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#### **EDUCATION**

University of New Mexico Ph.D. biology, 2010

Advisor: Astrid Kodric-Brown Tool skills: statistics and GIS

Dissertation: Dispersal, facilitation, and burrow architecture in banner-tailed kangaroo rats.

University of Arizona M.S. wildlife and fisheries science, 2004

Advisor: John Koprowski

Thesis: The ecology of an introduced population of Abert's squirrels in a mixed-conifer forest.

Willamette University B.S. biology, 1999

Thesis advisor: John Koprowski Minor: environmental science

Senior Thesis: The effect of reversed sexual size dimorphism on agonistic encounters in the

Townsend's chipmunk (Tamias townsendii).

#### **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

Professor, Department of Natural Sciences, Univ. of West Georgia	2022-present
Graduate Program Coordinator, M.S. Biology Program, Univ. of West Georgia	2023-present
Co-director of the Wildlife Ecology Certificate Program, Univ. of West Georgia	2022-present
Associate Professor, Department of Biology, Univ. of West Georgia	2017-2022
Assistant Professor, Department of Biology, Univ. of West Georgia	2012-2017
NSF Postdoctoral Fellow in Bioinformatics, Univ. of Wyoming	2010-2012
Mentor: David McDonald	
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Univ. of New Mexico	2008-2010
NSF Graduate Fellow in K-12 Education, Univ. of New Mexico	2006-2008
NSF Graduate Fellow in Biocomplexity, Univ. of New Mexico	2005-2006
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Univ. of New Mexico	2004-2005
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Univ. of Arizona	2004
Graduate Research Assistant, Red Squirrel Monitoring Project, Univ. of Arizona	2001-2003

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Community, population, and behavioral ecology
- Conservation and management of terrestrial animals

#### FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Faculty Excellence Award in Research/Creative Activity, UWG College of Arts, Culture, & Scientific Inquiry (\$1,000)

2022	Promotion to Professor, Univ. of West Georgia
2022	Group Achievement Award (Eastern Spotted Skunk Cooperative Study Group),
	The Wildlife Society
2019	Sabbatical Semester, Univ. of West Georgia
2017	Promotion & tenure to Associate Professor, Univ. of West Georgia
2015	Excellence in Research Award, UWG College of Science & Mathematics
	(\$1,000)
2014	Recognition award for innovation and early success in textbook transformation,
	University System of Georgia, Affordable Learning Georgia Program
2011-2013	NSF FIRST IV Postdoctoral Fellowship in Undergraduate Teaching
2010-2012	NSF Postdoctoral Fellowship in Biological Informatics (\$123,000)
2009	Regents' Graduate Fellowship, Univ. of New Mexico (\$1,000)
2009	Runner-up Best Graduate Oral Presentation, Univ. of New Mexico Annual
	Research Day
2008	Shadle Fellowship, American Society of Mammalogists (\$4,335)
2006-2008	NSF Graduate Teaching Fellowship in K-12 Education, Univ. of New Mexico
	(\$60,000 2-yr salary and \$1,000 for research)
2005-2006	NSF Graduate Fellowship in Biocomplexity, Univ. of New Mexico (\$30,000 1-yr
	salary)
2006	Best Graduate Oral Presentation, Univ. of New Mexico Annual Research Day
2005	Grove Summer Scholarship, Univ. of New Mexico Biology Dept. (\$3,000)

# PUBLICATIONS (\* DENOTES STUDENT AUTHOR)

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In prep.	Torrey, K.E.*, J.S. Johnson, J.M. Stober, and <b>A.J. Edelman.</b> Space and roost use by imperiled bats in a fire-managed forest. Forest Ecology and Management.	
In revision	Potash, A. et al. Habitat generalist mesopredators thrive in developing regions and landscapes across the Southeastern U.S. Journal of Biogeography.	
Accepted	Jachowski, D.S., <b>A.J. Edelman</b> , and B. Sasse. Eastern and plains spotted skunks. In: Hiller, T. (ed.), Wild Furbearer Management and Conservation in North America.	
2025	Loeb, S.C, Bridges, W.C., Jr., Winters, E.A., Brown, R.L., Anderson, J.R., Ferrari, M. Upton, J.R., Smith, L.S., McElroy, T.C., <b>Edelman, A.J.</b> , & C.T. Cornelison. Winter activity of tricolored bats in aboveground and subterranean hibernacula in the southeastern USA. Scientific Reports 15:13644.	
2025	Rooney, B.R. et al. SNAPSHOT USA 2019–2023: The first five years of data from a coordinated camera trap survey of the United States. Global Ecology and Biogeography 34:e13941.	
2024	Kays, R.L. et al. Climate, food, and humans predict mammal communities in the United States. Diversity and Distributions 30:e13900.	
2024	Shamon, H. et al. SNAPSHOT USA 2021: A third coordinated national camera trap survey of the United States. Ecology 1005:e4318.	
2023	Baldwin, M.E.*, J.M. Stober, and A.J. Edelman. Prescribed fire and thinning	

- influence snag density and size in the southern Appalachian Mountains. Forest Ecology and Management 533:120864.
- Lewis, M.A.\*, E.A. Ferrall, J.S. Johnson, K.M. Morris, N.W. Sharp, J.M. Stober, K.E. Torrey\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Extralimital occurrences of southeastern myotis in Alabama and Georgia. Southeastern Naturalist 21:211-219.
- Edelman, A.J., D.S. Jachowski, and C. Olfenbuttel. Spotting a need: Collaborative efforts aim to improve how we understand and conserve eastern spotted skunks. Wildlife Professional 16:36-39.
- Arts, K.J.\*, M.K. Hudson, Sharp, N.W., and **A.J. Edelman**. Eastern spotted skunks alter nightly activity and movement in response to environmental conditions. American Midland Naturalist 188:33-55.
- 2022 Kays R. et al. SNAPSHOT USA 2020: A second coordinated national camera trap survey of the United States during the COVID-19 Pandemic. Ecology 103:e3775.
- Dukes, C.G., D.S. Jachowski, S.N. Harris, M.L. Allen, L.E. Dodd, **A.J. Edelman**, S.H. LaRose, R.C. Lonsinger, and D.B. Sasse. A review of camera trapping methodology for eastern spotted skunks. Journal of Fish & Wildlife Management 13:295-305.
- Jachowski, D.S., and **A.J. Edelman**. Advancing small carnivore research and conservation: The Eastern Spotted Skunk Cooperative Study Group model. Southeastern Naturalist 20(Special Issue 11):1-12.
- Butler, A.R., **A.J. Edelman**, R.Y.Y. Eng, S.N. Harris, C. Olfenbuttel, E. Thorne, W.M. Ford, and D.S. Jachowski. Demography of the Appalachian spotted skunk (*Spilogale putorius putorius*). Southeastern Naturalist 20(Special Issue 11):95-109.
- Arts, K.J.\*, T.R. Sprayberry\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and **A.J. Edelman**.

