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Curriculum Vitae

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About me

- Currently a graduate candidate at Iowa State university. My advisor is Dr. Tracy Heath.
- My Research Interests: cophylogenetics, host-symbiont evolution, Bayesian phylogenetic methods, scientific software

Education

2011-2016	B.S. in Mathematics Columbia, Missouri, USA	University of Missouri - Columbia
2011-2016	B.S. in Biology Columbia, Missouri, USA	University of Missouri - Columbia
2016-Present	PhD. in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Ames, Iowa, USA	Iowa State University

Teaching Experience

Fall 2021	Graduate Teaching Assistant Iowa State University <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Introductory Biology Lab
Spring 2018	Graduate Teaching Assistant Iowa State University <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Human Physiology Lab
Fall 2017	Graduate Teaching Assistant Iowa State University <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Introductory Biology Lab

Awards and Fellowships

2018	Travel Award EEB program, Iowa State University
2016	Graduate Research Fellowship National Science Foundation
2016	Miller Scholarship Iowa State University
2016	Presidential Scholarship Iowa State University
2016	Young Botanist of the Year Botanical Society of America
2016	Colonel Arthur Allen Scholarship University of Missouri
2014	Undergraduate Research Travel Award University of Missouri
2014	Life Sciences Undergraduate Research Opportunity University of Missouri
2013	Undergraduate Research Travel Award University of Missouri
2013	Monsanto Undergraduate Research Fund University of Missouri
2012	Howard Hughes Research Fellowship Howard Hughes Medical Institute
2011	Howard Hughes Research Apprenticeship Howard Hughes Medical Institute

Publications

1. Mabry, M. E., Brose, J. M., Blischak, P. D., Sutherland, B., Dismukes, W. T., Bottoms, C. A., Edger, P. P., Washburn, J. D., An, H., Hall, J. C. others. (2020). Phylogeny and multiple independent whole-genome duplication events in the brassicales. *American Journal of Botany*, 107(8), 1148–1164.
2. Dismukes, W. T., & Heath, T. A. (2021). Treeducken: An r package for simulating cophylogenetics systems. *In Review*.
3. Dismukes, W. (2021). *Treeducken: A simulator for nested phylogenies*. <https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=treeducken>

Workshops and Hackathons

Stay-at-Home RevBayes Workshop	April 21 - 30, 2021 Online-only
Stay-at-Home RevBayes Workshop	July 13 - 23, 2020 Online-only
RevBayes Hackathon	August 13 - 17, 2018 LBBE, Lyon, France
RevBayes Hackathon	March 1-5, 2018 University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota
NIMBioS RevBayes Workshop	August 1 - 5, 2017 NIMBioS, Knoxville, Tennessee
Woods Hole Workshop on Molecular Evolution	July 22 - 31, 2013 Woods Hole, Massachusetts

Software

- RevBayes (C/C++) - Bayesian phylogenetic inference using probabilistic graphical model and an interpreted language (developer; <http://revbayes.github.io>)
- treeducken (R,C++) - R package for simulation of cophylogenetic data (creator, maintainer, <https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/treeducken/index.html>)

Outreach

2013-2016	Undergraduate Reach Ambassador at University of Missouri University of Missouri <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Fostered the participation of undergraduate students in research, organized an annual undergraduate research symposium
2018, 2021	Preparing Summer Undergraduate Research Applications for Underrepresented Students Iowa State STEM Scholars Program Workshop <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Provided advice, personal experiences of getting into research, and 1-on-1 editing of application materials.

Professional Service

- Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology Graduate Student Organization - President, 2019 - 2021, Iowa State University
- Graduate Research in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology - Treasurer, 2018 - 2019, Iowa State University

Professional Affiliations

- Society of Systematic Biology
- American Society of Naturalists
- Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha of Missouri chapter

Other skills

- Programming languages: advanced skills in C++ and R; basic skills in Python, Matlab and Javascript
- Experience with Bash scripting, Unix command-line tools, HPC clusters and schedulers
- Familiar with software management tools Git and Travis
- Experience with Docker
- Proficient in HTML and CSS