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Appointments

- Yale School of the Environment*
2019– Senior Lecturer and Research Scientist
2014–2019. Lecturer and Research Scientist
2014– Mrs John (Elizabeth W.) Musser Director of the [Tropical Resources Institute](#) at Yale University

The Ohio State University

- 2013–2014. Assistant Professor, Dept. of Evolution, Ecology & Organismal Biology
2011–2013. Senior Research Associate, Dept. of EEOB

National Center for Ecological Analysis & Synthesis

- 2010–2011. Postdoctoral Research Fellow

University of Sheffield, UK

- 2006–2010. Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Dept. of Animal & Plant Sciences

Education

- University of Aberdeen, UK*
2006. Ph.D., Tropical Ecology
Royal Botanic Gardens Edinburgh & University of Edinburgh, UK
2001. M.Sc. w/ Distinction, Biodiversity and Taxonomy of Plants
St Catharine's College, University of Cambridge, UK
2000. B.A. (Hons), Natural Sciences (Plant Sciences)

Publications

Journal articles

* indicates graduate student coauthor; ** undergraduate student coauthor.

In preparation

Hudson, A.J.* Alvia, L.P., Baez, S., Valencia, R., **Queenborough, S.A.** oooo. An ant-mutualism protects against conspecific neighbor density-dependent herbivory. *American Naturalist*.

Curtis, D.* Estrada, S., Comita, L.S., & **Queenborough, S.A.** oooo. Climate drivers of tropical tree dispersal syndrome along a rainfall gradient in Panama. *Biotropica*.

Liu, J.**, Metz, M.R., Valencia, R. & **Queenborough, S.A.** oooo. Herbivory and defense of seedlings in a western Amazonian rain forest. *Ecology*.

Young, K.* Ashton, M.P.S., & **Queenborough, S.A.** oooo. Cacao agroforests are similar in structure to tropical secondary forest in the Mata Atlântica of southern Bahia, Brazil. *Forest Ecology & Management*.

In review

Gurung, B., Mendelsohn, R., & **Queenborough, S.A.** oooo. Economics of tiger conservation: a case of Khata Wildlife Corridor in Nepal. *Oryx*.

Sullivan, M.K.* Biessiemou, P.A.M., Niangadouma, R., Abernethy, K., **Queenborough, S.A.**, & Comita, L.S. oooo. A decade of diversity and forest structure: post-logging patterns across life stages in an Afrotropical forest. *Forest Ecology & Management*.

He, Q.* Zhang, Y., Wang, W., Li, B., Zhao, K., Luo, W., Tang, H., Lin, W., **Queenborough, S.A.**, & Chu, C. oooo. Effects of local abiotic and biotic neighborhoods on the growth of mature and immature individuals of different sex in the subtropical dioecious tree species *Diospyros morrisiana* (Ebenaceae). *American Journal of Botany*.

Queenborough, S.A., Alvia, L.P., & Valencia, R. oooo. Wind dispersal and 1-year survival of *Vataireopsis iglesiasii* (Fabaceae) seedlings in a Neotropical lowland rain forest. *Biotropica*.

Liu, J.**, Anderson, L.** & **Queenborough, S.A.** oooo. Distribution and abundance of trees with extrafloral nectaries across a tropical forest rainfall gradient. *Plant Ecology & Evolution*.

Pak, D., Swamy, V. Alvarez, P., Cornejo, F., **Queenborough, S.A.**, Metz, M.R., Terborgh, J., Valencia, R., Wright, S.J., Garwood, N.C., & Lasky, J.R. oooo. Multi-scale phenological niches in hyperdiverse Amazonian plant communities. *Ecology*.

Published

52. Spicer, M.E., Nair Radhamoni, H.V.* Duguid, M.C., **Queenborough, S.A.**, & Comita, L.S. 2021. The importance of herbaceous plants to forest diversity. *Plant Ecology*, 151, 00–00. doi: 10.1007/s11258-021-01202-9

51. Benitez, L.* & **Queenborough, S.A.** 2021. Fruit trees drive small-scale movement of elephants in forests of Kibale National Park, Uganda. *Biotropica*, 53, 1620–1630. [doi: 10.1111/btp.13010](https://doi.org/10.1111/btp.13010).
50. Penagos Zuluaga, J.C.* van der Werff, H., Park, B.* Eaton, D.A.R., Comita, L.S., **Queenborough, S.A.**, & Donoghue, M.J. 2021. Restriction-site-associated DNA sequencing resolves phylogenetic relationships in the *Ocotea* complex (Lauraceae): Phylogenetic classification and character evolution. *American Journal of Botany*, 131, 344–355. [doi: 10.1093/biolinnean/blaa117](https://doi.org/10.1093/biolinnean/blaa117)
49. Goodsell, R.M.* Spencer, M., Vergnon, R., Coutts, S., **Queenborough, S.A.**, Swinfield, T., Childs, D.Z., Freckleton, R.P. 2021. Developing hierarchical density-structured models to study the national-scale dynamics of an arable weed. *Ecological Monographs*, 91, e01449. [doi: 10.1002/ecm.1449](https://doi.org/10.1002/ecm.1449)
48. Penagos Zuluaga, J.C.* **Queenborough, S.A.**, & Comita, L.S. 2020. Flowering sex ratios and costs of reproduction in gynodioecious *Ocotea oblonga* (Lauraceae). *Biological Journal of the Linnean Society*, 131, 344–355. [doi: 10.1093/biolinnean/blaa117](https://doi.org/10.1093/biolinnean/blaa117)
47. Du, Y., Mao, L., **Queenborough, S.A.**, Primack, R., Comita, L.S., Hampe, A., & Ma, K. 2020. Macro-scale variation and environmental predictors of angiosperm reproductive phenology in the Chinese flora. *Journal of Biogeography*, 47, 2303–2314. [doi: 10.1111/jbi.13938](https://doi.org/10.1111/jbi.13938)
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45. Woodbury, D.J.* Yassir, I., Arbainsyah, Doroski, D.A.* **Queenborough, S.A.**, & Ashton, M.A. 2019. Filling a void: Analysis of early tropical soil and vegetative recovery under leguminous, post-coal mine reforestation plantations in East Kalimantan, Indonesia. *Land Degradation & Development*, 31, 473–487. [doi: 10.1002/lde.3464](https://doi.org/10.1002/lde.3464)
44. DiFiore, B.P.* **Queenborough, S.A.**, Madin, E.M.P., Paul, V.J., Decker, M.B., & Stier, A.C. 2019. Herbivore density, more than predation risk, drives variation in grazing patterns visible from space. *Marine Ecology Progress Series*, 627, 71–81. [doi: 10.3354/meps13074](https://doi.org/10.3354/meps13074)
43. Crawford, K.M., Bauer, J.T., Comita, L.S., Eppinga, M.B., Johnson, D.J., Mangan, S.A., **Queenborough, S.A.**, Strand, A.E., Suding, K.N., Umbanhowar, J.,

