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Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute Panamá, República de Panamá

### **Education**

**McGill University** 

2013-Present

PhD Candidate

Biology

**Vanderbilt University** 

2007-2011

B.A., summa cum laude

Ecology, Evolution, and Organismal Biology (Honors)

#### **Publications**

#### **Published**

- 3. **Thurman, T.J.**\*, Brodie, E.,\*, Evans, E., McMillan, W.O. 2018. Facultative pupal mating in *Heliconius erato*: implications for mate choice, female preference and speciation. *Ecology and Evolution*, **8**(3): 1882-1889.
- 2. **Thurman, T.J.**, Barrett, R.D.H. 2016. The genetic consequences of selection in natural populations. *Molecular Ecology*, **27**(5):1429-1448.
- 1. **Thurman, T.J.**\*, Seymoure, B.\* 2016. A bird's eye view of two mimetic tropical butterflies: coloration matches predator's sensitivity. *Journal of Zoology*, **298**(3): 159-168. *Journal of Zoology 2016 Paper of the Year, featured on the Journal of Zoology blog and podcast.*

### Submitted or in prep

- 2. Pringle, R.M., Kartzinel, T.R., **Thurman, T.J.**, Fox-Dobbs, K., Coverdale, T.C., Daskin, J.H., Evangelista, D., Gotanda, K., Kolbe, J.J., Man in 't Veld, N.A., Wegener, H., Xu, C.Y., Losos, J.B., Schoener, T.W., Spiller, D.A., Palmer, T.M., Barrett, R.D.H. Collapse of niche structure on islands with introduced predators. Submitted to *Nature*.
- 1. Hu, J., Askary, A.M., **Thurman, T.J.**, Spiller, D. Palmer, T.M., Pringle, R.M., Barrett, R.D.H. Epigenetic signatures of colonizing new environments in *Anolis* lizards. Submitted to *Molecular Biology and Evolution*.

<sup>\*</sup>indicates equal contribution of authors

# Teaching

Presenter	2017
QCBS Introduction to R workshop series	0044 0040 0047
Teaching assistant	2014, 2016, 2017
BIOL 215, McGill University: Introduction to Ecology and Evolution	2012 2016 2017
Teaching assistant BIOL 304, McGill University: Evolution	2013, 2016, 2017
Guest lecturer	2016
BIOL 304, McGill University: Evolution	2010
Teaching assistant	2016
Introduction to R workshops, Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute	2010
Teaching assistant	2016
BIOL 112, McGill University: Cell and Molecular Biology (Lab)	2010
Awards and Funding	
QCBS Excellence Award	2018
Class of '66 Award, McGill University	2018
Writing Year Award, McGill University	2018
NEO grant-in-aid	2017
Journal of Zoology Paper of the Year, 2016	2016
STRI-McGill-NEO Fellowship	2013-2015
Delise Alison Award, McGill University	2014, 2015
International Research Travel Award, McGill University	2014, 2015, 2016
Molson-Hilton-Hart Fellowship	2015
Presentations	
Poster, Joint Congress on Evolution, Montpellier, France	2018
Talk, NEO/BESS Symposium, McGill University	2016
Poster, 10 <sup>th</sup> International <i>Heliconius</i> Meeting. <i>Winner, best poster</i>	2015
Talk, Redpath Museum Seminar Series, McGill University	2014
Talk, Gamboa Seminar Series, STRI	2014
Talk, Redpath Museum Seminar Series, McGill University	2013
Speed talk, QCBS Symposium	2013
Poster, Evolution Meetings, Portland, OR.	2010

Languages

**Human**: English (Native), Italian (Intermediate), Spanish (Beginner) **Computer:** R (expert), Unix/bash (intermediate), Stan (intermediate)

## Reviewing

PLoS Biology, Molecular Ecology

### **Service**

Tenure-track faculty position search committee, McGill Biology Department Organismal Seminar Series Coordinator

2018 2016-2017

## **Professional Memberships**

Society for the Study of Evolution

### References

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