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Education

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1990 B.A. in Ecology, Behavior and Evolution, *University of California, San Diego*

Career employment

2015-Present *Research Scientist, Institute for Bird Populations: Hierarchical modeling of point count data on bird species in western national parks*
2008-Present *Research Associate, Institute for Arctic and Alpine Research, University of Colorado, Boulder: Ecology of sub-surface habitat specialists*
2014 *Research Associate, Museum Collections, University of Colorado, Boulder: User interface development and research applications for several data archives*
2008-2013 *Research Associate, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, University of Colorado, Boulder: Modeling the metacommunity dynamics of vernal pool plants*
2008 *Instructor, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, University of Colorado, Boulder: Graduate seminar in population biology—modeling and data analysis*
2002-2007 *Research Associate, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, University of Colorado, Boulder: Modeling the dynamics of plague in prairie dogs and alternate hosts*
2001-2005 *Independent contractor, US Fish & Wildlife Service: Black-footed ferret endangered species recovery plan revision*
1998-2003 *Research Associate, University of Nevada, Reno: Developing predictive models of population dynamics and population genetics for species at risk*

Peer-reviewed publications (mentored student authors underlined)

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Professional reports

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Conferences, symposia, oral sessions and workshops organized

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- Ray, C.** et al. 2015. 3rd North American Pika Research Conference. April 17-18, Golden, CO.
- Ray, C.** and S. Collinge, 2007. Climate change and disease ecology. Organized oral session for the Ecological Society of America.
- Ray, C.**, 2006. Detection and monitoring of the American pika. National Park Service Workshop, Lava Beds National Monument, CA.
- Ray, C.**, 2006. Bayesian analysis and hierarchical modeling in ecology. Weekly Fall Workshop, University of Colorado.
- Ray, C.**, 2006. Modern methods for modeling presence-absence data. Weekly Fall Workshop, University of Colorado.
- Collinge, S. and **C. Ray**, 2003. Emerging diseases: stressing the union of community ecology and epidemiology. Symposium for the Ecological Society of America.

Invited presentations (* indicates presenter)

- Ray, C.***, A. Smith, J. Stewart, A. Whipple, et al., 2020. The little pika who could: lessons in biogeography of a model species. Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Illinois. Departmental seminar, January 23.
- Ray, C.***, 2019. Pikas, rocks and climate change: a David and Goliath Story. Rocky Mountain 101 Series, The Old Gallery, Allenspark, CO, July 21.
- Ray, C.***, 2019. Trending pikas? On the potential loss of an alpine icon. Rocky Mountain Conservancy's Wilderness & Whisky Series, Estes Park, CO, June 26.
- Ray, C.***, 2018. On thin ice: the future of the American pika. CIRES Series for The Academy for Lifelong Learning, Denver, CO, October 31.
- Ray, C.***, 2017, 2018, 2019. Updates on long-term research and monitoring of pikas in association with the National Park Service Pikas in Peril project. Rocky Mountain National Park annual research symposium.
- Ray, C.***, 2017, 2018, 2019. Interpreting results from the National Park Service Pikas in Peril research project. Rocky Mountain National Park interpretive staff training days.
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- Ray, C.***, 2016. Landbirds trends in mountain parks of the Pacific Northwest. U Mass, February 5.
- Ray, C.***, 2014. A pika in my pocket: snuggling up to study climate change. Teen Café, Denver Botanical Gardens, March 10.
- Ray, C.***, J. Wilkening, S. Bhattacharyya and L. Erb, 2013. Cheating climate change: can microhabitat selection save a species? University of Nevada, Reno, NV, October 17.
- Ray, C.***, 2013. Climate and the American pika. 20th Annual Boulder County Ecosystem Symposium on *Climate Change and the Resilience of High Elevation Ecosystems*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, March 16.
- Ray, C.***, 2013. Pika CPR in the Indian Peaks: status and stories of an alpine icon. Annual meeting of the Indian Peaks Wilderness Association, USDA Forest Service, Boulder, CO, March 4.
- Ray, C.***, M. Jeffress et al., 2013. National Park Service pika study: habitat occupancy results from eight parks and preliminary genetic results. Interpretation and Resource Stewardship Workshop, Continental Divide Research Learning Center's Annual Interpretation and Resource Stewardship Day, Rocky Mountain National Park, CO, February 27.
- Ray, C.***, 2012. Climate and the American pika: in our wilderness and beyond. USDA Forest Service Wilderness Volunteer Workshop, Denver, CO, December 3-4.
- Ray, C.***, 2012. Climate and the American pika. Fort Collins Audubon, Fort Collins, CO, November 8.
- Erb, L. P.* , **C. Ray** and R. Guralnick, 2012. Climatic influences on multi-year occupancy of the American pika (*Ochotona princeps*) in the southern Rocky Mountains. Naturalist Nights lecture series at the Aspen Center for Environmental Studies.

