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Education

1982 – B.A. (East Asian studies/Asian philosophy), Yale University.

1986 – Ph.D. (Ecology and evolutionary biology), Brown University.

Honors and Awards

1982 – University Fellowship, Brown University

1992 – Presidential Faculty Fellow, U.S. National Science Foundation

2004 – Eminent Ecologist, Kellogg Biological Station

2008 – Distinguished Visiting Professor, University of Miami

2008 – Distinguished Ecologist, Michigan Technological University

2010 – Ledermann Lecturer in Natural History and Conservation Biology, University of Rhode Island

2012 – Elected Fellow, Ecological Society of America

2014 – Human Diversity Award (for Harvard Forest Summer Undergraduate Research Program), Organization of Biological Field Stations

2016 – Edward P. Bass Distinguished Visiting Environmental Fellow, Yale Institute for Biospheric Studies (for spring semester 2016)

2016 – Presidential International Fellowship (Visiting Professor), Chinese Academy of Sciences.

2016 – Forest Champion Award (to the Wildlands & Woodlands Team), New England Forestry Foundation

Positions Held

February 1980 - May 1980 – Assistant Curator in Invertebrate Zoology, Peabody Museum of Natural History, Yale University.

June 1980 – May 1982 – Research Assistant, Yale University.

September 1983 – May 1986 – Teaching Assistant, Brown University (*assisted in: Invertebrate Zoology, Field Ecology, Plant Diversity [Taxonomy], and Introductory Ecology*)

July 1986 – July 1988 – Post-doctoral Research Associate and Lecturer, Section of Ecology and Systematics and Ecosystems Research Center, Cornell University (*courses taught: Introduction to Plant Ecology, Laboratory for Plant Ecology, Plant Ecology seminar*).

September 1988 – August 1989 – Post-doctoral Research Associate, Organization for Tropical Studies, Costa Rica, and Department of Biology, Tulane University.

September 1989 – August 1990 – Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Biology, Swarthmore College (*courses taught: Introductory Ecology, Tropical Ecology and Conservation, Introductory Biology [ten lectures plus one laboratory section]*).

September 1990 – June 1996 – Assistant Professor, Department of Biological Sciences, Mount Holyoke College (*courses taught: Ecology & Evolution, Advanced Ecology, Conservation Biology, Local Flora, Biomechanics, Biostatistics, Introduction to Environmental Studies, Senior Seminar in Environmental Decision Making.*).

July 1993 – June 1996 – Marjorie Fisher Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies, Mount Holyoke College.

November 1993 – June 2003 – Member, Five College Graduate Faculty, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Massachusetts, Departments of Natural Resources Conservation, and Organismic and Evolutionary Biology.

July 1996 – June 2001 – Marjorie Fisher Associate Professor of Environmental Studies and Associate Professor of Biological Sciences, Mount Holyoke College (tenured).

July 2001 – June 2003 – Marjorie Fisher Professor of Environmental Studies and Professor of Biological Sciences, Mount Holyoke College.

September 2001 – June 2002 – Bullard Fellow, Harvard Forest, Harvard University.

June 2002 – present – Senior Research Fellow, Department of Organismic and Evolutionary Biology, Harvard University, and Senior Ecologist, Harvard Forest.

November 2006 – present – Adjunct Research Professor, Departments of Biology (2006 – present) and Environmental Conservation (2010 – 2016), University of Massachusetts.

January – May 2016 – Edward Bass Distinguished Visiting Environmental Fellow, Yale Institute for Biospheric Studies and Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Yale University.

June 2016 – present – Adjunct Research Professor, Tropical Forests and People Research Centre, Faculty of Arts, Business and Law, University of the Sunshine Coast, Marroochydore, Queensland, Australia.

Administrative Experience

July 1991 – June 1993 and July 1996 – June 1999 – Chair, Program in Environmental Studies, Mount Holyoke College.

August 1996 – August 2000 – Program Director, Mount Holyoke College's Howard Hughes Medical Institute Undergraduate Biological Sciences Education Program.

July 1998 – June 2001 – Director, Mount Holyoke College Center for Environmental Literacy.

September 1998 – June 2001 – Chair, Mount Holyoke Science Complex Project (in charge of design and construction of a \$40 Million, 4 building, Unified Science Complex).

July 1999 – June 2001 – Sponsored Research Officer and Chair of the Science Advisory Board (Chair of Science Department Chairs/Associate Dean of Science), Mount Holyoke College.

August 2004 – present – Program Director, Harvard Forest Summer Research Program.

International Advisory Boards

September 2012 – present – Southwest Experimental Garden Array (SEGA): Chair of the Data Management Committee (2012 – 2016); Member of the Scientific Advisory Committee (2015 – present).

February 2015 – present – Biodiversity Exploratories (Germany): Chair of Advisory Board.

July 2015 – present – Luquillo LTER (Puerto Rico): Member of the Advisory Committee.

March 2016 – present – Fraser Island Research Station Advisory Committee, University of the Sunshine Coast, Queensland, Australia.

Journal Editorships

1995 – 2004 – Board of Editors, *American Journal of Botany*.
1995 – Guest Editor, *Ecological Applications* (special section on Bayesian statistics)
1998 – 2001 – Founding Editor, *Ecological Archives*
2000 – Guest Editor, *Restoration Ecology* (special section on Mangrove Restoration)
2005 – 2008 – Board of Editors, *Ecology Letters*.
2002 – 2010 – Associate Editor-in-Chief, *Ecology*
2002 – 2008 – Associate Editor-in-Chief, *Ecological Monographs*
2009 – 2015 – Editor-in-Chief, *Ecological Monographs*
2012– present – Board of Editors, *PeerJ*

Research Grants

September 1983 – University Fellowship, Brown University.
July 1984 – Sigma Xi Grant-in-Aid of research, "Morphological plasticity in *Salicornia europaea*: the role of conspecific density and intraspecific competition for light."
May 1985 – American Museum of Natural History: Theodore Roosevelt Memorial Fund for Research on North American Fauna, "Multiple host use over a temporal gradient by the case-bearing moth, *Coleophora caespititiella* (Zeller)."
August 1986 – Hatch Grant NY(C)-183419, "Plant architecture and the evolution of self-thinning in plant monocultures," 3 years.
March 1987 – Smithsonian Institution travel grant, National Museum of Natural History, Caribbean Coral Reef Ecosystem Project, "An experimental study of interactions between mangroves and mangrove root-fouling organisms."
June 1987 – EARTHWATCH (Center for Field Research), "An experimental study of interactions between mangrove trees and their intimately associated epifauna," 1 year (1/88-12/88).
November 1987 – Smithsonian Institution Fellowship, National Museum of Natural History, Caribbean Coral Reef Ecosystem Project, "Interactions between mangrove plants and their associated fauna."
January 1988 – National Geographic Society, "Interactions between mangrove trees and their intimately-associated epifauna."
November 1988 – Smithsonian Institution Fellowship, National Museum of Natural History, Caribbean Coral Reef Ecosystem Project, "Potential facilitations between sponges and red mangroves (*Rhizophora mangle*)."
January 1990 – Swarthmore College Committee on Faculty Research, "Interactions between mangroves and their associated fauna."
July 1990 – International Business Machines Corporation (IBM), "Biology Curriculum Innovation Study (BioCIS)" (development of instructional software for biology and environmental studies). Co-principal investigator, 2 years, \$125,000.
November 1990 – Howard Hughes Medical Institute Research Grant, "Population Biology of spring ephemeral communities across a successional sequence in northern New England," 1 year.
December 1990 – Mount Holyoke College Faculty Research Grant, "Continuation of long-term demographic studies of mangrove-root epibenthic communities," 1 year.

