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# Liliana M. Dávalos

#### Experience

Fall 2008-State University of New York at Stony Brook, USA Current Assistant Professor (2008-2014), Associate Professor (2014-2018), Full Professor (2018-present): Department of Ecology and Evolution, Consortium for Inter-Disciplinary Environmental Research Diversification in species & traits / Genomes & -omes / Tropical deforestation & how to stop it 2007-Current American Museum of Natural History, New York, USA Research Associate, Division of Vertebrate Zoology 2007-2008 Open University, Milton Keynes, UK Lecturer (US equivalent: Assistant Professor): Molecular Ecology 2005-2006 Columbia University, New York, USA Instructor, Department of Ecology, Evolution, and Environmental Biology (E3B) Evolution: from Darwin to DNA 2005-2006 American Museum of Natural History, New York, USA Postdoctoral Research Associate, Pl. Susan L. Perkins Phylogenomics of malaria parasites 2004-2005 University of Arizona, Tucson, USA Postdoctoral Research Associate, PI: Howard Ochman E. coli genomics, pseudogenes 1998-2004 Columbia University and American Museum of Natural History, New York, USA Graduate Fellow in Ecology, Evolution and Environmental Biology, PI: Nancy B. Simmons Phylogenetics, biogeography, Caribbean mammals Biodiversity conservation, armed conflict, illegal markets

- Expedition leader: Tambito (Colombia), Jamaica, Dominican Republic, Trinidad, and Cat Island (Bahamas)
- Teaching assistant: Field Ornithology, People and the Environment

#### 1997-1998 Colombia '98 Expedition

#### Field Researcher

- Organized, raised funds, and conducted field ornithology survey at Serranía de los Churumbelos, site declared National Natural Park Serranía de los Churumbelos on 30 August 2007 partly based on this expedition
- First biologist to visit the Serranía de San Lucas in 50 years, site proposed as National Natural Park Serranía de San Lucas in 2010 partly based on this reconnaissance survey
- Research assistant for "Avifauna of Tambito and Munchique", endorsed by the Cambridge

Expedition Committee and Museo de Historia Natural (Universidad del Cauca), Popayán

1996-1997

Universidad del Valle and Centro Internacional de Agricultura Tropical (CIAT), Cali,
Colombia

Undergraduate fellow at the Biotechnology Research Unit

• Molecular genetics of resistance to Hoja Blanca virus (HBV) in rice

## 1994-1996 <u>Universidad del Valle, Cali, Colombia</u>

#### **Teaching Assistant**

Three courses: Ecology, Evolution, and Quantitative Genetics

## Education

2001-2004	Columbia University, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences (GSAS)	PhD (May) Ecology, Evolution, and Environmental Biology
1998-2001	Columbia University, GSAS	MPhil (Oct) Ecology and Evolutionary Biology
1998-2001	Columbia University, School of International and Public Affairs	(Oct) Certificate in Environmental Policy Studies
1998-2000	Columbia University, GSAS	MA (Feb) Ecology and Evolutionary Biology
1991-1997	Universidad del Valle	BSc (Oct) Biology with emphasis in Genetics