- Ray, C.***, 2012. Effects of microclimate on patterns of survival in the American pika inferred from long-term data on a population in the central Rocky Mountains. Symposium for the North American Congress for Conservation Biology, Oakland, CA.
- Jeffress, M.* , **C. Ray** et al., 2012. Status and trend in American pika site occupancy patterns across the western US: insights from some of the nation's "crown jewel" national park units. Symposium of the North American Congress for Conservation Biology, Oakland, CA, July 15-18.
- Erb, L. P.* , **C. Ray** and R. Guralnick, 2012. Climatic influences on multi-year occupancy of the American pika (*Ochotona princeps*) in the southern Rocky Mountains. Symposium of the North American Congress for Conservation Biology, Oakland, CA, July 15-18.
- Ray, C.***, M. Jeffress et al., 2012. National Park Service pika habitat occupancy study: Preliminary results from eight parks. 6th Biennial Rocky Mountain National Park Research Conference, Estes Park, CO, March 28-29.
- Ray, C.***, M. Jeffress et al., 2012. National Park Service pika habitat occupancy study: Preliminary results from eight parks. Biodiversity and Climate Change Workshop, Continental Divide Research Learning Center's Annual Interpretation and Resource Stewardship Day, Rocky Mountain National Park, CO, February 8.
- Ray, C.***, 2012. The American pika, a model species for studying climate sensitivity. Science Hubs teacher development workshop, Colorado Springs, CO,
- Ray, C.***, 2011. When tailings are habitat: hard rock mining and the American pika. Colorado Art Ranch Artposium, *Hardrock revision: re-envisioning the Ute-Ulay mine*, Lake City, CO, July 29. Sponsored by the Office of University Outreach, University of Colorado-Boulder.
- Ray, C.***, 2011. Climate and the American pika. Pueblo Zoo, Pueblo, CO, April 7. Sponsored by the Office of University Outreach, University of Colorado-Boulder.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. Climate-mediated relations between biodiversity and disease: answers on the horizon. Symposium, 95th Annual Meeting of the Ecological Society of America, *All You Need to Know is...: advice from theorists on managing ecosystems in a changing climate*. Pittsburgh, PA, August 1-6.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. The American pika. Denver Zoo. Sponsored by Denver Zoo, Center for Native Ecosystems and the Front Range Pika Project.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. A passel of pikas in lava beds at low elevation: Exploring the distribution of the American pika within Lava Beds National Monument, CA. Symposium of The Wildlife Society, Western Section, Irvine, CA.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. Climate and the American pika. California Polytechnic, San Luis Obispo, CA.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. Inferring effects of climate on the American pika. Boulder County Nature Association.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. Climate and the American pika. Audubon Society of Boulder, CO.
- Ray, C.***, E. Beever, P. Mote, J. Wilkening, L. Peterson, K. Sweazea and S. Loarie, 2010. Climate and the American pika. COSEE Institute, Boulder High School, Boulder, CO.
- Ray, C.***, E. Beever, P. Mote, J. Wilkening and L. Peterson, 2010. Inferring effects of climate on the American pika. Speaker series for Gore Range Natural Science School, sponsored by the Gore Range Natural Science School and Avon Public Library, Avon, CO.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. Inferring effects of climate on the American pika. Roaring Fork Audubon, Glenwood, CO.

(Invited presentations prior to 2010 omitted.)

