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## 1. Research Interests

Geomicrobiology, soil microbiology, stable isotope geochemistry, microbial physiology, mass spectrometry

## 2. Education

2008 BS in Geosciences & Astrophysics, Jacobs University, Bremen, Germany

2010 MS in Geochemistry, MIT, Cambridge, MA

2014 PhD in Geobiology, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA

## 3. Employment

2016-present Assistant Professor, Department of Geological Sciences, CU Boulder

*Parental leave semesters:* Spring 2019, Spring 2021

2015-2016 Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Princeton University

Summer 2015 Teaching Assistant, Microbial Diversity Course, Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, MA

2010-2014 Graduate Research and Teaching Assistant, Division of Geological and Planetary Sciences, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA

2008-2010 Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Earth Atmospheric and Planetary Sciences, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA

2003-2008 Lead Software Engineer and Co-Founder, CleverSoft GmbH, Freiburg, Germany

## 4. Awards, and Honors

2020 National Science Foundation Early Career Research Award

2015 Postdoctoral Fellowship Award, Agouron Institute

2014 Lawrence L. and Audrey W. Ferguson Prize for the outstanding doctoral thesis of the year, Division of Biology, California Institute of Technology

2011 International Student Predoctoral Fellowship Award, Howard Hughes Medical Institute

2008 Charles Vest Presidential Fellowship Award, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

## 5. Research and Creative Works

Key: members of the Kopf lab are highlighted in **bold**: **graduate student\***, **undergraduate student\*\***, **postdoc<sup>#</sup>**, **research staff<sup>†</sup>**. Informally advised students (e.g. as member of their thesis committee) are highlighted in *italic*: *student<sup>§</sup>*.

### Peer-Reviewed Publications

*Havranek<sup>§</sup>*, R.; Snell, K.; **Kopf, S.**; Davidheiser-Kroll, B.; Claymore, V.; Vaughn, B. Technical note: Lessons from and best practices for the deployment of the Soil Water Isotope Storage System. *Hydrology and Earth System Sciences*, 27: 2951-2971, 2023. doi: 10.5194/hess-27-2951-2023

Leavitt, W.; **Kopf S.**; Weber, Y.; Chiu, B.; **McFarlin<sup>#</sup>**, J. M.; Zhou, A.; Zhang, Y.; Elling, F.; Hoefft-McCann, S.; Pearson, A. Controls on the hydrogen isotope composition of tetraether lipids in an autotrophic ammonia-oxidizing marine archaeon. *Geochimica et Cosmochimica Acta*, 352: 194-210, 2023. doi: 10.1016/j.gca.2023.04.033

