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Quantitative Ecologist

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I am a quantitative ecologist with a background in marine ecology and an active interest in data analysis and Bayesian and frequentist inference approaches for mechanistic models of biological systems. I am particularly interested in the interplay between dynamic environments and the foraging and life-history strategies of animals. I develop open-source research software that generalizes solutions from my own work for the use in other fields. While my current work is exclusively computational, I have organized and conducted fieldwork in marine habitats from the tropics to the polar zones, and I enjoy working at the interface between science, policy, and society.

### **EDUCATION**

2014 PhD in Marine Biology

Pelagic Ecology Research Group, University of St Andrews Ocean Research and Conservation Group, University of Oxford

2011 Certificate in Oceanography

Open University, Milton Keynes, United Kingdom

2010 Master of Research in Environmental Biology (Distinction)

Universities of St Andrews and Dundee, United Kingdom

2008 Vordiplom in Chemistry (Distinction), Certificates in Biochemistry and Zoology

Philipps-Universität Marburg, Germany

#### **EMPLOYMENT & ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

2018 – Ecological Statistician

British Trust for Ornithology, Thetford, UK

2017 – Courtesy Research Faculty

Department of Geography, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

2016 – 2018 Postdoctoral Associate

Department of Geography, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

2017 Adjunct Instructor

Integrative Biology, University of South Florida

2014 – 2016 Postdoctoral Research Scholar

Integrative Biology, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

2013 – 2014 Zoological Analyst

Predator Group, Ecosystems Programme, British Antarctic Survey, Cambridge

2013 Freelance Consultant (Science Communication)

Client: Global Ocean Commission, Oxford

2005 Field Ornithologist/Park Warden

Wadden Sea National Park of Lower Saxony, Germany

SKILLS

Software Data analysis, visualisation, statistical modelling and package development in R, Stan, JAGS,

custom samplers; spatial analysis with ArcGIS, GRASS, R; shell scripting; databases (Oracle, PostgreSQL); version control (git); LaTeX; basic knowledge of Python, MATLAB, C, and C++.

Field/Labwork > 9 months of ornithological surveys; assisted in banding, tagging efforts; >100 days at-sea:

fisheries acoustics, net & trawl sampling, remotely operated submersible surveys, stomach & otolith sampling of fish; DNA preparation, DNA barcoding.

