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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Ph.D. in Ecology, University of Leeds, U.K.	2004
M.Sc. in Biodiversity and Conservation, University of Leeds, U.K.	1998
B.Sc. hons in Zoology, University of Leeds, U.K.	1997

YEAR OF APPOINTMENT TO THE UNIVERSITY AND RANK

2019	Associate Professor of Wildlife Ecology, Dept of Environmental Sciences, Texas Christian University
2014	Assistant Professor of Wildlife Ecology, SGEE, Texas Christian University
2013	Acting Assistant Professor of Professional Practice, SGEE, Texas Christian University
2011	Postdoctoral Research Associate, Department of Biology, Texas Christian University

PREVIOUS TEACHING AND RESEARCH APPOINTMENTS

2009-2011	Postdoctoral Research Associate, Department of Forest Ecosystems and Society, Oregon State University
2007-2009	Postdoctoral Research Associate, Department of Forestry, Purdue University

TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES

School of Geology, Energy and the Environment

ENSC 60011: Literacy of Science Review (Seminar)	2016-present
ENSC 60021: Oral Examination	2016-present
ENSC/ART 40553/60553: Zoo Enrichment (Lecture with integrated lab) (http://newsevents.tcu.edu/stories/tcu-brings-art-and-science-together-to-benefit-fort-worth-zoo/)	2015-present
ENSC 50693: Natural Resources Compliance (Lecture)	2015-present
ENSC 40603, 40611 and 60603: South African Biodiversity and Human Development (Study abroad and global awareness) (http://environment.tcu.edu/research-initiatives/rhino-conservation-in-south-africa/)	2015-present
ENSC/BIOLOG 40173 and 60173: Mammalogy (Lecture with integrated lab)	2015-present

ENSC 40790 and 70790: Sp Problems Applied Research in Wildlife Ecology (Directed study)	2014-present
ENSC 30453: Wildlife Research Project (Writing emphasis)	2014-present
ENSC 50551: Anthropogenic Disturbance of Wildlife (Seminar)	2014-present
ENSC/BIOL 40235 and 60253 Wildlife Ecology and Management (Lecture with integrated lab)	2014-present
ENSC 60001: Environmental Presentations (Seminar)	2014-present
ENSC 60203: Environmental Issues (Team Taught Lecture)	2014-present
<u>Guest Lecturer in:</u>	
HARE 30403 Perspectives in Human-Animal Relationships	2017-present
ENTM 40803 Advanced Readings in Energy	2017
ENSC 10514 Special Problems: Biodiversity and Conservation	2014
Department of Biology, Texas Christian University	
BIOL 40021/60011 Introduction to Biological Research	2012-2013
Department of Forestry and Natural Resources, Purdue University	
FNR 37000 Natural Resources Summer Practicum	2008-2013
<u>Guest Lecturer in:</u>	
FNR 44700 Vertebrate Population Dynamics	2007-2009
FNR 24200 Mammals	2007-2009
Department of Biology, University of Leeds	
African Ecology (MSc level)	2000-2002
<u>Graduate Teaching Assistant:</u>	
Population Dynamics (BSc level)	1998-2002
Wildlife Ecology Field Project (BSc level)	1998-1999

EXTERNAL SUPPORT**a. Received****(\$1,997,490 received while at TCU)**

U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy: Wind Energy-Bat impact minimization technologies and field testing opportunities – a miniature radio-frequency transmitter for environmental permitting and mitigation of wind energy. Subcontracted by Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (\$58,000)	2019
Department of Energy, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy: Wind Energy-Bat impact minimization technologies and field testing opportunities – Texturizing wind turbine towers to reduce bat mortality. CoPI (\$249,076)	2015-2017
Department of Energy, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy: Wind Energy-Bat impact minimization technologies and field testing opportunities – Testing Ultrasonic Bat Deterrent Technology. Sub-award from General Electric and CoPI (\$174,382)	2015-2017