- & Bever, J.D. 2019. When and where plant-soil feedback may promote plant co-existence: A meta-analysis. *Ecology Letters*, 22, 1274–1284. doi: [10.1111/ele.13278](https://doi.org/10.1111/ele.13278)
42. Tokarz, E.**, Alvia, P., Valencia, R., & Queenborough, S.A. 2019. Habitat niche partitioning by seven *Heliconia* species in a lowland tropical rain forest in Amazonian Ecuador. *Journal of Tropical Ecology*, 35, 91–94. doi: [10.1017/S0266467419000026](https://doi.org/10.1017/S0266467419000026)
41. Queenborough, S.A.. 2018. Tropical Humid Forest Biome. *Oxford Bibliographies in Ecology*. doi: [10.1093/obo/9780199830060-0203](https://doi.org/10.1093/obo/9780199830060-0203)
40. Krishnadas, M.*, Beckman, N., Penagos-Zuluaga, J.C.*, Zhu, Y., Whitacre, J., Wenzel, J., Queenborough, S.A., & Comita, L.S. 2018. Environment and land-use legacies together predict functional diversity in a temperate forest. *Ecological Applications*, 28, 2142–2152. doi: [10.1002/eap.1802](https://doi.org/10.1002/eap.1802)
39. Bemmel, J.*; Wright, S.J., Garwood, N.C., Queenborough, S.A., Valencia, R., & Dick, C.W. 2018. Filter-dispersal assembly of lowland Neotropical rainforests across the Andes. *Ecography*, 41, 1763–1775. doi: [10.1111/ecog.03473](https://doi.org/10.1111/ecog.03473)
38. Zhu, Y., Queenborough, S.A., Condit, R., Hubbell, S.P., Ma, K.P., & Comita, L.S. 2018. Density-dependent survival varies with species life-history strategy in a tropical forest. *Ecology Letters*, 21, 506–515. doi: [10.1111/ele.12915](https://doi.org/10.1111/ele.12915)
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36. Du, Y., Queenborough, S.A., Chen, L., Wang, Y., Mi, X., Ma, K, & Comita, L.S. 2017. Intraspecific and phylogenetic density-dependent seedling recruitment in a subtropical evergreen forest. *Oecologia* 184, 193–203. doi: [10.1007/s00442-017-3842-3](https://doi.org/10.1007/s00442-017-3842-3)
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34. Smith, J.R.* Queenborough, S.A., Alvia Zambrano, L.P., Romero, H. & Valencia, R. 2017. No strong evidence for increasing liana abundance in the Myristicaceae of a Neotropical aseasonal rain forest. *Ecology* 98, 456–466. doi: [10.1002/ecy.1657](https://doi.org/10.1002/ecy.1657)

33. Queenborough, S.A.. Collections-based studies of plant functional traits. 2017. *Scientia Danica. Series B, Biologica* 6, 223–236. Proceedings of the meeting: Tropical Plant Collections: Legacies from the past? Essential tools for the future?.
32. Báez, S., Donoso, D.A., Queenborough, S.A., Jaramillo, L.**, Valencia, R., & Dangles, O. 2016. Ant mutualism increases long-term growth and survival of a common Amazonian tree. *The American Naturalist* 188, 567–575. doi: [10.1086/688401](https://doi.org/10.1086/688401)
31. Ninazunta, M.**, Queenborough, S.A., Hernández, C., & Valencia, R. 2016. Growth strategies of the arborescent palm *Iriartea deltoidea*, in a western Amazonian forest. *Botanical Journal of the Linnean Society* 182, 411–424. doi: [10.1111/boj.12448](https://doi.org/10.1111/boj.12448)
30. Gutiérrez-Santiago, J.*, Jasso-Mata, J., Queenborough, S.A., Soto-Hernández, M., Rzedowski, J., Jiménez-Casas, M., & Castillo-Martínez, C.R. 2016. Sexual classification of linaloe (*Bursera linanoe*, Burseraceae) and productive implications for the essential oil, in three natural populations in the state of Guerrero, Mexico. *Agroproductividad* 9, 66–72.
29. Muehleisen, A.**, Queenborough, S.A., Alvia Zambrano, L.P., Valencia, R., & Fiala, B. 2016. Incidence of extra-floral nectaries and their relationship to growth and survival of lowland tropical rain forest trees. *Biotropica* 48, 321–331. doi: [10.1111/btp.12310](https://doi.org/10.1111/btp.12310)
28. Murphy, S.J.*, Audino, L.D.*, Whitacre, J., Eck, J.L.* Wenzel, J.W., Queenborough, S.A., & Comita, L.S. 2015. Species associations structured by environment and land-use history promote beta-diversity in a temperate forest. *Ecology* 96, 705–715. doi: [10.1890/14-0695.1](https://doi.org/10.1890/14-0695.1)
27. Calinger, K.M.*, Calhoon, E.A.* Chang, H., Whitacre, J., Wenzel, J., Comita, L.S., & Queenborough, S.A. 2015. Historic mining and agriculture as indicators of occurrence and abundance of widespread invasive plant species. *PLoS One* 10(6): e0128161. doi: [10.1371/journal.pone.0128161](https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0128161)
26. Du, Y., Mao, L., Queenborough, S.A., Freckleton, R.P., Chen, B., & Ma, K. 2015. Phylogenetic constraints and trait correlates of flowering phenology in the angiosperm flora of China. *Global Ecology & Biogeography* 24, 928–938. doi: [10.1111/geb.12303](https://doi.org/10.1111/geb.12303)