## Current grant funding (percent of applications funded)

2019-2022	"Regrowing the brain: evolution and mechanisms of seasonal reversible size changes in a mammal"
	co-PI, Human Frontiers of Science Program, \$327,261 to SBU, \$1,050,000 total. (4%)
2018-2020	"The Very Extended Phenotype: Connecting genetics and evolution to ecosystem function" co-PI,
	internal SBU funding \$70,000 total. (6.8%)
2019-2021	"SESYNC Pursuit: The death and life of biodiversity: modeling extinction and resilience on islands"
	joint PI with Siobhán Cooke, Alexis Mychajliw, Angelo Soto & Nathan Upham, National Socio-
	Environmental Synthesis Center, travel costs for 15 participants in three workshops. (N/A)
2018-2020	"RoL: FELS: EAGER: Genomics of exceptions to scaling of longevity to body size" PI, National Science
	Foundation, \$148,060 to SBU, \$299,735 total. (N/A)
2018-2019	"Seed Grants Colciencias-NSF: Assessing the genomic, transcriptomic and microbiomic basis of
	biodiversity for the post-conflict Era" PI, \$20,000 to Instituto Humboldt (Colombia). (N/A)
2017-2019	"Dissertation Research: Detecting adaptive evolution of gene duplication in olfactory receptors" PI,
	National Science Foundation, \$18,760 total. (24%)
2016-2022	"NRT-DESE: Interdisciplinary Graduate Training to Understand and Inform Decision Processes Using
	Advanced Spatial Data" co-PI, National Science Foundation, \$2,994,707 total. (8%)
2015-2020	"Chance or necessity? Adaptive vs. non adaptive evolution in plant-frugivore interactions" PI,
	National Science Foundation, \$246,000 to SBU, \$796,000 total. (19%)
2014-2019	"Dimensions: Collaborative Research: Discovering genomic and developmental mechanisms that
	underlie sensory innovations critical to adaptive diversification", PI, National Science Foundation,
	\$660,285 to SBU, \$1,911,615 total. (5.2%)

# Honors and Awards (Last 10 years)

2016 Stony Brook University College of Arts and Sciences Teaching Excellence Award for outstanding teaching and true caring for students in and outside of the classroom

- 2013 Certificate of Excellence in Reviewing, Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution, Elsevier
- 2013 Kavli Frontiers of Science Symposium Fellow
- 2012-2013 National Academy of Sciences Education Fellow in the Life Sciences

#### Invited Talks (Last 3 years)

29 August	Dávalos, L.M. & the Bat1K Tean	m. <u>The Genomics of Why There are So Many Species of Bats</u> . Geno	me

- - 10K Annual Meeting. Rockefeller University, New York, New York.
- Dávalos, L.M. Deforestación, Desarrollo y Política Pública. Seminario: ¿El Medio Ambiente Como 6 August
  - Víctima de la Paz? Deforestación y Conservación De Biodiversidad. Universidad de Los Andes, Bogotá, Colombia.
- 3 July 2019 Dávalos, L.M. Genomic Insights into bat Senses. Max Planck Institute for Animal Behavior, Radolfzell, Germany.
- Dávalos, L.M. A Sensory Journey among Hyper Diverse Bats v.2. Student-Invited Speaker organized 9 May 2019 by the Biology Graduate Student Association, University of Missouri at St. Louis, St. Louis, Missouri.
- 1 April 2019 Dávalos, L.M. How to make peace better than war for Colombia's forests. Humboldt University of Berlin Workshop: Post-conflict scenarios of land-use in Colombia, Berlin.
  - Dávalos, L.M. A Sensory Journey among Hyper Diverse Bats. Texas Tech University Biology Seminar,
- March 2019 Lubbock, Texas. Also at the Instituto Humboldt, Venado de Oro (Colombia).
- 5 November Dávalos, L.M. Olfaction in Bats. Natural History of the Senses course at the American Museum of
  - 2018 Natural History, New York, New York.
  - 27 March Dávalos, L.M. Past, present, and future of deforestation in the northwestern Amazon. Student-
    - Invited Speaker at the Ecology, Evolution, and Environmental Biology Seminar, Columbia University, New York, New York.
  - 26 March **Dávalos, L.M**. Dynamics of extinction and survival in the Caribbean and the future of biodiversity.
    - Richard Gilder Graduate School Seminar, American Museum of Natural History, New York, New York.
  - 23 March, **Dávalos, L.M.** Extinction, Extinction: How it Was and How to Stop it From the Miocene to Today.
    - Living World Lecture Series, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, New York.
- 28 February, Dávalos, L.M. Twenty million years of extinction and survival in the Caribbean (v.2). Student-Invited
  - Speaker at the Ecology, Evolution, and Behavior Seminar, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, 2018 Minnesota.
  - 17 August, Dávalos, L.M. Twenty million years of extinction and survival in the Caribbean (v.1). Invited Speaker at the VI Colombian Symposium on Evolutionary Biology, Universidad del Valle, Cali, Colombia.
- Dávalos, L.M. Nexos desarrollo cultivos ilícitos y tres propuestas para el siguiente siglo. Keynote at 17 & 18 July,
  - 2017 Banco de la República Cali & Medellín, Colombia.
  - Dávalos, L.M. ¿De dónde viene y para dónde va la deforestación en Colombia? Keynote at ICESI 17 July,
    - 2017 Cali, Colombia.
  - 12 April, Dávalos, L.M. Models of extinction from the Miocene to the last 40 years. Student-Invited Speaker
    - 2017 at the Students Scholar Day keynote at Grand Valley State University, Allendale, Michigan.
- **Dávalos, L.M.** The importance of models —dynamics of extinction and their drivers from the 16 February,
  - 2017 Miocene to the last 40 years (v. 2). Symposium on Geoecology at the University of Basel, Basel, Switzerland.