Languages English, German

#### PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- 1. **Boersch-Supan PH**, Johnson LR (2018): *Two case studies detailing Bayesian parameter inference for dynamic energy budget models.* Journal of Sea Research. 10.1016/j.seares.2018.07.014
- 2. Youker-Smith E, **Boersch-Supan PH**, Gibbs J, Ryan SJ (2018): *Environmental drivers of Frog Virus 3 in free living amphibians in constructed ponds.* EcoHealth. 10.1007/s10393-018-1350-5
- 3. **Boersch-Supan PH**, Johnson LR, Phillips RA, Ryan SJ (2017): *Surface temperatures of albatross eggs and nests*. Emu Austral Ornithology. 10.1080/01584197.2017.1406311
- Ryan SJ, Lippi CA, Boersch-Supan PH, Heydari N, Silva N, Adrian J, Noblecilla LF, Ayala EB, Encalada M, Larsen DA, Krisher JT, Krisher L, Fregosi L, Stewart-Ibarra AM (2017): Quantifying Seasonal and Diel Variation in Anopheline and Culex Human Biting Rates in Southern Ecuador. Malaria Journal 16:479. 10.1186/s12936-017-2121-4
- 5. Johnson LR, **Boersch-Supan PH**, Phillips RA, Ryan SJ (2017): Changing measurements or changing movements? Sampling scale and movement model identifiability across multiple generations of biologging technology. Ecology and Evolution. 10.1002/ece3.3461
- Sydeman WJ, Thompson SA, Anker-Nilssen T, Arimitsu M, Bennison A, Boersch-Supan PH, Bransome N, Boyd C, Crawford RJM, Daunt F, Furness R, Gianuca D, Gladics A, Koehn L, Lang J, Logerwell E, Morris T, Phillips EM, Provencher J, Punt A, Saraux C, Shannon L, Sherley R, Simeone A, Wanless R, Wanless S, Zador S (2017): Best Practices for Assessing Forage Fish Fisheries - Seabird Resource Competition. Fisheries Research 194:209-221 10.1016/j.fishres.2017.05.018
- 7. Djurhuus A, **Boersch-Supan PH**, Mikalsen S, Rogers AD (2017): *Microbial biogeography traces water-mass features of a dynamic oceanic frontal system.* Royal Society Open Science 4:170033 10.1098/rsos.170033
- 8. **Boersch-Supan PH**, Ryan SJ, Johnson LR (2016): *deBInfer: Bayesian inference for dynamic models in R.* Methods in Ecology and Evolution. 10.1111/2041-210X.12679
- 9. Borrelle SB, **Boersch-Supan PH**, Gaskin CP, Towns DR (2016): *Influences on seabird recolonization to offshore islands following predator eradication*. Oryx. 10.1017/S0030605316000880
- Rogers A, Alvheim O, Bemanaja E, Benivary D, Boersch-Supan PH, Bornman T, Cedras R, Du Plessis N, Gotheil S, Høines A, Kemp K, Kristiansen J, Letessier T, Mangar V, Mazungula N, Mørk T, Pinet P, Pollard R, Read J, Sonnekus T (2016) *Pelagic communities of the South West Indian Ocean seamounts: R/V Dr Fridtjof Nansen Cruise 2009-410*. Deep Sea Research II 10.1016/j.dsr2.2016.12.010
- 11. **Boersch-Supan PH** (2016): *rucrdtw: Fast time series subsequence search in R*. The Journal of Open Source Software 1(7):1-2 10.21105/joss.00100
- 12. Letessier TB, Meeuwig JJ, Cox MJ, **Boersch-Supan PH**, Brierley AS (2016): *Enhanced pelagic biomass around coral atolls*. Marine Ecology Progress Series 546:271–276 10.3354/meps11675
- 13. **Boersch-Supan PH**, Rogers AD, Brierley AS (2015): *The distribution of pelagic scattering layers in the southwest Indian Ocean*. Deep Sea Research II 10.1016/j.dsr2.2015.06.023
- 14. Letessier TB, De Grave S, **Boersch-Supan PH**, Kemp KM, Brierley AS, Rogers AD (2015): Seamount influences on mid-water shrimps (Decapoda) and gnathophausiids (Lophogastridea) of the South-West Indian Ridge. Deep Sea Research II 10.1016/j.dsr2.2015.05.009
- Laptikovsky V, Boersch-Supan PH, Kemp KM, Letessier TB, Rogers AD (2015): Cephalopods of the Southwest Indian Ocean Ridge: a hotspot of extreme biological diversity and absence of endemism. Deep Sea Research II 10.1016/j.dsr2.2015.07.002
- 16. **Boersch-Supan PH**, Boehme L, Read JF, Rogers AD, Brierley AS (2012): *Elephant seal foraging dives track prey distribution, not temperature: Comment on McIntyre et al.* (2011). Marine Ecology Progress Series 461:293–298 10.3354/meps09890

17. Rogers AD, Tyler PA, Connelly DP, Copley JT, James R, Larter RD, Linse K, Mills RA, Naveira-Garabato A, Pancost RD, Pearce DA, Polunin NVC, German CR, Shank T, Boersch-Supan PH, Alker B, Aquilina A, Bennett SA, Clarke A, Dinley RJJ, Graham ACG, Green D, Hawkes JA, Hepburn L, Hilario A, Huvenne VAI, Marsh L, Ramirez-Llodra E, Reid WDK, Roterman CN, Sweeting CJ, Thatje S, Zwirglmaier K (2012): The discovery of new deep-sea hydrothermal vent communities in the Southern Ocean and implications for biogeography. PLoS Biology 10(1):e1001234 10.1371/journal.pbio.1001234

# FORTHCOMING PUBLICATIONS (MANUSCRIPTS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST)

Submitted NJB Isaac, MA Jarzyna, P Keil, PH Boersch-Supan, E Browning, LI Dambly, SN Freeman,