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- serpentinizing Samail Ophiolite, Oman. *Frontiers in Microbiology*, 2023. doi: 10.3389/fmicb.2023.1139633
- Boettger, J, **Neubauer**<sup>†</sup>, **C, Kopf, S**, and Kubicki, J. Microbial Denitrification: Active Site and Reaction Path Models Predict New Isotopic Fingerprints. *ACS Earth and Space Chemistry*, 6(11): 2582-2594, 2022, doi: 10.1021/acsearthspacechem.2c00102
- Halamka\***, **T. A.**; *Raberg*<sup>§</sup>, *J. H.*; **McFarlin**<sup>#</sup>, **J. M.**; **Younkin**<sup>†</sup>, **A. D.**; **Mulligan**<sup>\*\*</sup>, **C.**; Liu, X.; and **Kopf, S. H.** Production of diverse brGDGTs by *Acidobacterium Solibacter usitatus* in response to temperature, pH, and O<sub>2</sub> provides a culturing perspective on brGDGT proxies and biosynthesis. *Geobiology*, 2022, doi: 10.1111/gbi.12525
- Halamka\***, **T A**; **McFarlin**<sup>#</sup>, **J M**; **Younkin**<sup>†</sup>, **A D**; **Depoy**<sup>\*\*</sup>, **J**; Dildar, N; and **Kopf, S H.** Oxygen limitation can trigger the production of branched GDGTs in culture. *Geochemical Perspectives Letters*, 19: 36–39, 2021, doi: 10.7185/geochemlet.2132
- Fripiat F, Martínez-García A, Marconi D, Fawcett S, **Kopf S**, Luu V, Rafter P, Zhang R, Sigman D, Haug G. Nitrogen isotopic constraints on nutrient transport to the upper ocean. *Nature Geoscience*, 2021, doi: 10.1038/s41561-021-00836-8
- Nothafft*<sup>§</sup>, *D*, Templeton, A, Rhim, J, Wang, D, Labidi, J, Miller, H, Boyd, E, Matter, J, Ono, S, Young, E, **Kopf, S**, Kelemen, P, Conrad, M, and Team T. O. D. P. S. Geochemical, Biological, and Clumped Isotopologue Evidence for Substantial Microbial Methane Production Under Carbon Limitation in Serpentinites of the Samail Ophiolite, Oman. *Journal of Geophysical Research: Biogeosciences*, 126(10), 2021, doi: 10.1029/2020JG006025
- Boudinot*<sup>§</sup> *G*, **Kopf S**, Dildar N, Sepulveda J. Carbon Cycling During Oceanic Anoxic Event 2: Compound-Specific Carbon Isotope Evidence From the Western Interior Seaway. *Paleoceanography and Paleoclimatology*, 36(9): e2021PA004287, 2021, doi: 10.1029/2021PA004287
- Hilkert, A.; Böhlke, J. K.; Mroczkowski, S. J.; Fort, K. L.; Aizikov, K.; Wang, X. T.; **Kopf, S. H.**; and **Neubauer, C.** Exploring the Potential of Electrospray-Orbitrap for Stable Isotope Analysis Using Nitrate as a Model. *Analytical Chemistry*, 93(26): 9139-9148, 2021, doi: 10.1021/acs.analchem.1c00944
- Kopf, S.**; Davidheiser-Kroll, B.; and Kocken, I. Isoreader: An R package to read stable isotope data files for reproducible research. *Journal of Open Source Software*, 6(61): 2878. 2021, doi: 10.5194/bg-18-3579-2021
- Asamoto C**, *Rempfert*<sup>§</sup> *K*, Luu V, **Younkin**<sup>†</sup> **A**, Sigman D, **Kopf S**. Enzyme-Specific Coupling of Oxygen and Nitrogen Isotope Fractionation of the Nap and Nar Nitrate Reductases. *Environmental Science & Technology*, 2021, 55(8): 5537-5546, doi: 10.1021/acs.est.0c07816
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- Bhatnagar S, **Cowley**<sup>\*\*</sup> **E**, **Kopf S**, Pérez Castro S, Kearney S, Dawson S, Hanselmann K, Ruff SE. Microbial community dynamics and coexistence in a sulfide-driven phototrophic bloom. *Environmental Microbiome* 15, 3 (2020) doi:10.1186/s40793-019-0348-0
- Silverman**<sup>\*\*</sup> **S**, **Kopf S**, Gordon R, Bebout B, Som S. Morphological and isotopic changes of heterocystous cyanobacteria in response to N<sub>2</sub> partial pressure. *Geobiology*. 2019, 17(1), 60-75, doi: 10.1111/gbi.12312
- McRose D, Lee A, **Kopf S**, Baars O, Kraepiel A, Sigman D, Morel F, Zhang X. Effect of Iron Limitation on the Isotopic Composition of Cellular and Released Fixed Nitrogen in *Azotobacter vinelandii*. *Geochimica Et Cosmochimica Acta*, 2019, 244, doi: 10.1016/j.gca.2018.09.023
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- Marconi<sup>§</sup> D*, **Kopf S**, Rafter P, Sigman D. Aerobic respiration along isopycnals leads to overestimation of the isotope effect of denitrification in the ocean water column. *Geochimica et Cosmochimica Acta*, 2017, 197, 417-432, doi: 10.1016/j.gca.2016.10.012
- Pasulka A, Thamtrakoln K, **Kopf S**, Guan Y, Poulos B, Moradian A, Sweredoski M, Hess S, Sullivan M, Bidle K, Orphan V. BONCAT and nanoSIMS-based methods for the direct measurement of newly synthesized viral particles and the flow of carbon and nitrogen after host lysis. *Environmental Microbiology*, 2017, 20(2), 671-692, doi: 10.1111/1462-2920.13996
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- Cowley ES, **Kopf S**, LaRiviere A, Ziebis W, Newman DK. Pediatric cystic fibrosis sputum can be chemically dynamic, anoxic and extremely reduced due to hydrogen sulfide formation. *mBio*, 2015, 6 (4), e00767-15, doi: 10.1128/mBio.00767-15
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- Kopf S**, Hallegatte S, Ha-Duong M. Using maps of city analogues to display and interpret climate change scenarios and their uncertainty. *Natural Hazards and Earth System Sciences*, 2008, 8 (4), 905-918, www.nat-hazards-earth-syst-sci.net/8/905/2008

### Non-Peer-Reviewed Publications

- Bose A, **Kopf S**, Newman DK. From geocycles to genomes and back. In: *Microbial metal and metalloid metabolism: advances and applications* (Stolz JF & Oremland RS, Eds). ASM Press, 2010.

