# BENJAMIN B. PARROTT, Ph.D.

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Ecotoxicology; ecological developmental biology; environmental health; reproductive health; biological aging; mechanisms of life history evolution

#### **EDUCATION & TRAINING**

## Medical University of South Carolina & Hollings Marine Laboratory, Charleston, SC, 2011-2015

Postdoctoral Fellowship

Advisor: Dr. Louis J. Guillette, Jr.

# University of Georgia, Athens, GA, 2011

Ph.D., Cellular Biology Advisor: Dr. Cordula Schulz

# University of North Carolina-Wilmington, Wilmington, NC, 2005

B.S., Biology, Cum Laude, Departmental Honors

# Cape Fear Community College, Wilmington, NC, 2003

Associate in science

# **RESEARCH & PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS**

| Associate Professor: Savannah River Ecology Laboratory & the Eugene P. Odum School of       |
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| Ecology   |
| Member: Interdisciplinary Toxicology Program, University of Georgia                         |
| Assistant Professor: Jointly appointed at the Savannah River Ecology Laboratory & the       |
| Eugene P. Odum School of Ecology, University of Georgia                                     |
| Adjunct Assistant Professor: Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical University of |
| South Carolina  |
| Associate Member: College of Graduate Studies, Medical University of South Carolina         |
| Member: Developmental Biology Alliance, University of Georgia                               |
| Member: IUCN-SSC Crocodile Specialist Group   |
| Adjunct Assistant Professor: Department of Public Health Sciences, Medical University of    |
| South Carolina  |
| Assistant Professor: Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Marine Biomedicine and        |
| Environmental Sciences Program, Medical University of South Carolina and Hollings Marine    |
| Laboratory  |
| Postdoctoral Scholar: Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Marine Biomedicine and       |
| Environmental Sciences Program, Medical University of South Carolina and Hollings Marine    |
| Laboratory  |
| Research Advisor: Dr. Louis J. Guillette  |
| Research Focus: Environmental influences on reproduction and reproductive                   |
| health in humans and wildlife sentinels   |
| Research Assistant: Department of Cellular Biology, University of Georgia                   |
| Research Advisor: Dr. Cordula Schulz  |
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Research Focus: Utilized the genetically tractable *Drosophila* model to uncover fundamental pathways that regulate the *in vivo* behavior of adult stem cells. Dissertation Title: Genetic and Environmental Regulation of Adult Stem Cell Division

2005-2008 Teaching Assistant: Department of Cellular Biology and the Department of Biological

Sciences, University of Georgia

#### **TEACHING & MENTORING**

# Mentorship of Postdoctoral Scholars:

2021-2023Steven Gardner, PhD2023-PresentSamantha Bock, PhD2023Anthony Breitenbach, PhD2023-PresentMegan Deeter, PhD

## Mentorship of Graduate Students:

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| 2022-Present            | Abigail Bickle, PhD, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                                 |
| 2021-Present            | Ethan Shealy, PhD, Interdisciplinary Toxicology Program, UGA                     |
| 2021-Present            | Elise Webb, MS, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                                      |
| 2020-2023               | Laura Kojima, MS, CESD program, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                      |
| 2020-Present            | Chris Smaga, PhD, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                                    |
| 2020-2022               | Josiah Johnson, MS, CESD program, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                    |
| 2018-2022               | Kristen Zemaitis, MS, Odum School of Ecology, UGA, Co-advised with Dr. Jeb Byers |
| 2017-2022               | Emily Bertucci, PhD, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                                 |
| 2017-2023               | Samantha Bock, PhD, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                                  |
| 2016- 2019              | Josh Zajdel, MS, Odum School of Ecology, UGA Co-advised with Dr. Stacey Lance    |
| 2013- 2019              | Matthew Hale, PhD, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                                   |
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## Committee Service:

| Current | Gabriela Martins, Dept. of Poultry Sciences, UGA                                   |
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| Current | Olivia Delgado, Dept. of Foods and Nutrition, UGA                                  |
| 2020    | Cara Love, Doctoral, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                                   |
| 2021    | Natalia Gelvez, PhD, Dept. of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, UGA              |
| 2020    | Jarad Cochran, MS, Dept. of Soil and Crop Sciences, UGA                            |
| 2020    | Marty Brown, MS, Warnell School of Forestry & Natural Resources, UGA               |
| 2020    | Ashley LaVere, MS, Odum School of Ecology, UGA                                     |
| 2017    | Alexis Temkin, PhD, Marine Biomedicine and Environmental Sciences Program, Medical |
|         | University of South Carolina   |
| 2016    | Jessica Tipton, MS, College of Charleston  |