  Observations of eastern spotted skunk reproduction, mortality, and behavioral interactions in Alabama. Southeastern Naturalist 20(Special Issue 11):119-125.
- 2021 Cove, M.V. et al. SNAPSHOT USA 2019: A coordinated national camera trap survey of the United States. Ecology 102:e03353
- Johnson, J.S., N.W. Sharp, M.N. Monarchino, T.M. Lilley, and **A.J. Edelman**. No sign of infection in free-ranging *Myotis austroriparius* hibernating in the presence of *Pseudogymnoascus destructans* in Alabama. Southeastern Naturalist 20:20-28.
- Pynne, J.T.\*, J.M. Stober, and **A.J. Edelman.** Eastern fox squirrel (*Sciurus niger*) occupancy patterns in fragmented montane longleaf pine forests. Southeastern Naturalist 19:403-417.
- 2019 **Edelman, A.J.** *Sylvilagus obscurus* (Lagomorpha: Leporidae). Mammalian Species 51(984):128-135.
- 2019 **Edelman, A.J.** Carnivora. In: Vonk J., Shackelford T. (eds.), Encyclopedia of Animal Cognition and Behavior. Springer, Cham.

- Benson, I.W.\*, T.L. Sprayberry\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Rest-site activity patterns of eastern spotted skunks in Alabama. Southeastern Naturalist 18:165-172.
- Sprayberry, T.R.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Den-site selection and use by eastern spotted skunks in the southern Appalachians. Journal of Mammalogy 1:242-251.
- Edelman, A.J., and J.L. Edelman. An inquiry-based approach to engaging undergraduate students in on-campus conservation research using camera traps. Southeastern Naturalist 16:58-69.
- Cornelison, W.C.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Eastern spotted skunks in Alabama. Alabama Wildlife 81:27-29.
- Sprayberry, T.R.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Food provisioning of kits by a female eastern spotted skunk. Southeastern Naturalist 15:N53-N56.
- Koprowski, J.L, K.E. Munroe, and **A.J. Edelman**. Gray not grey: ecology of *Sciurus carolinensis* in their native range in North America. In: Shuttleworth, C.M., Lurz, P.W.W. and Gurnell, J. (eds.), Grey squirrels: ecology and management of an invasive species in Europe. European Squirrel Initiative, Suffolk, England. Pp. 1-17.
- 2015 **Edelman, A.J.,** J. Moran, T.J. Garrabrant\*, and K.C. Vorreiter\*. Muskrat predation of native freshwater mussels in Shoal Creek, Alabama. Southeastern Naturalist 14:473-483.
- **Edelman, A.J.,** and D.B. McDonald. Cooperation between long-term partners and friends of a friend structure male manakin social networks. Animal Behaviour 97:125-133.
- 2014 **Edelman, A.J.** Multiple socioecological factors influence timing of natal dispersal in kangaroo rats. Behavioral Ecology and Sociobiology 68:1123-1131.
- Pinter-Wollman, N., E. Hobson, J. Smith, A.J. Edelman, D. Shizuka, J. Waters,
  S. de Silva, S. Prager, T. Sasaki, G. Wittemyer, J. Fewell, and D. McDonald.
  Response: The dynamics of network dynamics. Behavioral Ecology 25:260-261.
- Pinter-Wollman, N., E. Hobson, J. Smith, **A.J. Edelman,** D. Shizuka, J. Waters, S. de Silva, S. Prager, T. Sasaki, G. Wittemyer, J. Fewell, and D. McDonald. The dynamics of animal social networks: analytical, conceptual, and theoretical advances. Behavioral Ecology 25:242-255.
- Edelman, A.J. Positive interactions between desert granivores: localized facilitation of harvester ants by kangaroo rats. PLoS ONE 7(2): e30914. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0030914
- **Edelman, A.J.** Sex-specific effects of size and condition on timing of natal dispersal in banner-tailed kangaroo rats. Behavioral Ecology 22:776-783.
- **Edelman, A.J.** Kangaroo rats remodel burrows in response to seasonal changes in environmental conditions. Ethology 117:430-439.
- 2011 **Edelman, A.J.** A practical guide to merging behavior and conservation. Trends in

Ecology and Evolution 26:500-501 (Review of A primer of conservation behavior
by D. Blumstein and E. Fernández-Juricic).

- Edelman, A.J., J.L. Koprowski, and S.R. Bertelsen\*. Potential for nest site competition between native and exotic tree squirrels. Journal of Mammalogy 90:167-174.
- Edelman, A.J., and J.L. Koprowski. Introduced Abert's squirrels in the Pinaleño Mountains: a review of their natural history and potential impacts on the red squirrel. The Last Refuge of the Mt. Graham Red Squirrel: Ecology of Endangerment (H.R. Sanderson and J.L. Koprowski, eds.). University of Arizona Press, Tucson. Pp 370-388.
- **Edelman, A.J.**, and J.L. Koprowski. Communal nesting in asocial Abert's squirrels: the role of social thermoregulation and breeding strategy. Ethology 113:147-154.
- **Edelman, A.J.**, and J.L. Koprowski. Seasonal changes in home ranges of Abert's squirrels: impact of mating season. Canadian Journal of Zoology 84:404-411.
- 2006 **Edelman, A.J.**, and J.L. Koprowski. Influence of female-biased sexual size dimorphism on dominance of female Townsend's chipmunks. Canadian Journal of Zoology 84:1859-1863.
- **Edelman, A.J.**, and J.L. Koprowski. Characteristics of Abert's squirrel (*Sciurus aberti*) cavity nests. Southwestern Naturalist 51:64-70.
- Edelman, A.J., and J.L. Koprowski. Selection of drey sites by Abert's squirrels in an introduced population. Journal of Mammalogy 86:1220-1226.
- 2005 **Edelman, A.J.**, and J.L. Koprowski. Diet and tree use of Abert's squirrels (*Sciurus aberti*) in a mixed-conifer forest. Southwestern Naturalist 50:461-465.
- Edelman, A.J., J.L. Koprowski, and J.L. Edelman. Kleptoparasitic behavior and species richness at Mt. Graham red squirrel middens. Connecting mountain islands and desert seas: biodiversity and management of the Madrean Archipelago II. 2004 May 11-15; Tucson, AZ. Proceedings RMRS-P-36. Fort Collins, CO: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Research Station. Pp 395-398.
- Koprowski, J.L., **A.J. Edelman**, B.S. Pasch, and D.C. Buecher. A dearth of data on the mammals of the Madrean Archipelago: what we think we know and what we actually do know. Connecting mountain islands and desert seas: biodiversity and management of the Madrean Archipelago II. 2004 May 11-15; Tucson, AZ. Proceedings RMRS-P-36. Fort Collins, CO: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Research Station. Pp 412-415.
- Edelman, A.J. *Marmota olympus*. Mammalian Species 736:1-5.