### Manuscripts in review

- Kantnerová<sup>#</sup> K.**, Kuhlbusch N., Juchelka D., Hilker A., **Kopf S.**, **Neubauer<sup>†</sup> C.**: ESI-Orbitrap IRMS: A Guide to Precision Isotopocule Analysis for Life and Environmental Scientists. In review at *Nature Protocols*.
- Shipley O., Anna J., Gabriel J., Hayden B., Pauli J., Jordan C., Anderson L., Bailey A., Bataille C., Cicero C., Close H., Cook C., Cook J., Desai A., Evaristo J., Filley T., France C., Kim S., **Kopf S.**, Loisel J., Manlick P., **McFarlin<sup>#</sup> J.**, McMeans B., O’Connell T., Semmens B., Stantis C., Szejner P., Pilaar Birch S. Putman A., Stricker C., Trammell, T., Uhen M., Weintraub-Leff S., Wooler M., Willimas J., Yarnes C., Vander Zanden H., Newsome S.: Design, development, and implementation of IsoBank: a centralized repository for isotopic data. In review at *PLOS ONE*.
- Harning D., Raberg J., **McFarlin<sup>#</sup> J.**, Axford Y., Florian C., Ólafsdóttir K., **Kopf S.**, Sepúlveda J., Miller G., and Geirsdóttir Á. Spatiotemporal variation of modern lake, stream, and soil water isotopes in Iceland. In review at *Hydrology and Earth System Sciences*.

**Tristan\* C.**; Srishti K.; Claudia C.; George B.; **Kopf S.**; Templeton A. Single-cell measurement of microbial growth rate with Raman microspectroscopy. In review at FEMS Microbiology Ecology.

**Maloney† AE**, **Kopf SH**, Zhang Z, **McFarlin# J**, Nelson DB, Masterson AL, Zhang X. Large enrichments in fatty acid  $^2\text{H}/^1\text{H}$  ratios distinguish respiration from aerobic fermentation in yeast *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. In review at PNAS.

## 6. Grants (at CU Boulder)

- 2022-2025 NASA Exobiology (20NSSC22K1895). Templeton, Kopf (Co-Is at CU Boulder), Hoehler (PI at NASA Ames / lead institution). *Methanogenic Activity and Isotopic Biosignatures Under Carbon Limitation* \$498,279 to CU Boulder
- 2021-2024 Army Research Office Life Sciences Branch (W911NF2120119). Kopf (PI). *Microbial activity in a changing Arctic*. \$357,002 to CU Boulder / total.
- 2020-2025 NSF EAR Geobiology & Low Temperature Geochemistry (1945484). Kopf (PI). *CAREER: Uncovering the origins and biological purpose of the orphaned branched GDGT temperature biomarker*. \$537,699 to CU Boulder / total.
- 2020-2021 NSF OCE Chemical Oceanography (2041539). Kopf (PI), Neubauer (Co-I, INSTAAR). *EAGER: Unlocking the clumped isotope signatures of marine nitrate*. \$185,920 to CU Boulder / total.
- 2019-2022 NSF EAR Geobiology and Low Temperature Geochemistry (1928303). Kopf (PI at CU Boulder), Leavitt (PI at Dartmouth). *Collaborative Research: Establishing the hydrogen isotopic window into Archaeal lipid biomarkers*. \$280,180 to CU Boulder, \$555,115 total.
- 2019-2020 CU Boulder RIO SEED Grant. Kopf (PI), Fierer (Co-I, EBio), Wieder (Co-I, NCAR). *Measuring the pulse of global change at the interface of Earth & Life*. \$49,990 total (CU internal).
- 2017-2020 NASA Exobiology (80NSSC17K0667). Kopf (PI at CU Boulder), Zhang (PI at Princeton / lead institution), Kraepiel (CoI, Princeton). *What Controls the Nitrogen Isotope Fractionation of  $\text{N}_2$  Fixation?* \$119,613 to CU Boulder, \$569,419 total.