# Mentorship of Undergraduate Students:

| 2022-Present | Kira Buford, Benedict College, SC. Intern funded through NSF                    |
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| 2022-Present | Victoria Pagano, University of Georgia, GA. Intern funded through NSF           |
| 2019-2021    | Junsoo Bae, Augusta University, GA. Intern funded through NSF                   |
| 2019-2020    | Jameel Moore, Benedict College,SC. Intern funded through NSF                    |
| 2017         | Collin Topolski, Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, FL. NSF REU Program      |
| 2013         | Eric Benson, The Citadel, SC. MUSC Summer Undergraduate Research Program        |
| 2012         | Matthew Hale, Maryville College, TN. MUSC Summer Undergraduate Research Program |
| 2012         | Aposia Singleton, Morris College, SC. NSF REU Program                           |
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# Awards & Recognitions to mentored graduate and undergraduate students:

NSF GRFP (2021, Kojima), Raymond Huey Award for Best Student Poster at SICB (2021, Moore), Rebecca Reyburn Sharitz and Carl Byrne Hatfield Fellowship (2020, Bertucci), Mary Erlanger Graduate Fellowship (Bertucci, 2019), Georgia Museum of Natural History Joshua Laerm Academic Support Award (2019, Bock), NSF GRFP Honorable Mention (2018, Bertucci), IUCN Crocodile Specialist Group Student Research Assistance Scheme

(2019, Bock), UGA Graduate School Research Assistantship (2017-2022, Bock), Best Student Poster at IUCN's Crocodilian Specialist Group Meeting (2022, Kojima)

| Teaching:  |  |
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| 2019       | Co-Instructor, ECOL 8140 (2 credit hr) — Professional Development in Ecological Careers, a                       |
|            | course providing exposure to various careers in and outside of academia and guidance to graduate                 |
|            | students preparing materials needed to apply for post-graduate opportunities.                                    |
| 2017-2023  | Instructor, ECOL 1000 (3 credit hr) — Ecological Basis for Environmental Issues, an introductory                 |
| (7x)       | course for non-majors at the University of Georgia that aims to provide core ecological concepts                 |
|            | and link them to modern problems in the environmental sciences   |
| 2019, 2021 | <b>Instructor</b> , ECOL 4430/6430 (4 credit hr) — <i>Ecological Developmental Biology &amp; Ecotoxicology</i> , |
| (2x)       | A split-level course designed to introduce concepts of phenotypic plasticity and the developmental               |
|            | origins of health and disease. Traditional lecture-based format culminating in a four-day workshop               |
|            | on lab and field techniques.   |
| 2018       | <b>Instructor</b> , ECOL 8990 (2 credit hr) — Advances in Ecological Research, a seminar course focused          |
|            | on current problems in ecology and professional development offered for graduate students in                     |
|            | residence at the Savannah River Ecology Laboratory.  |
| 2015-2016  | <b>Instructor</b> , MCBP 749 (1 credit hr) — <i>Advanced Topics in Environmental Biology</i> , a graduate        |
| (2x)       | seminar course at the Medical University of South Carolina focused on a critical dissection of                   |
|            | current literature and identifying emerging problems in the field of Environmental Biology.                      |
| 2010       | Co-Instructor for Graduate Teaching Assistant Seminar at UGA   |
| 2005-2009  | Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Georgia:  |
|            | Molecular Lab Techniques (3 Semesters)   |
|            | Human Anatomy & Physiology (3 Semesters)   |

# **Course Development:**

• ECOL 4430/6430 Ecological Developmental Biology & Ecotoxicology

Cellular Biology (1 Semester)

- FORS(ECOL) 8140 Professional Development in the Ecological Sciences
- ECOL 8990/FORS 8980 Advances in Ecological Research (SREL)

# **Guest Lectures:**

| 2023                | "Environmental Health Through and Ecological Lens" — Translational Science (CPTS501),         |
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|                     | graduate course at Emory University   |
| <b>2019-22</b> (5x) | "Environmental Developmental Biology: Causes and Consequences" — Developmental Biology,       |
|                     | undergraduate course at UGA   |
| 2018                | "Endocrine Disruptors and Emerging Contaminants" — Fundamentals of Ecotoxicology (FISH        |
|                     | 8350), Graduate course at UGA   |
| 2018                | "Alligators inside out" — Swamp Ecology (BIOL 598), undergraduate course at the University of |
|                     | South Carolina-Aiken  |
| 2014                | "Environmental Epigenetics"— Genome Biology, graduate level course at the College of          |
|                     | Charleston, SC.   |
| 2014                | "The Biology of the Epigenome: a Primer" — Molecular Biology, undergraduate course at the     |
|                     | College of Charleston, SC.  |
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## **GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS**

#### Pending:

"Systems genetics of GDF11 and its effects on cardiac health and aging" (\$3,516,888) NIH National Institute on Aging (Co-I with Dr. Robert Pazdro [PI])

"Collaborative Research: Paternal programming of offspring stress responsiveness in birds" (\$1,177,255) National Science Foundation (Co-PI with Drs. Kristen Navara [PI], Andrew Benson [Co-PI], Alex Bentz [Co-PI], Luca Fornelli [Co-PI], Nagib Ahsan [Co-PI])