- December 1990** – Smithsonian Institution Fellowship, National Museum of Natural History, Caribbean Coral Reef Ecosystem Project, "Interactions between mangroves and root-fouling epibionts."
- April 1991** – Howard Hughes Medical Institute Research Grant, "Reproductive phenology and seed dispersal of deciduous forest understory plant communities"
- May 1991** – National Science Foundation, "Animal-plant interactions in mangrove communities," BSR-91-07195, 3½ years (12/1991-5/1995), \$162,000.
- May 1992** – National Science Foundation, Presidential Faculty Fellow Award, "Marine Environmental Ecology: Teaching, Research and Conservation," DEB-92-53743, 5 years (9/1992-9/1997), \$500,000.
+ **REU Supplement:** DEB 97-41904; \$5,000.
- May 1996** – Howard Hughes Medical Institute, "Undergraduate education at Mount Holyoke College," HHMI 71196-505002, 4 years (8/1996-8/2000), \$900,000.
- October 1996** – Orchards Golf Course, South Hadley, Massachusetts, "Environmental impact assessment of the golf course irrigation project on the Stony Brook watershed," 1 year (10/1996-9/1997), \$6,700.
- May 1998** – National Science Foundation, "Inquiline communities in changeable pitchers: do nutrients link community assembly to dynamic habitats?" DEB 98-05722, 3½ years (9/98-2/02), \$149,000.
+ **REU Supplement:** DEB 99-42207; \$5,000.
+ **REU Supplement:** DEB 00-xxxxx; \$4,432.
+ **REU Supplement:** DEB 01-15145; \$6,000.
- May 1999** – Massachusetts Heritage and Endangered Species Program, "Ant species diversity in Massachusetts bogs," 1 year (5/99-4/00), \$2,931.
- May 1999** – Mount Holyoke College, Ellen P. Reese Fund, "Restoration ecology of Hawley Bog," 1 year (5/99-4/00), \$3,000.
- September 1999** – Mellon Foundation, "Center for Environmental Literacy at Mount Holyoke College," 3 years (9/99-8/02), \$300,000.
- May 2000** – Mount Holyoke College, Ellen P. Reese Fund, "Seed ecology of the flora of Hawley Bog," 1 year (5/00-4/01), \$3,000.
- May 2000** – Mount Holyoke College, Faculty Grant, "Leaf trait relationships in wetlands: do global patterns apply?" 1 year (5/00-4/01), \$2,500.
- May 2000** – Massachusetts Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program, "Ant species diversity in bogs of Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket," 1 year (5/99-4/00), \$338.
- July 2000** – National Science Foundation, "Biocomplexity: incubation activity: a synthetic approach to phytotelmata communities" (co-PI with Tom Miller [FSU] and Nicholas Gotelli [UVM]), DEB 00-83617, 2 years (8/00 - 7/02), \$92,034.
- March 2001** – Charles Bullard Fellowship, Harvard University, 1 year (9/01-5/02), \$30,000.
- October 2002** – National Science Foundation, SGER DEB 03-01361, "Mechanisms of community re-assembly after a catastrophic fire" (co-PI with Nathan Sanders [Humboldt State], Erik Jules [Humboldt State], and Nicholas Gotelli [UVM]), 1 year (1/03-12/03), \$8,000 sub-award of \$50,000 total.
- November 2002** – National Science Foundation, "Effects of nutrient stress on a co-evolved food web", DEB 02-35128, 3 years (4/1/2003-3/31/2006), \$322,466.
+ **REU Supplement:** DEB 04-22750; \$7,347.
+ **REU Supplement:** DEB 05-20792; \$7,000.
+ **RET Supplement:** DEB 05-28625; \$10,560.
- December 2002** – Harvard Center for the Environment, "Ecological and environmental impacts of the extinction of core species", 2 years (12/3/2002 - 11/1/2004), \$46,000.