Contributed Presentations (* indicates presenter; students underlined)

- Ray C ***, Vidrio J. 2020. Trending pikas: what one population might say about its neighbors. Rocky Mountain National Park 2020 Biennial Research Conference, Estes Park, CO, March 10-11.
- Ray C ***, Cluck DR, Wilkerson RL, Siegel RB, White AM, Tarbill GL, Sawyer SC, Howell CA. 2020. Woodboring beetle colonization of conifers killed by bark beetles vs wildfire. USDA Forest Service Forest Health Monitoring Workshop, Raleigh, NC, February 24-27.

- Albert, S.* , **C. Ray**, J. Schillaci and B. Fulton. 2019. Using integrated methodologies to track bird populations. National Military Fish and Wildlife Association Annual Workshop, Denver, CO, March 7.
- Ray, C.**, J. Saracco, M. Holmgren, R. Wilkerson, R. Siegel and J. Ransom*. 2018. Landbird population trends in protected areas of the North Coast and Cascades Network. American Ornithological Society, Tucson, Arizona, April 9-17.
- Ray, C.***, J. Saracco, M. Holmgren, R. Wilkerson, R. Siegel, K. Jenkins, J. Ransom, P. Happe, J. Boetsch and M. Huff. 2017. Landbird population trends in protected areas of the North Coast and Cascades Network. 64th Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Reno, Nevada, February 6-10.
- Benedict, L.* and **C. Ray**. 2017. From dawn to dusk: a behavioral study of the American pika. 64th Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Reno, Nevada, February 6-10, Symposium of the North American Pika Consortium.
- Craighead, A.* , **C. Ray** and J. L. Wilkening. 2017. Why is melanism uncommon in the American pika? 64th Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Reno, Nevada, February 6-10, Symposium of the North American Pika Consortium.
- Wasser, M.* and **C. Ray**. 2017. Inferring range contraction from apparent cache age in a food-hoarding species. 64th Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Reno, Nevada, February 6-10, Symposium of the North American Pika Consortium.
- Wiebe, M.*, M. Plichta, H. Batts, L. Benedict and **C. Ray**. 2017. Subsurface temperature and other environmental effects on the summer surface activity of a microhabitat specialist. 64th Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Reno, Nevada, February 6-10, Symposium of the North American Pika Consortium.
- Siegel, R. B.* , R. L. Wilkerson, J. F. Saracco, A. L. Holmgren, **C. Ray** and S. Haultain. 2016. Monitoring SIEN bird populations in an era of rapid environmental change. Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Parks Science Symposium, Three Rivers, California, November 9-10.
- Erb, L.P.* , L.C. Sackett, P.L. Erb, **C. Ray** and R.P. Guralnick. 2016. Impacts of climatic and landscape characteristics on gene flow among American pika (*Ochotona princeps*) populations in the southern Rocky Mountain region. 5th World Lagomorph Conference, CSU-Stanislaus, Turlock, California, July 11-13.
- Koju, N.P.*, et al. (**Ray**). 2016. A multilocus phylogeny of pikas (*Ochotona*) and its implications for systematics and gene flow. 5th World Lagomorph Conference, CSU-Stanislaus, Turlock, California, July 11-13.
- Bhattacharyya, S.* et al. (**Ray**). 2016. Royle's pika in a changing climate: insight from past and present distributions. 5th World Lagomorph Conference, CSU-Stanislaus, Turlock, California, July 11-13.
- Beers, A.*, **C. Ray** and R. Guralnick. 2015. Seasonality in the use of heterogeneous terrain by a territorial habitat specialist. LTER ASM, Estes Park, CO, Aug 30-Sep 2.
- Wilkening, J. and **C. Ray***. 2015. Determining effects of microclimate on individual survival in the American pika. LTER ASM, Estes Park, CO, Aug 30-Sep 2.
- Howe, J. Jr., C. Prince and **C. Ray***. 2015. Seasonal effects of microhabitat structure on sub-surface microclimates in blocky debris. LTER ASM, Estes Park, CO, Aug 30-Sep 2.
- Bhattacharyya, S. and **C. Ray***. 2015. Climate change and foraging efficiency in a territorial herbivore: changes in food cache quality parallel a change in microclimate. LTER ASM, Estes Park, CO, Aug 30-Sep 2.
- Wiebe, M., M. Plichta*, H. Batts, S. McLaughlin, J. Johnson and **C. Ray**. 2015. Effects of surface and sub-surface temperature on the activity budget of a microhabitat specialist. LTER ASM, Estes Park, CO, Aug 30-Sep 2.
- Ray, C*.**, J. Vukomanovic, P. Bourgeron, J. G. Smith and R. Andrus. 2015. V-ART curriculum for teaching social-ecological systems to children in mountain communities. LTER ASM, Estes Park, CO, Aug 30-Sep 2.
- Schwalm, D., et al. (**Ray***), 2015. Projecting futures for the American pika, a climate indicator species, in Rocky Mountain National Park. RMNP Research Conference, March 4-5.
- Schwalm, D.,* et al., 2014. Accounting for lost habitat when forecasting effects of climate change on metapopulation dynamics. The Wildlife Society, 21st Annual Conference, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, October 29.

