seminars and host events that broaden representation and equity within the EEB department.

### **Reviewer Experience**

2024-2025 Manuscript Reviewer: 4 total

- Ecological Monographs 2024
- Ethology 2024
- Nature Reviews Biodiversity 2025
- Movement Ecology 2025

### **Bell Museum Summer Camp**

2024 Mentor

Taught kids learn about animal migration, reduced fear of math, introduction to using conceptual models to study the real world

## Field Guides

2022-2024 Undergraduate Mentor

Mentored undergraduate students broadly interested in ecology, evolution, and behavior to help them find on-campus research positions, connect them with potential employers, help them apply to summer research positions

# Non-academic Career Seminar

2021-2023 Lead organizer

Initiated and organized informal informational interviews with early-career researchers in non-academic positions (PhDs in Ecology, Evolution, Behavior, and Conservation Science)