- November 2003** – National Science Foundation, “FSML: Infrastructure for whole-plant biology and experimental plant ecology at the Harvard Forest”, DBI 03-30605, 2 years (12/15/2003-12/14/2005), \$132,148.
 + **REU Supplement:** DEB 04-22745; \$7,674.
 + **REU Supplement:** DEB 05-20794; \$10,005.
 + **REU Supplement:** DEB 06-18448; \$10,691.
- March 2004** – National Science Foundation, “Nutrient analysis equipment for community, ecosystem, hydrological, and physiological research at Harvard Forest.” DBI 04-00759, 3 years (4/1/04-3/31/07), \$61,810.
- March 2005** – National Science Foundation, “REU Site: Harvard Forest Program in Forest Ecology: Multi-Scale Investigations of a Forested Ecosystem in a Changing World”, DBI 04-52254, 5 years (3/8/2005 -3/7/2010), \$732,042.
 + **REU Evaluation Supplement:** DEB 08-12997; \$13,606.
- November 2005** – National Science Foundation, “Moths, ants, and carnivorous plants: the spatial dimension of species interactions”, DEB 05-41680, 5 years (3/1/2006 - 2/28/2011), \$585,000.
 + **REU Supplement:** DEB 07-22588; \$7,500.
 + **RAHSS Supplement:** DEB 08-02665; \$5,692.
 + **RET Supplement:** DEB 08-16508; \$10,000.
 + **RET Supplement:** DEB 09-02592; \$10,000.
 + **REU Supplement:** DEB 10-25362; \$7,000.
 + **REU Supplement:** DEB 11-10434; \$7,000.
- May 2006** – National Science Foundation, “LTER-IV: Integrated studies of the drivers, dynamics, and consequences of landscape change in New England” (co-PI with David R. Foster [PI], Kathleen Donohue, J. William Munger, & Steven Wofsy), DEB 06-20443, 6 years (10/1/2006 - 9/30/2012), \$4,920,000.
- May 2007** – Massachusetts Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program, “Ants of Massachusetts.” 1 year (5/1/2007 – 4/31/2008), \$2,000.
- May 2007** – Nantucket Biodiversity Initiative, “Ants of Massachusetts.” 1 year (5/1/2007 – 4/31/2008), \$1,000.
- May 2007** – Conservation Research Foundation, “Ants of Massachusetts.” 1 year (5/1/2007 – 4/31/2008), \$4,000.
- May 2007** – Harvard University, Museum of Comparative Zoology, Arthur M. Green Fund for Research, “Ants of Massachusetts.” 1 year (5/1/2007 – 4/31/2008), \$3,132.
- October 2007** – Department of Energy, “Impacts of elevated temperature on ant species, communities and ecological roles at two temperate forests in eastern North America” (co-PI with Robert Dunn [PI], Nathan Sanders, & Nicholas Gotelli), DE-FG02-08ER64510, 4 years (1/1/2008 – 12/31/2011), \$3,029,934 (Harvard Sub-award : \$1,322,000).
- September 2008** – Department of Energy, “Effects of warming on tree species’ recruitment in deciduous forests of the eastern United States” (co-PI with Jerry Melillo [PI], Jim Clark, & Jacqueline Mohan), 4 years (1/1/2008 – 12/31/2011), (Harvard Sub-award: \$292,151).
- February 2009** – Department of Energy, “Improving forecasts of species responses to climate change: hierarchical Bayesian analysis of tree distributions across space and time. NICCR, 2 years (4/1/200 – 3/1/2011), \$163,145
- March 2009** – National Science Foundation, “Dissertation research: Testing the effects of priors on prediction error in Bayesian demographic models” (Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant of Ph.D. student Sydne Record). 1 year, (6/1/2009 – 5/31/2010), DEB 09-09604, \$12,715.

- September 2009** – National Science Foundation, “FSML: Infrastructure for molecular and microbial ecology at the Harvard Forest.” DBI 09-30516, 2 years (9/15/2009 – 9/14/2011), \$348,259.
 + **REU Supplement:** DEB 11-11158; \$22,718.
 + **REU Supplement:** DEB 12-39937; \$13,938.
- May 2010** – National Science Foundation, “REU Site: Harvard Forest Summer Research Program in Forest Ecology 2010-2014: Ecological data-model fusion and environmental forecasting for the 21st Century.” DBI 10-03938, 5 years (6/1/2010 – 5/31/2015), \$524,612.
 + **ROA Supplement:** DEB 11-07917; \$24,998.
- September 2010** – NASA, “GCCE: Data-model fusion and forecasting 21st-century environmental change in northeastern North America.” NNX10AT52A, 3 years (12/1/2010-11/31/2013), \$420,715.
- September 2010** – USDA Forest Service, “Harvard Forest wood energy demonstration project.” Northeastern Area State and Private Forestry, 3 years (10/1/2010-9/30/2014), \$200,000.
- January 2011** – LTER Network Office, “LTER Synthesis Working Group: State changes and threshold dynamics.” 1 year (1/1/2011 – 12/31/2011), \$12,000.
- April 2011** – Massachusetts Clean Energy Center, Commonwealth Wind Incentive Program, “Harvard Forest wind turbine project”, 21 months (11/1/2010 – 8/1/2012), \$44,000.
- September 2011** – National Science Foundation, “Dimensions of Biodiversity: Collaborative Research: The climate cascade: functional and evolutionary consequences of climatic change on species, trait, and genetic diversity in a temperate ant community.” DEB 11-36646, 4 years (1/1/2012 – 12/31/2015), \$614,559.
- June 2012** – National Science Foundation, “FSML: Walk-up towers for research, education, communication, and outreach at the Harvard Forest.” DBI 12-24437, 2 years (9/1/2012 – 8/31/2014), \$347,764.
 + **RAHSS Supplement:** DBI 13-41121; \$5,479.
 + **REU Supplement:** DBI 13-41122; \$13,188.
 + **REU Supplement:** DBI 14-46653; \$12,742.
 + **REU Supplement:** DBI 15-35283; \$10,748.
- July 2012** – National Science Foundation: “Collaborative Research: Forecasting and forestalling tipping points in an aquatic ecosystem.” DEB 11-44056, 3 years (9/1/2012 – 8/31/2015), \$193,518.
 + **REU Supplement:** DEB 15-18653; \$6,250
- July 2012** – National Science Foundation, “Harvard Forest LTER V: New science, synthesis, scholarship, and a strategic vision for society.” DEB 12-37491, 6 years (10/1/2012 – 9/31/2018), \$5,880,000 (co-PI with David R. Foster [PI]).
- February 2015** – National Science Foundation, “REU Site: A forest full of Big Data: the Harvard Forest Summer Research Program in Ecology 2015-2019.” DBI 14-59519, 5 years (3/1/2015 – 2/29/2020), \$776,713.
- May 2015** – National Science Foundation, “SI2-SSI: Collaborative Research: Bringing End-to-End Provenance to Scientists” ACI 14-50277, 3 years (5/1/2015 – 4/31/18), \$1,422,728.
- December 2015** – VolkswagenStiftung, “GeoBio-Interactions: contributions to climatic change of the relations between activities of red wood ants (*Formica rufa*-group) and tectonic processes. 2 years (1/1/2016-12/31/2017), € 92,800.
- January 2016** – Chinese Academy of Sciences, Presidential International Fellowship Initiative. 2 months (8/15/2016-10/15/2016), ¥100,000.

Publications

Books

- 1 Gotelli, N. J. & A. M. Ellison. 2004/2012. *A primer of ecological statistics* (1st and 2nd editions). Sinauer Associates, Sunderland, Massachusetts, USA.
- 2 Ellison, A. M., N. J. Gotelli, E. J. Farnsworth, & G. D. Alpert. 2012. *A field guide to the ants of New England*. Yale University Press, New Haven, Connecticut, USA.
- 3 Shavit, A. & A. M. Ellison (editors). 2017 *Stepping in the same river twice: replication in biological research*. Yale University Press, New Haven, Connecticut, USA.
- 4 Ellison, A. M., N. J. Gotelli, & P. Siqueira. **under contract**. *Big Data: Design and analysis of large-scale, long-term studies in ecology and environmental science*. Sinauer Associates, Sunderland, Massachusetts, USA.
- 5 Ellison, A. M. & L. Adamec (editors). **under contract**. *Carnivorous plants: physiology, ecology, and evolution*. Oxford University Press, Oxford, UK.
- 6 Ellison, A. M. & N. J. Gotelli. **under contract**. *Scaling Sarracenia*. Princeton University Press (Monographs in Population Biology), Princeton, New Jersey, USA.