Conference Presentations (Last 3 years)

Dávalos, L.M., L.R. Yohe, P. Pulido-Santacruz, M. González, A. McPherran, J.A. Soto-Centeno, D.M. 26 October Morales Martinez, A.J. Lozano Florez, J. Flanders, D. Rojas, W. Frick, & A.P. Corthals. Labs without Borders: Methods for Extracting, Amplifying, and Sequencing in the Field. 49th Annual North

American Symposium on Bat Research, 23-26 October 2019 Kalamazoo, Michigan.

27 October	Dávalos, L.M., W.C. Lancaster, M.S. Nuñez-Novas, Y.M. León, B. Lei, J. Flanders, and A.L. Russell.
2018	Using Genetics to Explain Acoustic Divergence in the Pteronotus parnellii Species Complex. 48th
	Annual North American Symposium on Bat Research, 24-27 October 2018 Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco.
24 July,	<b>Dávalos, L.M.</b> 2017. The forest frontier as the link between conflict risk, coca cultivation and high
2017	<u>biodiversity areas</u> . 28th International Congress for Conservation Biology, July 23-27. Cartagena,
	Colombia.
23 June,	Dávalos, L.M., A. Shankar, and E. Lauterbur. 2017. The unnatural concept of extinction in species-
2017	area relationships and teaching conservation biology. Evolution 2017, 23-27 June. Portland,
	Oregon.
24-25	Dávalos, L.M., E.R. Dumont, D. Rojas, K. Sears, and L.R. Yohe. 2017. All bats are special, but
February,	stenodermatines are more special than others. 5th International Berlin Bat Meeting, 24-26
2017	February. Berlin, Germany.

#### Laboratory Skills

- DNA and RNA extraction, primer design
- PCR technology and troubleshooting, PCR-based cloning, quantitative PCR
- Purification, re-amplification, cycle-sequencing, and automated sequencing of targeted products

#### Computer Skills

- At ease on Unix, Windows, and Macintosh platforms
- Bioinformatics: PERL/BioPERL, MySQL, R statistical language, Jags
- Biostatistics: SPSS, SAS
- GIS: ArcGIS, relevant R packages
- Illustrator, Photoshop, Acrobat, Microsoft Office suite, local and web applications
- Phylogenetics, & molecular evolution: Arlequin, Autodecay, Beast, Beauti, Blastalign, BLAST, Component, Clustal, Dambe, diva, Diva-GIS, Foldalign, Garli, IM, Muscle, MacClade, Mafft, Maxent, Mega, Mesquite, ModelOMatic, Modeltest, MrBayes, Paup\*, PETfold, Pfold, Phylip, Phyml, Sequin, Sequencher, Tracer, Trinity, Vienna RNA package