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24. Ward, S.M., Cousens, R.D., Bagavathiannan, M.V., Barney, J.N., Beckie, H.J., Busi, R., Davis, A.S., Dukes, J.S., Forcella, F., Freckleton, R.P., Gallandt, E.R., Hall, L.M., Jasieniuk, M., Lawton-Rauh, A., Lehnhoff, E.A., Liebman, M., Maxwell, B.D., Mesgaran, M.B., Murray, J.V., Neve, P., Nuñez, M.A., Pauchard, A., Queenborough, S.A., & Webber, B.L. 2014. Agricultural weed research: A critique and two proposals. *Weed Science* 62, 672–678. doi: 10.1614/WS-D-13-00161.1
23. Comita, L.S., Queenborough, S.A., Eck, J.L.* Murphy, S.* Xu, K.** Krishnadas, M.* Beckman, N., & Zhu, Y. 2014. Testing predictions of the Janzen-Connell hypothesis: A meta-analysis of experimental evidence for distance- and density-dependent seed and seedling survival. *Journal of Ecology* 102, 845–856. doi: 10.1111/1365-2745.12232
22. Amano, T., Freckleton, R.F.P., Queenborough, S.A., Doxford, S.W., Smithers, R.J., Sparks, T.H., & Sutherland, W.J. 2014. Phenological responses to warming determine changes in niche over space and time. *Proceedings of the Royal Society, B* 281, 20133017. doi: 10.1098/rspb.2013.3017
21. Queenborough, S.A. & Porras, C.A.**. 2014. Expanding coverage of plant trait databases—a comparison of specific leaf area derived from fresh and dried leaves. *Plant Ecology & Diversity* 7, 383–388. doi: 10.1080/17550874.2013.777483
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19. Queenborough, S.A., Forget, P.-M., & Russo, S. 2013. Adding spice to life: A special issue on the Myristicaceae. *Tropical Conservation Science* 6, 592–594. Special issue.
18. Queenborough, S.A., Humphreys, A.* & Valencia, R. 2013. Sex specific flowering patterns in the understorey rain forest tree *Iryanthera hostmannii* (Myristicaceae). *Tropical Conservation Science* 6, 637–652. Special issue.
17. Queenborough, S.A., Metz, M.R., Valencia, R., & Wright, S.J. 2013. Demographic consequences of chromatic leaf defence in tropical tree communities—do red young leaves increase growth and survival? *Annals of Botany* 112, 677–684. doi: 10.1093/aob/mct144

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13. Gao, J., Queenborough, S.A., & Chai, J.P. 2012. Flowering sex ratios and spatial distribution of dioecious trees in a SE Asian seasonal rain forest. *Journal of Tropical Forest Science* 24, 517–527. journal homepage
12. Curtis, P.S. & Queenborough, S.A. 2012. Commentary: Raising the standards for ecological meta-analysis. *New Phytologist* 195, 279–281. doi: [10.1111/j.1469-8137.2012.04207.x](https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1469-8137.2012.04207.x)
11. Bai, X.*, Queenborough, S.A., Wang, X., Zhang, J., Yuan, Z., Xing, D., & Hao, Z. 2012. Effects of local biotic neighbours and habitat heterogeneity on tree and shrub seedling survival in an old-growth temperate forest. *Oecologia*, 170: 755–765. doi: [10.1007/s00442-012-2348-2](https://doi.org/10.1007/s00442-012-2348-2)
10. Queenborough, S.A., Metz, M.R., Wiegand, T., & Valencia, R. 2012. Palms, peccaries and perturbations: Widespread effects of small-scale disturbance in tropical forests. *BMC Ecology* 12: 3. doi: [10.1186/1472-6785-12-3](https://doi.org/10.1186/1472-6785-12-3)
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6. Queenborough, S.A., Burslem, D.F.R.P., Garwood, N.C., & Valencia, R. 2009. Taxonomic scale of niche partitioning and local neighbourhood effects on survival of tropical tree seedlings. *Proceedings of the Royal Society, B.* 276, 4197–4205. doi: 10.1098/rspb.2009.0921
5. Queenborough, S.A., Mazer, S.J., Vamosi, S.M., Garwood, N.C., Valencia, R., & Freckleton, R.F.P. 2009. Seed mass, abundance and breeding system among tropical forest species: Do dioecious species exhibit compensatory reproduction or abundances? *Journal of Ecology* 97, 555–566. doi: 10.1111/j.1365-2745.2009.01485.x
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3. Queenborough, S.A., Burslem, D.F.R.P., Garwood, N.C., & Valencia, R. 2007. Neighborhood and community interactions determine the spatial pattern of tropical tree seedling survival. *Ecology* 88, 2248–2258 doi: 10.1890/06-0737.1
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Other writing

9. Simon A. Queenborough 2012. The habits of successful ecologists: How to write right, right!? *Bulletin of the British Ecological Society* 44 (2), 36–38.
8. Simon A. Queenborough 2011. The habits of successful ecologists: Time management. *Bulletin of the British Ecological Society* 42 (3) 34–37.

7. **Simon A. Queenborough** & John N. Parker. 2011. The habits of successful ecologists: Learning from the best. *Bulletin of the British Ecological Society* 43, 31–34.
6. **Simon A. Queenborough** & Ira R. Cooke. 2011. The habits of successful ecologists, or Does Facebook count as outreach? *Bulletin of the British Ecological Society* 42 (1), 40–42.
5. **Simon A. Queenborough** & Liza S. Comita. 2011. Should ecological science be ethical? *Union Seminary Quarterly Review* 63, 18–25.
4. William J. Sutherland et al. 2010. Is wildlife conservation compatible with arable farming? Evaluating the options for sustainable agriculture. *RELU Policy and Practice Notes* 23, December.
3. **Simon A. Queenborough**, Ira R. Cooke & Mark P. Schildhauer. 2010. Do we need an Eco-Bank? The ecology of data-sharing. *Bulletin of the British Ecological Society* 41 (3), 32–35.
2. **Simon A. Queenborough** & Ira R. Cooke. 2010. Do humans count in ecology? Quantitative methods can link socio-economics and ecology. *Bulletin of the British Ecological Society* 41 (1), 57–58.
1. **Simon A. Queenborough**. 2007. Book review of Forest Ecology and Conservation. A handbook of techniques. Newton, A.C. (2007) OUP. *Environmental Conservation* 34, 2–3.