"Collaborative Research: Impacts of developmentally plastic responses to changing thermal environments on population structure" (\$986,110) National Science Foundation; Organismal Responses to Climate Change (Co-PI with Drs. John Drake [Co-PI] and Thomas Rainwater [Co-PI])

| <u>Awarded:</u> |   |
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| 2022-2023       | "Assessing mechanisms of copper toxicity in aquatic organisms" (\$68,000) National Nuclear Security       |
|                 | Administration (Co-PI with Dr. Olin Rhodes [PI])  |
| 2022-2023       | "Integrating environment-by-epigenome interactions into a tractable model of epigenetic aging"            |
|                 | (\$273,430) NIH National Institute on Aging R56AG078336-01 (PI)   |
| 2022-2024       | "Non-lethal tools to estimate the ages and lifespans of Chondrichthyan fishes" (\$299,439; \$182,243 to   |
|                 | UGA) National Science Foundation DEB 2232270 (Co-PI with Dr. Gavin Naylor, University of                  |
|                 | Florida)  |
| 2021-2024       | "Initial characterization of per- and poly-fluoroalkyl substances on the Savannah River Site" (\$238,164) |
|                 | Department of Energy Cooperative Agreement (Co-PI with Dr Olin Rhodes [PI] and Dr. Xiaoyu Xu              |
|                 | [Co-PI])  |
| 2021-2022       | "Assessing mechanisms of copper toxicity in aquatic organisms" (\$68,000) National Nuclear Security       |
|                 | Administration (Co-PI with Dr. Olin Rhodes [PI])  |
| 2021-2023       | "Molecular level biodosimetry for national security: Proteomic, glycomic, epigenetic, and metabolic       |
|                 | approaches for quantitative assessment of low dose radiation exposure" (\$146,250) UGA Presidential       |
|                 | Interdisciplinary Seed Grant Program (Co-PI with Co-PIs Drs. Franklin Leach, Gene Rhodes,                 |
|                 | Michael Tiemeyer, and Lance Wells)  |
| 2020-2023       | "Environmental and ecological determinants of epigenetic aging" (\$853,295) National Science              |
|                 | Foundation IOS 2026210 (PI with Co-PI Dr. Kristen Navara, UGA)  |
| 2020-2022       | "Sex ratios and frequency of sex reversal as indicators of population health in amphibian species         |
|                 | inhabiting the Savannah River Site, South Carolina" (\$151,232) Savannah River Nuclear Solutions,         |
|                 | Area Completion Projects (Co-PI with Dr. Stacey Lance and David Scott, UGA)                               |
| 2019-2020       | "Assessing effects of copper exposure in a fish model" (\$68,000) National Nuclear Security               |
|                 | Administration (Co-PI with Dr. Olin Rhodes [PI])  |
| 2020-2022       | "Public consumption risk and alligator mediated transport of contaminants: Assessing muscle               |
|                 | contaminant levels and movement of alligators on and off the Savannah River Site" (\$157,396)             |
|                 | Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, Area Completion Projects (Co-PI with Dr. Tracey Tuberville,             |
| 2019-2020       | UGA) "Forest Health Metrics: DNA methylation age predictors in Loblolly pine" (\$19,098) United States    |
| 2019-2020       | Department of Agriculture Forest Service (PI)   |
| 2019            | "Developing open-source materials for high-enrollment courses" (\$4,800) Affordable Learning              |
| 2017            | Georgia Program (Co-PI with Drs. Jasmine Forde [PI] and Amanda Rugenski [Co-PI])                          |
| 2018-2019       | "H-02 Constructed wetland studies—Assessing effects of copper exposure in model fish and insect           |
| 2010 2017       | species" (\$60,000) National Nuclear Security Administration (Co-PI with Drs. Olin Rhodes [PI] and        |
|                 | Guha Dharmarajan [Co-PI])   |
| 2018-2023       | "Adaptive and disruptive epigenome-by-environment dynamics: molecular mechanisms to ecological            |
|                 | impacts" (\$571,839) National Science Foundation IOS 1754903 (PI)   |
| 2017-2019       | "Genetic variation and population structure in coastal and inland populations of Alligator                |
|                 | mississippiensis in South Carolina" (\$74,020) The Yawkey Foundation (Co-PI with Dr. Stacey Lance)        |
| 2017-2018       | "Assessing modern day health risks stemming from historical dioxin contamination" (\$12,200) South        |
|                 | Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (Co-PI with Matthew Hale)                         |
| 2016-2017       | "Lipidomic profile and contaminants associated with pansteatitis in South Africa" (\$19, 475) Center for  |
|                 | Global Health, Medical University of South Carolina (Co-I with Dr. John Bowden)                           |
| 2015-2017       | "Ecotoxicology of the American alligator" (\$10,000) Kiawah Conservancy (Co-I with Drs. Louis             |
|                 | Guillette and Thomas Rainwater)   |
| 2014-2015       | "Multiyear mating dynamics and population genetics in a coastal population of <i>Alligator</i>            |
|                 | mississippiensis" (\$15,000) Yawkey Foundation (co-PI with Drs. Louis Guillette, Thomas Rainwater,        |
| 2000 2011       | and Stacey Lance)   |
| 2009-2011       | Predoctoral Fellowship, The American Foundation for Aging Research  |