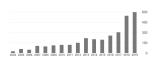
#### Language Skills

First language: Spanish

Most fluent in: English

• Working knowledge in: Portuguese, French

#### **Publications**



Google Scholar (most reliable source for 2 publication names):

H-index: 30, i10-index: 54, total cites: 3278 Most cited paper: Thompson et al. 2017 (404)

Most cited lead author paper: Reddy and Dávalos 2003 (336)

**Peer-reviewed journal articles** (71 published, 5 in process; SBU †undergraduate, ‡graduate, ¢postdoctoral trainee; non SBU °trainee)

- Submitted Potter, J.H.T.\*, R. Drinkwater, K.T. J. Davies°, **M.C. W. Lim**‡, **L.R. Yohe**◊, I. Levantis, B.K. Lim, C.C. Witt, G. Tsagkogeorga, W. Furey, M. J. Whitley, D. Aksentijevic1, **L.M. Dávalos**, S.J. Rossiter. Nectar-feeding bats and birds show parallel molecular adaptations in sugar metabolism enzymes. \*co-corresponding authors. *Science*.
- Submitted Davies, K.°, **L. Yohe**◊, J. Almonte, M. Sánchez, E. Rengifo, E. Dumont, K. Sears, **L.M. Dávalos**, S. Rossiter. Foraging shifts and visual preadaptation in ecologically diverse bats. *Molecular Ecology*.
- Submitted Jebb, D., Z. Huang, M. Pippel, G M. Hughes, K. Lavrichenko, P. Devanna, S. Winkler, L. S. Jermiin, E.C. Skirmuntt, A. Katzourakis, L. Burkitt-Gray, D.A. Ray, K.A.M. Sullivan, **L.M. Dávalos**, Angelique P. Corthals, M.L. Power, G. Jones, R.D. Ransome, D. Dechmann, A.G. Locatelli, S.J. Puechmaille, O. Fedrigo, E.D. Jarvis,, Mark S. Springer, M. Hiller, S.C. Vernes, E.W. Myers, E C. Teeling. Six new reference quality bat genomes illuminate the molecular basis and evolution of bat adaptations. *Nature*.
- Submitted Porzecanski, A.L., A. Bravo, M.J. Groom, **L.M. Dávalos**, N. Bynum, B. Abraham, J.A. Cigliano, C. Griffiths, D. Stokes, M. Cawthorn, D.S. Fernandez, L. Freeman, T. Leslie, T. Theodose, D. Vogler, E.J. Sterling. Improving the Critical Thinking Skills of Undergraduate Conservation Students in One Term. *BioScience*.
- In Review **Shankar, A.**‡, D.R. Powers, **L.M. Dávalos**, C.H. Graham. The allometry of daily energy expenditure in hummingbirds. *Journal of Animal Ecology*.
- Yohe, L.◊\*, P. Devanna\*, K.T.J. Davies, J.H.T. Potter, S.J. Rossiter, E.C. Teeling, S. Vernes#, L.M.

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- Hedrick, B., G. Mutumi°, D. Munteanu, A. Sadier°, K. Davies°, S. Rossiter, K. Sears, **L. Dávalos**, E. Dumont. Morphological diversification under high integration in a hyper diverse mammal clade. *Journal of Mammalian Evolution*. DOI: 10.1007/s10914-019-09472-x
- 2019 **Lim, M.**‡, C. Witt, C. Graham, **L.M. Dávalos**. Parallel molecular evolution in pathways, genes, and sites in high-elevation hummingbirds revealed by comparative transcriptomics. *Genome Biology and Evolution* **11**(6): 1552–1572. DOI: 10.1093/gbe/evz101
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   \*Corresponding author. DOI: 10.1177/1866802X1801000204
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#### University Teaching

Undergraduate courses taught at SUNY Stony Brook

4.0 credits Statistics and Data Analysis: A Conceptual Approach, BIO 211, Fall 2017-current 3.0 credits Conservation Biology, BIO 336 offered first Spring 2010, then Fall 2010-current