**Invited Talks
(Since 2007)**

- 2021 **Simon A. Queenborough** *Principles of Data Visualization*. Association of Clean Water Administrators Virtual Modeling Workshop, September 2021.
- 2021 **Simon A. Queenborough** *Data Visualization I: Designing effective charts*. Environmental Law Institute, ELI CWA 303(d) Training Workshop. Online. 9 June 2021.
- 2021 **Simon A. Queenborough** *Dinner in the Devil's garden: Herbivory, dioecism, and population dynamics of the ant-plant Duroia hirsuta (Rubiaceae)*. Otterbein University. Online. March 2021.
- 2021 **Simon A. Queenborough** *The Yale Tropical Resources Institute: 30 years of supporting student research*. Chinese Forest Biodiversity Network (CForBio). Online. January 2021.
- 2019 **Simon A. Queenborough** *Que diablos! Historia natural de una relación mutualista en el Parque Nacional Yasuní*. Museo de Historia Natural Gustavo Orcés V., Escuela Politécnica Nacional, Quito. June 2019.

- 2017 **Simon A. Queenborough** *Hiding in Plain Text: Tools and techniques for teaching effectively and efficiently*. Yale Center for Teaching and Learning, Yale University. Nov 2017.
- 2016 **Simon A. Queenborough** & Henrik Balslev. *Where do all the (dioecious) flowers go? Diversity and distribution of breeding systems in Neotropical palms*. Association for Tropical Biology & Conservation meeting. Session: Palm ecology in a changing world. Montpellier, France, June 2016.
- 2016 **Simon A. Queenborough** *Diversity and distribution of plant breeding systems*. New York Botanical Garden.
- 2015 **Simon A. Queenborough** *Diversity and distribution of plant breeding systems*. Meeting: Biodiversity and Conservation of the Tropical Andes and the Amazon Rainforest. Lima, Peru. October 2015.
- 2015 **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Collections based studies of plant functional traits*. Meeting: Tropical Plant Collections: Legacies from the past? Essential tools for the future? in the Royal Danish Academy of Sciences and Letters. Copenhagen, Denmark. May 2015.
- 2013 **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Long-term flowering and fruiting patterns in dioecious tropical forest trees: implications for coexistence*. Department of Plant Biology, Ohio University, Athens, OH, USA.
- 2013 **Simon A. Queenborough**, Margaret R. Metz, Andrew Muehleisen, Renato Valencia and Brigitte Fiala. *Mecanismos de defensas de plantas contra la herbivoría*. Department of Biology, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador, Quito, and Yasuni Scientific Research Station, Ecuador.
- 2013 **Simon A. Queenborough**, Amy E. Kulesza and Matt Misika. *Actively teaching Intro Biology*. Center for Life Science Education, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, USA.
- 2013 **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Coexistence, trade-offs and plant population dynamics*. Department of Evolution, Ecology & Organismal Biology, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, USA.
- 2012 **Simon A. Queenborough**. *From forest to farm and back again: pure and applied ecology in human-influenced ecosystems*. School of Forestry and Environmental Studies, Yale University, New Haven, CT, USA.
- 2012 **Simon A. Queenborough**, Margaret R. Metz, Renato Valencia. *Leaf defences of tropical tree seedlings: shedding light onto herbivory-mediated patterns of biodiversity*. Ecological Society of America Annual Meeting, Portland, USA. Invited contribution to seedling herbivory symposium.
- 2012 **Simon A. Queenborough**, Margaret R. Metz, Renato Valencia. *Efectos de defensas de plantas contra la herbivoría*. Yasuni Scientific Research Station, Ecuador.
- 2010 **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Variety is the spice of life: Evolution and ecology of plant breeding systems*. Department of Evolution, Ecology & Organismal Biology,

The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, USA.

- 2009 **Simon A. Queenborough**, Nancy C. Garwood, Susan Mazer, Steve Vamosi and Renato Valencia. *Seed mass, abundance and breeding system in tropical forest tree species*. Department of Animal and Plant Sciences, University of Sheffield, Sheffield, UK.
- 2008 **Simon A. Queenborough**, Nancy C. Garwood, Susan Mazer, Steve Vamosi and Renato Valencia. *Seed mass, abundance and breeding system in tropical forest tree species*. Association for Tropical Biology and Conservation Annual Meeting, Surinam.
- 2007 **Simon A. Queenborough** *Analisis espacial de sexos y plántulas de la familia dioica Myristicaceae dentro de la Amazonía Ecuatoriana*. Department of Biology, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador, Quito, Ecuador.
- 2007 **Simon A. Queenborough** *Spatial analyses of sex ratios and seedlings of Myristicaceae trees in the Ecuadorian Amazon*. Department of Ecology and Evolution, University of Arkansas, USA.
- 2002–2007 Various presentations to academics, oil company executives and student groups visiting Yasuní Scientific Research Station, Ecuador.

**Conference Presentations
(Since 2005)**

- 2021 **Simon A. Queenborough** *UpGoerFive Talk: One Tree Two Tree*. Research Day, Yale School of the Environment. Online. April 2021.
- 2019 **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Dinner in the Devil's Garden. Herbivory, dioecism, and population dynamics of the ant-plant Duroia hirsuta (Rubiaceae)*. Sussex Plant Biology Symposium. Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, New Haven, CT, November 2019.
- 2019 **Simon A. Queenborough** & Megan Sullivan* *Rainfall drives leaf form in the Cerrado*. British Ecological Society Tropical Ecology Group meeting. Edinburgh, April 2019.
- 2018 **Simon A. Queenborough** & Megan Sullivan* *Rainfall drives leaf form in the Cerrado*. Congreso Latinoamerica de Botanica. Quito, Ecuador. Oct 2018.
- 2018 **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Diversity and distribution of breeding systems in Neotropical palms*. Sussex Plant Biology Symposium. Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, New Haven. Sept 2018.
- 2017 **Simon A. Queenborough** & Megan Sullivan* *Macroecological patterns of leaf size, shape, and function in the cerrado*. Association for Tropical Biology & Conservation meeting. Merida, Mexico, July 2017.
- 2016 Kerri M. Crawford, Jonathan Bauer, Liza S. Comita, Maarten Eppinga, Daniel Johnson, Scott A. Mangan, Allan E. Strand, Katharine N. Suding, James Umpanhowar, James D. Bever, **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Plant evolutionary history determines the strength of plant-soil feedback*. Ecological Society of America meeting, Fort Lauderdale, FL. USA, August 2016.