# **SERVICE**

| 2023 Present 2024 Member, Search Committee, Odum School of Ecology, Assistant Professor in Evolutionary Ecology 2025 Chair, Search Committee, Interdisciplinary Toxicology Program, UGA 2026 Chair, Search Committee, Assistant Professor, SREL and Department of Infectious Disease, Provost's Precision One Health Initiative 2022 Member, Search Committee, Two Assistant Professors in Vector Biology, Savannah River Ecology Laboratory and the Department of Infectious Disease at UGA 2022 Member, Sharitz-Hatfield Fellowship Selection Committee 2020-2021 Member, Odum School of Ecology, Undergraduate Program Committee 2019 Volunteer, SREL's Touch an Animal Day 2019- Present 2019- Volunteer, SREL's Touch an Animal Day 2019- Present 2019- 2022 Member, University Academic Admissions Committee 2018- 2023 Member, SREL Graduate Program Committee 2018- 2020 Member, SREL Graduate Program Committee 2018- 2020 Member, SREL Animal Care Committee 2018- Member, Metals Biogeochemist Search Committee, Savannah River Ecology Laboratory 2017-2018 Member, Integrative Organismal Ecologist Search Committee, Odum School of Ecology 2016-2018 Member, SREL IT Committee 2016-2018 Member, SREL Facilities Committee 2016-2018 Member, SREL Facilities Committee 2016-2016 Board Member, Hollings Marine Laboratory's Science Board 2013-2014 Representative on MUSC's Graduate Science Careers Panel 2013 Postdoc representative on MUSC's Graduate Science Careers Panel 2014-2015 MUSC representative on the Fort Johnson Seminar Series Committee 2019-2011 Departmental Representative, Graduate Student Advisory Board to the Dean of Franklin College of Arts and Sciences, UGA 2009 Invited Panelist, State of the Graduate Student Address, Diversity Initiative 2007-2008 President, Cellular Biology Graduate Student Association  | Department & University: |  |
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| 2022 Member, Search Committee, Interdisciplinary Toxicology Program, UGA 2022 Chair, Search Committee, Assistant Professor, SREL and Department of Infectious Disease, Provost's Precision One Health Initiative 2022 Member, Search Committee, Two Assistant Professors in Vector Biology, Savannah River Ecology Laboratory and the Department of Infectious Disease at UGA 2022 Member, Sharitz-Hatfield Fellowship Selection Committee 2022- Present Member, Odum School of Ecology, Undergraduate Program Committee 2020-2021 Chair, SREL Seminar Committee 2019 Volunteer, SREL's Touch an Animal Day 2019- Present Member, University Academic Admissions Committee 2018- 2022 Member, Odum School of Ecology, Graduate Program Committee 2018- 2023 Member, SREL Graduate Program Committee 2018- 2020 Member, SREL Animal Care Committee 2018- Member, Metals Biogeochemist Search Committee, Savannah River Ecology Laboratory 2017-2018 Member, Integrative Organismal Ecologist Search Committee, Odum School of Ecology 2017- Member, SREL IT Committee 2016-2018 Member, SREL Tr Committee 2016-2018 Member, SREL Facilities Committee 2016-2018 Member, SREL Facilities Committee 2016-2018 Member, SREL Facilities Committee 2017-2016 Board Member, Hollings Marine Laboratory's Science Board 2013, 2014 Representative on MUSC's Graduate Science Careers Panel 2013 Postdoc representative on MUSC's Graduate Science Careers Panel 2014-2015 MUSC representative on the Fort Johnson Seminar Series Committee 2009-2011 Departmental Representative, Graduate Student Advisory Board to the Dean of Franklin College of Arts and Sciences, UGA 2009 Invited Panelist, State of the Graduate Student Address, Diversity Initiative   |                          |  |
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| Provost's Precision One Health Initiative  Member, Search Committee, Two Assistant Professors in Vector Biology, Savannah River Ecology Laboratory and the Department of Infectious Disease at UGA  Member, Sharitz-Hatfield Fellowship Selection Committee  Member, Odum School of Ecology, Undergraduate Program Committee  Chair, SREL Seminar Committee  Volunteer, SREL's Touch an Animal Day  Member, University Academic Admissions Committee  Member, Odum School of Ecology, Graduate Program Committee  Member, SREL Graduate Program Committee  Member, SREL Graduate Program Committee  Member, SREL Animal Care Committee  Member, SREL Animal Care Committee, Savannah River Ecology Laboratory  Member, Integrative Organismal Ecologist Search Committee, Odum School of Ecology  Member, Search Committee, Two Lecturer Positions, Odum School of Ecology  Member, SREL IT Committee  Member, SREL Facilities Committee  Member, SREL Facilit | 2023- Present            | Member, Executive Committee, Interdisciplinary Toxicology Program, UGA                   |
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# Discipline & Field:

| 2023         | Co-Organizer, 5 <sup>th</sup> Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium, Georgetown, SC |
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|              | (85 participants across the U.S.)  |
| 2023         | Ad Hoc Reviewer, IOS NSF   |
| 2023         | Participant, National Academies Institute for Laboratory Animal Research Committee, NSF            |
|              | listening session, Amphibians and Reptiles.  |
| 2023         | Ad Hoc Reviewer, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG, German Research Foundation)                 |
| 2023         | Chair, Session on Epigenetics, Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology Meeting,            |
|              | Austin, TX   |
| 2022         | Ad Hoc Reviewer, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG, German Research Foundation)                 |
| 2022         | Co-Organizer, 4 <sup>th</sup> Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium, Georgetown, SC |
| 2021-Present | Member, Department of Energy PFAS Working Group  |
| 2016-Present | Member, International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)- Species Survival                    |
|              | Commission, Crocodilian Specialist Group   |
| 2021         | Ad Hoc Reviewer, IOS NSF (x2)  |
| 2020         | Panelist, NSF (December)   |
| 2020         | Ad Hoc Reviewer, Natural Environment Research Council, UKRI  |
| 2020         | Panelist, NSF (February)   |
| 2020, 2019   | Ad Hoc Reviewer, IOS NSF   |
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**Ad Hoc Reviewer:** Environmental Science & Technology, Epigenetics & Chromatin, Biology of Reproduction, Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry, Biology Letters, Developmental Biology, Reproduction, Environmental

Health Perspectives, General and Comparative Endocrinology, Development, Scientific Reports, Genetics, Journal of Toxicology and Environmental Health, PLoS ONE, Journal of Applied Toxicology, Science of the Total Environment, Ecology and Evolution, Environment International, Thermal Biology, Chemosphere, Gene, Aquatic Toxicology, Sexual Development, Molecular Ecology Resources, Genome Biology and Evolution, Environmental Microbiology, Bioessays, Journal of Heredity

## Outreach & Public Facing Presentations (Since 2023):

- 2023 Presentation, Savannah River Site Internship Program
- 2023 Presentation and workshop: Parrott Lab at Augusta Preparatory Day School Science Camp
- 2023 Participant, Savannah River Ecology Lab's Science Saturday

## MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

- Society for Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry
- Society for Developmental Biology
- Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology
- Society for the Study of Reproduction
- North American Society for Comparative Endocrinology

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Graduate students, postdoctoral researchers, and undergraduate students in the Parrott Lab are underlined.

## Works under consideration

- 1. <u>Smaga CR, Bock SL, Johnson JM</u>, Rainwater TR, Singh R, Deem V, Letter A, Brunell A, Parrott BB. The influence of incubation temperature on offspring traits varies across northern and southern populations of the American alligator (*Alligator mississippiensis*). [*In Review*]
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## Chapters in books

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## PRESENTATIONS, POSTERS, WORKSHOPS & INVITED TALKS

#### **Invited Seminars:**

- 1. March 31, 2023. Department of Biological Sciences, Mississippi State University, Starkville, MS
- 2. March 3, 2023. Department of Forestry and Environmental Conservation, Clemson University, Clemson, SC
- 3. September 29, **2022**. Department of Ecology, Evolution, & Organismal Biology, Kennesaw State University, Virtual
- 4. October 21, **2021**. School of Biological Sciences Seminar Series, Weigel Seminar- Graduate Student Organization invited speaker, Illinois State University, Normal, IL
- 5. April 20, 2021. Eugene Odum School of Ecology Seminar Series, Athens, GA
- 6. November 20, 2020. Aging Working Group. University of Georgia, Athens, GA
- 7. February 25, **2020**. Jekyll Island Authority Conservation and Georgia Sea Turtle Center Seminar Series, Jekyll Island, GA
- 8. January 24, **2020**. Department of Biology and Marine Biology Seminar Series, University of North Carolina—Wilmington, Wilmington, NC
- 9. January 14, 2020. Department of Physiological Sciences Seminar Series, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
- 10. August 28, 2019. Interdisciplinary Conservation Seminar Series, University of Georgia, Athens, GA
- 11. April 24, 2019. Department of Cellular Biology Seminar Series, University of Georgia. Athens, GA
- 12. March 29, 2019. Department of Biology Seminar Series, University of South Carolina- Aiken. Aiken, SC
- 13. June 13, 2018. NSF REU Seminar Series, Savannah River Ecology Laboratory. Aiken, SC
- 14. March 21, 2018. Department of Biology Seminar Series, Tennessee Tech University. Cookeville, TN
- 15. December 2, 2016. Sewanee: The University of the South. Sewanee, TN
- 16. November 4, 2013. College of Charleston Department of Biology Seminar Series; Charleston, SC