1.5 credits/instructor General Ecology, BIO113 (with D. Padilla) 2010

Undergraduate Research Supervising (molecular and bioinformatics lab) and Mentoring

Summer 2019-current
Spring 2018-Spring 2019
Summer-Fall 2018
Summer 2017
Fall 2014-Spring 2017
Spring 2014-Spring 2016

Clara Tucker
Sarah Heder
Kaitlyn Malewicz
Yakov Pichkar
John Navilio
Greg Poterewicz

Summer 2015-Spring Ramatu Abubakar (SBU), Sanah Afzal (John Jay College), Margarita Bartasunaite (John

2016 Jay College), Bhavana Patil (SBU)

Spring 2013 Rachel Lohrdal (Anthropology program)

Fall 2012-Spring 2013

Fall 2012-Spring 2013

Summer 2010-Fall 2010

Spring 2010

Spring 2010

Spring 2010

Fall 2009-Spring 2011

Fall 2009-Spring 2010

Yesha Shah

Donald J. Pantino

Melissa Zheng

Alexander Lucaci

Tiffany Wang

Anne Szeto

Rosa Guerrero

Spring 2009 Co-advised undergraduate engineering students Muhammad Hussain, Kevin Li and

Jawad Rana, 3rd place winners of the 2009 Ureca! Competition

Graduate courses and seminars taught

Intensive 3 3-hr –session Taller de escritura científica en ecología y biología evolutiva (Scientific writing workshop

workshop for ecology and evolutionary biology) 11-12 March 2019 at Universidad Nacional of

Colombia. With Danny Rojas and Laurel Yohe.

2.0 credits Seminar on the ecology and evolutionary biology of early state formation, BEE 692 2018

4 lectures on Principles of Evolution BEE551 Fall 2013

phylogenetics

Intensive 3 8-hr day Análisis Espacial para la Conservación de la Biodiversidad y Manejo de Paisajes

workshop Tropicales (Spatial Analysis for Biodiversity Conservation and Tropical Landscape

Management) 8-10 July 2013 at Universidad Nacional of Colombia

2 lectures Principles of Evolution BEE551 Fall 2012

2.0 credits/person Principles and Applications of Ecology and Evolution BEE 576 (currently with J.

Gurevitch) offered every Fall 2011-2016

3.0 credits Conservation Biology, BEE 572 offered Fall 2010-current

1.0 credit Seminar on the evolutionary consequences of anthropogenic activities, BEE 692 (with

W. Aguirre) 2009

Dissertation and other advising

Joined PhD Fall 2019

Joined PhD Fall 2018

Joined PhD Fall 2018

Joined PhD Fall 2017

Joined PhD Fall 2017

Joined PhD Fall 2014

Anna McPherran, SBU-Ecology and Evolution

Kristjan Mets, SBU-Ecology and Evolution

Joined PhD Fall 2012 Fanny Cornejo, SBU-Anthropology (co-advised with P. Wright)

E&E PhD, Spring 2019 M. Elise Lauterbur, SBU-Ecology and Evolution (co-advised with P. Wright)

E&E PhD, Fall 2018 Marisa Lim SBU-Ecology and Evolution (co-advised with C. Graham)

E&E MA, Spring 2018 Elizabeth Fitzgerald, SBU-Ecology and Evolution E&E MA, Spring 2018 Alexander Lengers, SBU-Ecology and Evolution Laurel Yohe, SBU-Ecology and Evolution

E&E MA, Spring 2017 Katherine (Katie) R. Martin, SBU-Ecology and Evolution

MSc, Fall 2014 Maria Alejandra Chadid, masters student at *Universidad Nacional* (Bogota, Colombia)

E&E MA, Spring 2014 Xiayou Zhang, SBU-Ecology and Evolution E&E MA dropout Spring Shaelyn Bishop, SBU-Ecology and Evolution