- Castillo, J.* et al., 2014. Landscape effects on gene flow of American pika: a comparative landscape genetics study. North America Congress for Conservation Biology, Missoula, Montana, July 13-16.
- Wilkening, J.* and **C. Ray**, 2013. "Comparison of stress hormone levels measured in pikas across the western US". North American Congress for Conservation Biology. Baltimore, Maryland, July 21-25.
- Wilkening, J.* and **C. Ray**, 2013. Indicators of physiological stress in American pikas. 11th International Mammalogical Congress. Belfast, Ireland, August 11-16.
- Wilkening, J.* and **C. Ray**, 2013. Effects of environment on stress hormone metabolites measured in American pika feces. International Society of Wildlife Endocrinology 5th annual conference. Chicago, Illinois, October 14-16.
- Wilkening, J.* and **C. Ray**, 2012. A non-invasive technique for assessing stress in a sensitive alpine species. 97th Ann. Meeting of the Ecological Society of America. Portland, Oregon, August 5-10.
- Wilkening, J.* and **C. Ray**, 2012. Poster: Using fecal samples to measure stress in American pikas in a Rocky Mountain LTER. Long Term Ecological Research (LTER) All Scientists Meeting: The unique role of the LTER network in the Anthropocene: Collaborative Science Across Scales. Estes Park, Colorado, September 10-13.
- Erb, P.*, L. P. Erb and **C. Ray**, 2012. Poster: ScienceLIVE: Providing innovative connections between LTER research and the public. Long Term Ecological Research (LTER) All Scientists Meeting: The unique role of the LTER network in the Anthropocene: Collaborative Science Across Scales. Estes Park, Colorado, September 10-13.
- Nichols, L., **C. Ray*** and L. P. Erb, 2012. Factors influencing persistence in a declining population of American pikas in the Bodie Hills of eastern California. The Wildlife Society 19th annual conference. Portland, Oregon, October 13-18.
- Wilkening, J.* and **C. Ray**, 2012. Using physiological samples to measure stress in American pikas. The Wildlife Society 19th annual conference. Portland, Oregon, October 13-18.
- Collinge, S.* and **C. Ray**, 2011. Reflections on vernal pool plant community restoration: Three lessons from a long-term field experiment. 96th Ann. Meeting of the Ecological Society of America.
- Erb, L.*, **C. Ray** and R. Guralnick, 2011. Multi-year pika occupancy in the Southern Rockies: A regional stronghold or the next Great Basin? 95th Ann. Meeting of the Ecological Society of America.
- Ray, C.***, K. Sweazea and J. Wilkening, 2011. Signs of demographic change and physiological stress in Rocky Mountain pikas. 95th Ann. Meeting of the Ecological Society of America.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. Demographic change and physiological stress in Rocky Mountain pikas. 1st North American Pika Conference, Jackson Hole, WY.
- Ray, C.*** and M. Shardlow, 2010. National Park Service pika habitat occupancy study: Preliminary results from eight parks. Meeting of the California Pika Consortium, at the annual conference of The Wildlife Society- Western Section.