## GRANTS AWARDED (\$809,042 TOTAL INCLUDING FELLOWSHIPS)

#### External Grants

2024 USFWS Conservation and Organizational Development Fund (\$68,812, submitted)

2021 Competitive State Wildlife Grant, USFWS (\$988,384 with multiple collaborators; not funded) 2020 Participating Agreement, U.S. Forest Service Shoal Creek Ranger District (\$14,000) 2020 White-nose Syndrome Research Grant, USFWS (\$214,697 with C. Cornelison, S. Loeb, & T. McElroy) Alabama Pittman Robertson Grant, Alabama Division of Wildlife (\$652,371 with R. 2020 Gitzen & J. Willoughby; not funded) 2018 Alabama Pittman Robertson Grant, Alabama Division of Wildlife (\$37,419 with N. Sharp) 2018 Participating Agreement, U.S. Forest Service Shoal Creek Ranger District (\$5,000) Alabama Pittman Robertson Grant, Alabama Division of Wildlife (\$51,136 with N. 2017 Sharp) 2017 Participating Agreement, U.S. Forest Service Shoal Creek Ranger District (\$33,000) 2016 Section 6 Endangered Species Grant, Alabama Division of Wildlife (\$25,000 with N. Sharp) Participating Agreement, U.S. Forest Service Shoal Creek Ranger District (\$25,000) 2016 White-nose Syndrome Small Grant, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (\$30,000 with J. 2015 Johnson & J. Stober). Section 6 Endangered Species Grant, Alabama Division of Wildlife (\$25,000) 2015 2015 Participating Agreement, U.S. Forest Service Shoal Creek Ranger District (\$12,000) Participating Agreement, U.S. Forest Service Shoal Creek Ranger District (\$5,000) 2014 Internal Institutional Grants Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$2,000) 2024 2023 Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,550) 2022 Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,720) Faculty Research Grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$5,000) 2021 2019 Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,570) 2018 Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,450) SEEP Undergraduate Research and Mentoring Program, UWG (\$2,700) 2017 Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,650) 2017 2016 SEEP Undergraduate Research and Mentoring Program, UWG (\$2,700) 2016 Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,475) Faculty Research Grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$5,000) 2016 2015 Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,700) Presidential Research Grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$5,000 with G. Payne) 2015 2014 COSM Faculty Research Grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,250) 2014 UWise Student Research Grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$5,000) 2014 Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,800) UWise Student Research Grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$8,100) 2013 UWise Instruction Mini-grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$2,700) 2013 COSM Faculty Research Grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$1,250) 2013 Student Research Assistant Program Award, Univ. of West Georgia (\$2,900) 2013 2013 Internal Development Grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$7,500) UWise Instruction Mini-grant, Univ. of West Georgia (\$11,500) 2012 Colonel Rogers Excellence Fund, Univ. of Wyoming (\$6,300 with D. McDonald) 2011

#### Student Grants Publication Reimbursement Award, UNM Bio. Graduate Student Organization (\$300) 2011 2009 Joseph Gaudin Scholarship in Mammalogy, UNM Biology Dept. (\$2,000) Graduate Student Summer Grant, Sevilleta LTER (\$3,500) 2008 2008 Joseph Gaudin Scholarship in Mammalogy, UNM Biology Dept. (\$1,500) 2007 Research Grant, UNM Student Research Allocation Committee (\$500) 2007 Research Grant, UNM Biology Graduate Student Organization (\$300) 2006 Grant-in-Aid of Research, American Society of Mammalogists (\$1,500) 2006 McCarley Student Research Award, Southwestern Association of Naturalists (\$1,000) 2006 Graduate Student Summer Grant, Sevilleta LTER (\$3,500) 2006 Research Grant, UNM Biology Graduate Student Organization (\$250) 2006 Travel Grant, UNM Biology Graduate Student Organization (\$150) 2005 Grant for Conservation Biology Research, T & E, Inc. (\$2,500) 2005 Graduate Student Summer Grant, Sevilleta LTER (\$3,500) 2005 Research Project and Travel Grant, UNM Graduate College (\$700) 2005 Research Grant, UNM Student Research Allocation Committee (\$500) 2005 Research Grant, UNM Biology Graduate Student Organization (\$100) 2005 Graduate Research Development Fund, UNM (\$750) 2004 Research Project and Travel Grant, UNM Graduate College (\$800) 2004 Research Grant, UNM Student Research Allocation Committee (\$500) 2004 Research Grant, UNM Biology Graduate Student Organization (\$300) 2003 Grant for Conservation Biology Research, T & E, Inc. (\$2,500) 2003 Bursary Award, 3rd International Tree Squirrel Colloquium (\$140)

Student Research Grant, Animal Behavior Society (\$1,000)

Grant-in-Aid of Research, Sigma Xi (\$400)

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2002

2001

2012-present	<b>Professor</b> , Conservation Biology, Ecology, Fire Ecology, Wildlife Techniques, Applied Ecology (graduate), Evolution, Principles of Biology II (science majors), Graduate Seminar, and Fundamentals of Biology (nonmajors); supervised 8 honors students, Univ. of West Georgia.
2011-2013	Postdoctoral scholar, NSF Faculty Institutes for Reforming Science Teaching
	(FIRST) IV Program in Undergraduate Teaching, Michigan State Univ. Received
	training and mentoring in inquiry-based, student-centered science instruction for
	undergraduate courses.
2011	Co-instructor, General Biology, Univ. of Wyoming.
2011-2012	Guest lecturer, Fish and Wildlife Management (1 lecture) and Mammalogy (1
	lecture), Univ. of Wyoming.
2008-2010	Graduate teaching assistant, Ecology and Evolution & Plant and Animal Form
	and Function courses, Univ. of New Mexico.
2006-2008	NSF graduate teaching in K-12 education fellow, Taught inquiry-based science
	lessons to middle school students, Univ. of New Mexico.
2006-2007	Guest lecturer, Animal Behavior (4 lectures), Univ. of New Mexico.
2004-2005	Graduate teaching assistant, Cell Biology and Genetics, Univ. of New Mexico.
2004	Graduate teaching assistant, Introductory Biology, Univ. of Arizona.

1996-1999 **Undergraduate teaching assistant**, Ecology and Introductory Biology, Willamette Univ.

#### MENTORING EXPERIENCE

2012-present	<b>Research mentor</b> (26 undergraduate and 8 graduate students), Univ. of West Georgia. Participated in research student mentoring programs including UWise, SRAP, and Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation (LSAMP).
2006-2008	Independent research mentor (3 undergraduate students), NSF Research
	Experiences for Undergraduates (REU), Sevilleta Long Term Ecological
	Research Site (LTER). Mentored undergraduate students in ecological research
	projects focused on kangaroo rats.
2006-2008	Summer research mentor (> 15 undergraduate students), Sevilleta LTER
	Summer Internship Program. Supervised undergraduate interns participating in
	research on kangaroo rats.
2008	Science instructor (> 20 students), Univ. of New Mexico GK-12 Sevilleta
	Science Camp. Provided middle school students with experiences with desert
	wildlife and research techniques.
2001-2006	Research supervisor (5 undergraduate students), Univ. of Arizona and Univ. of
	New Mexico. Supervised undergraduate students assisting in wildlife research.

#### Graduate Students Supervised:

Domonique Hill (M.S. Thesis): Demography of red-cockaded woodpecker population during reintroduction.

Andrew Pitt (M.S. Thesis): Impacts of prescribed fire on bats and insects. Bat biologist for the Western EcoSystems Technology.