2014

E&E MA, Spring 2014 Samantha DelSerra, SBU-Ecology and Evolution
E&E MA, Spring 2014 Romain Dahan, SBU-Ecology and Evolution
E&E MA, Spring 2013 Genna Tudda, SBU-Ecology and Evolution

BSc, Spring 2011 Miguel Santiago Núñez, undergraduate student at *Universidad Autónoma de Santo* 

Domingo (UASD)

E&E MA, Spring 2011 Aaron Goldberg, SBU-Ecology and Evolution
E&E MA, Spring 2011 Amanda Crow, SBU-Ecology and Evolution
E&E MA, Spring 2011 Alison Onstine, SBU-Ecology and Evolution

Dissertation committees David Carlson (SBU-E&E), James Herrera (SBU-Anthropology, graduated Spring 2015),

Joseph Kelly (SBU-E&E), Maureen Lynch (SBU-E&E), Shannon Morgan (SUNY Albany, graduated Spring 2015), Miguel Pinto (CUNY-Graduate Center, graduated Fall 2014), Lisa Prowant (SBU-E&E), Vladimir Rojas (Universidad del Valle-Biology, graduated Fall 2012), Ryan Rothman (SBU-Anthropology), Haeyeong Ryu (SBU-E&E, MA Fall 2016), Gena Sbeglia (SBU-E&E, graduated Spring 2017), Anusha Shankar (SBU-E&E, graduated Fall 2019), Nicolette Sipperly (SBU-E&E), Mihir Umarani (SBU-E&E), David Vanier

(IDPAS), Nicolas Wiggenhauser SBU-(IDPAS)

Postdoctoral supervising

Summer 2019 Dr. Elise Lauterbur (postdoctoral fellow at University of Arizona)
Summer 2017-Spring Dr. Laurel Yohe (NSF postdoctoral fellow at Yale University)

2018

Spring 2013-Fall 2016 Dr. Danny Rojas (Assistant Professor at Universidad Javeriana, Cali, Colombia)
Fall 2013-Summer 2015 Dr. Marianne Moore (Assistant Professor at Arizona State University, Mesa)

Lab rotation

Fall 2009 Emmanuel Asare (Genetics program)

Guest lectures

Spring 2015 1 lecture and discussion to undergraduate student of Tembo: the Wildlife Conservation

Society of Stony Brook University

Fall 2013 1 lecture in BEE585 Research Design and Analysis in Ecology and Evolution, instructor:

Jessica Gurevitch

Spring 2013 1 lecture in Anthropology 360 Primate Conservation, instructor: Patricia Wright
Fall 2012 1 lecture in History 380 Topics in Latin American History, instructor: Paul Gootenberg

#### Department Service

Spring 2019 Chair, preliminary exam committee

Fall 2017 Evaluator for BIO204 Phylogenetics lab session

Fall 2012-present Department representative at Undergraduate Biology Executive Committee

Spring 2013-Fall 2015 Member, Masters program executive committee.
Fall 2012-Spring 2013 Member Ecology and Evolution Chair search committee

Summer 2012 Department representative at Howard Hughes Medical Institute and the National

Academies Summer Institutes for Undergraduate Education

Spring 2012 Chair of PhD admissions committee

Fall 2011 Member faculty search committee, human genomics/genetics hire for Human Evolution

**UG** major

Fall 2010-Spring 2011 ESAC (second year student advisory committee)
Spring 2010 Ecology and Evolution Strategic Planning Committee

Spring 2009 Ecology and Evolution Graduate Program Admissions committee

Fall 2008-current Member Steering Committee, SBU-BNL Center for Impacts of Regional Climate Change

#### University Service

Fall 2019-present Member Advisory Board for Institute for Global Studies
Fall 2019 Member search committee SOMAS ecologist hire

Spring 2019 Member Dean's committee on Global Environment/Energy and Natural Resources

Spring 2018-Spring 2019 Member search committee joint TBI-E&E hire

Spring 2017 Lab selected for Stony Brook University promotional video "The Future is Now"