(Contributed presentations prior to 2010 omitted.)

Academic course lectures

- Ray, C.**, 2020. Pika winter ecology. Guest lecture in *Winter ecology teacher workshop*, hosted by Rocky Mountain National Park, Colorado Parks and Wildlife, Rocky Mountain Conservancy, YMCA of the Rockies, Estes Park, CO, February 23.
- Ray, C.***, A. Smith, J. Stewart, A. Whipple, et al., 2020. The little pika who could: lessons in biogeography of a model species. Guest lecture in *Biogeography*, University of Colorado, Boulder. April 22.
- Ray, C.**, 2019. Pikas and climate. Guest lecture in *Ecology*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, September 12.
- Ray, C.**, 2015. Pikas and climate. Guest lecture in *Conservation biology*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, June 15.
- Ray, C.***, 2014. Pikas and climate. Guest lecture in *Conservation biology*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, November 5.

- Ray, C.***, 2012. A model of climate sensitivity? Lectures presented in upper-division/graduate courses *Mountain geography* and *Conservation biology*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO.
- Ray, C.***, 2012. Climate and the American pika. Biology Club, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, November 8.
- Ray, C.***, 2011. A model of climate sensitivity? Lectures presented in upper-division/graduate courses *Novel ecosystems: understanding local manifestations of global change* and *Conservation biology*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. Climate and the American pika. Lecture presented in upper-division/graduate course *Mountain geography*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. Climate change and disease ecology. Lecture presented in upper-division/graduate course *Disease ecology and evolution*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO.
- Ray, C.***, 2010. Signs of demographic change and physiological stress in Rocky Mountain pikas. Lecture presented in upper-division/graduate course *Novel ecosystems: understanding local manifestations of global change*, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO.

(Course lectures prior to 2010 omitted.)

Grants and contracts

- PI: Niwot Ridge LTER VII Data synthesis grant (2020): GRA (0.25 FTE) and working group support
- PI: Niwot Ridge LTER VII Summer research grant (2020): GRA (0.50 FTE)
- PI: National Park Service Task Agreement P18AC00585 (2020 supplement) \$4.3K
- Co-PI: University of Colorado-Boulder Office of University Outreach Grant (2018) \$3.2K
- PI: Niwot Ridge LTER VII Grant (2018): \$15K
- PI: National Park Service Task Agreement P18AC00585 (2018) \$15K
- PI: Niwot Ridge LTER VII Grant (2017): \$30K
- PI: National Park Service Task Agreement P16AC00704/UCOB-112 (2016) \$11K
- Co-author: NSF LTREB Grant (2013) \$450K (PI: S. Collinge)
- PI: University of Colorado-Boulder Office of University Outreach Grant (2011) \$5.5K
- PI: National Park Service Climate Change Response Grant (2010) \$713K
- Co-author: NSF LTREB Grant (2008) \$450K (PI: S. Collinge)
- PI: Charlotte Martin Foundation Grant (2007) \$10K
- Co-author, Supervisor: Alcoa Foundation Practitioner Fellowship (2007) \$10K (PI: A. Craighead)
- Co-PI: WWF International Research Grant (2007) \$8.6K (PI: E. Beaver)
- PI: WWF International Research Grant (2006) \$4K
- Co-PI-designate: US National Park Service GB-CESU Grant (2006) \$12K (PI: E. Beaver)
- Contractor: Colorado Dept. of Transportation Contract (2003) \$2.4K
- Co-author: NSF/NIH Ecology of Infectious Diseases Grant (2002) \$1.7M (PI: S. Collinge)
- PI: US Fish and Wildlife Service Contract (2001) \$30K
- Co-author: EPA Species At Risk Grant (2001) \$0.5M (PI: S. Collinge)
- Co-author: US Fish and Wildlife Service Contracts (1998-2002) \$400K (PI: M. Peacock)
- Co-PI: NSF Dissertation Improvement Grant (1995) \$4.5K (PI: A. Hastings)
- PI: UC Davis Graduate Research Awards (1995, 1994) \$3K
- PI: UC Davis Center for Population Biology Research Grants (1992-5) \$4.5K
- PI: UC San Diego David J. Gambee Memorial Fellowship (1990) \$1K