Jessica Anderson (M.S. Nonthesis): Microbiota of tricolored bats. Ecologist for Stantec.

Kassandra Arts (M.S.): Eastern spotted skunk movement and activity patterns. Works for National Park Service.

Michelle Baldwin (M.S. Thesis): Fire effects on snag abundance. Ecologist for VHB.

Kaitlyn Rountree (M.S. Thesis): Foraging and roost habitat of endangered bats. Bat biologist for Western EcoSystems Technology.

William Cornelison (M.S. Thesis): Space use of eastern spotted skunks. Ecologist for Georgia Department of Transportation

Tyler Sprayberry (M.S. Thesis): Denning ecology of eastern spotted skunks. Ecologist for Georgia Department of Transportation

JT Pynne (M.S. Thesis): Occupancy estimation of southeastern fox squirrels. Received Ph.D. from Univ. of Georgia. Teaching professor for Emory University.

#### *Graduate Committees:*

Sydney Coleman (nonthesis M.S.)

Joshua Hubbell (M.S., major advisor H. Banford)

Antasia Parks (nonthesis M.S.)

Devan Rediger (nonthesis M.S.)

Toby Saunders (M.S., major advisor D. Morgan)

Justin Smith (nonthesis M.S.)

Brian Stogner (M.S., major advisor J. Hendricks)

### Undergraduate Researchers:

Melchisedec Adobah (supported by UWG LSAMP award)

Dino Alabre (supported by UWG LSAMP award)

Hannah Alexander (supported by USFS grant)

Zachary Bell (supported by UWG SRAP award)

Isik Benson (supported by UWG SRAP award)

Grace Camp (supported by UWG SRAP award)

Katherine Chambers (supported by UWG SRAP award)

William Cornelison (supported by UWG UWise research grant)

Dalton Blue (supported by UWG SRAP award)

Caitlin Forkin (supported by UWG SRAP award)

Theresa Fuller (supported by UWG LSAMP award)

Timothy Garrabrant (received UWG student travel award)

Janet Gembe Garcia (supported by USFS & SRAP grants)

Jordan Gibson

Joseph Hancock (received research credits)

Amalia Hernandez (supported by UWG SRAP & LSAMP award)

Joseph Kim (supported by USFS grant)

Anthony King (supported by UWG LSAMP award)

Austin Kirkland (supported by UWG SRAP award)

Mattea Lewis (supported by USFS grant)

Montana Lewis (supported by SEEP grant)

Shelby Lewis (supported by UWise research grant)

Ann McAlpin (supported by UWG SRAP award)

Matthew Rouse (supported by UWise research grant)

Megan Smith (supported by UWise Mini-grant)

Tyler Sprayberry (supported by UWG internal development & UWise research grants)

Kaley Vorreiter (received UWG student travel award)

Joanne Wasdin (supported by SRAP grant & LSAMP)

Thalia Young (supported by SEEP & SRAP grants)

## Undergraduate Mentorship:

Zach Bell, Honors thesis

Grace Camp, Honors thesis

Sasha Catalan, Interdisciplinary program

Kesiena Tuoyo, Honors thesis

Thalia Young, Honors thesis

#### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

## Societies & Working Groups

2023-present	Past President, Georgia Chapter of The Wildlife Society
2023-present	Advisory Board Member, Eastern Spotted Skunk Cooperative Study Group
2020-2023	President, Georgia Chapter of The Wildlife Society
2018-2022	Chair, Eastern Spotted Skunk Cooperative Study Group (Recipient of 2022
	Group Achievement Award from The Wildlife Society)
2018-2020	President-elect, Georgia Chapter of The Wildlife Society

2019-2020	Organizer, Annual workshop of the Eastern Spotted Skunk Cooperative Study Group
2019	Meeting host, Georgia Chapter of The Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Carrollton
2015-2018	Secretary, Georgia Chapter of The Wildlife Society
2014-2018	Member, ASM Honoraria Committee
2017	Meeting host, Georgia Bat Working Group Annual Meeting, Carrollton
2014-2016	Student presentation evaluator, Georgia Wildlife Society Meeting
2013-2014	Student presentation evaluator, American Society of Mammalogists Meeting
2012	Participant, Georgia universities teaching non-major biology working group
2012	Program chair, Symposium on Network Science in Biological, Social, and
	Geographic Systems, Univ. of Wyoming
2012	Evolution session organizer, Research Symposium honoring James Brown and
	Astrid Kodric-Brown retirements. Univ. of New Mexico
2011	Student presentation evaluator, American Society of Mammalogists Meeting
2009	Poster presentation judge, Annual Research Day, Univ. of New Mexico
2008-2011	Committee member, ASM Education and Graduate Student Committee
2007	Local committee member, American Society of Mammalogists Annual Meeting
Reviewing & I	Editing
	Member, Board of Editors, Southeastern Naturalist
2005-present	Manuscript reviewer for African Zoology, Animal Behaviour, Annales Zoologici Fennici, Behavioral Ecology, Bulletin of the Southern California Academy of Sciences, Canadian Field-Naturalist, Canadian Journal of Zoology, Current Zoology, Ecological Indicators, Ecology, Ecology Letters, Ecoscience, Ethology, Forest Ecology and Management, Journal of Mammalogy, Journal of Wildlife Management, Journal of Zoology, Mammalian Biology, Mammal Study, Natural Sciences Education, Northeastern Naturalist, Prairie Naturalist, Southwestern Naturalist, Western North American Naturalist, Wildlife Monographs, and Wildlife Society Bulletin
2024	Book review, Univ. of Georgia Press
2023	Book proposal reviewer, Univ. of Georgia Press
2020-2021	Special Issue Editor, Ecology and Conservation of the Eastern Spotted Skunk, Southeastern Naturalist 20(Special Issue 11)
2020	Ad-hoc reviewer, NSF Directorate of Engineering
2019	External tenure reviewer, Missouri State Univ.
2013, 2019	Ad hoc proposal reviewer, National Science Foundation IOS
2018	Peer reviewer, Yellowstone Scientific Research Permit, National Park Service.
2014	Proposal reviewer, Species Research Funding, State of Texas
2012	Proposal reviewer, Animal Behavior Society Student Research Grants
2008	Grant proposal reviewer, UNM Student Research Allocation Committee
2006, 2008	Grant proposal reviewer, UNM Biology Graduate Student Association