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J1Zg7 QT1zY

Spring 2016-Spring 2017 Diversity Working Group

Fall 2016-Spring 2017 Member search committee joint GHI-E&E hire

Spring 2014 Tinker Grant Committee

Fall 2013 Interviewer of Global Health Initiative Director
Fall 2013 Globalization initiative writing committee member

Spring 2013 University-wide STEM committee

Spring 2013 Co-organizer with P. Gootenberg of Coca at the Crossroads Symposium

(http://tinyurl.com/kxgzuyr), 3 April. Member STEM education initiative

Spring 2013 Member STEM education initiative

Spring 2011 Chair in Panel 3: On Sustainability: Experiences, Essays, Programs in Stony Brook

University Latin American & Caribbean Studies Center 10th Annual Graduate

Conference 8 April

Fall 2010-present Co-organizer Latin American and Caribbean Studies Center Seminar Series

Spring 2010 Panel discussion of Communicating Science workshop 14 May

Spring 2010 Tinker Grant Committee

Fall 2008-2010 Member Steering Committee, SBU-BNL Center for Impacts of Regional Climate Change

#### Community Service

Summer 2010

Summer 2014	Mentoring research of Alessondra Bruno, Courtney Cheng, Samantha DeRosa, Cameron
	Morales, and Yasin Perez, Long Island High School students
Fall 2012-Spring 2013	Mentoring research of volunteer and SBU UG graduate Brandon Baird
Fall 2012	Mentoring research of Syracuse UG student Jonah Rothleder
Summer 2013	Mentoring research of Gabrielle Donnelly, Samuel Gochman, Edward LI, Cameron
	Morales, and Yasin Perez, Long Island High School students
Summer 2012	Mentoring research of Elodia Caballero (admitted at Columbia University), Johana Peña,
	Zachary Rowe (admitted at Stony Brook University), and Nancy Wei (admitted at
	Northwestern University), Long Island High School students
Summer 2011	Mentoring research of Alexander Legakis (admitted at Cornell University), Long Island
	High School student

Mentoring research of Bonnie Lei (admitted at Harvard University), southern California High School student, Siemens Regional Finalist 2010, Finalist Intel Science Talent Search

2011, 2<sup>nd</sup> Grand Award Animal Sciences category at Intel International Science and

Engineering Fair 2011

Summer 2010 Mentoring research of Laura Barger (admitted at University of Pennsylvania), Long

Island High School student

Summer 2009-Summer

2010

Mentoring research of Peter Connell (admitted at SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry), Long Island High School student, semifinalist at the Long Island

Junior Science and Humanities Symposium, NOAA "Taking the Pulse of the Planet"

award at NYSSEF 2011

Spring 2010-Spring 2012 Mentoring research of volunteer Mark Hall

Fall 2009-Spring 2010 Mentoring research of Kendra Cornejo, High School student, Intel Science Talent Search

Semifinalist 2011 (at Gurevitch lab)

Fall 2008-Fall 2009 Mentoring research of volunteer and SBU UG graduate Elizabeth Simola