TCU – NextEra Energy Wind Research Initiative (2014-2016) Development and testing of a practical deterrent to minimize bat fatalities at wind turbines. Co-PI (\$195,000)	2014-2016
TCU – NextEra Energy Wind Research Initiative (2013-2015), Co-PI (\$1,321,032)	2013-2015
Prior Support	(\$67,659 received prior to TCU)
Indiana Academy of Science Senior Research Grant, Research Award (\$2,730)	2012-2013
Illinois-Indiana Sea Grant – Research Award (\$10,000)	2010
The National Geographic Waitt Grant – Research Award (\$14,879)	2010-2011
Oregon Zoo: Future for Wildlife Grant Program Cooper – Research Award (\$4,245)	2010 2010
Oregon State University’s General Research Fund – Research Award (\$9,991)	2010
Indiana Department of Natural Resources – Research Award (\$13,000)	2009
Massive Software Ltd, New Zealand – In-kind contribution (\$10,000)	2009
Indiana Academy of Science Senior Research Grant, Research Award (\$2,814)	

PRESENTATION OF SCHOLARY AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

Refereed Publications

- Huzzen, BE, AM Hale, **VJ Bennett**. 2020. An effective survey method for studying volant species activity and behavior at tall structures. PeerJ 8:e8438, DOI: 10.7717/peerj.8438
- Nystrom, GS, **VJ Bennett**. 2019. The importance of residential swimming pools as an urban water source for bats. Journal of Mammalogy, 100:394-400, DOI: 10.1093/jmammal/gyz020
- Bennett, VJ, AM Hale. 2018. Resource availability may not be a useful predictor of migratory bat fatalities or activity at wind turbines. Diversity 10:44, DOI:10.3390/d10020044 . (Invited; Special Issue: Diversity and conservation of bats)
- Korstian, J, M Chumchal, **VJ Bennett**, AM Hale. 2018. Mercury contamination in bats from the central United States. Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry 37: 160-165.
- Foo, CF, **VJ Bennett**, AM Hale, JM Korstian, AJ Schildt, DA Williams. 2017. Increasing evidence that bats actively forage at wind turbines, PeerJ 5:e3985, DOI:10.7717/peerj.3985
- Bennett, VJ**, AM Hale, DA Williams. 2017. When the excrement hits the fan: bat feces collected from wind turbine surfaces reveal species-specific activity. Mammalian Biology 87:125-129.
- Bennett VJ**. 2017. Effects of road density and pattern on the conservation of species and biodiversity. Current Landscape Ecology Reports, 2: 1-11. (Invited; Special topic: Effects of landscape structure on conservation of species and biodiversity)
- Katzner T, **VJ Bennett**, T Miller, A Duerr, M Braham, and AM Hale. 2016. Wind energy development: methods for pre-construction risk assessment for birds and bats. Human-Wildlife Interactions, 10: 42-52. (Invited; Special topic: Wildlife and Wind Energy: Are they compatible?)
- Korstian, JM, AM Hale, **VJ Bennett**, and DA Williams. 2016. Using DNA barcoding to improve bat carcass identification at wind farms in the United States. Conservation Genetics Resources 8: 27-34.
- Korstian JM, AJ Schildt, **VJ Bennett**, DA Williams, and AM Hale. 2015. A method for PCR-based identification of bat species from fecal samples. Conservation Genetics Resources 7:803-806.