## Technical & Educational Outreach

2025	Organizer, City Nature Challenge Villa Rica, Georgia
2024	Team leader, Alabama Bat Working Group Bat Blitz

2024	Member, Alabama State Wildlife Action Plan Mammal Taxa Team
2023, 2024	Surveyor, Georgia Bat Working Group Culvert Blitz
2023-2024	Moderator, Georgia Middle School Regional Science Bowl
2023-2024	Moderator, Georgia High School Regional Science Bowl
2023	Member, Georgia State Wildlife Action Plan Mammal Technical Team
2023	Contributing expert on skunks, NatGeo Kids Magazine
2019, 2023	Pollinator workshop presenter, Carrollton Junior High School Science Club
2022	Outreach consultant for Weaver Cave, Georgia-Alabama Land Trust
2021-2022	Member, Plains Spotted Skunk Species Status Assessment Expert Team, USFWS
2015-2019	Team leader, Alabama Bat Working Group Bat Blitz
2017	Biological review group member, Biological Status Review for Sherman's Fox
	Squirrel, Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission
2016	Participant, Southeastern Bat Blitz at Talladega National Forest
2016	Guest expert, LEGO Robotics Club, Carrollton Middle School
2015	Peer reviewer, Biological Status Review for Eastern Chipmunk, Florida Fish &
	Wildlife Conservation Commission
2010	Technical advisor, Wildlife corridor design project, Arizona Game and Fish Dept.
2008	Technical advisor on Abert's squirrels, Audubon Magazine
2007	Science fair judge, Laguna Middle School, NM
Institutional S	
-	Graduate Program Coordinator, UWG M.S. Biology Program
2022-present	
2021-present	Advisor, UWG Wildlife Club student organization (~40 students)
2022-present	
2021-present	Member, UWG Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies in Natural Resources
2012	Management Advisory Committee
2013-present	Member, UWG Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee
2018-2024	Member, UWG Student Research Assistant Program Committee
2021-2023	Chair & Member, UWG Biology Scholarship Committee
2023	Member, Faculty Seed Grant Review Committee
2023	Organizing Committee, GA-AL Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation
2022	Annual Research Symposium
2022	Interviewer, UWG Presidential Scholarship Committee
2019-2021	Co-manager, UWG Apiary
2020-2021	Member, UWG CACSI Secondary Education Committee
2021	Co-developed successful proposal for UWG Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
2021	in Natural Resources Management
2021	Chair, UWG Biology Lab Coordinator Search Committee
2020	Member, UWG Biology Tenure & Promotion Committee
2019	Bees & pollinator presentation, Carrollton Junior High School Science Club
2016-2019	Member & chair, UWG Biology Dept. Graduate Curriculum Committee
2016-2018	Member, UWG Sustainability Council
2015-2018	Member & chair, UWG Biology Dept. Seminar Committee
2015-2017	Classroom liaison, UWG Biology Building Remodeling Committee
2017	Chair, Scholarship Committee, UWG Biology Dept.

2016	Member, UWG Center for Teaching and Learning Advisory Board
2016	Above & Beyond Award, UWG Risk Management/Environmental Health
2014	Reviewer, UWG Regents Teaching Excellence Award
2014	Member, UWG Biology Dept. Search Committee
2013-2015	Member, UWG Admissions Appeals Committee
2013-2015	Member & chair, UWG Biology Dept. Finance Committee

#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

Certified Wildlife Biologist, The Wildlife Society

USFWS Endangered & Threatened Species Permit: *Myotis grisescens, M. sodalis, & M. septentrionalis* (2020-2025, AL, GA, & SC)

Certified Prescribed Fire Crew Member (2016-2018): completed U.S. Federal Government IS-100, IS-700, S-110, S-130, S-190, and L-180 training courses; participated in over 50 controlled burns with USFS, The Nature Conservancy, and private landowners

#### MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Alabama Bat Working Group

American Society of Mammalogists (Life member)

Georgia Bat Working Group

Southeastern Bat Diversity Network

The Wildlife Society (National, Southeastern Section, Alabama, and Georgia Chapters)

#### WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

2024	Echolocation 101/Best Practices, Sonobat Beginner & Advanced Courses, Acoustic ID of Eastern Bats; Vesper Bat Echolocation Specialists
2018	Bats in Bridges Workshop. Georgia Department of Natural Resources.
2015	Prescribed Burn Certification Class. Georgia Forestry Commission. White Plains, GA.
2014	NIMBioS Investigative Workshop: The dynamics of small non-human social networks, Knoxville, TN
2012	NSF FIRST IV Postdoctoral Workshop in Undergraduate Teaching, Colorado Mountain Research Station
2011	NSF FIRST IV Postdoctoral Workshop in Undergraduate Teaching, Colorado Mountain Research Station
2010	Social Network Dynamics, University of Kansas Summer Institute in Statistics

#### **INVITED SEMINARS**

2022, 2023	Weaver Cave ecology tour, Georgia-Alabama Land Trust Open Cave Day.
2019	Bats of the southeast. Friends of McIntosh Reserve, Carrollton.
2019	Burning the woods to benefit wildlife. UWG Wolf Science Cafe Series.
2019	Setting the woods on fire: response of mammal communities to forest restoration
	in the southern Appalachians. Ecology, Evolution, Behavior, & Organismal
	Seminar Series, Kennesaw State Univ.
2018	Bat box demonstration workshop (with J. Killmeier). Univ. of West Georgia.

2017	Bats of Alabama (with W. Stone). Turkey Creek Nature Preserve, Alabama.
2017	Mammal communities and prescribed fire in the southern Appalachians. UWG Biology Seminar Series.
2016	Talladega nights: Bats of the Shoal Creek Ranger District. Alabama Bat Festival
2015	Teaching methods for collaborative learning (with J. Genz). UWG Center for Teaching and Learning Workshop.
2014	Ecology and behavior of dancing birds and rodent engineers. Ecology, Evolution, Behavior, & Organismal Seminar Series, Kennesaw State Univ.
2013	Teaching more by lecturing less: Implementing active-learning techniques in large, lecture courses. Dean's Teaching and Learning Seminar, Univ.of West Georgia.
2012	Burrow remodeling and juvenile dispersal in the banner-tailed kangaroo rat. Lampton Lecture, Biology Dept., Univ. of West Georgia.
2012	A tale of two tails: ecosystem engineering by kangaroo rats and cooperation among dancing birds. Biology Dept., Univ. of West Georgia.
2011	The unique ecology and behavior of kangaroo rats. Laramie Audubon Society.
2011	The conservation of a sky island endemic, the Mt. Graham red squirrel. University of Wyoming Student Chapter of The Wildlife Society.
2011	Merging teaching and research in ecology. Biology Dept. Angelo State Univ.
2010	Dispersal, facilitation, and burrow architecture in banner-tailed kangaroo rats. Zoology and Physiology Dept., Univ. of Wyoming.
2008	The banner-tailed kangaroo rat: ecosystem engineer of desert grasslands. Sevilleta Long Term Ecological Research (LTER) Field Station, New Mexico.
2007	The banner-tailed kangaroo rat: ecosystem engineer of desert grasslands. Sevilleta LTER Field Station, New Mexico.
2004	Selection of drey sites by Abert's squirrels: the role of structure versus tree species. Division of Biology, Kansas State Univ.