Awards

2020 Rocky Mountain National Park Stewardship Award
2018 Denver Zoological Conservation Award (\$5K)

Honors

Graduated Summa Cum Laude, UC San Diego (1990)
Phi Beta Kappa and Caledonian honor society memberships (1990)
Judson Memorial and Sprague Memorial awards for excellence in journalism (1985)

Professional service and society memberships

IUCN Lagomorph Specialist Group
Ecological Society of America
Society for Conservation Biology
NSF Population and Community Ecology Panel (2010, 2011)

Synergistic activities

Innovations in teaching: (i) Developed “starter code” modules in R for undergraduate student projects in REU and independent study programs, to assist self-directed student learning and expansion of coding skills. (ii) Developed or co-developed software for teaching, including LESSON for teaching basic programming skills to undergraduates and METAPO2 for modeling population and metapopulation dynamics. (iii) Developed and applied V-ART curriculum for teaching social-ecological systems concepts to K-12 audiences (Ray, C., J. Vukomanovic, P. Bourgeron, J. G. Smith and R. Andrus, 2015. V-ART curriculum for teaching social-ecological systems to children in mountain communities. LTER All Scientists Meeting, Estes Park, Colorado, Aug 30-Sep 2).

Contributions to the science of learning: Published an account of the origin and development of books and curricula associated with the NSF-supported LTER Schoolyard Book Series, as a reference for further development of the series (Ray, C., D.M. McKnight, M.D. Bidwell, T. Fourment, C. Flanagan Pritz and A.H. Rinehart. 2015. Children’s book series and associated curricula support elementary education and outreach in water resources. Plant Ecology and Diversity, DOI: 10.1080/17550874.2015.1050711).

Development and/or refinement of research tools: (i) Re-vamped and expanded [vertnet](#) for accessing the the NSF-sponsored VertNet biological database ([vertnet.org](#)). (ii) Developed sampling techniques for the study of wild American pika (*Ochotona princeps*) and Pallas’ pika (*Ochotona pallasii*).

Broadening the participation of groups underrepresented in STEM: (i) Co-developed citizen-science training programs (e.g., [pikapartners.org](#)) to develop skills in citizen data collection and database use for conservation, used in the Four Corners and other regions with groups commonly underrepresented in STEM. (ii) Mentored four students from backgrounds underrepresented in science through the Niwot Ridge LTER REU program. (iii) Co-developed on-line resources designed to reach broad K-12 audiences (<https://www.lessonsinfescience.org>), and developed a twitter feed @pikaresearch to showcase diversity in REU and other students of pika field research (e.g.,

<https://twitter.com/pikaresearch/status/773025424452440064>). (iv) Contributed to the creation of five video documentaries on American pika research, each designed for a broad audience. (v) Mentored three graduate and three undergraduate students in education and outreach culminating in STEM presentations for K-12 students in a variety of venues. (vi) Appeared twice as a guest researcher in the NSF-sponsored Teen Science Café program.

Outreach: (i) Co-developed citizen-science training programs (e.g., [pikapartners](#)) designed to develop skills in data collection and database use for conservation. (ii) Provide annual scientific oversight for long-term citizen-science monitoring of pikas in Rocky Mountain National Park, White River National Forest, Medicine Bow-Routt National Forest and throughout the Colorado Front Range.

International service: (i) Pika specialist for the IUCN Lagomorph Specialists Group. (ii) Co-organized symposia/sessions for multiple international meetings of the Ecological Society of America. (iii) Served as “opponent” for the Ph.D. disputation of Tord Snäll, Uppsala University (Sweden), and as external reviewer for the Ph.D. thesis of Geoffrey Heard, La Trobe University (Australia). (iv) Provided on-site consultation and instruction on Pallas’ pika (*Ochotona pallasii*) sampling for Denver Zoo and Earthwatch Institute programs in Mongolia (2018).