## **Invited Conference Talks:**

- 1. June 22, 2022. Gordon Conference on Endocrine Disrupting Compounds, Newry, ME, USA
- 2. May 27, 2019. North American Society for Comparative Endocrinology Conference, Gainesville, FL, USA
- 3. June 9, 2017. 18th International Congress of Comparative Endocrinology; Lake Louise, Alberta, Canada
- 4. November 8, 2016. Society for Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry; Orlando, FL, USA
- 5. January 23, 2014. South Carolina Crocodilian Research Workshop; Hollings Marine Laboratory, Charleston, SC
- 6. October 8, **2010**. American Foundation for Aging Research and GlaxoSmithCline Bicentennial Symposium on the Biology of Aging; North Carolina Biotechnology Center, Research Triangle Park, NC, USA

#### Contributed Conference Talks:

Presenting author is underlined.

- 1. <u>Bock SL</u>, Lyons K, Yang L, Wyffles J, Naylor G, Parrott BB. **2024**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology. Seattle, WA
- 2. <u>Shealy EP</u>, Reedy A, Schwartz T, Cox R, Parrott BB. **2024**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology. Seattle, WA
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- 4. <u>Parrott BB</u>, Shealy EP, Bock SL, Smaga CR, Bickle AB. **2023.** 5<sup>th</sup> Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium. Georgetown, SC
- 5. <u>Smaga CR</u>, Bock SL, Rainwater TR, Parrott BB. **2023.** 5<sup>th</sup> Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium. Georgetown, SC
- 6. <u>Shealy EP</u>, Reedy AM, Schwartz TS, Cox RM, Parrott BB. **2023**. Southeastern Population Ecology and Evolutionary Genetics Annual Meeting. Pembroke, VA
- 7. <u>Shealy EP</u>, Parrott BB. **2023**. South Carolina Partners for Amphibian and Reptile Conservation Annual Meeting. Florence, SC
- 8. <u>Bickle AB</u>, Mason MW, Parrott BB. **2023**. Southeastern Population Ecology and Evolutionary Genetics Annual Meeting. Pembroke, VA
- 9. <u>Pagano V</u>, Parrott BB. **2023**. Center for Undergraduate Research Opportunities (CURO) Symposium. Athens, GA
- 10. Parrott BB, Bertucci EM. 2023. Society of Integrative and Comparative Biology. Austin, TX
- 11. <u>Bock SL</u>, Loera Y, Johnson JM, Smaga CR, Bae J, Haskins DL, Tuberville T, Singh R, Rainwater TR, Wilkinson PM, Parrott BB. **2023**. Society of Integrative and Comparative Biology. Austin, TX
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- 14. <u>Johnson JM</u>, Bock SL, Smaga CR, Parrott BB. **2022**. Joint Meeting of Ichthyologists and Herpetologists. Spokane, WA
- 15. Parrott BB. 2022. IUCN Crocodilian Specialist Group Meeting. Chetumal, Mexico
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- 20. Kojima LV, Tuberville T, Parrott BB. 2021. Southeastern Partners in Reptile and Amphibian Conservation
- 21. <u>Bertucci EM</u>, Bock SL, Bae J, Wilkinson PM, Bowden JA, PhamTuan H, Moore J, Hale MD, Rainwater TR, Koal T, Parrott BB. **2021**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology Annual Meeting, Virtual
- 22. <u>Smaga CR</u>, Hale MD, Bock SL, Parrott BB. **2021**. Odum School of Ecology Graduate Student Symposium, Athens, GA
- 23. Kojima LV, Tuberville T, Parrot BB. **2020**. South Carolina Partners for Amphibian and Reptile Conservation, Virtual
- 24. Bock SL, Parrott BB. 2020. Odum School of Ecology Graduate Student Symposium, Athens, GA
- 25. Bertucci EM, Parrott BB. 2020. Odum School of Ecology Graduate Student Symposium, Athens, GA
- 26. <u>Bock SL</u>, Lowers RH, Rainwater TR, Hale MD, Leri FM, Parrott BB. **2020**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology Annual Meeting. Austin, TX
- 27. Bertucci EM, Parrott BB. 2020. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology Annual Meeting, Austin, TX
- 28. Hale MD, Parrott BB. 2019. Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium. Georgetown, SC

- 29. <u>Bock SL</u>, Lowers RH, Rainwater TR, Stolen E, Drake JM, Wilkinson PM, Weiss S, Guillette LJ, Parrott BB. **2019**. Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium. Georgetown, SC
- 30. <u>Bock SL</u>, Lowers RH, Rainwater TR, Stolen E, Drake JM, Wilkinson PM, Weiss S, Guillette LJ, Parrott BB. **2019**. Odum School of Ecology Graduate Student Symposium. Athens, GA
- 31. Bertucci EM, Parrott BB. 2019. Odum School of Ecology Graduate Student Symposium, Athens, GA
- 32. <u>Bock SL</u>, Lowers RH, Rainwater TR, Hale MD, Parrott BB. **2019**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology Annual Meeting. Tampa, FL
- 33. <u>Hale MD</u>, McCoy JA, Doheny BM, Galligan TM, Parrott BB. **2019**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology Annual Meeting. Tampa, FL
- 34. Bock SL, Parrott BB. 2018. Odum School of Ecology Graduate Student Symposium. Athens, GA
- 35. Hale MD, Galligan T, Parrott BB. 2018. Odum School of Ecology Graduate Student Symposium. Athens, GA
- 36. <u>Topolski CR</u>, Mason MW, Bertucci EM, Rhodes OE, Parrott BB. **2017**. Savannah River Ecology Laboratory NSF REU Symposium. Savannah River Ecology Laboratory, Aiken, SC
- 37. <u>Hale MD\*</u>, Galligan T, Bangma J, Doheny B, Cloy-McCoy J, Nilsen F, Guillette LJ, Parrott BB. **2017**. Southeast Regional Society for Developmental Biology Meeting; Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA \*Was awarded best graduate student oral presentation.
- 38. <u>Hale MD</u>, Galligan T, Bangma J, Doheny B, Cloy-McCoy J, Nilsen F, Guillette LJ, Parrott BB. **2017**. University of Georgia Integrative Research and Ideas Symposium; Athens, GA
- 39. Parrott BB and Guillette LJ, Jr. 2016. IUCN/SSC Crocodilian Specialist Group; Skukuza, South Africa
- 40. <u>Lance SL</u>, Rainwater TR, Wilkinson PM, Parrott BB. **2016**. IUCN/SSC Crocodilian Specialist Group; Skukuza, South Africa
- 41. Nilsen F, Kassim B, Rainwater TR, Wilkinson PM, Guillette M, Mader K, Carter C, Delaney P, Lowers R, Parrott B, McCoy J, Lange T, Brunell A, Long S, Guillette LJ. **2016**. Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium, Clemson University Baruch Institute of Coastal Ecology and Forest Science, Georgetown, SC,
- 42. <u>Hale MD</u>, Galligan TM, Guillette LJ Jr., Parrott BB. **2016**. Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium, Clemson University Baruch Institute of Coastal Ecology and Forest Science, Georgetown, SC
- 43. <u>Lance S</u>, Parrott B, O'Bryhim J, Rainwater T, Wilkinson P, Guillette LJ. **2016**. Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium, Clemson University Baruch Institute of Coastal Ecology and Forest Science, Georgetown, SC
- 44. <u>Hale MD</u>, Parrott BB, Bowden JA, and Guillette, LJ, Jr. **2012**. Maryville College Natural Sciences Symposium; Maryville, TN
- 45. Parrott BB and Schulz C. 2010. Cellular Biology Annual Retreat; Flinchem's Phoenix, Athens, GA
- 46. <u>Parrott BB</u>, Chiang Y, Hudson A, Sarkar A, Guiche A, Schulz C. **2009**. Southeastern Regional Society for Developmental Biology Annual Conference; University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
- 47. Parrott BB and Shen P. 2007. Drosophila Research Conference; Philadelphia Marriot, Philadelphia, PA
- 48. <u>Parrott BB</u> and Bailey JC. **2005**. Southeastern Ecology and Evolution Conference; University of Georgia, Athens, GA

# **Contributed Poster Presentations:**

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- 1. Bickle AB, Parrott BB. 2024. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology. Seattle, WA
- 2. <u>Kojima LV</u>, Kohl M, Parrott BB, Tuberville TD. **2023**. Gordon Conference on Movement Ecology of Animals. Italy
- 3. <u>Pagano V</u>, Bock SL, Johnson JM, Parrott BB. **2023**. Odum School of Ecology Graduate Student Symposium. Athens, GA
- 4. Shealy EP, Parrott BB. 2023. UGA Interdisciplinary Toxicology Program Workshop. Athens, GA
- 5. Bock SL, Smaga CR, Hale MD, Parrott BB. 2023. Society of Integrative and Comparative Biology. Austin, TX
- 6. <u>Buford-Rucker K.</u> Smaga CR, Paitz R, Parrott BB. **2023**. Society of Integrative and Comparative Biology. Austin, TX

- 7. Kojima LV, Tuberville T, Parrott BB. 2022. IUCN Crocodilian Specialist Group, Chetumal, Mexico.
- 8. Smaga CR, Parrott BB. 2022. Aquatic Models of Human Disease, Woods Hole, MA.
- 9. <u>Bock SL, Smaga CR</u>, McCoy JA, Parrott BB. **2022**. Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium, Georgetown, SC.
- 10. <u>Smaga CR</u>, <u>Bock SL</u>, Deem V, Brunnel A, Rainwater TR, Wilkinson PM, Parrott BB. **2022**. Palmetto Alligator Research and Management Symposium, Georgetown, SC.
- 11. Moore J\*, Bertucci EM, Bock SL, Bae J, Parrott BB. **2021**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology, Virtual. \*Awarded the DEE Best Student Poster Huey Award
- 12. <u>Bae J</u>, Bertucci EM, Moore JA, Bock SL, Rainwater TR, Hale MD, Parrott BB. **2020**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology Annual Meeting. Austin, TX
- 13. <u>Bertucci EM</u>, Parrott BB. **2019**. Nathan Shock Center of Excellence in the Basic Biology of Aging Symposium. Birmingham, AL
- 14. <u>Bock SL</u>, Lowers RH, Rainwater TR, <u>Hale MD</u>, Parrott BB. **2019**. North American Society for Comparative Endocrinology Conference. Gainesville, FL
- 15. <u>Thompson W</u>, Parrott BB, Lance SL. **2019**. Interdisciplinary Toxicology Program Annual Workshop. Athens, GA
- 16. <u>Bertuci EM</u>, Mason MW, Rhodes OE, Parrott BB. **2019**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology Annual Meeting. Tampa, FL
- 17. Wayne, K, Hale MD, Parrott BB, Moore BM. 2018. IUCN/SSC Crocodilian Specialist Group Meeting. Santa Fe, Argentina
- 18. Hale MD and Parrott BB. 2018. Eighth International Symposium on Vertebrate Sex Determination. Kona, HI
- 19. Wayne, K, Hale MD, Parrott BB, Moore BM. **2018**. Scholarship Sewanee 2018. Sewanee: The University of the South, Sewanee TN
- 20. <u>Topolski CR</u>, Mason MW, Bertucci EM, Rhodes OE, Parrott BB. **2017**. University of South Carolina Summer Research Symposium; University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC
- 21. Hale MD, McCoy JA, Parrott BB. 2017. Society for Developmental Biology Conference; Minneapolis, MN
- 22. <u>Hale MD</u>, McCoy JA, Parrott BB. **2017**. 18<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Comparative Endocrinology; Lake Louise, Alberta, Canada
- 23. Zajdel JJ, Lance SL, Rainwater TR, Wilkinson PM, Parrott BB. **2017**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology Annual Conference; New Orleans, LA
- 24. <u>Hale MD</u>, McCoy JA, O'Connell N, Galligan T, Nilsen F, Bangma J, Guillette, L, Parrott BB. **2016**. Society for Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry; Orlando, FL
- 25. <u>Hale MD</u>, McCoy JA, O'Connell N, Galligan T, Nilsen F, Bangma J, Guillette L, Parrott BB. **2016**. Gordon Conference on Environmental Endocrine Disruptors; Newry, ME
- 26. <u>Hale MD</u>, McCoy JA, O'Connell N, Galligan T, Nilsen F, Bangma J, Guillette L, Parrott BB. **2016**. Southeastern Regional Meeting Society of Developmental Biology; Whitney Marine Laboratory, Flagler Beach, Florida
- 27. Nilsen FM, Parrott BB, Bowden JA, Rainwater TR, Guillette M, Wilkinson PM, Lange TR, Brunell AM, Long SE, Guillette LJ. 2015. 36<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society for Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry. Salt Lake City, UT
- 28. <u>Parrott BB</u>, Doheny B, Guillette LJ, Jr. **2015**. Epigenetics in Development, Aging, and Disease; University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC
- 29. <u>Hale MD</u>, Parrott BB, Galligan TM, Bowden JA, Guillette LJ Jr. **2015**. Epigenetics in Development, Aging, and Disease; University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC
- 30. <u>Parrott BB</u>, Doheny B, Guillette LJ, Jr. **2015**. Southeast Regional Meeting, Society for Developmental Biology; Clemson University, Clemson, SC \*Best PostDoc Poster, Travel Award to national SDB meeting.
- 31. <u>Cloy-McCoy JA</u>, Parrott BB, Guillette LJ, Jr. **2014**. MUSC Biomedicine and Environmental Science Research Day; Charleston, SC
- 32. <u>Hale MD</u>, Parrott BB, Galligan TM, Guillette LJ. **2014**. MUSC Biomedicine and Environmental Science Research Day; Charleston, SC
- 33. <u>Parrott BB</u>, Kohno S, Cloy-McCoy JA, Guillette LJ, Jr. **2014**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology; Hilton Austin, Austin, TX

- 34. <u>Cloy-McCoy JA</u>, Parrott BB, Guillette LJ, Jr. **2014**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology; Hilton Austin, Austin, TX
- 35. <u>Parrott BB</u>, Hudson A, Schulz C. **2012**. Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology; Charleston Area Convention Center, Charleston SC
- 36. <u>Parrott BB</u>, Hudson A, Brady R, Schulz C. **2011**. Drosophila Research Conference; Town and Country Resort, San Diego, CA
- 37. <u>Parrott BB</u> and Schulz C. **2010**. Southeastern Regional Society for Developmental Biology Annual Conference; University of Georgia, Athens, GA