#### Professional Service

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2019-present	Bat Conservation International (BCI) Science Advisory Board member
Summer 2018	Convener with Sharlene Santana and Guillaume Chomicki of the symposium on ecological
2017	interactions at the II Joint Congress on Evolutionary Biology (Montpellier, France)
2017-present	Associate Editor, Mastozoología Neotropical
2017-present	Editor, Quarterly Review of Biology
January 2016-	Elected Council member, Society for Systematic Biology
December 2019	
Summer 2016	Convener with Elizabeth Dumont and Karen Sears of the bat sensory symposium at the 17 <sup>th</sup>
	International Bat Research Congress (Durban, South Africa)
2015-2016	Consultant for the United Nations 2016 World Drug Report thematic chapter on environmental
	<u>sustainability</u>
Spring 2015	NSF Division of Environmental Biology Panelist
2013-2016	Associate Editor, Quarterly Review of Biology
Winter 2013	Chair of symposium on island biogeography at the International Biogeography Society biennial
	meeting in Miami, Florida
Fall 2012	NSF Division of Environmental Biology Panelist
2012	Guest Lecturer in Topics in Global Change, graduate course convened by T. Mitch Aide at the
	University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras. Responsible for 2 1.5-hr lectures (9 and 11 April), and 1
	3.5-hr workshop (13 April).
2012	27-28 March Socio-Environmental Synthesis Center (SESYNC) Theme Meeting participant
2012-2018	Associate Editor, Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution
2011	Judge of oral presentations at the North American Symposium for Bat Research, Toronto,
	Ontario.
2008-2012	Editorial Board member, Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution
2008	Judge of oral presentations at the North American Symposium for Bat Research, Scranton,
	Pennsylvania.
2007-present	Collaboration with the Illicit Crop Monitoring System of Colombia (SIMCI), sponsored by the
	United Nations Office on Drug and Crime; advising monitoring bodies in Peru and Bolivia
	through SIMCI
2006-present	Ad hoc grant reviewer for the <i>Agence Nationale de la Recherche</i> , National Geographic Society,
2000 present	and the United States National Science Foundation (NSF).
2004-present	Ad hoc reviewer in Evolutionary Biology: <i>Acta Chiropterologica, Axios</i> reviews, <i>The American</i>
2007 present	Naturalist, Biological Journal of the Linnean Society, BMC Evolutionary Biology, Canadian Journal
	of Zoology, Communications Biology, Ecography, Evolution, FEBS Letters, Frontiers in Zoology,
	Gene, Genetica, Genome Biology and Evolution, Journal of Biogeography, Journal of Field
	Gene, Genetica, Genome Biology and Evolution, Journal of Biogeography, Journal of Field

Ornithology, Journal of Heredity, Journal of Mammalian Evolution, Journal of Mammalogy, Journal of Parasitology, Methods in Ecology and Evolution, MicrobiologyOpen, Molecular Biology

and Evolution, Molecular Ecology, Nature Ecology and Evolution, Molecular Ecology Notes (currently Mol. Ecol. Resources), Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution, Nature Ecology and Evolution, PeerJ, Philippine Journal of Science, PLoS One, Proceedings of the Biological Society of Washington, Proceedings of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences, Quaternary Science Reviews, Scientific Publications of the American Museum of Natural History, Scientific Reports, Systematic Biology, Trends in Ecology and Evolution, University of Chicago Press, Zootaxa. Ad hoc reviewer in Ecology: Actualidades Biológicas, Caribbean Journal of Science, Chiroptera Neotropical, Diversity and Distributions, Environmental Science & Technology, Emu, Ornitología Neotropical, Quarterly Review of Biology.

Ad hoc reviewer in Conservation Biology: Animal Biodiversity and Conservation, Biological Conservation, Conservation Biology, Ecosphere, Ecosystems, Environmental Science & Technology, Science Magazine.

Ad hoc reviewer in Environmental Humanities: *Journal of Peasant Studies, Landscape Ecology, Journal of World Systems Research*.

Summer 2010 Convener with Nancy Simmons of the bat extinction symposium at the 15<sup>th</sup> International Bat

Research Congress (Prague, Czech Republic)

2009 & 2011 Judge of the North American Society of Bat Research student platform competition.

Fall 2009 NSF Division of Biological Infrastructure Panelist

2008 IUCN Global Mammal Assessment: Mesoamerican and Caribbean

2006 IUCN Global Mammal Assessment: northern Andes

2006 Technical consultant: IMAX film "Mummies: Secrets of the Pharaohs"

2000 BirdLife International assessment (neotropical)

### Professional Society Membership

2013-current	Society for Systematic Biology, Life Member
2017-2018	Society for Conservation Biology
2014-2018	Society for the Study of Evolution
2012-2016	International Biogeography Society
2008-current	North American Society for Bat Research
2005-2006	American Society of Mammalogy