- Hale AM, ES Hatchett, JA Meyer, and **VJ Bennett**. 2014. No evidence of displacement in breeding grassland birds. *Condor* 116: 472-482.
- Bennett VJ**, Betts M, Smith WP. 2014. Influence of thermal conditions on habitat use by a rare spring emerging butterfly *Euphydryas editha taylori*. *Journal of Applied Entomology* 138: 623-634.
- Bennett VJ**, KB Karsten, AM Hale, CE Gordon, and BJ Suson. 2014. Effect of wind turbine proximity on nesting success in shrub-nesting birds. *American Midland Naturalist* 172: 317-328.
- Rodriguez-Prieto I, **VJ Bennett**, PA Zollner, E Fernández-Juricic, M List, and M Mycroft. 2014. Simulating the responses of forest bird species to multi-use recreational trails. *Landscape and Urban planning* 127: 164-172.
- Bennett VJ**, and AM Hale. 2014. Red aviation lights on wind turbines do not increase bat-turbine collisions. *Animal Conservation* 17: 354-358.
- Bennett VJ**, SM Pack, M Betts, and WP Smith. 2013. Sex-biased dispersal in a rare butterfly and the implications for its conservation. *Journal of Insect Conservation* 17(5):949-958.
- Korstian JM, AM Hale, **VJ Bennett**, and DA Williams. 2013. Advances in sex determination in bats and its utility in wind-wildlife studies. *Molecular Ecology Resources* 13:776-780.
- Stevens TK, AM Hale, KB Karsten, and **VJ Bennett**. 2013. An analysis of displacement from wind turbines in a wintering grassland bird community. *Biodiversity and Conservation* 22:1755-1767.
- Bennett VJ**, V Quinn, and PA Zollner. 2013. Exploring the implications of recreational disturbance on an endangered butterfly using a novel modelling approach. *Biodiversity and Conservation* 22:1783-1798.
- Hatchett ES, AM Hale, **VJ Bennett**, and KB Karsten. 2013. Wind turbines do not negatively affect nest success in the Dickcissel (*Spiza americana*). *The Auk* 130:520-528.
- Bennett VJ**, DW Sparks, and PA Zollner. 2013. Modeling the indirect effects of road networks on the foraging activities of bats. *Landscape Ecology* 28:979-991.
- Bennett VJ**, and AA Zurcher. 2013. When corridors collide: a study into the road-related disturbance of commuting bats. *Journal of Wildlife Management* 77(1):93-101.
- Bennett VJ**, M Betts, and WP Smith. 2012. Evidence for mate guarding behavior in the Taylor's checkerspot butterfly. *Journal of Insect Behavior* 25:183-196.
- Bennett VJ**, E Fernández-Juricic, PA Zollner, M Beard, L Westphal, and CL LeBlanc. 2011. Modelling the responses of wildlife to human disturbance: An evaluation of alternative management scenarios for black-crowned night-herons. *Ecological Modeling* 222:2770-2779.
- Zurcher AA, DW Sparks, and **VJ Bennett**. 2010. Why did the bat not cross the road? *Acta Chiropterologica* 12(2):337-340.
- Bennett VJ**, M Beard, PA Zollner, E Fernández-Juricic, L Westphal, and CL LeBlanc. 2009. Understanding wildlife responses to human disturbance through simulation modelling: A management tool. *Ecological Complexity – Special Edition* 6:113-134.
- Phillips RA, JRD Silk, JP Croxall, V Afanasyev, and **VJ Bennett**. 2005. Summer distribution and migration of non-breeding albatrosses: individual consistencies and implications for conservation. *Ecology* 86:2386–2396.

Non-refereed Publications

- Williams DA, JM Korstian, **VJ Bennett**, and AM Hale. 2016. Barcoding's role in bat fatality monitoring at wind farms. *Barcode Bulletin* 7(1):2-3.

Bennett VJ, Smith WP, and Betts M. 2011. Toward Understanding the Ecological Impact of Transportation Corridors. Pacific Northwest General Technical Report PNW-GTR-846. USDA Forest Service, Pacific Northwest Research Station, 40p.