Journal Articles

- 1 Ellison, A. M. & L. W. Buss. 1983. A naturally occurring developmental synergism between the cellular slime mold, *Dictyostelium mucoroides* and the fungus, *Mucor hiemalis*. **American Journal of Botany** 70: 298-302.
- 2 Metcalfe, W. S., A. M. Ellison, & M. D. Bertness. 1986. Survivorship and spatial development of *Spartina alterniflora* Loisel. (Gramineae) seedlings in a New England salt marsh. **Annals of Botany** 58: 249-258.
- 3 Ellison, A. M., M. D. Bertness, & T. Miller. 1986. Seasonal patterns in the belowground biomass of *Spartina alterniflora* Loisel. (Gramineae) across a tidal gradient. **American Journal of Botany** 73: 1548-1554.
- 4 Bertness, M. D., C. Wise, & A. M. Ellison. 1987. Consumer pressure and seed set in a salt marsh perennial plant community. **Oecologia** 71: 190-200.
- 5 Ellison, A. M. 1987. Effects of competition, disturbance, and herbivory on *Salicornia europaea*. **Ecology** 68: 576-586.
- 6 Ellison, A. M. 1987. Density-dependent dynamics of *Salicornia europaea* monocultures. **Ecology** 68: 737-741.
- 7 Bertness, M. D. & A. M. Ellison. 1987. Determinants of pattern in a New England salt marsh plant community. **Ecological Monographs** 57: 129-147.
- 8 Ellison, A. M. 1987. Effects of seed dimorphism on the density-dependent dynamics of *Atriplex triangularis* (Chenopodiaceae). **American Journal of Botany** 74: 1280-1288.
- 9 Ellison, A. M. & K. J. Niklas. 1988. Branching patterns of *Salicornia europaea* (Chenopodiaceae) at different successional stages: a comparison of theoretical and real plants. **American Journal of Botany** 75: 501-512.
- 10 Ellison, A. M., & D. Rabinowitz. 1989. Effects of density and emergence time on size hierarchy formation in populations of leafed and leafless peas (*Pisum sativum* L.). **American Journal of Botany** 76: 427-436.
- 11 Ellison, A. M. 1989. Morphological determinants of self-thinning in plant monocultures and a proposal concerning the role of self-thinning in plant evolution. **Oikos** 54: 287-292.
- 12 Ellison, A. M., & C. D. Harvell. 1989. Size hierarchies in *Membranipora membranacea*: do colonial animals follow the same rules as plants? **Oikos** 55: 349-355.
- 13 Ellison, A. M. & E. J. Farnsworth. 1990. The ecology of Belizean mangrove-root fouling communities: I. Epibenthic fauna are barriers to isopod attack of red mangrove roots. **Journal of Experimental Marine Biology and Ecology** 142: 91-104.

- 14 Ellison, A. M. & D. Vam Vikiates. 1991. Evolutionarily stable morphologies in mixed populations of leafless and leafy peas. **Evolution** 45: 40-48.
- 15 Ellison, A. M. 1991. Life-history and feeding behaviour of case-bearing moths (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae) in a New England salt marsh. **Environmental Entomology** 20: 857-864.
- 16 Denslow, J. S., E. Newell, & A. M. Ellison. 1991. The effect of palms on growth and survival of tree seedlings in a rain forest understory. **Biotropica** 23: 225-234.
- 17 Farnsworth, E. J. & A. M. Ellison. 1991. Patterns of herbivory in Belizean mangrove swamps. **Biotropica** 23: 555-567.
- 18 Ellison, A. M. & E. J. Farnsworth. 1992. Belizean mangrove-root epibionts: patterns of distribution and abundance, and effects on root growth. **Hydrobiologia** 247: 87-98.
- 19 Ellison, A. M., J. S. Denslow, B. Loiselle & D. Brenés M. 1993. Seed and seedling ecology of neotropical Melastomataceae. **Ecology** 74: 1733-1749.
- 20 Ellison, A. M., K. J. Niklas & S. Shumway. 1993. Xylem vascular anatomy and water transport of *Salicornia europaea*. **Aquatic Botany** 45: 325-339.
- 21 Ellison, A. M. & E. J. Farnsworth. 1993. Seedling survivorship, growth, and response to disturbance in Belizean mangal. **American Journal of Botany** 80: 1137-1145.
- 22 Farnsworth, E. J. & A. M. Ellison. 1993. Dynamics of herbivory in Belizean mangal. **Journal of Tropical Ecology** 9: 435-453.
- 23 Ellison, A. M., P. M. Dixon, & J. Ngai. 1994. A null model for neighborhood models of plant competitive interactions. **Oikos** 71: 225-238.
- 24 Ellison, A. M. & B. L. Bedford. 1995. Response of a wetland vascular plant community to disturbance: a simulation study. **Ecological Applications** 5: 109-123.
- 25 Farnsworth, E. J. & A. M. Ellison. 1996. Scale-dependent spatial and temporal variability in biogeography of mangrove-root epibiont communities. **Ecological Monographs** 66: 45-66.
- 26 Murren, C. J., & A. M. Ellison. 1996. Effects of habitat, plant size, and floral display on male and female reproductive success of the neotropical orchid *Brassavola nodosa*. **Biotropica** 28: 30-41.
- 27 Farnsworth, E. J. & A. M. Ellison. 1996. Sun-shade adaptability of the red mangrove, *Rhizophora mangle* (Rhizophoraceae): changes through ontogeny at several levels of biological organization. **American Journal of Botany** 83: 1131-1143.
- 28 Ellison, A. M. & E. J. Farnsworth. 1996. Spatial and temporal variability in growth of *Rhizophora mangle* saplings on coral cays: links with variation in insolation, herbivory, and local sedimentation rate. **Journal of Ecology** 84: 717-731.
- 29 Ellison, A. M. 1996. Bayesian inference for ecological research and environmental decision-making. **Ecological Applications** 6: 1036-1046.
- 30 Ellison, A. M. & E. J. Farnsworth. 1996. Anthropogenic disturbance to Caribbean mangrove ecosystems: past impacts, present trends, and future predictions. **Biotropica** 28: 549-565.
- 31 Ellison, A.M., E. J. Farnsworth, & R.R. Twilley. 1996. Facultative mutualism between red mangroves and root-fouling sponges in Belizean mangal. **Ecology** 77: 2431-2444.
- 32 Farnsworth, E. J., A. M. Ellison, & W.-K. Gong. 1996. Elevated CO₂ alters anatomy, physiology, growth and reproduction of red mangrove (*Rhizophora mangle* L.). **Oecologia** 108: 599-609.
- 33 Farnsworth, E. J. & A. M. Ellison. 1997. Global patterns of predispersal seed predation on mangroves and its effects on seedling regeneration. **Biotropica** 29: 318-330.
- 34 Farnsworth, E. J. & A. M. Ellison. 1997. Global conservation ecology of mangrove ecosystems. **Ambio** 26: 328-334.