- 2016 Yan Zhu, Liza S. Comita, **Simon A. Queenborough**, Keping Ma. *Density dependent tree survival varies with species life history strategies of growth-mortality trade-off in a tropical forest.* Ecological Society of America meeting, Fort Lauderdale, FL. USA, August 2016.
- 2016 Camille Delavaux, Jurgen Homeier, Rosa Jimenez-Paz, Mark S. Ashton, **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Nutrient enrichment effects on mycorrhizal fungi in an Andean tropical montane forest.* Ecological Society of America meeting, Fort Lauderdale, FL. USA, August 2016.
- 2016 Jesse R. Lasky, María Uriarte, James S. Clark, Patricia Alvarez-Loayza, Jimena Forero-Montaña, Helene C. Muller-Landau, **Simon Queenborough**, Varun Swamy, Nathan G. Swenson, John Terborgh, Fernando Cornejo Valverde, S. Joseph Wright, Jess K. Zimmerman. *The effects of inter-annual climatic variation on fecundity of tropical rainforest trees.* Ecological Society of America meeting, Fort Lauderdale, FL. USA, August 2016.
- 2015 Yanjun Du, Liza S. Comita, Lei Chen, **Simon A. Queenborough**, Xiangcheng Mi, Keping Ma. *Intraspecific and phylogenetic density-dependent recruitment in a subtropical evergreen forest.* Ecological Society of America meeting, Baltimore, USA, August 2015.
- 2015 Juan Gutiérrez-Santiago, J. Jasso-Mata, M. Soto-Hernández, **S.A. Queenborough** & Marcos Jiménez-Casas. Producción de aceites esenciales frutales de árboles dioicos hembra y monoicos de *Bursera linanoe*. SOMEREOF, Mexico.
- 2015 Camille Delavaux, Mark Ashton, **Simon Queenborough**, Jürgen Homier, Tessa Camenzind, Rosa Jiménez Paz. *Poster: Nutrient enrichment effects on mycorrhizal fungi in southern Ecuador.* The 8th International Conference on Mycorrhiza, Flagstaff, AZ, USA. August 7, 2015.
- 2015 Andrew J. Muehleisen, **Simon A. Queenborough**, Pablo Alvia, Renato Valencia, Brigitte Fiala. *Poster: Incidence of extra-floral nectaries and their relationship to growth and survival of lowland tropical rain forest trees.* Ecological Society of America meeting, Baltimore, USA, August.
- 2014 **Simon A. Queenborough**, S. Hibbard, R. Valencia, J. Weintritt, & L.P.A. Zambrano. *Shadows of megafaunal seed dispersal mechanisms in western Amazonian forests.* Megafauna and Ecosystem Function: from the Pleistocene to the Anthropocene, University of Oxford, UK.
- 2014 Shannon Hibbard and **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Fruits of the Giants: megafaunal fruit species in Yasuni, Ecuador.* Natural and Mathematical Sciences Undergraduate Research Forum, The Ohio State University.
- 2014 Murphy, S.J., L.D. Audino, J. Whitacre, J. Eck, J. Wenzel, **S.A. Queenborough**, and L.S. Comita. *Species associations structured by environment, space, and land use history promote beta-diversity in a mixed species forest community.* Midwest

- Ecology and Evolution Conference, Dayton, Ohio.
- 2013 Andrew Muehleisen and **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Incidence and Ecological Significance of Extra-Floral Nectaries on Tropical Rain Forest Trees*. Denman Undergraduate Research Forum, The Ohio State University.
- 2013 Laura Mason and **Simon A. Queenborough**. *Effects of Environment, Stature, Life Form and Method of Seed Dispersal on the Male to Female Sex-Ratios of Dioecious Populations*. Denman Undergraduate Research Forum, The Ohio State University.
- 2012 **Simon A. Queenborough**, Andew Muehleisen, Margaret R. Metz & Renato Valencia. *Leaf defenses of tropical tree seedlings: shedding light onto herbivory-mediated patterns of biodiversity*. Ecosummit 2012, Columbus, OH, USA.
- 2012 **Simon A. Queenborough**, Margaret R. Metz & Renato Valencia. *Leaf defenses of tropical tree seedlings: shedding light onto herbivory-mediated patterns of biodiversity*. British Ecological Society Annual Meeting, University of Birmingham, UK.
- 2012 Matthew Smith, Tim Newbold, Simon Creer, Alex Dumbrell, Guy Woodward, David Bass, **Simon A. Queenborough**, Rob Freckleton, Jonathan Silvertown & Doug Yu. Systems Ecology Workshop: Understanding systems ecology using emerging multidisciplinary toolboxes. BES Annual Meeting, University of Birmingham, Birmingham, UK.
- 2012 John Boudouris & **Simon A. Queenborough**. Diversity and distribution of extra-floral nectaries in the savanna vegetation of South America. Denman Undergraduate Research Forum, The Ohio State University.
- 2012 Andrew Muehleisen, **Simon A. Queenborough**. Natural and Mathematical Sciences Undergraduate Research Forum, The Ohio State University.
- 2010 Association for Tropical Biology and Conservation Annual Meeting (Bali, Indonesia).
- 2009 British Ecological Society Annual Meeting (University of Hertfordshire, UK).
- 2008 Early Career Researcher Meeting, British Ecological Society Tropical Ecology Group (University of Oxford, UK).
- 2008 British Ecological Society Annual Meeting (Imperial College London, UK).
- 2007 Association for Tropical Biology and Conservation Annual Meeting (Morelia, Mexico).
- 2007 Early Career Researcher Meeting, British Ecological Society Tropical Ecology Group (University of Leeds, UK).
- 2007 British Ecological Society Annual Meeting (University of Glasgow, UK).
- 2006 Center for Tropical Forest Science Symposium (Panama City, Panamá).
- 2006 British Ecological Society Annual Meeting (University of Oxford, UK).
- 2005 British Ecological Society Annual Meeting (University of Hertfordshire, UK).