## 7. Invited Presentations (since at CU Boulder)

### Conferences

- 2024 Geobiology Gordon Research Conference. *Insane in the membrane: bacterial tetraether (brGDGT) production in laboratory culture*
- 2023 2<sup>nd</sup> International GDGT Workshop. *Controls on the hydrogen isotope composition of tetraether lipids in laboratory cultures*
- 2022 Organic Geochemistry Gordon Research Conference. *Paleoclimatological insights, applications, and limitations of brGDGT production in culture*
- 2022 American Chemical Society Spring Meeting. *A closer look at the isotopic levers of the nitrogen cycle: isotope effects in denitrification and nitrogen fixation*
- 2020 GSA Annual Meeting. *Into the isoverse: open-source data tools for stable isotope ratio mass spectrometry*.
- 2019 Geobiology Society Meeting. *Geobiological approaches to studying the environmental chemistry and microbial ecology of chronic infections*.
- 2016 Telluride Science Research Conference on Iron Biogeochemistry. *The role of iron in anoxic nitrogen transformations*.

### Seminars

- 2022 Virtual Biological and Biotechnological Sciences Seminar, Army Research Laboratories
- 2021 Earth Science Department Seminar, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH.
- 2021 Society of Fellows, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH.
- 2019 INSTAAR Seminar, University of Colorado Boulder, Boulder, CO.
- 2017 Lamont Doherty Earth Observatory Colloquium, Columbia University, NY.
- 2017 USGS Colloquium, Federal Center, Denver, CO.

2017 Civil & Environmental Engineering Seminar, Colorado School of Mines, Golden, CO.

2016 Geography and Environmental Engineering Colloquium, John's Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD.

### **Workshops and Summer Courses**

21-23 Isocamp Summer Course on Stable Isotope Biogeochemistry & Ecology, University of New Mexico.

2019 IsoBank workshop at the University of New Mexico.

2019 Isocamp Summer Course on Stable Isotope Biogeochemistry & Ecology, University of Utah.

2016 International Geobiology Summer Course at the Wrigley Institute/University of Southern California/Colorado School of Mines.

## **8. Teaching (at CU Boulder)**

GEOL 1180: Our Microbial Planet (Fall 2018, Spring 2020, Spring 2023, Spring 24)

New general interest science class on the crucial role microbes play on Earth - class open to all majors.

GEOL/MCDB 3181: Microbial Planet Lab (Fall 2022, Fall 2023)

New upper division hands-on research class isolating and characterizing soil microorganism – first course based undergraduate research experience (CURE) class in the department.

GEOL/MCDB/ENVS 4185 / GEOL 5185: Geomicrobiology (Fall 2017, Fall 2019, Spring 2022)

New upper division flipped classroom using team-based learning to gain a quantitative understanding of microbial energetics and earth-life interactions.

GEOL/EBIO 4444 / 5444: Data Visualization (Fall 2021, Spring 2023)

New graduate/undergraduate hands-on data analysis and visualization using tidyverse R.

GEOL 5042: Computational Tools (Fall 2018, Fall 2020)

New graduate course on advanced computational tools in R, python and microcontroller programming.

GEOL 5253: Stable Isotope Fractionation (Fall 2016, Spring 2018, Fall 2020)

New graduate class on stable isotope fractionation including modelling advanced isotope systematics.

## **9. Mentoring (since at CU Boulder)**

### **Postdoctoral Researchers**

2022-present Dr. Kristýna Kantnerová (co-advised with C. Neubauer)

2020-2023 Dr. Jeemin Rhim (co-advised with W. Leavitt at Dartmouth College)

2019-2022 Dr. Jamie McFarlin

### **Research Staff**

2023-present Dr. Ashley Maloney

2020-present Dr. Cajetan Neubauer

2018-present Adam Younkin

2016-2021 Dr. Nadia Dildar

### **Graduate Students**

2023-present GEOL PhD student Catherine Fontana (co-advised with B. Wing)

2020-present GEOL PhD student Harp Batther (co-advised with A. Templeton)

2020-present GEOL PhD student Tristan Caro (co-advised with A. Templeton)