- 35 Ellison, A. M. & E. J. Farnsworth. 1997. Simulated sea-level change alters anatomy, physiology, growth, and reproduction of red mangrove (*Rhizophora mangle* L.). **Oecologia** 112: 435-446.
- 36 Murren, C. J. & A. M. Ellison. 1998. Seed dispersal characteristics of *Brassvola nodosa* (Orchidaceae). **American Journal of Botany** 85: 675-680.
- 37 Gotsch, S. G. & A. M. Ellison. 1998. Seed germination of the northern pitcher plant, *Sarracenia purpurea*. **Northeastern Naturalist** 5: 175-182.
- 38 Denslow, J. S., A. M. Ellison & R. L. Sanford, Jr. 1998. Treefall gap size effects on above- and below-ground processes in a tropical wet forest. **Journal of Ecology** 86:597-609.
- 39 Merkt, R. E. & A. M. Ellison. 1998. Geographic and habitat-specific morphological variation of *Littoraria (Littorinopsis) angulifera* (Lamarck, 1822). **Malacologia** 40: 279-295.
- 40 Błędzki, L. A. & A. M. Ellison. 1998. Population growth and production of *Habrotrocha rosa* Donner (Rotifera: Bdelloidea) and its contribution to the nutrient supply of its host, the northern pitcher plant, *Sarracenia purpurea* L. (Sarraceniaceae). **Hydrobiologia** 385: 193-200.
- 41 LaDeau, S. L. & A. M. Ellison. 1999. Seed bank composition of a northeastern tussock swamp. **Wetlands** 19: 255-261.
- 42 Ellison, A. M. 1999. Cumulative effects of oil spills on mangroves. **Ecological Applications** 9: 1490-1492.
- 43 Ellison, A. M., E. J. Farnsworth & R. E. Merkt. 1999. Origins of mangrove ecosystems and the mangrove biodiversity anomaly. **Global Ecology and Biogeography** 8: 95-115.
- 44 Blackstone, N. W. & A. M. Ellison. 2000. Maximal indirect development, set-aside cells, and levels of selection. **Molecular and Developmental Evolution** 288: 99-104.
- 45 Ellison, A. M. 2000. Restoration of mangrove ecosystems: do we know enough? **Restoration Ecology** 8: 219-229.
- 46 Ellison, A. M., B. B. Mukherjee & A. Karim. 2000 Scale-dependent vegetation-environment relationships of mangroves in the Sundarbans of Bangladesh, with special attention to the endemic species, *Heritiera fomes* (Sterculiaceae). **Journal of Ecology** 88: 813-824.
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- 122 Record, S., N. Charney, R. M. Zakaria, & A. M. Ellison. Potential geographic distribution of *Rhizophora apiculata* Blume under different future climate change and sea level rise scenarios. (23rd annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 123 Gotelli, N. J., & A. M. Ellison. 2012. Reconciling museum records and ecological surveys in biogeographic analyses of New England's ant fauna. (ESA, 2012).
- 124 Baiser, B., H. L. Buckley, N. J. Gotelli, & A. M. Ellison. 2012. Predicting food-web structure with metacommunity models. (ESA, 2012).
- 125 Ellison, A. M., E. R. Boose, M. Friedl, C. M. Hart, B. S. Lerner, N. Nkongolo, L. J. Osterweil, M. V. Patel, A. D. Richardson, & J. Tang. 2012. Group projects and group mentorship: building research teams and building capacity at the Harvard Forest summer research program in ecology. (ESA, 2012).
- 126 Ribbons, R. R., N. J. Sanders, A. M. Ellison, & A. T. Classen. Community and ecosystem responses to experimental ant and forest manipulations. (ESA, 2012).
- 127 Ellison, A. M., & N. J. Gotelli. 2012. Diversity and distribution of ants in New England: linking museum records and ecological surveys in biogeographic analyses of a regional ant fauna. (EntSoc, 2012).
- 128 Pelini, S. L., S. E. Diamond, L. M. Nichols, A. M. Ellison, N. J. Gotelli, N. J. Sanders, & R. R. Dunn. 2012. Warm ants: ant responses to warming in low and high latitude eastern U.S. Forests. (EntSoc, 2012).
- 129 Boose, E., L. Clarke, A. M. Ellison, B. Lerner, & L. Osterweil. 2013. The analytic web. (24th annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 130 Crone, E., R. Zhang, A. Jäkäläniemi, & A. M. Ellison. How important is "colored" stochasticity for plant population dynamics? (24th annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 131 Hasselkrrem, A., & A. M. Ellison. 2013. Applicability of indicator species in long-term monitoring of ecosystems dynamics - Case of amphibians of Harvard Forest. (24th annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 132 Record, S., N. Charney, R. M. Zakaria, & A. M. Ellison. 2013. Projecting global mangrove species and community distributions under climate change. (24th annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 133 Ribbons, R., A. M. Ellison, N. J. Sanders, & A. T. Classen. 2013. Community and ecosystem responses to experimental ant and forest manipulations. (24th annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 134 Silva, R., C. Brandao, I. Del Toro, & A. M. Ellison. 2013. Ant functional diversity in temperate-zone forests: a comparison with Neotropical communities. (24th annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 135 Ellison, A. M., & E. J. Farnsworth. 2013. The ants of Rhode Island: historical records and new observations. (Northeast Natural History Conference, 2013).
- 136 Ellison, A. M., N. J. Gotelli, & M. C. Fitzpatrick. 2013. Forecasting species distributions: lessons from ants. (Northeast Natural History Conference, 2013).
- 137 Baiser, B., N. Whitaker, & A. M. Ellison. 2013. Foundation species in food webs. (ESA, 2013).
- 138 Boose, E. R., B. S. Lerner, L. J. Osterweil, & A. M. Ellison. 2013. Retracing our steps in the analysis of data. (ESA, 2013).
- 139 Ellison, A. M., N. J. Gotelli, N. N. Hsiang, A. B. Maidman, & M. Lavine. 2013. *k*-tree density estimation from sparse nearest-neighbor data. (ESA, 2013).