Grants and Awards

- 2021 Workshop, National Science Foundation. *Diversity and dynamics of herbaceous plant communities in forest ecosystems.*
- 2021 International Research Experiences for Students (IRES), National Science Foundation. *Tropical Research Experience in Ecological Science (TREES): Regeneration dynamics in a hyper-diverse tropical forest.*
- 2020 The Yale Forest School Childs Family Research Fund. *How old is that forest? Using Cecropia as a biological clock to age secondary forest.*
- 2020 The Yale Forest School Champion Fund to Facilitate Experiences and Education. *Staying safe in the field: A survey, resources, and policies for the YSE community.*
- 2019 British Ecological Society. *How old is that forest? Using Cecropia as a biological clock to age secondary forest.*
- 2018 NSF LTREB Collaborative Research. *Cyclic vs. anthropogenic causes of long-term variation in the regeneration of tropical forests with contrasting latitude and diversity.* Senior personnel.
- 2018 Yale Center for Teaching and Learning Rosenkranz Award for Pedagogical Advancement.
- 2012 Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship to Andrew Muehleisen (Honors student), The Ohio State University.
- 2008 Postdoctoral Fellowship. National Center for Ecological Analysis & Synthesis, Santa Barbara, 2010-2012.
- 2008 Systematics Association. *Reproductive functional traits of tropical forest trees.*
- 2006 Smithsonian Center for Tropical Forest Science research grant. *Reproductive strategies of the Myristicaceae in Amazonian Ecuador.*
- 2006 British Ecological Society small ecological projects grant. *Studies of the reproductive strategies of the Myristicaceae in Amazonian Ecuador.*
- 2004 Smithsonian Center for Tropical Forest Science research grant. *Reproductive strategies of the Myristicaceae in Amazonian Ecuador.*
- 2001 The Leverhulme Trust Study Abroad Studentship. *A test of the reproductive and recruitment consequences of differential abundance between closely related tropical tree species.*

Teaching & mentoring**Courses**

- 2022 ENV 717: Tropical Field Ecology (with Liza Comita), 15 students.
- 2021 Communicating and Visualizing Data for Conservation. Online workshop at Student Conference on Conservation Science.
- 2021 Introduction to R. Independent course credit, 3 students.

- 2021 ENV 603: Environmental Data Visualization and Communication (with Jenn Marlon), 25 students.
- 2021 Professional Skills Module: Visualizing Environmental Data (with Jenn Marlon), 56 students.
- 2021 ENV 626: Writing for Publication in the Natural Sciences, 9 students.
- 2020 FES 717: Tropical Field Ecology (with Liza Comita), 12 students.
- 2020 FSE 603: Environmental Data Visualization and Communication (with Jenn Marlon), 19 students.
- 2020 Independent study: 2 students.
- 2019 FES 717: Tropical Field Ecology (with Liza Comita), 12 students.
- 2019 FES 603: Environmental Data Visualization and Communication (with Jenn Marlon), 24 students.
- 2019 FES 611: Environmental Data Science (with Eli Fenichel and Jenn Marlon), 9 students.
- 2019 FES 720: Introduction to R. 35 students.
- 2019 Independent study: 5 students.
- 2018 FES 603: Environmental Data Visualization and Communication (with Jenn Marlon), 45 students.
- 2018 FES 720: Introduction to R. 35 students.
- 2018 FES 717: Tropical Field Ecology (with Liza Comita), 16 students.
- 2018 Research credit: Caroline Hobbs, Rebecca Lehman, Thomas Launer.
- 2018 Independent study for ISTF conference leaders writing up special issue for *Journal of Sustainable Forestry*.
- 2017 Invited Lecture: *Hiding in Plain Text: Tools and techniques for teaching effectively and efficiently*. Yale Center for Teaching and Learning. Nov 2017.
- 2017 Research credit: Caroline Hobbs, Brian Lee.
- 2017 Guest lecturer, FES 611a: Data Science for Social Research: An Introduction (Justin Farrell).
- 2017 FES 720a: Introduction to R. 34 students.
- 2017 FES 717b: Tropical Field Ecology (with Walter Jetz, EEB), 20 students.
- 2016 FES 720a: Introduction to R. 20 students.
- 2016 FES 717b: Tropical Field Ecology (with Liza Comita), 15 students.
- 2016 Independent study for ISTF conference leaders writing up special issue for *Journal of Sustainable Forestry*.
- 2015 FES 720a: Introduction to R.
- 2015 FES 717b: Tropical Field Ecology. 15 students (with Liza Comita).
- 2014 Guest lecturer, Biology 4000: Biological Roots in England; London Honors.

- 2013 EEOB 8896.11: Graduate seminar, Population Ecology: [Introduction to R for Biologists](#). Autumn, 19 students.
- 2013 EEOB 8896.04: Graduate seminar, Temperate Forest Ecology And Data Analysis. Spring, 10 students.
- 2012 EEOB 1114: Form, Function & Ecology. Autumn, 176 undergraduate students.
- 2012 EEOB 881: Graduate seminar: Introduction to R for Biologists. Spring, 21 students.
- 2012 EEOB H557: Tropical Field Ecology, Panama. Spring, 15 undergraduate students.
- 2010 Analysis of density dependent processes using forest plot data. Statistical computing course in R. Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China. Summer, 40 students, 2 faculty.
- 2010 R statistical computing course, Centre for Ecological Science, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India. Summer, 30 students and 2 faculty.
- 2010 R statistical computing course, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador, Quito, Ecuador. Spring, 20 graduate students and 2 faculty.
- 2008 Co-leader, Tropical Field Ecology, University of Sheffield, UK, and Danum Valley, Borneo. Summer, 15 students.

Post-docs

- 2020 Juan Carlos Penagos Zuluaga. *Diversification of nutmegs (Myristicaceae) and the assembly of Neotropical rain forest communities*.
- 2017 Yan Zhu. *Density-dependent survival varies with species life-history strategy in a tropical forest*.

Ph.D. students

- 2019– David Woodbury, Ph.D. committee. *The ecological status of forest fragments in the hill mixed Dipterocarp forests of southern Sri Lanka*.
- 2016– Megan Sullivan, Ph.D. co-advisor (with Liza Comita). *Effects of hunting and logging on the functional traits of tropical forest tree communities*.
- 2014–2020 Andrew Muehleisen, Ph.D. co-advisor (with Liza Comita). *Effects of drought on the ecophysiology of tropical and temperate trees*.
- 2012–2020 [Juan Carlos Penagos Zuluaga](#), Ph.D. co-advisor (with Liza Comita, Michael Donoghue). *Evolution and ecology of breeding systems in early-divergent angiosperms: the Ocotea complex (Lauraceae)*.
- 2013–2017 Jenalle Eck, Ph.D. committee. *Local variation in soil pathogen feedbacks and the maintenance of tropical tree diversity*.
- 2013–2014 Meghna Krishnadas, Ph.D. committee. *Socio-ecological dynamics of non-timber forest produce harvest in a rainforest complex of the Western Ghats in south India*.

- 2013–2014 Alex Fotis, Ph.D. committee. *Exploring canopy structure and function as a potential mechanism of sustaining carbon sequestration in aging forests.*
- 2012–2014 [Raleigh Ricart](#), Ph.D. co-advisor (with Peter Curtis). *Ecology of north-eastern temperate forests of the USA.*
- 2011 Xuejiao Bai, Ph.D. co-advisor, Chinese graduate student, Chinese Academy of Sciences. *Effects of local biotic neighbors and habitat heterogeneity on tree and shrub seedling survival in an old-growth temperate forest.*

Research masters students

- 2021 Emma Grover, MSc. *Effects of climate on leaf form of trees in the western ghats, India.*
- 2021 Aarthi Kannan, MSc. *Habitat niche partitioning by six Renealmia species in a lowland tropical rain forest in Amazonian Ecuador.*
- 2020 Deja Curtis, MSc. *Dispersal mechanisms of tropical trees along a rainfall gradient in Panama.*
- 2019 Jesse Gerhke, MF. *Using Cecropia as a biological clock.*
- 2018 AJ Hudson, MSc. *Dinner in the Devil's Garden: Herbivory and negative density dependence in Duroia hirsuta (Rubiaceae).*
- 2018 Indra Achara, MSc (with Tim Gregoire). *Nesting ecology and migration of the critically endangered white-bellied heron (Ardea insignis) in Bhutan.*
- 2018 Jessica Lloyd, MFS.
- 2018 David Woodbury, MSc (with Mark Ashton). *Evaluation of mine reclamation prescriptions in East Kalimantan: Native monoculture and tree mixture plantations.*
- 2018 Caroline Tasirin, MSc (with Mark Ashton). *Tree species distribution, dominance, and carbon significance in Sulawesi, Indonesia.*
- 2017–2018 Brurce Mecca, MSc (CIFOR).
- 2016–2018 Caroline Hobbs, MEM. *Coral Resilience and Adaptation: Short term stress responses in Montipora capitata.*
- 2016–2017 Katherine Young, MFS (with Mark Ashton). *Comparing tree diversity and forest structure of Cacao agroforests to secondary forest in the Mata Atlantica, Brazil.*
- 2015–2017 Bart DiFiore, MSc. *Herbivory and the landscape of fear in coral patch reefs of the Caribbean.*
- 2014–2016 [Camille Delavaux](#), MSc (with Mark Ashton). *Nutrient enrichment effects on mycorrhizal fungi in an Andean tropical montane forest.*
- 2011 James Smith, MSc. University of York, UK. *Change in liana incidence in Yasuni National Park.*
- 2011 Anton Flügge, PhD. field advisor, University College, London, UK. *Sex ratios in the genus Cecropia, dioecious Neotropical pioneer trees.*

2009 Luke Smith, MSc. field advisor, University College, London, UK. *Investigation into how indigenous bushmeat hunting effects the recruitment of Atelid-dispersed tree species in a terra firme habitat in Amazonian Ecuador.*

MEM and MF students

2020 Ismini Etheridge.

2019 Jessica Lloyd.

2018 Sneha Pandey.

2017 Rebecca Lehman (prize at AGU), Christopher Woodington, Sneha Pandey.

2016 Rebecca Lehman, Lydia Mendoza, Christopher Woodington.

Undergraduate students

2021–2022 Leah Genth (senior thesis).

2019–2020 Jasmine Liu (senior thesis). *Effects of juvenile leaf color, extra-floral nectaries, and seedling neighbors on leaf-level herbivory in Yasuní, Ecuador.*

2019 Letícia Cagnoni. Visiting undergraduate scholar from FABESP, Brasil. *Effects of defaunation on the functional diversity of saplings in tropical Atlantic forest.*

2018–2019 Hannah Nikole Almonte (senior thesis). *Leaf traits across a rainfall gradient in tropical forest, Panama.*

2017–2019 Jasmine Liu (undergraduate research). *Distribution of extrafloral nectaries along a rainfall gradient in tropical forest, Panama.*

2017–2018 Lexis Anderson (senior thesis). *Influence of extrafloral nectaries on survival and growth of tropical forest tree seedlings.*

2015–2017 Elizabeth Tokarz (senior thesis). *Topographic niche partitioning of a diverse tropical herbaceous flora.*

2014–2015 Megan Sullivan (senior thesis). *Leaf size and shape in the cerrado vegetation of Brazil.* Thesis committee: *Reproductive success in a tropical tree species, Virola surinamensis.*

2013–2014 Shannon Hibbard. *Shadows of mega-faunal seed dispersal mechanisms in western Amazonian forests.*

2013–2014 Edward Harper. *Spatial variation in leaf shape of the cerrado vegetation of Brazil.*

2013–2014 John Linn. *Spatial variation in drip-tip incidence of the cerrado vegetation of Brazil.*

2012–2014 Andrew Muehleisen (Honors thesis). *Influence of extrafloral nectaries on survival and growth of tropical forest trees.*

2011–2013 Laura Mason. *Invasion and monodominance in the Neotropics.* Thesis committee member, 2014.

2011–2012 John Boudouris. *Diversity and distribution of extrafloral nectaries in the savanna vegetation of South America.*

Tropical Resources Institute

- 2020 *Tropical Resources Bulletin* vol. 39: 14 manuscripts edited and typset; 5 work-study students.
- 2020 TRI Fellowships: 21 applicants, 20 awards.
- 2020 The Yale Forest School Champion Fund to Facilitate Experiences and Education. *Staying safe in the field: A survey, resources, and policies for the YSE community.*
- 2020 The Yale Forest School Childs Family Research Fund. How old is that forest? *Using Cecropia as a biological clock to age secondary forest.* (with Profs. Dove and Lee).
- 2019 *Tropical Resources Bulletin* vol. 38: Eleven manuscripts edited and typset; 4 work-study students.
- 2019 TRI Fellowships: 29 applicants, 28 awards.
- 2018 *Tropical Resources Bulletin* vol. 37: Six manuscripts edited and typset; 3 work-study students.
- 2018 TRI Fellowships: 39 applicants, 35 awards.
- 2017 *Tropical Resources Bulletin* vol. 36: Eight manuscripts edited and typset; 3 work-study students.
- 2017 TRI Fellowships: 30 applicants, 24 awards.
- 2017 Sally Goodman, *Increasing access to the tropical literature: Publications from Yasuni National Park.*
- 2017 Erika Engstrom, *Review of research in the Myristicaceae: Towards an NSF RCN.*
- 2017 Sarah Omusala, *Incidence of extra-floral nectaries in the tree flora of Kenya.*
- 2017 FES-CIFOR 2 incoming MSc students (Brurce Mecca & Caroline Tasirin).
- 2016 IUCN Annual Meeting, Hawai'i Sept. 2016.
- 2016 *Tropical Resources Bulletin* vol. 35: Six manuscripts edited and typset; 1 work-study student.
- 2016 TRI Fellowships: 23 applicants, 19 awards.
- 2015 *Tropical Resources Bulletin* vol. 34: Eleven manuscripts edited and typset; 3 work-study students.
- 2015–2016 TRI Fellowships: 34 applicants, 22 funded (incl 1 Sri Lanka Fellow).
- 2015 TRI Fellows Spring Symposium: 25 presentations.

Cullman joint PhD Program with New York Botanical Garden

- 2020 Current Fellows: Kyra Prats, Megan Sullivan, Harikrishnan Radhamoni, Eli Ward, David Woodbury, Akshay Surendra, Aleca Borsuk.
- 2019 Current Fellows: Meredith Martin, Kyra Prats, Megan Sullivan, Harikrishnan Radhamoni, Eli Ward.

2018 Current Fellows: Meredith Martin, Lily Zeng, Kyra Prats, Megan Sullivan, Harikrishnan Radhamoni, Alder Keleman (postdoc).

2017 Current Fellows: Meredith Martin, Lily Zeng, Kyra Prats.

2016 Current Fellows: Meredith Martin, Lily Zeng, Kyra Prats.

International Society for Tropical Foresters

2020 ISTF Annual Meeting, January 2021.

2020 ISTF Annual Meeting, January 2020.

2019 ISTF Annual Meeting, January 2019.

2018 ISTF Annual Meeting, January 2018.

2018 ISTF Annual Meeting, January 2017.

2016 ISTF Annual Meeting, January 2016.

Service to the

Profession

Editorial boards

2018– Editorial board: *Plant Ecology & Diversity*.

2016 – British Ecological Society Review College

Reviewer

American Journal of Botany, American Naturalist, Annals of Applied Biology, Journal of Applied Research on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants, Annals of Botany, Austral Ecology, Biological Conservation, Biotropica, Botanical Journal of the Linnean Society, Botanical Studies, Conservation Biology, Diversity, Ecography, Ecological Complexity, Journal of Ecology, Ecology, Ecology Data Paper, Ecology & Evolution, Ecology Letters, Environmental Conservation, Journal of Environmental Management, Evolution, Forest Ecology & Management, Journal of Forestry Research, Forests, Functional Ecology, Functional Plant Biology, Global Change Biology, Nordic Journal of Botany, Methods in Ecology & Evolution, Oecologia, Oikos, Pest Management Science, Plant Ecology, Plant Ecology & Diversity, Plant & Soil, PLoS One, Proceedings of the Royal Society, B, Revista de Biología Tropical, Taxon, Tropical Conservation Science, Journal of Tropical Ecology, Journal of Vegetation Science.

Service

2021 Committees: Research Committee, The Forest School management, Yale Forest Forum, Environmental Data Science, EQUID.

2021 Student Conference on Conservation Science: Talk judge, workshop leader.

2021 New Horizons in Conservation Conference: Poster judge.

2021 YSE Research Day: session moderator and UpGoerFive talk.

2021 Reviewed: 7+ manuscripts.

2021 British Ecological Society Review College: 3 grant proposals.

2020 Committees: Environmental Data Science, EQUID.
2020 Reviewed: 9 manuscripts.
2020 British Ecological Society Review College: 8 grant proposals.
2020 Student Conference on Conservation Science: Talk judge.

2019 Committees: Yale Forest Forum, Environmental Data Science, EQUID.
2019 Reviewed: 12 manuscripts; 1 NSF ad hoc.
2019 F&ES Research Day: Chair (2 sessions) and judge (1 session).
2019 British Ecological Society Review College: 9 grant proposals.
2019 Student Conference on Conservation Science: Talk judge and lunchtime mentor.

2018 Online resource for learning R: www.intro2r.info
2018– F&ES Environmental Data Science committee.
2018– Editorial board: *Plant Ecology & Diversity*.
2018 Reviewed: 9 manuscripts, 5 proposals.
2018 F&ES Research Day organising committee.

2017 Reviewed: 12 manuscripts, 8 proposals.
2017– F&ES Alternative Pathways to Impact committee.
2017 Reviewer: NSF, British Ecological Society, and Programa Bosques Andinos grants.
2017 Panel: New faculty orientation: Teaching Panel. Yale University, August 2017.

2016 Reviewed: 11 manuscripts, 7 proposals.
2016 Reviewer: British Ecological Society, and Programa Bosques Andinos grants.

2015 Reviewed: 13 manuscripts.
2015 Judge, reviewer, mentor, Student Conference on Conservation Science, New York, NY, USA.

2014 Reviewed: 14 manuscripts.
2014 Judge, mentor, Student Conference on Conservation Science, New York, NY, USA.

2014 Judge, Natural & Mathematical Sciences Undergraduate Research Forum, Denman Undergraduate Research Forum.

2013–2014 EEOB Communications Committee.
2013 Reviewer, NSF CAREER grant, NSF ad hoc.
2013–2016 Committee, Tropical Ecology SIG, British Ecological Society.
2013 Judge, OSU Denman Undergraduate Research Forum.
2012–2013 EEOB Graduate Admissions Committee.
2009–2013 Secretary, *Tropical Ecology Special Interest Group*, British Ecological Society.

- 2012 Judge, OSU Denman and Natural & Mathematical Sciences Undergraduate Research Fora.
- 2012 Reviewer, NSF CAREER grant.
- 2012 Head Guest-Editor (with Pierre-Michel Forget & Sabrina Russo), *Tropical Conservation Science*, Special Issue on the Myristicaceae.
- 2009 Session organizer, British Ecological Society Annual Meeting Thematic Topic: *Life History and Functional Trait Variation in Tropical Systems*. University of Hertfordshire, UK.
- 2008 Session organiser, British Ecological Society Annual Meeting Thematic Topic: *Phylogeography and Biogeography*. University of Leeds, UK.
- 2008 Co-organiser and DJ, BES Tropical Ecology Group Early Career Researcher meeting, University of Oxford.
- 2007 Co-organiser, BES Tropical Ecology Group Early Career Researcher meeting, University of Leeds, UK.
- 2006–2009 Committee member, British Ecological Society Tropical Ecology Special Interest Group.
- 2002–2005 Chair and organiser, regular presentations by visiting researchers and long-term scientists at Yasuní Scientific Research Station.