Papers Presented at Scholarly Meetings

- Hall, EM, **VJ Bennett**. 2019. Weather-dependent Home Range Expansion by *Nycticeius humeralis* in an Urban Environment. 48th Annual North American Symposium for Bat Research in Kalamazoo, MI.
- Agpalo, EJ, **VJ Bennett**. 2019. Improving urban habitats for bats: what makes a bat-friendly residential swimming pool? 48th Annual North American Symposium for Bat Research in Kalamazoo, MI.
- Lindsey, CT, AM Hale, **VJ Bennett**, KW Kinzie. 2018. Assessing changes in bat activity in response to an acoustic deterrent – implications for decreasing bat fatalities at wind energy facilities. 12th NWCC Wind Wildlife Research Meeting, St. Paul, MN.
- Hale, AM, **VJ Bennett**, CR Bienz, BC Cooper, BE Huzzen, AM McAlexander. 2018. Could the smooth surfaces of tower monopoles be a contributing factor to bat fatalities at wind turbines? 12th NWCC Wind Wildlife Research Meeting, St. Paul, MN.
- Smith, K, **VJ Bennett**. 2018. Assessing the potential impacts of radio transmitters on bat flight in a controlled environment, 47th Annual North American Symposium for Bat Research in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico.
- Huzzen, BE, **VJ Bennett**, AM Hale. 2018. Does a textured coating alter bat activity at wind turbine towers? 98th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mammalogists, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas.
- Korstian, J, M Chumchal, **V Bennett**, A Hale. 2017. Mercury contamination in bats from the central United States, 13th International Conference on Mercury as a Global Pollutant (ICMGP), Providence.
- Hale, AM, **VJ Bennett**, CR Bienz, RS Conley, BG Cooper, AM McAlexander. 2017. Could the smooth surfaces of tower monopoles be a contributing factor to bat fatalities at wind turbines? Conference on Wind Energy and Wildlife Impacts, Estoril, Portugal.
- Foo, CF, **VJ Bennett**, AM Hale, AJ Schildt, DA Williams. 2017. Wind turbines provide foraging opportunities for bats in the southern Great Plain, U.S., Conference on Wind Energy and Wildlife Impacts, Estoril, Portugal.
- Bennett, VJ**, CT Lindsey, BC Cooper, C Granthon, AM Hale. 2017. Bat behavior in response to ultrasonic signals: implications for reducing mortality at wind turbines, 97th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mammalogists, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.
- Foo, CF, **VJ Bennett**, AM Hale, DA Williams. 2017. Are tree bats actively foraging at wind turbines in the southern Great Plains? 97th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mammalogists, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.
- AM Hale, **VJ Bennett**, Lindsey, CT. 2017. Assessing changes in bat activity in response to an acoustic deterrent – implications for decreasing bat fatalities at wind facilities. 24th Annual Conference of the Wildlife Society, Albuquerque, NM.
- Nystrom, G, **VJ Bennett**. 2017. The importance of residential swimming pools as an urban water source for bats. 97th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mammalogists, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.
- Hale, AM, **VJ Bennett**. 2017. Bat behavior at wind turbines and impact reduction strategies, Ecological Society of America, Portland, Oregon.

- Bennett, VJ**, CT Lindsey, BC Cooper, C Granthon, AM Hale. 2017. Bat behavior in response to ultrasonic signals: implications for reducing mortality at wind turbines, 47th Annual North American Symposium for Bat Research in Knoxville, Tennessee.
- Slattery, MC, **VJ Bennett**, and AM Hale. 2016. Utility-scale wind energy projects: managing public perception and environmental risk, 35th International Geographical Congress, Cape Town, South Africa.
- Foo, C, **VJ Bennett**, DA Williams, and AM Hale. 2016. Are tree bats actively foraging at wind turbines in the southern Great Plains?, 96th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mammalogists, Minneapolis, MN.
- Bienz, CR, **VJ Bennett** and AM Hale. 2016. Surface texture discrimination by bats: implications for reducing mortality at wind turbines, 96th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mammalogists, Minneapolis, MN.
- Bienz, CR, **VJ Bennett** and AM Hale. 2015. Surface texture discrimination by bats: implications for reducing mortality at wind turbines, 45th Annual North American Bat Research Symposium in Monterey, CA.
- Bennett VJ**, and AM Hale. 2015. Handbook for the recently deceased: Long-term bat fatality monitoring at a wind facility in Texas, AWEA Wind Project Siting Seminar, Austin, TX.
- Bennett VJ**. 2015. The value of individual-based models (IBM) to study wildlife responses to anthropogenic disturbance, Invited seminar for 75th Midwest Fish and Wildlife Conference. Indianapolis, IN.
- Johnson, ME, D Broman, J Golla, J Young, R Heilbrum, B Johnson, M Mills, **V Bennett**, and T Blankenship, 2015, Food habitat of bobcats in the Dallas Fort Worth Metroplex, International Urban Wildlife Conference, Chicago, IL.
- Bennett VJ**, AM Hale, AJ Schildt and DA Williams. 2014. Evidence that bats utilize wind turbines as a foraging resource, The National Wind Coordinating Collaborative Wind Wildlife Research Meeting X, Bloomfield, CO.
- Bennett VJ**, AM Hale, AJ Schildt, AM McAlexander, BG Cooper and DA Williams. 2014. Exploring potential hypotheses behind bat-wind turbine collisions, The National Wind Coordinating Collaborative Wind Wildlife Research Meeting X, Bloomfield, CO.
- Hale AM and **VJ Bennett**. 2014. Investigating the benefits of fine-tuning curtailment strategies at operational wind facilities, The National Wind Coordinating Collaborative Wind Wildlife Research Meeting X, Bloomfield, CO.
- Korstian J, AJ Schildt, **VJ Bennett**, DA Williams and AM Hale. 2014. A Method for PCR-based Identification of Species from Bat Fecal Samples, 44th Annual Symposium on Bat Research. Albany, NY.
- Hale AM and **VJ Bennett**. 2014. Investigating the Benefits of Fine-tuning Curtailment Strategies at Operational Wind Facilities, 44th Annual Symposium on Bat Research. Albany, NY.
- Bennett VJ**, AM Hale, AJ Schildt, AM McAlexander, BG Cooper and DA Williams. 2014. Exploring Potential Hypotheses Behind Bat-wind Turbine Collisions, 44th Annual meeting for the North American Bat Research Symposium, Albany, NY.
- Hale AM, ES Hatchett, TK Stevens, JA Meyer, TG Rubenstahl, KB Karsten and **VJ Bennett**. 2014. Limited evidence of indirect effects of wind turbines on grassland songbirds. Symposium for Avian Interactions with Energy Infrastructure. The American Ornithologists' Union 132nd Annual meeting and joint meeting with the Cooper Ornithological Society and the Society of Canadian Ornithologist. Estes Park, CO.

- Bennett VJ**, AM Hale, AJ Schildt and DA Williams. 2014. Evidence that bats utilize wind turbines as a foraging resource. The American Society of Mammalogists 94th Annual Meeting. Oklahoma City, OK.
- Mills MA, R Denkhous, MC Slattery, **VJ Bennett** and JK Young. 2014. Monitoring urban bobcats (*Lynx rufus*) in Fort Worth/Dallas area, Texas. The American Society of Mammalogists 94th Annual Meeting. Oklahoma City, OK.
- Slattery M, AM Hale and **VJ Bennett**. 2014. Environmental, social, and economic impacts of utility-scale wind power development. The World Future Energy Summit (WFES). Abu Dhabi, UAE.
- McAlexander AM, AM Hale, **VJ Bennett**, and BG Cooper. 2013. A test of a novel attraction hypothesis – why are bats attracted to wind turbines? The Wildlife Society Annual Conference. Milwaukee, WI.
- Bennett VJ**, and AM Hale. 2013. Site-specific wind turbine curtailment has its advantages. The Wildlife Society Annual Conference. Milwaukee, WI.
- Hale AM, and **VJ Bennett**. 2013. What can we learn from long-term post-construction fatality monitoring at a wind facility? The Wildlife Society Annual Conference. Milwaukee, WI.
- Hale AM, AM McAlexander, **VJ Bennett**, and BG Cooper. 2013. A test of a novel attraction hypothesis: why are bats attracted to wind turbines? 16th International Bat Research Conference & 43rd North American Symposium on Bat Research. San Jose, Costa Rica.
- Bennett VJ**, and AM Hale. 2013. Site-specific wind turbine curtailment has its advantages. 16th International Bat Research Conference & 43rd North American Symposium on Bat Research. San Jose, Costa Rica.
- Hale AM, JM Korstian, **VJ Bennett**, and DA Williams. 2012. Can genetics and stable isotopes be used to gain geographical insights into the seasonal movement patterns and population structure of eastern red bats (*Lasiurus borealis*)? National Wind Coordinating Collaborative Wind Wildlife Research Meeting IX. Denver, CO.
- Bennett VJ**, and AM Hale. 2012. Can resource and activity hotspot mapping predict bat fatalities at wind turbines? National Wind Coordinating Collaborative Wind Wildlife Research Meeting IX. Denver, CO.
- Bennett VJ**, C Sutter, AM Hale, A Costello, and K Heist. 2012. Can bat fatality be predicted from bat acoustic activity within the rotor-swept zone? National Wind Coordinating Collaborative Wind Wildlife Research Meeting IX. Denver, CO.
- Bennett VJ**, C Sutter, AM Hale, A Costello, and K Heist. 2012. Can species-specific acoustic activity be relied upon to predict bat fatality at wind turbines? 42nd North American Symposium on Bat Research. San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- Korstian JM, AM Hale, **VJ Bennett**, and DA Williams. 2012. A genetic method to determine the sex of *Lasiurus* bat carcasses found at wind farms. 42nd North American Symposium on Bat Research. San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- Bennett VJ**, and AM Hale. 2012. The use of resource and activity hotspot mapping to predict bat-wind turbine interactions. The Wildlife Society Annual Meeting. Portland, OR.
- Bennett VJ**, and AM Hale. 2012. The use of resource and activity hotspot mapping to predict bat-wind turbine interactions. American Society of Mammalogists Annual Meeting. Reno, NV.
- Hale AM, KB Karsten, JA Meyer, ES Hatchett, TG Rubenstahl, TK Stevens, and **VJ Bennett**. 2012. Limited indirect effects of wind turbines on resident birds. AWEA WindPower 2012 Conference & Exhibition. Atlanta, GA.

- Bennett VJ**, and Hale AM. 2012. Exploring ways to make wind turbines more bat friendly, both physically and operationally. AWEA WindPower 2012 Conference & Exhibition. Atlanta, GA.
- Zollner PA, I Rodriguez Prieto, **VJ Bennett**, E Fernandez-Juricic, and M Mycroft. 2012. Using an individual based spatially explicit simulation to inform the recreational planning of Fort Harrison State Park. 2012 Joint Meeting of the Indiana American Fisheries Society and Indiana Chapter of the Wildlife Society. Indianapolis, Indiana.
- Hale AM, KB Karsten, and **VJ Bennett**. 2012. Recommendations for fatality monitoring studies at utility-scale wind farms. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. New York, NY.
- Bennett VJ**, AM Hale, and KB Karsten. 2012. Toward an understanding of the effects of wind turbines on bats. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. New York, NY.
- Korstian J, DA Williams, AM Hale, and **VJ Bennett**. 2012. Population genetics of migrating eastern red bats (*Lasiurus borealis*). Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. New York, NY.
- Stevens TK, AM Hale, KB Karsten, and **VJ Bennett**. 2012. The effects of wind energy on over-wintering grassland birds. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. New York, NY.
- Zollner PA, I Rodriguez Prieto, **VJ Bennett**, E Fernandez-Juricic, and M Mycroft. 2011. Using an individual based spatially explicit simulation to inform the recreational planning of Fort Harrison State Park. Sustainability in Dynamic Landscapes, 2011 US-IALE Symposium. Portland, OR.
- Campbell P, M Gryzbek, **VJ Bennett**, and VS Quinn. 2010. Pedestrian foot traffic disturbs ovipositing Karner blue butterflies. 71st Midwest Fish and Wildlife Conference. Minneapolis, MN.
- Bennett VJ**. 2010. Movement and behavior of the Taylor's Checkerspot butterfly: Implications for management. Taylor's Checkerspot Working Group Meeting, Lacey, WA.
- Gryzbek M, P Campbell, **VJ Bennett**, and VS Quinn. 2010. Pedestrian foot traffic disturbs ovipositing Karner blue butterflies. Butler University Undergraduate Research Conference. Indianapolis, IN.
- AA Zurcher, and **VJ Bennett**. 2009. Cars can disturb commuting bats, but to what degree is this influenced by the landscape? 39th Annual Symposium on Bat Research, The North American Society for Bat Research. Portland, OR.
- AA Zurcher, and **VJ Bennett**. 2009. Cars can disturb commuting bats, but to what degree is this influenced by the landscape? Indiana Academy of Science, 125th Annual Conference at Indiana University. Kokomo, IN.
- Campbell P, M Gryzbek, **VJ Bennett**, and VS Quinn. 2009. Pedestrian foot traffic disturbs ovipositing Karner blue butterflies. Indiana Academy of Science, 125th Annual Conference at Indiana University. Kokomo, IN.
- Gryzbek M, P Campbell, **VJ Bennett**, and VS Quinn. 2009. Pedestrian traffic as a disturbance agent in the little wood satyr butterfly. Indiana Academy of Science, 125th Annual Conference at Indiana University. Kokomo, IN.
- Zollner PA, SL Lima, and **VJ Bennett**. 2009. Advances in the behavioral ecology of ecological landscapes. Landscape Ecology in Latin America: Challenges and Perspectives. Latin American IALE conference, Brazil.
- Bennett VJ**, AA Zurcher, DW Sparks, and PA Zollner. 2009. Simulating the impacts of roads on the foraging opportunities of the Indiana Bat (*Myotis sodalists*). American Society of Mammalogists 89th Annual Meeting, University of Alaska. Fairbanks, AK.
- Bennett VJ**, PA Zollner, E Fernandez-Juricic. 2008. Understanding wildlife responses to human disturbance through simulation modeling: A conservation tool. US-IALE – 23rd Annual Landscape Ecology Symposium. Madison, WI.

Bennett VJ, PA Zollner, E Fernandez-Juricic. 2007. Using spatially explicit simulations to investigate the impacts of human disturbance on wildlife. American Society of Mammalogists 87th Annual Meeting, University of New Mexico. Albuquerque, NM.

Bennett VJ, and B Shorrocks. 2001. Modelling the herbivore population dynamics in the Serengeti-Mara ecosystem. British Ecological Society Annual General Meeting, University of Birmingham. Birmingham, UK.

Bennett VJ, and B Shorrocks. 2001. Computer modeling the Serengeti-Mara ecosystem. British Ecological Society Annual General Meeting, University of Warwick. Warwick, UK.

EDITORSHIP, CONSULTANTSHIPS, AND APPLIED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

American Society for Mammalogists Honoraria and Travel Awards 2018-present
Committee member (www.mammalogy.org/committees/honoraria-and-travel-awards#tab1).

Consultant to Tierra Verde Golf Club regarding their Audubon International Biodiversity Certification Application. 2014-2016

Consultant to the field-based testing of a bat sound deterrent for General Electric. 2014

Research Associate for the Botanical Research Institute of Texas (BRIT). 2014-2018

Invited Reviewer - U.S. Department of the Interior and the U.S. Geological Survey, Report series 2014: Draft methodology to assess the national and regional impact of wind energy development on birds and bats. 2014

Consultant on the “Bat Assessment Guidance for Wind Energy Facilities in Nebraska” for the Nebraska Wind Energy and Wildlife Research Unit 2013

Bioblitz:

Parr Park BatBlitz for the Grapevine Parks and Recreation Department 2019

Tandy Hills Natural Area in Fort Worth, Texas 2016

Lewisville Lake Environmental Learning Area 2017,2018

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Bat Box Blitz with Eagle Scout Bat House Building Project 2015-present

Active member of the TCU Rhino Initiative (www.rhino.tcu.edu/) 2014-present

TCU Bat Monitoring Outreach Program (March to November) 2013-present
(sgee.tcu.edu/tcu-bat-monitoring-program/)

MEMBERSHIPS AND SERVICE TO PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

The Wildlife Society (Member since 2011)

Student oral and poster presentation reviewer for the 20th Wildlife Society Annual Conference, Milwaukee, WI, Oct 2013.

American Society for Mammalogists (member since 2007)

Student oral and poster presentation reviewer, and took part in meal with a mammalogist, for the American Society of Mammalogists 98th Annual Meeting. Manhattan, KS. June 2018.

Student oral and poster presentation reviewer, and took part in meal with a mammalogist, for the American Society of Mammalogists 97th Annual Meeting. Moscow, ID. June 2017.

Student oral and poster presentation reviewer, and took part in meal with a mammalogist, for the American Society of Mammalogists 96th Annual Meeting. Minneapolis, MN. June 2016.

Student oral and poster presentation reviewer for the American Society of Mammalogists 94th Annual Meeting. Oklahoma City, OK. June 2014.

National Wind Coordinating Collaborative (Attendee from 2012 to 2014)

Oral and poster presentation abstract reviewer for the National Wind Coordinating Collaborative Wind Wildlife Research Meeting X, Bloomfield, CO. 1-5 Dec 2014

North American Bat Research Symposium (Active attendee since 2009)

Student Oral Presentation Reviewer for Student Oral and Poster Presentation Reviewer for the 47th Annual North American Symposium for Bat Research, Knoxville, TN. Oct 2017.

Student Oral Presentation Reviewer for Student Oral and Poster Presentation Reviewer for the 46th Annual North American Symposium for Bat Research, San Antonio, TX. Oct 2016.

Student Oral Presentation Reviewer for Student Oral and Poster Presentation Reviewer for the 45th Annual North American Symposium for Bat Research, Monterey Bay, CA. Oct 2015.

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