## PRESENTATIONS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS (\* DENOTES STUDENT COLLABORATORS)

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2025	<b>Edelman, A.J.</b> , et al. Tricolored bat winter activity at southeastern subterranean and aboveground hibernacula. Southeastern Bat Diversity Network Annual Meeting, Lexington, Kentucky.
2025	Edelman, A.J., et al. Winter activity of tricolored bats hibernating in subterranean and aboveground sites in the southeastern USA. Alabama Bat Working Group Annual Meeting. Clanton, AL.
2024	Edelman, A.J., et al. Winter activity of tricolored bats hibernating in subterranean and aboveground sites in the southeastern USA. Georgia Bat Working Group Annual Meeting, Ft. Moore, GA.
2024	Loeb, S.C., et al. Winter activity of tricolored bats in aboveground and subterranean hibernacula in the southeastern USA. American Society of Mammalogists, Boulder, CO.
2024	<b>Edelman, A.J.</b> , A. Pitt*, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Pyrodiverse forests support bat and insect diversity. Southeastern Bat Diversity Network Annual Meeting, Hilton Head, South Carolina.
2024	Henderson, L., Norman, K., J. Upton, M. Crane, M. Ferrarri, S.C. Loeb, T.C. McElroy, A.J. Edelman, and C.T. Cornelison. Assessment of population genetic

- structure and stable isotopes ( $\delta$ 2h) of Southeastern U.S. Tricolored bats (P. subflavus). Southeastern Bat Diversity Network Annual Meeting, Hilton Head, South Carolina.
- Edelman, A.J., A. Pitt\*, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Pyrodiversity Promotes Biodiversity: Response of Bat and Insect Communities to Prescribed Fire Regimes. Georgia Bat Working Group Annual Meeting. Winder, GA.
- Larkin, K., L. Henderson, T.C. McElroy, J. Upton, M. Ferrarri, S.C. Loeb, A.J. Edelman, and C.T. Cornelison. Population genetic structure of tricolored bats (*P. subflavus*) in the coastal plains of the southeastern U.S. Georgia Bat Working Group Annual Meeting. Winder, GA.
- Stober, J., **A.J. Edelman**, J. Johnson, K. Torrey\*, M. Baldwin\*, and A. Pitt\*. Prescribed fire regimes effects on snags, bats, and insects. Alabama Bat Working Group Annual Meeting. Clanton, AL.
- Larkin, K., L. Henderson, T.C. McElroy, J. Upton, M. Ferrarri, S.C. Loeb, **A.J. Edelman**, and C.T. Cornelison. Population genetic structure of tricolored bats (*P. subflavus*) in the coastal plains of the southeastern U.S. (Poster). Association of Southeastern Biologists, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
- Larkin, K., L. Henderson, T.C. McElroy, J. Upton, M. Ferrarri, S.C. Loeb, **A.J. Edelman**, and C.T. Cornelison. Population genetic structure of tricolored bats (*P. subflavus*) in the coastal plains of the southeastern U.S. (Poster). Southeastern Bat Diversity Network Annual Meeting, Jonesboro, Arkansas.
- Pitt, A.\*, J. Johnson, J. Stober, and **A.J. Edelman**. Bat foraging activity in response to shifts in prescribed fire on insect abundance in the southern Appalachians (Poster). Northeast Bat Working Group Meeting, Burlington, Vermont.
- McElroy, T.C., C.T. Cornelison, S. Loeb, and **A.J. Edelman**. Population genetic structure of tricolored bats in the coastal plains of the southeastern U.S. Georgia Bat Working Group Annual Meeting, Athens.
- Pitt, A.\*, J.J. Johnson, J.M. Stober, and **A.J. Edelman**. Bat foraging activity in response to shifts in prescribed fire on insect abundance in the southern Appalachians (Poster). Georgia Bat Working Group Annual Meeting, Athens.
- Upton, J.R.\*, Ferrari, M.N.\*, E. Ferrall, J. Anderson\*, T.C. McElroy, S. Loeb, A.J. Edelman, K.T. Gabriel, and C.T. Cornelison. Investigating winter activity of *Perimyotis subflavus* in subterranean and transportation-based hibernacula as it relates to susceptibility to white-nose syndrome (Poster). Georgia Bat Working Group Annual Meeting, Athens.
- Anderson, J.\*, M.N. Ferrari\*, J.R. Upton\*, E. Ferrall, K.T. Gabriel, S. Loeb, T.C. McElroy, and **A.J. Edelman**, Winter growth patterns of *Pseudogymnoascus destructans*, the causative agent of white-nose syndrome, in the southeastern U.S. (Poster). North American Symposium on Bat Research, Austin, Texas.
- Ferrari, M.N.\*, J.R. Upton\*, E. Ferrall, J. Anderson\*, T.C. McElroy, S. Loeb, **A.J. Edelman**, K.T. Gabriel, and C.T. Cornelison. Investigating winter activity of *Perimyotis subflavus* in subterranean and anthropogenic surface-based hibernacula as it relates to susceptibility to white-nose syndrome (Poster). White-nose Syndrome Annual Meeting.

- Anderson, J.R.\*, C.T. Cornelison, S.C. Loeb, T.C. McElroy, and A.J. Edelman. Evaluating the influence of gating on internal microclimates for cave management (Poster). 27nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 32th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S., Virtual meeting.
- Pitt, A.\*, J.J. Johnson, J. Stober, and **A.J. Edelman**. Bat foraging activity in response to shifts in prescribed fire on insect abundance in the southern Appalachians (Poster). 27nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 32th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S., Virtual meeting.
- 2022 Pitt, A.\*, J. Stober, and A.J. Edelman. The effect of prescribed fire on insect abundance in the southern Appalachians (Best Graduate Student Poster Award). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Covington.
- Anderson, J.R.\*, C.T. Cornelison, S.C. Loeb, T.C. McElroy, and A.J. Edelman. Effects of gate installation on cave internal microclimate (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Covington.
- Edelman, A.J., K.J. Arts, and N. Sharp. 2020. Environmentally driven activity and movement patterns of eastern spotted skunks based on accelerometer-informed GPS telemetry. 25nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 30th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Athens, Georgia.
- Gembe Garcia, J.\*, J. Stober, and **A.J. Edelman**. 2020. Impacts of prescribed fire frequency on insect diversity in montane longleaf pine (Poster). 25nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 30th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S., Athens, Georgia.
- 2019 **Edelman, A.J.,** M. Baldwin\*, J. Johnson, J. Stober, and K. Torrey\*. Bats and Prescribed Fire in Talladega National Forest, Georgia Bat Working Group Meeting, Kennesaw.
- Wasdin, J.R.\*, T.I. Young\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and N. Sharp, and A.J. Edelman. Family feud: temporal partitioning between two mammalian predators (Best Undergraduate Student Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Carrollton.
- Wasdin, J.R.\*, T. Hawig, and **A.J. Edelman**. Into the wild: field practices in ecology for the science classroom (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Carrollton.
- Gembe Garcia, J.\*, J. Stober, and **A.J. Edelman**. Impacts of prescribed fire frequency on insect diversity in montane longleaf pine (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Carrollton.
- 2019 Arts, K.\*, A.J. Edelman, and N. Sharp. Influence of abiotic factors on activity patterns of eastern spotted skunks (*Spilogale putorius*). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Carrollton.
- Wasdin, J.R.\*, T.I. Young\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and N. Sharp, and A.J. Edelman. Family feud: temporal partitioning between two mammalian predators (Poster). UWG Scholar's Day, Carrollton.
- Wasdin, J.R.\*, T.I. Young\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and N. Sharp, and **A.J. Edelman**. Family feud: temporal partitioning between two mammalian predators (2<sup>nd</sup> Place

- **Undergraduate Student Poster**). Georgia-Alabama Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation. Atlanta.
- Baldwin, M.\*, and A.J. Edelman. Effects of prescribed fire on the quality of snag habitat in the southern Appalachians (Best graduate student poster award).

  24nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 29th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Jacksonville, Florida.
- Torrey, K.\*, A.J. Edelman, J. Johnson, and J. Stober. Interactions between imperiled bat species and a fire maintained ecosystem in the southern Appalachian Mountains (Poster). 24nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 29th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Jacksonville, Florida.
- Wasdin, J.R.\*, T.I. Young\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and N. Sharp, and A.J. Edelman. Family feud: temporal partitioning between two mammalian predators (Poster). 24nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 29th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Jacksonville, Florida.
- Pynne, J.T.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Southeastern fox squirrel (*Sciurus niger*) occupancy patterns in fragmented montane longleaf pine forests in Alabama (Poster). 24nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 29th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Jacksonville, Florida.
- 2018 **Edelman, A.J.**, and N. Sharp. Distribution and habitat use of the eastern spotted skunk in Alabama (Invited talk). Eastern Spotted Skunk Symposium, The Wildlife Society Annual Conference, Cleveland, Ohio.
- 2018 Arts, K.\*, **A.J. Edelman**, and N. Sharp. Getting skunked in Conecuh National Forest (**Best graduate student poster award**). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Tifton.
- Baldwin, M.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Prescribed fire effects on snags in the southern Appalachian Mountains (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Tifton.
- Wasdin, J.R.\*, T.I. Young\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Night and day: temporal partitioning among three mammalian carnivores (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Tifton.
- Edelman, A.J., W.C. Cornelison\* and N. Sharp. Using citizen scientists and camera traps to survey for eastern spotted skunks in Alabama (Invited talk). Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Wildlife Section Annual Meeting, Auburn.
- Wasdin, J.R.\*, T.I. Young\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Strike a pose: using camera traps to understand coexistence among terrestrial mammals (Poster). UWG Scholar's Day, Carrollton.
- Baldwin, M.\*, and A.J. Edelman. Prescribed fire effects on snags in the southern Appalachian Mountains (Poster). North American Joint Bat Working Group Meeting, Roanoke, Virginia.

- Lewis, M.\*, K. Torrey\*, A.J. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Basal hollow maternity roosts of southeastern myotis in Alabama. (Poster). North American Joint Bat Working Group Meeting, Roanoke, Virginia.
- Torrey, K.\*, **A.J. Edelman**, J. Johnson, and J. Stober. Interactions between imperiled bat species and a fire dependent ecosystem in the southern Appalachians (Poster). North American Joint Bat Working Group Meeting, Roanoke, Virginia.
- 2018 **Edelman, A.J.**, W.C. Cornelison\*, and N. Sharp. Using citizen scientists and camera traps to survey for eastern spotted skunks in Alabama. North American Joint Bat Working Group Meeting, Roanoke, Virginia.
- Lewis, M.\*, K. Rountree-Torrey\*, **A.J. Edelman**, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Basal hollow maternity roosts of southeastern myotis in Alabama. (Poster). Georgia Bat Working Group Meeting, Carrollton, Georgia.
- Rountree-Torrey, K.\*, A.J Edelman, J. Johnson, and J. Stober. Interactions between imperiled bat species and a fire dependent ecosystem in the southern Appalachians. Alabama Bat Working Group Meeting, Pelham, Alabama.
- Lewis, M.\*, K. Rountree-Torrey\*, A.J. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Basal hollow maternity roosts of southeastern myotis in Alabama. (Poster). North American Symposium on Bat Research, Knoxville, Tennessee.
- Rountree-Torrey, K.\*, **A.J Edelman**, J. Johnson, and J. Stober. Interactions between imperiled bat species and a fire dependent ecosystem in the southern Appalachians. North American Symposium on Bat Research, Knoxville, Tennessee.
- Benson, I. W.\*, and **A.J. Edelman.** Activity patterns of eastern spotted Skunks in Alabama (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Covington.
- 2017 Cornelison, W.C.\* and **A.J. Edelman**. Eastern spotted skunk habitat selection at multiple spatial scales in the southern Appalachian Mountains. Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Covington.
- Lewis, M.\*, K. Rountree-Torrey\*, A.J. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. 2017. Basal hollow maternity roosts of southeastern myotis in Alabama. (Best Undergraduate Poster Award). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Covington.
- Torrey, K.\*, **A.J Edelman**, J. Johnson, and J. Stober. Interactions between imperiled bat species and a fire dependent ecosystem in the southern Appalachians. Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Covington.
- Lewis, M.\*, K. Rountree\*, **A.J. Edelman**, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. 2016. Extra limit maternity colony of southeastern myotis in northeastern Alabama (Poster). UWG Scholars' Day, Carrollton, Georgia.
- Benson, I.\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Activity patterns of eastern spotted skunk in Alabama (Poster). UWG Scholars' Day, Carrollton, Georgia.
- Adobah, M.\*, D. Alabre\*, **A.J. Edelman**, W. Cornelison\*, and I. Benson\*. Home range size of *Spilogale putorius* in the TNF, Alabama. UWG Scholars' Day, Carrollton, Georgia.
- Adobah, M.\*, D. Alabre\*, **A.J. Edelman**, W. Cornelison\*, and I. Benson\*. Home range size of *Spilogale putorius* in the TNF, Alabama. LSAMP Scholars Symposium. Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia.

2017 Cornelison, W.C.\* and A.J. Edelman. Landscape-level habitat selection of eastern spotted skunks in Alabama (Poster). 22nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 27th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Asheville, North Carolina. 2017 Edelman, A. and T.R. Sprayberry\*. Den-site selection of eastern spotted skunks in the southern Appalachians. 22nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 27th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Asheville, North Carolina. Lewis, M.\*, K. Rountree-Torrey\*, A.J. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. 2017. 2017 Extra limit maternity colony of southeastern myotis in northeastern Alabama (Poster). 22nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 27th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Asheville, North Carolina. 2017 Rountree-Torrey, K.\*, A.J Edelman, J. Johnson, and J. Stober. Influence of prescribed fire on endangered bats in the southern Appalachians. 22nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 27th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Asheville, North Carolina. 2017 Benson, I.\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and A.J. Edelman. Activity patterns of eastern spotted skunk in Alabama (Poster). 22nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network & 27th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S. Asheville, North Carolina. 2016 Edelman, A., Rountree, K.\*, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Habitat use of endangered bats in a fire-maintained mosaic landscape. Georgia Bat Working Group Meeting, Athens. 2016 Lewis, M.\*, K. Rountree\*, A. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Extra limit maternity colony of southeastern myotis in northeastern Alabama (Poster). Georgia Bat Working Group Meeting, Athens. 2016 Rountree, K.\*, A. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Influence of prescribed fire on endangered bats in the southern Appalachians. Alabama Bat Working Group Meeting, Birmingham. 2016 Rountree, K.\*, A. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Influence of prescribed fire on endangered bats in the southern Appalachians. Tennessee Bat Working Group Meeting, Montgomery Bell State Park. 2016 Lewis, M.\*, K. Rountree\*, A. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Extra limit maternity colony of southeastern myotis in northeastern Alabama (Poster). Tennessee Bat Working Group Meeting, Montgomery Bell State Park. 2016 Lewis, M.\*, K. Rountree\*, A.J. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. 2016. Extra limit maternity colony of southeastern myotis in northeastern Alabama (Poster and Talk). Georgia Undergraduate Research Conference, Milledgeville, Georgia. 2016 Edelman, A., Rountree, K.\*, J. Johnson, and J. Stober. Influence of prescribed fire on endangered bats in the southern Appalachians (Poster). North American Symposium on Bat Research, San Antonio, Texas.