- 140 Silva, R. R., I. Del Toro, C. R. F. Brandão, & A. M. Ellison. 2013. Ant functional diversity in
temperate-zone forests: a comparison with Neotropical ants. (ESA, 2013).
- 141 Hassabelkreem, A. A., & A. M. Ellison. 2013. Use of indicator species in monitoring
environmental changes: lessons from the past to inform the future. (20th International
Conference on Environmental Indicators – ICEI 2013).
- 142 Jäkäläniemi, A., E. E. Crone, A. Ellison, P. Lesica, & R. Primack. 2013. Delayed costs of
reproduction in long demographic time series in natural plant populations. (5th
International Orchid Conservation Congress – IOCC 5).
- 143 Ellison, A. M., M. Lavine, P. B. Kerson, A. A. Barker Plotkin, & D. A. Orwig. 2014. Building a
foundation: land-use history and dendrochronology reveal temporal dynamics of a *Tsuga*
canadensis (Pinaceae) forest. (25th annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium,
Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 144 Ellison, A. M., & J. Kendrick. 2014. Isolating the ecosystem effects of ant community change on
forest ecosystem processes following hemlock loss (25th annual Harvard Forest Ecology
Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 145 Boose, E., B. Lerner, & A. M. Ellison. 2014. Collecting and visualizing data provenance in R.
(25th annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 146 Ellison, A. M. 2014. Statistical software and ecology: paths and impediments for scientific
progress and thought. (ESA, 2014).
- 147 Miller, K. A., C. Penick, A. Nguyen, A. M. Ellison, N. J. Gotelli, & S. H. Cahan. 2013. Variation
in worker C:N:P stoichiometry and energy storage across a climate gradient in the
Aphaenogaster rudis species complex. (EntSoc, 2014).
- 148 Ellison, A. M. 2014. Foundation species in forests of the Americas. (ILTER-All-Scientists
Meeting of the Americas, 2014).
- 149 Buckley, H. L., B. S. Case, & A. M. Ellison. 2015. Using codispersion analysis to quantify forest
spatial pattern. (26th annual Harvard Forest Ecology Symposium, Petersham,
Massachusetts).
- 150 Ellison, A. M., B. Rose, & M. Patel. 2015. The Harvard Forest Summer Research Program in
Ecology: 25 years of synergy with the Harvard Forest LTER. (26th annual Harvard Forest
Ecology Symposium, Petersham, Massachusetts).
- 151 Degrassi, A., A. M. Ellison, & N. J. Gotelli. 2015. Effects of hemlock woolly adelgid on small
mammal richness and community assemblages in eastern hemlock forests. (ESA, 2015).
- 152 Ellison, A. M., X. Jiang, & M. K. Lau. 2015. The emergence of ecology and the challenges of
modernism. (ESA, 2015).
- 153 Lau, M. K., & A. M. Ellison. 2015. Temporal scales of coupled ecosystem processes provide a
benchmark for alternate ecosystem states: photosynthesis and decomposition in a model
micro-ecosystem. (ESA, 2015).
- 154 McCabe, T., A. M. Ellison, S. D. Frey, A. R. Contosta, & S. Record. 2015. Ant community level
response to soil warming and nitrogen addition in temperate forests. (ESA, 2015).
- 155 Miller, K., C. Penick, A. M. Ellison, N. J. Gotelli, & S. Helms Cahan. 2015. Variation in C:N:P
stoichiometry across a climate gradient in worker ants of the *Aphaenogaster rudis* species
complex. (ESA, 2015).
- 156 Northrop, A. C., R. K. Brooks, A. M. Ellison, B. A. Ballif, & N. J. Gotelli. 2015. Metaproteomic
survey reveals differences in composition and function between microbial communities
in detritus-enriched and unmanipulated ecosystems. (ESA, 2015).
- 157 Patel, M. B., B. Rose, & A. M. Ellison. Ten years of student gains from undergraduate research at
the Harvard Forest Summer Research Program in Ecology. (ESA, 2015).

- 158 Orwig, D. A., J. A. Aylward, H. L. Buckley, B. S. Case, & A. M. Ellison. 2015. Initial census, composition, and spatial patterns within the 35 ha ForestGeo plot at Harvard Forest. (ESA, 2015).
- 159 Berberich, G., A. M. Ellison, and C. Wohler. 2016. Red wood ants, *Formica rufa*-group, and tectonic processes interact and contribute to climatic change. (International Congress of Entomology, 2016).
- 160 Nguyen, A., M. Brown, J. Zitnay, N. J. Gotelli, S. H. Cahan, A. Arnett, and A. M. Ellison. 2016. Constraints on cold tolerance and hardening limit the distribution of *Aphaenogaster picea* (Formicidae) at its northern range boundary. (Society for the Study of Evolution, 2016).
- 161 Ellison, A. M. 2016. *Sarracenia* as a model system for studying ecological regime shifts. (International Carnivorous Plant Society, Biennial Conference, 2016).
- 162 Shavit, A., A. Kolumbus, & A. M. Ellison. 2016. Two roads diverged in a wood: indifference to the difference between ‘diversity’ and ‘heterogeneity’ should be resisted on epistemic and moral grounds. (25th Biennial Meeting of the Philosophy of Science Association, Atlanta, Georgia).
- 163 Berberich, G. M., M. M. Berberich, A. Grumpe, A. Becker, A. R. Tejada, H. Simpson, S. Obamowonyi, M. Schumann, J. Hartmann, C. Wöhler, & A. M. Ellison. 2016. A multidisciplinary approach to understand interactions of red wood ants (*Formica rufa*-group) and geotectonic processes. (AGU fall meeting, 2016).

Short courses taught

- 2005** Bayesian Statistics (week-long course at University of Stockholm)
- 2011** Ants of New England (week-long course at Eagle Hill Institute, Steuben, Maine)
- 2013** Ants of New England (week-long course at Eagle Hill Institute, Steuben, Maine)
- 2015** Statistics (three-day course Pontificia Universidad Javeriana, Colombia)
- 2015** Spatial Statistics (9-hour short course, University of Duisberg/Essen, Germany)
- 2017** Monitoring and Analysis of Biodiversity Monitoring Data (seven-day intensive course, Faculty of Forestry, University of Khartoum, Sudan)

Invited seminars

- 1985** University of Rhode Island
Yale University
- 1986** Cornell University
Ohio University
- 1987** Unity College, Maine
Amherst College, Massachusetts
Kyoto University, Japan
- 1988** Johnson State College, Vermont
University of California, Santa Barbara
- 1989** University of Cincinnati, Ohio
University of Kentucky
Organización para Estudios Tropicales, Costa Rica
Swarthmore College, Pennsylvania
Universidad de Costa Rica
Southeastern Louisiana University
Brown University, Rhode Island
University of Pennsylvania
- 1990** Mount Holyoke College, Massachusetts
Skidmore College, New York

