SARIN TIATRAGUL

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Education

The Australian National University

Ph.D Biology

Auburn University

M.Sci. Biological Sciences

Gonzaga University

B.Sci. Biology with Research Concentration

Canberra, ACT, Australia Jun. 2019 - Exp. Grad. 2022 Auburn, AL, USA Jan. 2017 - Dec. 2018 Spokane, WA, USA Aug. 2012 – May 2016

Publications

DA Warner, JM Hall, A Fargevieille, AC Hulbert, S Tiatragul, JE Pruett, TS Mitchell. 2021. Dependence on a human structure influences the extinction of a non-native lizard population after a major environmental change. Biological Invasions. 23:825-842

S Tiatragul, JM Hall, DA Warner. 2020. Nestled in the city heat: urban nesting behavior enhances embryo development of an invasive lizard. J Urban Ecology. 6: juaa001

S Tiatragul, JM Hall, NG Pavlik, DA Warner. 2019. Lizard nest environments differ between suburban and forest habitats. Biol J Linnean Society. 126: 392-403

S Tiatragul, A Kurniawan, JJ Kolbe, DA Warner. 2017. Embryos of non-native anoles are robust to urban thermal environments. J Thermal Biology. 65:119-124

Work Experiences

Open-source Ecology Textbook Developer

Jan 2021 - Present Canberra, Australia

ANU Research School of Biology

- Collaborated in a team of 5 to enhance a traditional Ecology textbook into a dynamic online textbook (using *jupyter* book) that can be freely accessible worldwide.
- Provided annotated R code blocks to re-create ecological models for students to reproduce using ggplot2 package.

Curatorial Technician

Jan 2021 – Present

Australian National Wildlife Collection

Crace, ACT, Australia

- Sorted and assessed specimens in the spirit collection.
- Updated taxonomy labels for specimen containers and in the database.
- Prepared egg specimens for relocation with cotton support.

Biology Course Demonstrator

Sept 2019 – Present

Canberra, Australia

ANU Research School of Biology

- BIOL3213/6213 Australian Wildlife Prepared lab practicals and manual to exhibit preserved specimens of vertebrates from the ANU teaching collection.
- BIOL1009 Diversity of Life Assessed student assignments/presentations and provided constructive feedback for BIOL3201 students.

Extracurricular activities

Postgraduate Student Representative

Sept 2019 - Present

ANU Research School of Biology

Canberra, Australia

- Successfully organised annual HDR Research Conferences including registration, scheduling, and catering for 200 people.
- Implemented cloud solutions to organisational file-sharing the organising committee can work together on Microsoft Teams. Ensured files and data are archived for easy access by future organisers.

President - ANU Buddhist Association

The Australian National University

Nov 2019 - Present Canberra, Australia

· Hosted 6 meditation teachers throughout 2020 and broadcast events on virtual platforms to engage members in COVID-safe way.

Radio host - CMS Radio Thai language program

Canberra Multicultural Service radio station

Nov 2019 – Present Canberra, Australia

· Coordinated recording and delivery of more than 20 episodes adapted for radio show. Interviewed guest speakers 7 countries around the world.

Morning Talk! Coordinator

Jan 2018 - Dec 2018

Auburn University Dept. Biological Sciences Graduate Student Association

Auburn, AL, USA

• Implemented participation points scheme where students are rewarded for attending and presenting research talks, increased student participation by 100% percent from previous year.

Presentations (selected)

World Congress of Herpetology 9 "Herps in the City" Symposium

Jan 2020

Nestled in the city: nesting behaviour enhances embryo survival in urban areas Dunedin, New Zealand

Faculty of Zoology seminar, Kasetsart University [Guest lecture]

Dec 2019

Old nesting habits in the forest help invasive lizards thrive in cities

Bangkok, Thailand

Skills

Human languages: Thai, English, Spanish (reading) Computer languages: R, Markdown, Python

Developer tools: Jupyter Notebooks, Git, VS Code

Blog: sarintiatragul.com/post