N Golding, G Guillera-Arroita, P Henrys, S Jarvis, J Lahoz-Monfort, J Pagel, OL Pescott, R Schmucki, E Simmonds, RB O'Hara: Data Integration for Large Scale Ecological Models of Spe-

cies Distributions. Submitted to Trends in Ecology & Evolution

In prep EM Humphries, GE Austin, T Frost, H Mellan, PH Boersch-Supan, NK Burton, DE Balmer:

Wader populations on the UK's open coast: results of the 2015/16 Non-Estuarine Waterbird Survey (NEWS-III) and a review of population trends. In preparation for submission to Bird Study

#### **ONGOING ANALYSES**

A portfolio showcasing selected data analysis and software projects can be found at phoesu.github.io/portfolio.

- Hierarchical parameter inference for dynamic energy budget models of seabirds
   Lead: PH Boersch-Supan; with LR Johnson (VirginiaTech), SJ Ryan (UF), RA Phillips (British Antarctic Survey)
   Approach: Bayesian inference for differential equation models with Stan and custom MCMC samplers.
- Foraging and migration phenology and provisioning strategies of macaroni penguins
   Lead: PH Boersch-Supan; with PN Tratham and HJ Peat (British Antarctic Survey)
   Approach: Supervised classification of massive dataset; Phenological curve fitting, hurdle models for repeated measures
   data, errors-in-variables GLMMs (Bayesian estimation with Stan)
- Effects of burrowing seabirds on plant communities and soil nutrient distributions on seabird islands
   Lead: SB Borrelle (Auckland University of Technology/Northern New Zealand Seabird Trust)
   Approach: Spatially explicit GLMs, model-based analysis of environment-trait associations (ML estimation)
- Temperature dependence of life-history traits in the human parasite Schistosoma mansoni Lead: K Nguyen (University of South Florida)
   Approach: Zero-inflated GLMMs for repeated measures data (ML estimation with glmmTMB)

#### PEER-REVIEWED RESEARCH SOFTWARE

deBInfer Bayesian inference for differential equation models in R (with SJ Ryan, LR Johnson)

https://cran.r-project.org/package=deBInfer [R, C]

rucrdtw Fast dynamic time warping algorithms for time-series data mining in R

https://cran.r-project.org/package=rucrdtw [R, C++]

# **OTHER SOFTWARE**

seabirdeb Compiled bioenergetics models for seabirds (Work in progress)

https://github.com/pboesu/seabirdeb [R, C]

DEButilities Utility functions for dynamic energy budget models (Work in progress)

https://github.com/pboesu/DEButilities [R]

microclimloggers Data parsing functions for microclimate loggers such as iButtons (Work in progress)

https://github.com/RyanLab/microclimloggers [R]

penguinwb Interface and analysis framework for a large database of penguin body mass records

Closed-source package for internal use at the British Antarctic Survey [R, SQL]

cowsay Allows printing of character strings as messages/warnings/etc. with ASCII animals

Contributor. Lead developer: Scott Chamberlain https://cran.r-project.org/package=cowsay [R]

#### **REPORTS AND THESES**

2013 Boersch-Supan PH The ecology of scattering layer biota around Indian Ocean seamounts and islands. PhD Thesis, University of St Andrews, United Kingdom, 219pp. http://hdl.handle.net/10023/11440 2012 Boersch-Supan PH, Webster CN: Net sampling and acoustic surveys of deep-scattering layers and their interactions with seamounts in Rogers AD, Taylor, MT (Eds.) Benthic biodiversity of seamounts in the southwest Indian Ocean Cruise report - R/V James Cook 066 - Southwest Indian Ocean Seamounts expedition - November 7th - December 21st, 2011 University of Oxford / NERC, 235pp. Rogers AD, Alvheim O, Bemanaja E, Benivary D, Boersch-Supan PH, Bornman T, Cedras R, 2009 Du Plessis N, Gotheil S, Hoines A, Kemp K, Kristiansen J, Letessier T, Mangar V, Mazungula N, Mørk T, Pinet P, Read J, Sonnekus T Cruise Report "Dr. Fridtjof Nansen" Southern Indian Ocean Seamounts (IUCN/ UNDP/ ASCLME/ NERC /EAF Nansen Project 2009 Cruise 410) 12th November - 19th December, 2009. International Union for the Conservation of Nature, Gland, Switzerland, 188pp.