- University of South Florida, Tampa
 Swarthmore College, Pennsylvania (Sigma Xi lecture)
 University of Massachusetts, Amherst
- 1991** Savannah River Ecology Laboratory, University of Georgia
 Mount Holyoke College, Massachusetts (Sigma Xi lecture)
 State University of New York, Stony Brook
 Brown University, Rhode Island
- 1992** Vassar College
 Harvard University
- 1994** Harvard Forest, Harvard University
 University of New Hampshire
 Wellesley College
 Instituto Venezolano de Investigaciones Cientificas, Caracas, Venezuela
- 1995** University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 University Sains Malaysia, Penang, Malaysia
 Bose Institute, Calcutta, India
 University of Capetown, South Africa
 Five College Coastal & Marine Science Colloquium (Mt. Holyoke College)
- 1996** Tufts University
 University of Maryland, College Park
 Brown University
 University of New Hampshire
 University of Vermont
- 1997** Eastern Connecticut State University
- 1998** New England Botanical Club
 Marine Biological Laboratory at Woods Hole
 Smithsonian Environmental Research Center
- 1999** Cornell University
 Dartmouth College
 Louisiana State University
 Mount Holyoke College
 University of Mississippi
 New England College
- 2001** University of Florida, Gainesville
 Appalachian State University
 Hokkaido University, Sapporo, Japan
 Harvard Forest, Harvard University
 University of Massachusetts, Amherst
- 2002** Harvard Forest, Harvard University
 Harvard University, Dept. of Organismic & Evolutionary Biology
- 2003** University of Pennsylvania
- 2004** University of Massachusetts (Biostatistics course)
 Kellogg Biological Station (Eminent Ecologist)
 Coweeta Hydrological Laboratory/LTER
 University of Tennessee
- 2005** University of Massachusetts (Biostatistics course)
 Brown University (Experimental Design course)
- 2006** Howard University
 Delaware State University

- Ohio State University, Mathematical Biosciences Institute (presenter in workshop on uncertainty in ecological analysis)
 University of Massachusetts (Biostatistics course)
 State University of New York, Stony Brook
- 2007** Johnson C. Smith University
 University of North Carolina at Charlotte
 Livingstone College
 University of California, Davis (Research seminar; Workshop on Bayesian statistics)
 Brown University (Workshop on Bayesian statistics)
 Northern Arizona University (Workshop on Bayesian statistics)
 University of Texas – Pan-American
 University of Texas – El Paso
- 2008** University of Florida – Gainesville
 University of Miami (Distinguished Visiting Professor)
 Massachusetts Audubon Society Staff Natural History Conference (keynote)
 Mount Holyoke College
 University of Massachusetts (Department of Natural Resources and Conservation)
 University of Massachusetts (Department of Statistics)
 University of Massachusetts (Department of Plant, Soil, and Insect Science)
 Ecosystem Center at the Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole
 University of Minnesota (Department of Plant Biology)
 Michigan Technological University
 Howard University
- 2009** Boston University (Department of Studio Art)
 Cambridge Entomological Club
 Harvard University Center for the Environment (Biodiversity, Ecology & Global Change lecture series)
- 2010** University of Rhode Island (Ledermann Lecture in Natural History & Conservation Biology)
 Northeastern University
 Bennington College
 Athol Public Library
 Cornell University
 Boston University
- 2011** Arizona State University (EU Workshop on Community Genetics of Foundation Species)
 Coolidge Corner Theater (Science on Screen series, introduction to *Little Shop of Horrors*)
 Lincoln University (Missouri)
 Rhode Island College
 Eagle Hill Institute (Maine)
 University of Massachusetts at Boston
- 2012** Brown University
 Florida State University
 Arnold Arboretum (Harvard University)
 Harvard Museum of Natural History
 New England Wild Flower Society
- 2013** Dartmouth College (Department of Biology)
 Dartmouth College (Institute for Lifelong Education)
 Tel Hai College, Israel

Israel Academy of Sciences - HaMaarag Symposium
 Ramat Hanadiv, Israel
 Eagle Hill Institute (Maine)
 Chinese Forestry Academy (Beijing, China)
 Beijing Forestry University (Beijing, China)
 South China Agricultural University (Guangzhou, China)
 Xishuangbanna Tropical Botanical Garden (Yunnan, China)
 Kunming Institute of Zoology (Kunming, China)
 Lyndon State College (Vermont)
 Nantucket Biodiversity Initiative Biennial Research Conference (keynote)
 Yale University (Ostrom Natural History Lecture Series)
 Yale University (Yale Institute for Biospheric Studies)
 University of Vermont
2014 Garden Club of the Back Bay (Boston)
 University of Illinois (RCN Forecast Workshop / Advanced Software for Ecological
 Forecasting)
 Bowling Green State University
 Albert-Ludwigs University of Freiburg (Department of Biometry & Environmental
 Systems Analysis)
 University of Duisburg-Essen (Faculty of Biology / Department of Geology)
 Bedford (New Hampshire) Garden Club
 University of New Hampshire
 Harvard University Herbaria
2015 Pontificia Universidad Javeriana, Colombia
 Universidad Nacional de Amazonia – Leticia, Colombia
 University of Copenhagen, Natural History Museum of Denmark
 Linnean Centre for Plant Biology, Uppsala
2016 Ohio State University
 Yale University
 Yale Institute for Biospheric Studies
 Yale Department of Ecology & Evolutionary Biology
 Program in Spatial Biodiversity Science and Conservation
 University of the Sunshine Coast (Australia)
 Drexel University/Academy of Natural Sciences (Philadelphia)
 Bryn Mawr College
 University of Maryland, Baltimore County
 H. J. Andrews Forest Experiment Station
 Chinese Academy of Sciences
 Institute of Earth Environment (Xi'an, China)
 Institute of Tibetan Plateau Research (Beijing, China)
 Institute of Applied Ecology (Shenyang, China)
 Institute of Botany (Beijing, China)
 Research Center for Eco-Environmental Science (Beijing, China)
 Kunming Institute of Zoology (Kunming, China)
 Shenyang Agricultural University (Shenyang, China)
 Ecological Society of Beijing (Beijing, China)
 Nanjing Forestry University (Nanjing, China)
 Beijing Normal University (Beijing, China)
 Minzu University (Beijing, China)

Peking University (Beijing, China)
China University of Mining and Technology Beijing (Beijing, China)
Universidad Técnica Federico Santa María (Valparaíso, Chile)
Museu Paraense Emílio Goeldi (Belém, Brazil)
2017 University of Khartoum, Faculty of Forestry
University of the Sunshine Coast (Australia)
Harvard University, Harvard Forest
Yale University, School of Forestry and Environmental Studies
University of Colorado, Boulder
University of Colorado, Denver

Graduate students and post-doctoral fellows (in order of year of completion)