**Edelman, A.** and T.R. Sprayberry. Den-site selection of eastern spotted skunks in the southern Appalachians. Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Tifton.

2016

- 2016 Rountree, K.\*, A. Edelman, J. Johnson, and J. Stober. Influence of prescribed fire on northern myotis and Indiana myotis in the southern Appalachians (Best Graduate Poster Award). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Tifton. 2016 Lewis, M.\*, K. Rountree\*, A. Edelman, J. Stober, and J. Johnson. Extra limit maternity colony of southeastern myotis in northeastern Alabama (Best Undergraduate Poster Award). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Tifton. 2016 Benson, I.\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and A.J. Edelman. Activity patterns of eastern spotted skunk in Alabama (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, 2016 Cornelison, W.C.\* and A.J. Edelman. Home range size of eastern spotted skunks in Alabama (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Tifton. 2016 Bell, Z.\* A.J. Edelman, and W.C. Cornelison\*. Mesocarnivore occupancy in the Talladega National Forest (Poster). Alabama Chapter Wildlife Society Meeting, Solon Dixon Center. Cornelison, W.C.\* and A.J. Edelman. Home range size of Spilogale putorius in 2016 Talladega National Forest, Alabama (Poster). Alabama Chapter Wildlife Society Meeting, Solon Dixon Center. Bell, Z.\* A.J. Edelman, and W.C. Cornelison\*. Mesocarnivore occupancy in the 2016 Talladega National Forest (Poster). Undergraduate Research Night, University of West Georgia. Melchisedec, A.\*, A. King\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and A.J. Edelman. Home range 2016 size of Spilogale putorius in Talladega National Forest, Alabama (Poster). Undergraduate Research Night, University of West Georgia. Melchisedec, A.\*, A. King\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, and A.J. Edelman. Home range 2016 size of Spilogale putorius in Talladega National Forest, Alabama (Poster). LSAMP Scholars Symposium. Clark Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia. 2016 Bell, Z.\* A.J. Edelman, and W.C. Cornelison\*. Mesocarnivore occupancy in the Talladega National Forest. Undergraduate Research Day Competition, University of West Georgia. 2016 Edelman, A.J., J. Johnson, and J. Stober. Bat communities and prescribed fire in
- the southern Appalachians. 21st Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat
  Diversity Network and 26th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of
  Mammals in the Southeastern U.S., Guntersville, Alabama.

  Sprayberry, T.\*, and A.J. Edelman. Den use and activity patterns of eastern
- Sprayberry, T.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Den use and activity patterns of eastern spotted skunks in the Talladega National Forest, Alabama. 21st Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network and 26th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S., Guntersville, Alabama.
- Cornelison, W.\*, **A.J. Edelman**, and T. Sprayberry\*. Habitat selection, home range size, and survival of *Spilogale putorius* in Talladega National Forest, Alabama (Poster). 21st Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network and 26th Annual Colloquium on the Conservation of Mammals in the Southeastern U.S., Guntersville, Alabama.
- 2016 Bell, Z.\* **A.J. Edelman**, and W.C. Cornelison\*. Mesocarnivore occupancy in the Talladega National Forest (Poster). National Conference of Undergraduate Research, University of North Carolina-Asheville.

- 2015 **A.J. Edelman**, J. Johnson, and J. Stober (Invited presentation). Endangered bats and prescribed fire in the southern Appalachians, Georgia Bat Working Group Meeting, Athens.
- Cornelison, W.C.\*, A. Kirkland\*, A.J. Edelman, and T. Sprayberry\*. Impacts of Prescribed Fire Management in Montane Longleaf Pine Forest on Mesocarnivore Occupancy (First place poster award). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Athens.
- Sprayberry, T.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Den use and activity patterns of *Spilogale putorius* in the Talladega National Forest, Alabama (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Athens.
- Benson, I.\* and **A.J. Edelman**. Impacts of prescribed fire on riparian small mammal diversity in montane longleaf (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Athens.
- 2015 Chambers, K.\* and **A.J. Edelman**. Understanding the research bias within the publication record of Georgia's mammals (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Athens.
- Bell, Z.\* and **A.J. Edelman**. Identifying *Myotis septentronalis* roosts in Talladega National Forest (Poster). Georgia Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Athens.
- Pynne, J.T.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Influence of pine forest fragmentation on southeastern fox squirrel occupancy patterns. International Colloquium on Arboreal Squirrels, Helsinki, Finland.
- Pynne, J.T.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Influence of pine forest fragmentation on southeastern fox squirrel occupancy patterns. American Society of Mammalogists Annual Meeting. Jacksonville, Florida
- Sprayberry, T.\*, and **A.J. Edelman**. Den use and activity patterns of *Spilogale putorius* in the Talladega National Forest, Alabama (Poster). American Society of Mammalogists Annual Meeting. Jacksonville, Florida.
- Genz, J. and **A.J. Edelman.** Teaching methods for collaborative learning. UWG Innovations in Pedagogy Conference, Carrollton.
- Cornelison, W.C.\*, A. Kirkland\*, **A.J. Edelman,** T. Sprayberry\*, and M. Rouse\*. Impacts of prescribed fire on small mammal diversity in montane longleaf (**Second place poster award**). UWG Big Night.
- 2015 Kirkland, A.\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, **A.J. Edelman,** T. Sprayberry\*, and M. Rouse\*. Mesocarnivore activity patterns in Talladega National Forest (Poster). UWG Big Night.
- 2015 **Edelman, A.J.** Response of small mammals to fire-based restoration of montane longleaf pine. Alabama Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Guntersville.
- J. Stober, J. Johnson, and **A.J. Edelman**. Bat communities and prescribed fire management in the Talladega National Forest (Poster). Alabama Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Guntersville.
- 2015 Cornelison, W.C.\*, A. Kirkland\*, **A.J. Edelman,** T. Sprayberry\*, and M. Rouse\*. Impacts of prescribed fire on small mammal diversity in montane longleaf (Poster). Alabama Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Guntersville.
- 2015 Kirkland, A.\*, W.C. Cornelison\*, **A.J. Edelman,** T. Sprayberry\*, and M. Rouse\*. Mesocarnivore activity patterns in Talladega National Forest (Poster). Alabama Wildlife Society Annual Meeting, Guntersville.

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