2009 Boersch-Supan PH

Gelatinous zooplankton distribution along the western Irish shelf-edge. MRes Thesis, University of St Andrews, United Kingdom, 67pp.

#### **AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

2016	Enderby Trust Scholarship (\$5000, Travel to sub-Antarctic islands of New Zealand)
2010 – 2013	Doctoral Fellowship of the Cusanuswerk (€41,400)
2010 – 2013	Doctoral Fellowship of the German National Academic Foundation (non-stipendiary)
10/2011	Visiting Researcher Award, Rehbock Fund, Scripps Institution of Oceanography Archives (\$ 2,100)
2009 – 2012	Hilton-Brown Scholarship (Fees), University of St Andrews (£ 10,500)
2009 – 2010	Scholarship to Study Abroad, German National Academic Foundation (€ 4,450)
2008 – 2009	Hölderlin-Scholarship, SAP AG and German National Academic Foundation (€ 5,000)
2008 – 2009	MRes Studentship (Fees), UK Natural Environment Research Council (£ 3,500)
2007 – 2010	Undergraduate Fellowship of the Cusanuswerk (non-stipendiary)
2006 – 2010	Undergraduate Fellowship of the German National Academic Foundation (€ 4800)
GRANTS	
04/2015	Travel grant: Workshop on Seabird Fisheries Competition, Cape Town, South Africa Farallon Institute (\$ 500)
04/2015	Travel grant: Workshop on Computational Frameworks in Ecology, Durham, NC Statistical and Applied Mathematical Sciences Institute (\$ 1100)
07/2013	Conference travel grant: Deep-sea Fish Biology Symposium, Glasgow, UK Marine Alliance for Science and Technology for Scotland (£ 250)
05/2013	Small grant: Microsatellite genotyping of the hatchetfish <i>Argyropelecus aculeatus</i> Marine Alliance for Science and Technology for Scotland (£ 544)
12/2012	Small grant: Tuna-micronekton interactions in the Chagos Archipelago, Fisheries Society of the British Isles (£ 2,940)
11/2012	Fieldwork travel grant: Echosounder surveys in the Chagos Archipelago, Cusanuswerk (€ 2,369)
06/2010	Conference travel grant: Deep-sea Biology Symposium, Reykjavik, Iceland, German National Academic Foundation (€ 250)

# INVITED TALKS AND SEMINARS

01/2019	"Monitoring bird populations through volunteer-collected observations"  NERC Advanced Training Course "Statistical models for wildlife population assessment and conservation",  University of Kent
09/2017	"Measuring and modelling the lives of ocean wanderers" Geography Colloquium, University of Florida
03/2017	"Understanding determinants of albatross growth with dynamic energy budget theory" Mathematical Biology Seminar Series, Virginia Tech
03/2017	"Unravelling physiological and ecological determinants of albatross chick growth and survival" Integrative Organismal Biology Seminar Series, Virginia Tech
07/2016	"Linking seabird energetics to population dynamics while propagating uncertainty across scales" Gordon Research Seminar on Unifying Ecology Across Scales, Biddeford, ME
11/2014	"The Pelagic Ecology of Indian Ocean Seamounts and Islands" Integrative Biology Seminar Series, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
10/2011	"Pelagic sound scattering layers and trophic interactions around Indian Ocean seamounts" NOAA Southwest Fisheries Science Center, La Jolla, CA, USA
06/2011	"Preliminary Results from <i>RV Nansen</i> Cruise 2009-410"  IUCN Indian Ocean Governance Workshop, Grahamstown, South Africa