M.Sc. / M.A. Students

Melissa Iszard-Crowley, Department of Biological Sciences, Mount Holyoke College (1992)
Kelley Sullivan, Harvard Extension School, Harvard University (2005)
Grace Barber, Department of Environmental Conservation, University of Massachusetts (2014)

Ph.D. Students

Sydne Record, Graduate Program in Plant Sciences, University of Massachusetts (2010)
Israel Del Toro, Graduate Program in Organismic and Evolutionary Biology, University of Massachusetts (2014)
Ahmed A. Hassabelkreem Siddig, Department of Environmental Conservation, University of Massachusetts (2015)

Ph.D. Committees & External Examiner

Fabian Menalled, Department of Forestry and Wood Technology, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, (1996)
Gaurab Gangopadhyay, Department of Botany, University of Calcutta, India (1997)
Sangita Basu, Department of Botany, University of Calcutta, India (1998)
Rochelle Christian, Ecosystems Research Center, Australian National University (1999)
Avril L. de la Cretaz, Department of Forestry and Wood Technology, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, (2000)
Deirdre Joy, Department of Zoology, University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont (2001)
Jennifer Bowen, Department of Biology, Boston University (2005)
Julie Richburg, Department of Natural Resource Conservation, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, (2005)
Suzette Stephens, Department of Forestry and Wood Technology, University of Massachusetts, Amherst (2005)
Kristin N. Metcalfe, Faculty of Education, Health and Science, Charles Darwin University, Darwin, NT, Australia (2007)
Primrose Boynton, Department of Organismic and Evolutionary Biology, Harvard University (2012)
Virginia Schutte, Odum School of Ecology, University of Georgia, Athens (2014)
Zafar Farroqui, Centre of Excellence in Marine Biology, University of Karachi, Pakistan (2013)
Scott Schneider, Department of Organismic and Evolutionary Biology, University of Massachusetts, Amherst (2016)
Lenora Bittleston, Department of Organismic and Evolutionary Biology, Harvard University (2016)

Post-doctoral fellows (all at Harvard Forest)

Jim Karagatzides (2006-2008) [now at Georgian College, Barrie, Ontario]

Matthew Fitzpatrick (2008-2009) [now at University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science, Frostburg, Maryland]

Shannon Pelini (2009-2012) [now at Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio]

Sydne Record (2010-2012) [now at Bryn Mawr College, Philadelphia]

Benjamin Baiser (2009-2013) [now at University of Florida, Gainesville]

Matthew Lau (2014-*current*)

Professional service

Ecological Society of America:

1992: Annual Meeting, session chair

1992; 1997: Annual Meeting, judge: Buell/Braun Award for best paper/poster presented by a graduate student

1994-1995: Appointed member, Ad-hoc Committee on Communication in the Electronic Age; Chair, Subcommittee on Data Archiving

1995: Annual Meeting, Symposium Organizer: “Bayesian Inference in Ecological Research and Environmental Decision-making”

1995-1997: Chair, Statistical Ecology Section

1995-1997: Member, Annual Meeting program committee

1995-1997: Member, ESA Council

1995-1996: Member, Organizing committee: State-of-the-art workshop on ecological resource monitoring, change and trend detection (a joint project of the Ecological Society of America, the American Statistical Association, and the office of the Sustainable Biosphere Initiative)

1995-1998: Appointed member, Ad-hoc Committee on Ecological Data Archiving; Chair 1996-1998.

1999-2001: Member, Mercer Award Committee

2000: Annual Meeting, Symposium Organizer: “Carnivorous Plants as Model Ecological Systems”

2003-2006: Member, Publications Committee

2006: Annual Meeting, Symposium Organizer: “What makes an ecological icon?”

2009: Annual Meeting, judge. E.C. Pielou Award for statistical paper presented by a graduate student

2011-2012: Centennial Committee

2012: Annual Meeting, Organized Oral Session Organizer: “From books to barcodes: challenges and opportunities of next-generation field guides for ecologists, students, and educators”

2013: Annual Meeting, Symposium Co-organizer: “There and back again: standards for replication in long-term research, and integrating field and database perspectives in future management”

2017: Annual Meeting, Ignite Session Organizer: “Ecological art-science collaborations”

Association for Tropical Biology

1996: Annual Meeting, Symposium Co-organizer: “Thinking Globally and Working Globally – Ecological Insights from Inter-regional Studies”

1997: Member, annual meeting program committee; Chair, symposium selection committee.

Society for Ecological Restoration

1999: Annual Meeting, Symposium Organizer: "Restoration of Mangrove Ecosystems"

Other national and international service

1992: Organizer and chair, 1992 meeting of the Population Biologists of New England

1992-1993: Member, Executive Committee *America's Academic Future* (an NSF-sponsored project of Presidential Faculty Fellows, Presidential Young Investigators, and National Young Investigators to remake America's academic culture)

January 1994: Invited panelist, 139th Meeting of the NAS Committee on Science, Engineering and Public Policy (Graduate Education Project)

February 1994: Invited participant, NSF Second Annual Invitational Conference on Reform in Mathematics and Science Education

April 2003: External reviewer (Chair), Department of Biology, Franklin & Marshall University.

September 2005: External reviewer, Department of Biology, Bard College.

March 2007: Expert panelist (mangroves), IUCN Global Marine Species Assessment.

February 2009: member, NSF team reviewing the National Center for Ecological Analysis and Synthesis (NCEAS).

2013-2014: Member, NSF task-force on the next generation LTER network office

2013-2016: Member, LTER Network Information System Advisory Committee (NISAC)

February 2015: External reviewer, Department of Biology, Bowdoin College

Manuscript and grant reviews (last 2 years only)

Ecological Monographs

Insectes Sociaux

Nature

National Science Foundation, panelist and reviewer of grant proposals

Oxford University Press

Princeton University Press

Villum Fonden, Copenhagen, Denmark

Community service

1995-2001: Occasional *pro bono* consultant to the South Hadley Conservation Commission

1999-2001: Discussion leader, Massachusetts Foundation for the Humanities, Millennial series.

2001-2002: Appointed Commissioner, Holyoke Conservation Commission

2002-2005: Member, Land Protection Committee, Mt. Grace Land Conservation Trust

2005-2010: Chair, Open Space Committee, Town of Royalston, Massachusetts

2002-present: Appointed Commissioner, Royalston Conservation Commission

Memberships

Botanical Society of America

Ecological Society of America

New England Botanical Club

Languages

Spanish (reading, writing, speaking) APL R

Hebrew (reading, writing, speaking) BASIC S

French (reading, writing) FORTRAN

Latin (reading) PASCAL

Mandarin (basic reading, writing, speaking)