2019-2023 GEOL PhD student Toby Halamka

2017-2023 GEOL PhD student Ciara Asamoto

2019/2020 IQ Biology rotation student Tristan Caro

2018/2019 IQ Biology rotation student Corinne Walsh

2016/2017 IQ Biology rotation student Kelsey Dahlgren

2016/2017 IQ Biology rotation student Elise Cowley

### **Undergraduate Students**

Fall 2023 UROP student Carolyn Bivins

Summer 2022 RECCS summer student Madison Scarlotti

2022-2023 UROP student Madigan Rumley

*Summer 2022* RECCS summer student Adeena Chughtai  
*Summer 2022* RECCS summer student Sal Greenberger  
*2022-2023* UROP student Julia Kelley-Kern  
*2021-2022* UROP student Stephanie Schubert  
*Summer 2021* Summer research assistant Josie Mottram  
*Summer 2021* Summer research assistant Christopher Mulligan  
*2019-2020* UROP student Joely Depoy  
*Summer 2019* RECCS summer student Alec Elder  
*2016-2017* MCDB Honors thesis student Shaelyn Silverman

### **Training Visitors**

*Spring 2023* Olivia Pendas, undergraduate student, Dartmouth College  
*Summer 2022* Alta Howells, Postdoc, NASA Ames  
*Fall 2021&23*Carolynn Harris, PhD student, Dartmouth College  
*Spring 2019* Yuki Weber, Postdoc, Harvard University  
*Summer 2018* Ashley Maloney, Postdoc, Princeton University  
*Summer 2018* Eunah Han, PhD student, Princeton University  
*Summer 2017* Matthew Salie, Postdoc, Scripps Research Institute

### **Graduate Student Committees**

*2022-present* EBIO PhD student Jessica Rush  
*2022-present* GEOL PhD student Kevin Rozmiarek  
*2021-present* EBIO PhD student Sierra Jech  
*2017-present* GEOL PhD student Ellie Hara  
*2017-2023* GEOL PhD student Jennifer Reeve  
*2019-2023* Colorado School of Mines PhD student Patrick Thieringer  
*2018-2023* EBIO PhD student Corinne Walsh  
*2021-2022* GEOL PhD student Rachel Havranek  
*2021-2022* Biochemistry PhD student Kelsey Dahlgreen  
*2017-2022* GEOL PhD student Sebastian Cantarero  
*2020-2021* EBIO MSc student Molly Huber  
*2019-2021* GEOL PhD student Katie Rempfert  
*2018-2021* EBIO MSc student Amy Barfield  
*2017-2021* GEOL PhD student Jonathan Raberg  
*2016-2021* GEOL PhD student Mike Zawaski  
*2017-2020* INSTAAR/CEAE PhD student Anna Bergstrom  
*2017-2020* GEOL PhD student Daniel Nothaft  
*2017-2020* GEOL PhD student Garrett Boudinot  
*2017-2019* GEOL PhD student Lina Perez Angel  
*2016-2018* GEOL/USGS MSc student Tyler Kane

### **10. Professional Development (since at CU Boulder)**

*2021* CU Boulder Supporting Student Resiliency Series  
*2020* Small World Initiative Workshop: Designing and implementing Course-based Undergraduate Research Experience (CURE) lab classes.  
*2018* CU Boulder PI Academy Workshop: Navigating Resources for Research, Scholarship and Creative Work  
*2018* CU Boulder PI Academy Workshop: Research and Seed Grant Mixer  
*2018* CU Boulder PI Academy Workshop: Packard & Keck Fellowships Workshop  
*2018* CU Boulder FTEP Workshop: Flipping the classroom  
*2017* CU Boulder FTEP Workshop: Student pushback in active classrooms  
*2017* Goldschmidt Workshop: Team-based-learning (TBL) for flipping Earth Sciences classrooms

2017 CU Boulder LEAP Workshop: Introductory Leadership

2016 NAGT/SERC Early Career Geoscience Workshop for Teaching, Research and Career Management

## 11. Service & Outreach (since at CU Boulder)

### Department

2022/2023 Undergraduate Curriculum Committees  
 Fall 2022 Department Chair Search Committee  
 2021/2022 Graduate Curriculum Committees  
 2020/2021 Diversity, Equity & Inclusivity Committee  
 2019/2020 Executive Committee  
 Fall 2018 Graduate Curriculum Committee  
 Fall 2017 Committee of the Future  
 2017-2018 Web Committee (Chair)  
 2016/17 Space Committee

### University

2019-2021 ASSETT Inclusive Data Science Innovation Incubator  
 2017-2018 RIO Campus Computing Resources Workgroup  
 2017 IQBiology Admissions Committee  
 2016 RIO Advisory Board Subcommittee on Engaging Faculty in Innovation

### Community

2016-present Developer of open-source software and hardware for the geochemistry and geomicrobiology research communities including [www.isoverse.org](http://www.isoverse.org)  
 2016-present Manuscript Reviewer for: Geobiology, Environmental Microbiology, Geochimica et Cosmochimica Acta, Nature Communications, Microbial Ecology, mBio, PLOS One, Environmental Microbiology, Chemical Geology, PNAS, Environmental Science & Technology  
 2016-present Proposal Reviewer for: NASA Astrobiology, NSF Geobiology and Low Temperature Geochemistry, NSF Chemical Oceanography, Department of Energy Office of Science, American Chemical Society Petroleum Research Fund, Novo Nordisk Foundation  
 2022 Proposal review panelist for NSF EAR Geobiology & Low Temperature Geochemistry program  
 2020-2021 Lead organizer of the CU Boulder visit days for community college students from the Denver Metro STEM Alliance for Minority Participation (comprising Community College of Aurora, Arapahoe Community College and Front Range Community College).  
 2020 Lead organizer for the first Isoverse Workshop on reproducible stable isotope data processing, University of Colorado Boulder, CO.  
 2019 Lead faculty organizer for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Rocky Mountain Geobiology Symposium, University of Colorado Boulder, CO.  
 2018 Co-Chair for AGU Conference Session: “Understanding the Biogeochemistry of Nitrogen Inputs and Outputs from Molecular to Global Scales”  
 2018 Co-Chair for Goldschmidt Conference Session: “Traditional and Non-Traditional Stable Isotopes in Geobiology and Biogeochemistry”  
 2017 Co-Chair for Goldschmidt Conference Session: “Novel tools and approaches for investigating biogeochemical cycling and organic signatures of microbial activity”  
 2016 Co-Instructor for GSA Short course: “Organic, Light and Clumped Stable Isotope Geochemistry in the 21st Century: Principles, Practices and Novel Applications” with K. Snell, J. Sepulveda, and B. Davidheiser-Kroll

## 12. Other Conference Presentations (since at CU Boulder)

2024 Geobiology Gordon Research Conference.

- 2023 American Chemical Society Spring Meeting, Rocky Mountain Geobiology Symposium, Front Range Microbiome Symposium, American Society for Mass Spectrometry Annual Conference, Goldschmidt Conference, Advances in Stable Isotope Techniques & Applications (ASITA) Conference, Archaea Gordon Research Conference, 2<sup>nd</sup> International GDGT workshop, International Meeting on Organic Geochemistry
- 2022 Northeast Geobiology Symposium, Astrobiology Science Conference (AbSciCon), Goldschmidt Conference, International Symposium on Microbial Ecology (ISME), International Workshop on Microbial Life (Microenergy), International Clumped Isotope Workshop, Geobiology Gordon Research Conference, American Geophysical Union (AGU) Fall Meeting, Czech Society for Stable Isotopes Meeting
- 2021 International Arctic Workshop, European Geosciences Union (EGU) General Assembly, Rocky Mountain Geobiology Symposium, American Geophysical Union (AGU) Fall Meeting
- 2019 International Clumped Isotope Workshop, Rocky Mountain Geobiology Symposium, Front Range Microbiome Symposium, Astrobiology Science Conference (AbSciCon), Gordon Research Conference on Applied & Environmental Microbiology, Water Isotopes and Climate Workshop, American Geophysical Union (AGU) Fall Meeting
- 2018 Rocky Mountain Geobiology Symposium, Northeast Geobiology Symposium, Goldschmidt Conference, Front Range Isotope Day, Geological Society of America (GSA) Annual Meeting, American Geophysical Union (AGU) Fall Meeting
- 2017 Astrobiology Science Conference (AbSciCon), Geobiology Society Conference, Goldschmidt Conference, Geological Society of America (GSA) Annual Meeting
- 2016 American Society for Microbiology (ASM) Microbe Meeting, American Geophysical Union (AGU)