# **CONTRIBUTED PRESENTATIONS**

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09/2018	<b>Boersch-Supan, PH</b> , Peat HJ, Trathan PN "Opportunistic central-place foraging in an otherwise rigid annual movement cycle" (Talk) Seabird Group Conference 2018, Liverpool, UK	
07/2018	<b>Boersch-Supan, PH</b> , Peat HJ, Trathan PN "Determining the phenology of marked and unmarked seabirds from a very large force sensor data set" (Talk) International Statistical Ecology Conference, St Andrews, UK	
07/2018	<b>Boersch-Supan, PH</b> "Bayesian inference for bioenergetic models" (Poster) British Ecological Society Quantitative Ecology SIG Meeting, St Andrews, UK	
06/2018	<b>Boersch-Supan, PH</b> "Counting and weighing penguins really fast with Rcpp" (Talk) satRday, Cardiff, UK	
06/2017	<b>Boersch-Supan, PH</b> , Phillips, RA, Ryan, SJ, Johnson, LR "Bayesian parameter estimation for Dynamic Energy Budget models of albatross growth" (Talk) 5 <sup>th</sup> Symposium on Dynamic Energy Budget Theory, Tromsø, Norway	
09/2016	<b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Phillips RA, Ryan SJ, Johnson LR "Unravelling physiological and ecological determinants of albatross chick growth" (Talk) 6 <sup>th</sup> International Albatross and Petrel Conference, Barcelona, Spain	
09/2016	Borrelle SB, <b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Gaskin CP, Towns DR: "Influences on seabird recolonization to offshore islands following predator eradication" (Talk) 6 <sup>th</sup> International Albatross and Petrel Conference, Barcelona, Spain	
06/2016	<b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> and Johnson LR "deBInfer: Bayesian inference for dynamic models in R" (Talk) International Statistical Ecology Conference, Seattle, WA	
06/2016	Johnson LR, <b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Ryan SJ, Phillips RA "Changing measurements of changing movements? Detecting movement patterns across multiple generations of tracking technology" (Poster)	

International Statistical Ecology Conference, Seattle, WA

06/2016	Johnson LR and <b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> "deBInfer: Bayesian inference for dynamic models in R" (Poster)	
	International Society for Bayesian Analysis World Meeting, Sardinia, Italy	
06/2016	Gajewski ZJ, Stevenson L, <b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Pike D, Roznik E, Johnson LR "Do strains of the amphibian chytrid fungus exhibit local adaptation?" (Poster)  14 <sup>th</sup> Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Disease Meeting, Ithaca, NY	
10/2015	<b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Peat HJ, Trathan PN "The timing of foraging, moult, and migration in breeding macaroni penguins" (Poster)  2 <sup>nd</sup> World Seabird Conference, Cape Town, South Africa	
10/2015	<b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Burgan S, Phillips RA, Ryan SJ, Johnson LR "Unravelling physiological and ecological determinants of albatross chick growth" (Talk) 2 <sup>nd</sup> World Seabird Conference, Cape Town, South Africa	
09/2015	Kemp KM, <b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Rogers AD "Pelagic fish community composition of the South West Indian Ocean ridge" (Talk) 14 <sup>th</sup> Deep-sea Biology Symposium, Aveiro, Portugal	
04/2015	<b>Boersch-Supan, PH</b> , Phillips, RA, Ryan, SJ, Johnson, LR "Modelling Albatross Bioenergetics and Foraging Behaviours" (Poster) 4 <sup>th</sup> Symposium on Dynamic Energy Budget Theory, Marseille, France	
04/2015	<b>Boersch-Supan, PH</b> , Phillips, RA, Ryan, SJ, Johnson, LR "Modelling Albatross Bioenergetics and Foraging Behaviours" (Poster)  SAMSI Workshop on Computational Frameworks in Ecology, Durham, NC	
07/2013	<b>Boersch-Supan, PH</b> , Freer JJ, Brierley, AS, Rogers, AD "Topographic blockage contributes to the diet of Indian Ocean seamount fishes" (Talk) FSBI Symposium 2013, Glasgow, UK	
07/2013	Freer JJ, <b>Boersch-Supan</b> , <b>PH</b> , Rogers, AD "Population genetics of the hatchetfish <i>Argyropelecus aculeatus</i> in the southwest Indian Ocean" (Talk) FSBI Symposium 2013, Glasgow, UK	
10/2011	Bell C, <b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Rogers AD "Molecular Analysis of Larval Diversity in the Southwest Indian Ocean Ridge" (Talk) World Conference on Marine Biodiversity, Aberdeen, UK	
10/2011	Rogers AD, <b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Kemp KM "High Seas Deep-Sea Fisheries in an Ecosystem Context: The South West Indian Ocean Ridge Project" (Digital Poster) World Conference on Marine Biodiversity, Aberdeen, UK	
03/2011	Bell C, <b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Rogers AD "Molecular Analysis of Larval Diversity in the Southwest Indian Ocean Ridge" (Poster)  12 <sup>th</sup> Student Conference on Conservation Science, Cambridge, UK	
02/2011	Rogers AD, <b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Kemp KM "High Seas Deep-Sea Fisheries in an Ecosystem Context: The South West Indian Ocean Ridge Project" (Poster) ZSL Symposium: Marine Protected Areas on the High Seas, London, UK	
06/2010	<b>Boersch-Supan PH</b> , Read J, Brierley AS, Rogers AD "Distribution of epi- and mesopelagic scattering layers around Indian Ocean seamounts" (Talk) 12 <sup>th</sup> Deep-sea Biology Symposium, Reykjavik, Iceland	
WORKSHOPS AND INFORMAL TRAINING		

# **WORKSHOPS AND INFORMAL TRAINING**

07/2018 "Data Integration for Large Scale Ecological Models"
Centre for Ecology and Hydrology, Wallingford, UK

08/2017 "Software Carpentry Instructor Training"

06/2016 "Bayesian Decision Theory and Model Selection"

Workshop taught by M. Hooten, P. Williams, and T. Hefley, Seattle, WA

11/2015 "Guidelines and Best Practices to Determine Seabird-Fisheries Competition"

Department of Environmental Affairs, Cape Town, South Africa

08/2015 "Bayesian Modeling for Socio-Environmental Data"

National Socio-Environmental Synthesis Center, Annapolis, MD

04/2015 "Computational Frameworks for the Ecological Sciences"

Workshop combining software carpentry training and scientific case studies

Statistical and Applied Mathematical Sciences Institute, Research Triangle Park, NC

02 – 04/2015 "8<sup>th</sup> International Course on Dynamic Energy Budget Theory"

University of South Florida and Centre International de Rencontres Mathématiques, Marseille, France

02/2014 "Agent-based Modelling", Oxford, UK

IT Learning Programme, University of Oxford

07/2011 "Applied Spatio-temporal Data Analysis with FOSS: R+OSGeo", Landau, Germany

Summer school taught by various R and GIS developers

06/2011 "Introduction to Bayesian Analysis and MCMC" and

"Hierarchical Modelling of Spatial and Temporal Data", Southampton, UK

Short courses taught by A. Gelfand (Duke University) and S. Sahu (University of Southampton)

11/2010 Taxonomic Workshop at the South African Institute of Aquatic Biodiversity

Identifying mesopelagic fishes and cephalopods and processing for curation.

09/2009 "Climate Modelling", Guidel, France

Summer School of the German National Academic Foundation

**TEACHING** 

2018 Guest Lecturer: Seabird Ecology

Undergraduate level course in Marine Biology, University of Essex

Fall 2017 Helper: Data Carpentry Workshop

Two day workshop on R, SQL, and OpenRefine for data management and analysis

University of Florida Informatics Institute

Fall 2017 Guest Lecturer: Data Management for Biologists

Graduate level course in Biology, University of South Florida

Spring 2017 Instructor of Record: Biometry

Graduate level course in Biology, University of South Florida

Fall 2015 Guest Lecturer: Data Analysis for Scientists

Graduate level course in Biology, University of South Florida

Spring 2015 Guest Lecturer: Mathematical Biology

Graduate level course in Biology, University of South Florida

2010 – 2014 Tutor in Marine Ecology, Animal Adaptations and Statistics for Biologists

This consisted of small group teaching (1-3 students per session) to cover lecture material in depth.

Biological Sciences Undergraduate Programme, University of Oxford

Oxford Overseas Studies Program, Stanford University

2010 Teaching Assistant: Statistics with R (Intensive Course for 1st year PhD students)

Department of Zoology, University of Oxford

**MENTORING** 

Graduate Nicholas Dowhaniuk (PhD-track, UF, 2016), Sarah Burgan (MS-track, USF, 2014/2015), Jennifer

Freer (MRes Oxford/Glasgow, 2012), Celia Bell (MSc, Oxford, 2011)

Undergraduate Kaleigh Nelson (USF, 2016), Luc Olivier (USF, 2015/2016), Chris Taylor (Oxford, 2012), Lauren

Sumner-Roney (Oxford, 2011)

High-School Owen Hallett (Waynflete Programme, Magdalen College School Oxford, 2014), Clara Kloecker

(Work experience student, Oxford 2012)

2004 – 2008 Mentor at the Heidelberg Life-Science Lab (STEM Initiative of the German Cancer Centre)

Coorganisor of International Science Academy Estonia 2007 and the Ornithological Wadden Sea Excursion

2006; Mentoring of high-school students for research projects and lab courses 2004 – 2007

#### **POLICY AND OUTREACH**

2009 – Contribution of texts, photographs, and scientific visualisations to press releases and blogs

Clients/media outlets included BBC Nature News, International Union for the Conservation of Nature, Global

Ocean Commission and various expedition blogs. Selected posts at phoesu.github.io/blog

12/2017 Public Outreach Lecture on Polar Seabirds (Invited Talk)

Tampa Audubon Society, Tampa FL

07/2017 Co-presenter "Bringing Polar Research to your Classroom"

National Science Teachers Association, STEM Forum, Orlando, FL

02/2016 Polar-ICE Science Communication Workshop

Audubon Aquarium, New Orleans, LA

02/2013 Curation of an exhibition showcasing deep-sea habitats and biodiversity

Launch event of the Global Ocean Commission, London, UK

04/2012 Workshop on Integrated Solutions for Synergistic Ocean Stresses and Impacts (Member of or-

ganising team)

International Programme on the State of the Oceans, Oxford, UK

06/2011 Indian Ocean Governance Workshop (Invited Speaker)

International Union for the Conservation of Nature, Grahamstown, South Africa

04/2011 Workshop on Ocean Stresses and Impacts (Member of organising team)

International Programme on the State of the Oceans, Oxford, UK

01/2010 Public Outreach Lecture on Deep-sea Research (Invited Talk)

Symposium on the History of Exploration, Darmstadt, Germany

#### FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE

2014, 2015 Assisted in capture of seabirds for biologger deployment and ring recoveries

Faroe Islands, with Dr. J. Danielsen, 1 Week

11 – 12/2012 Research cruise in the central Indian Ocean

MV Pacific Marlin, Chagos Archipelago, 3 Weeks

11 – 12/2011 Research cruise in the SW Indian Ocean

RRS James Cook and ROV KIEL6000, Cruise JCO66/67, SW Indian Ocean, 7 Weeks

2009 Research cruises in the NE Atlantic and SW Indian Ocean

RV Celtic Explorer, Cruise CE0911, Porcupine Seabight, 2 Weeks RV Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, Cruise 2009-410, SW Indian Ocean, 6 Weeks

04 – 12/2005 Ornithological Field Surveys on Langeoog Island

Wadden Sea National Park of Lower Saxony, Germany

Daily surveys of waterfowl, shorebirds, raptors and passerines during the breeding season; bi-monthly counts of roosting shorebirds in salt marsh, beach, and urban habitats; bi-monthly beached bird surveys.

# SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Editorial Boards Associate Editor at Animal Conservation since 2018

Journal Review Acta Tropica, Animal Conservation, Biological Reviews, Deep-Sea Research I, Ecological Ap-

plications, Ibis, Journal of Open Research Software, Journal of Open Source Software, Marine Ecology Progress Series, Methods in Ecology and Evolution, PLoS ONE, Progress in Oceano-

graphy, ReScience

Grant Review French National Polar Program, British Ecological Society Research and Outreach Grants

Member The Seabird Group, British Ecological Society, Fisheries Society of the British Isles