National service: Service within the merit review process for the National Science Foundation, including service on NSF’s Population and Community Ecology panel. Co-PI on a broad-based proposal to inventory the American pika within many land units administered by the National Park Service (Rocky Mountain, Yellowstone-Teton and Upper Columbia Basin Networks). Invited by the US Fish and Wildlife Service to coordinate revision of the recovery plan for the black-footed ferret (*Mustela nigripes*). Invited by the Colorado Department of Transportation to provide professional opinion and review of strategies for reducing the impact of highway construction on the Prebles’ meadow jumping mouse (*Zapus hudsonius preblei*) and on the re-introduced lynx (*Felis lynx*). Invited by the NOAA Northwest Fisheries Science Center to participate in a Cumulative Risk Initiative workshop and related document reviews regarding the development of population viability analyses for salmonid management.

Community service: Co-organized the Front Range Pika Project, a citizen-science program to document change in the distribution and habitats occupied by the American pika. Sponsored by three non-profit organizations (Boulder County Nature Association, Rocky Mountain Conservancy Field Institute and Rocky Mountain Wild) to teach annual field courses on pika ecology for non-scientists (2007-present). Interviewed for features in print, broadcast and web media including the BBC, National Public Radio (Science Friday), H₂O Radio, Science, ABC Nightly News, al Jazeera and National Wildlife.

Student mentoring

Post-doctoral students (co-advisor)

Tord Snäll, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, 2005

Graduate students (co-advisor)

Ashley Whipple, Masters 2019

Isabel Corona, Masters 2018

Jennifer Wilkening, Ph.D. 2014
Liesl Peterson Erb, Ph.D. 2013
Sabuj Bhattacharyya, Fulbright 2010

Undergraduate honors students (advisor)

Hilary Rinsland, Univ. of Richmond VA 2018
Emily Monk, EBIO Honors 2018
Max Wasser, EBIO Honors 2018
Lauren Benedict, Whitman College Honors 2017
Spencer Holtz, EBIO Honors 2016
Maxwell Plichta, EBIO Honors 2016
Meghan Wiebe, EBIO Honors 2015
James Howe Jr., ENVS Honors 2014

Undergraduate student research (supervisor or co-supervisor)

Claire Atkins, NSF RECCS Summer 2019
Airy González Peralta, Front Range Community College Spring 2019
Caitlin Stiltner, ENVS Spring 2019
Minyue Hu, ENVS Spring 2019
Haley Weaver, NSF REU Summer 2017
Emily Monk, UROP Summer 2017
Max Wasser, NSF REU Summer 2017
Hilary Rinsland, U Richmond Virginia Fellow Summer 2017
Lauren Benedict, NSF REU Summer 2016
Max Wasser, BURST Summer 2016
Jeremy Bonnell, ENVS Summer 2016
Spencer Holtz, UROP Summer 2015
Maxwell Plichta, NSF REU Summer 2015
Jasmine Vidrio, NSF REU Summer 2015
Hilary Brumberg, Wesleyan Fellowship Summer 2015
Max Wasser, UROP Summer 2015
Christian Prince, ENVS Internship Fall 2014, UROP Spring 2015
Maxwell Plichta, UROP Fall 2014
Meghan Wiebe, NSF REU Summer 2013, UROP Spring 2013
Taylor Stratton, NSF REU Summer 2013
James Howe Jr., BURST Summer 2013
Kacey Fitzgerald, UROP Summer 2013
Kayla Barton, EBIO Independent Study Spring 2013
Riley Stuckey, BURST Fall 2012
Sarah McLaughlin, NSF REU Summer 2012
Jessica Johnson, UROP Summer 2012
Brooke Regan, UROP Fall 2011
Gerardo Dillehay, NSF REU Summer 2011
Lindsey Nietmann, NSF REU Summer 2008
Phillip Wasz, NSF REU Summer 2008

Advisors

(Ph.D.) Alan Hastings, University of California, Davis

(M.A.) Michael Gilpin, University of California, San Diego (Retired)

Recent supervisors

Rodney Siegel (rsiegel@birdpop.org)

Director, Institute for Bird Populations, Petaluma, CA

Katharine Suding (Katharine.Suding@colorado.edu)

Professor of EE Biology, INSTAAR Associate and Lead Investigator for the Niwot Ridge LTER, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO