Resume

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CONTACT INFORMATION:

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EDUCATION:

University of Massachusetts, Amherst Wildlife Biology Ph.D.

Wildlife Biology M.S.

Muhlenberg College, Allentown, PA Biology B.S.

CERTIFICATIONS

Society of Wetland Scientists

Certified Professional Wetland Scientist – 1995, recertified 2011

The Wildlife Society

Certified Wildlife Biologist - 1983

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES - UNIVERSITY:

As Director and Founder of Riparia (www.riparia.psu.edu), and as Professor of Geography and Ecology in the Department of Geography at the Pennsylvania State University, Dr. Brooks has developed a widely recognized wetland and wildlife research and education program. Current research projects include:

- wetlands restoration and creation on altered and damaged landscapes
- monitoring protocols for reference wetlands and mitigation projects
- modeling cumulative impacts in wetland and riparian portions of landscapes
- developing hydrogeomorphic models for riverine, depression, and slope wetlands
- developing ecological indicator models for invertebrates, amphibians and birds
- habitat modeling for wetland-riparian and forest wildlife.

He has taught over a dozen different undergraduate and graduate courses in the ecology and management of wetlands, physical geography, humans and the environment, field geography, wildlife management and conservation, and restoration ecology. Since 1978, he has published over 175 technical papers, books, and book chapters, and presented over 140 technical presentations at conferences and meetings. Dr. Brooks has been the senior principal investigator on 100 of 140 grants funded between 1981-2012, totaling over \$22 million.

Dr. Brooks has studied numerous wetland and river systems in the U.S. including emergent marshes, peatlands, shrub and forested wetlands, large rivers, and headwater streams. He attends 3-4 national and regional wetlands meetings per year, and is familiar with current federal and state regulations regarding the policy, protection, and mitigation of wetlands and rivers. He has worked with:

- <u>agencies</u> (e.g., U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, U.S. Bureau of Mines, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, National Park Service, PA Department of Environmental Protection, Ohio EPA),
- <u>industries</u> (e.g., coal mining, forestry, industrial development authorities, utilities)

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• <u>educational institutions</u> (e.g., public schools, conservation organizations, land trusts)

to address natural resource issues, deliver information, and solve environmental problems.

Dr. Brooks has been a consultant and collaborator on wetlands for the USEPA since 1987. He serves on the Board of the Chesapeake Research Consortium, and was a recent member of the Louisiana Coastal Area Science Board. He is a member of the IUCN Otter Specialist Group committed to otter conservation worldwide. He is a member of the Mid-Atlantic Wetlands Working Group, sponsored by USEPA Region 3 and the Mid-Atlantic states. Dr. Brooks served as Chair of Pennsylvania's DEP Wetlands Protection Advisory Committee for all 8 years of its existence. He is also a member of Pennsylvania's DCNR Ecosystem Management Committee, the Millbrook Marsh Nature Center Advisory Committee, and served on a municipal planning commission for 16 years.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES - CONSULTING:

As a consultant, Dr. Brooks has worked with agencies, corporations, utilities, citizen groups, and individuals concerning natural resources issues and management, with an emphasis on assessments of wetlands and streams, and habitat modeling for wetland-dependent wildlife, such as muskrat, otter, beaver, amphibians, and waterbirds. Projects have addressed issues and problems involving the conservation, restoration, and management of wetlands, streams, and riparian areas; wildlife habitat assessment and modeling; wetlands restoration and creation, and riparian corridors.

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT:

2004-present - Principal, Brooks Consulting

2003-present - Professor of Geography and Ecology, Department of Geography Pennsylvania State University

2000-2003 - Partner, Water's Edge Technology, LLC

1998-2003 - Professor of Wildlife and Wetlands, School of Forest Resources

1993-present - Director, Riparia (formerly Penn State Cooperative Wetlands Center)

1988-1999 - President, Water's Edge Technology, Inc.

1986-1997 - Associate Professor of Wildlife Ecology, School Forest Resources

1985-1988 - Chairman, Wildlife & Fisheries Science, School Forest Resources

1983-1985 - Assistant Professor of Wildlife Ecology, School of Forest Resources

1980-1983 - Assistant Professor of Wildlife Technology, DuBois Campus

Wildlife Technology Program Leader (1982/83)

School of Forest Resources, Pennsylvania State University

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

Society of Wetland Scientists - member, Certified Professional Wetland Scientist (1995, 2011), Associate Editor for Wetlands (2003-2005)

Association of State Wetland Managers - member

Association of American Geographers – member

The Wildlife Society - Certified Wildlife Biologist (1983), Associate Editor for Journal of Wildlife Management (1989-91); member National, Section, and Pennsylvania Chapters; Advisor to Penn State Student Chapter (1991-2000), Board Member PA Chapter (1991-1994), President PA Chapter (1993)

SELECTED TRAINING COURSES TAUGHT:

- <u>Jurisdictional Delineation of Wetlands in the Mid-Atlantic States</u> 5-day course offered by National Wetland Science Training Coop.and Water's Edge Technology, Inc. on federal method (May 1990).
- A Corporate Approach to Wetlands Permitting and Assessment one-day training course for the professional staff of the Allegheny Power System (July 1990).
- <u>Balancing Wetlands and Industrial Development</u> statewide seminar series delivered to industrial development corporations and authorities; manual and video (1991-92).
- Wetland Restoration and Creation for Mitigation 2-day, 3-day and 5-day courses offered by the Institute for Wetland & Environmental Education & Research and Water's Edge Technology, Inc. (May 1994, 1995, 1996).
- Wetlands Assessment multiple 1-day workshops for PADEP (2000-2008).

SELECTED CONSULTING ACTIVITIES:

- Allegheny Power Service Corp. wetland assessments, mitigation design and construction, hydro-electric power plant impacts
- Collins Pine Co./Kane Hardwood develop forest wildlife management plan to meet Forest Stewardship Council certification standards
- Electric Power Research Institute design, construction, and monitoring of wetland treatment system
- EPD, LLC technical advising on development of a 9-county natural infrastructure analysis Golder Associates Inc. wetland delineation, ecological assessments for landfills
- Joseph A. Piccone, Inc. prepared a biological assessment for bog turtles for mall development
- Mintz Levin / General Electric assessment and interpretation of riverine ecosystem restoration project
- PA Dep. of Transportation monitoring and design of statewide wetland mitigation projects Shell Oil Company natural resource damage assessment for muskrat on Gasconade River, MO
- Union County Planning Commission wetland assessment for hazardous waste incinerator
- U.S. Department of Justice assessment and technical support of wetland violations
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency research plan reviews, authored books and chapters, risk assessment workshop panelist
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service assessment of wetland and wildlife project plans, advice on development of muskrat model for central NJ, training of biologists
- Waste Management of North America, Inc. wetland delineation and stream surveys for landfills

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SELECTED PUBLICATIONS:

Katzner, T., B.W. Smith, T. A. Miller, D. Brandes, J. Cooper, M. Lanzone, D. Brauning, C. Farmer, S. Harding, D. Kramar, C. Koppie, C. Maisonneuve, M. Martell, E.K. Mojica, C. Todd, J.A. Tremblay, M. Wheeler, D.F. Brinker, T.E. Chubbs, R. Gubler, K. O'Malley, S. Mehus, B. Porter, R.P. Brooks, B.D. Watts & K.L. Bildstein. 2012. Status, biology and conservation priorities for North America's eastern Golden Eagle (*Aquila chrysaetos*) population. The Auk. 129(1): 168-176.

Osmond, D, **R Brooks**, S Yetter, R Carline, K Boomer, A Armstrong, R Stedman, D Meals, and G Jennings. 2012. Chapter 20 - Spring Creek Watershed, Pennsylvania: National Institute of Food and Agriculture—Conservation Effects Assessment Project Watershed Project. 2012. Pages 321-336 in D Osmond, D Meals, D Hoag, and M Arabi (eds.). How to Build Better Agricultural Conservation Programs to Protect Water Quality: The National Institute of Food and Agriculture — Conservation Effects Assessment Project Experience. Soil and Water Conservation Society, Ankeny, IA.

Piechnik, DA, SC Goslee, TL Veith, JA Bishop, and **RP Brooks**. 2012. Topographic placement of management practices in riparian zones to reduce water quality impacts from pastures. Landscape Ecology DOI: 10.1007/s10980-012-9783-7 Gebo, NA, and RP Brooks. 2012. Hydrogeomorphic (HGM) assessment of mitigation sites compared to natural reference wetlands in Pennsylvania. Wetlands 32:321-331.

Brooks, RP, MM Brinson, KJ Havens, CS Hershner, RD Rheinhardt, DH Wardrop, DF Whigham, AD Jacobs, and JM Rubbo. 2011. Proposed hydrogeomorphic classification for wetlands of the Mid-Atlantic Region, USA. Wetlands 31(2):207-219.

Wardrop, DH, AK Glasmeier, J Peterson-Smith, D Eckles, H Ingram, and **RP Brooks**. 2011. Wetland ecosystem services and coupled socio-economic benefits through conservation practices in the Appalachian Region. Ecological Applications 21(3):S93-S115.

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Brooks, **RP**. 2011. Monitoring and assessing wetlands: How do we take advantage of becoming data rich? National Wetlands Newsletter Nov-Dec:8-9.

Brooks, R., M. McKenney-Easterling, M. Brinson, R. Rheinhardt, K. Havens, D. O'Brian, J. Bishop, J. Rubbo, B. Armstrong, and J. Hite. 2009. A Stream-Wetland-Riparian (SWR) index for assessing condition of aquatic ecosystems in small watersheds along the Atlantic slope of the eastern U.S. Environmental Monitoring and Assessment 150:101-117.

Rheinhardt, R.D., M.M. Easterling, M.M. Brinson, J.M. Rubbo, **R.P. Brooks**, D.F. Whigham, D. O'Brien, J.T. Hite, and B.K. Armstrong. 2009. Canopy composition and

forest structure provide restoration targets for low order riparian ecosystems. Restoration Ecology 17(1):51-59.

Spinola, R.M., T.L. Serfass, and **R.P. Brooks**. 2008. Survival and post-release movements of river otters translocated to western NY. Northeastern Naturalist 15(1):13-24.

Brooks, R.P., G.P. Patil, S. Fei, A.I. Gitelman, W.L. Myers, and E.D. Reavie. 2007. Next generation of ecological indicators of wetland condition. EcoHealth 4(2):176-178 (Editor: Special Section of EcoHealth featuring 6 papers on emerging wetland indicators).

Wardrop, D.H., M.E. Kentula, D.L. Stevens, Jr., J.M. Rubbo, K. Hychka, and **R.P. Brooks**. 2007. The condition of wetlands on a watershed basis: The Upper Juniata Watershed in Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Wetlands 27(3):432-445.

Serfass, T.L., **R.P. Brooks**, L.M. Rymon, and O.E. Rhodes, Jr. 2007. River otters in Pennsylvania, USA: Lessons for predator re-introduction. Proc. European Otter Conference, Returning the otter in Europe – Where and how? 30 June – 5 July 2003, Skye, Scotland, J. W. H. Conroy, G. M. Yoxon, A. C. Gutleeb, and J. Ruiz-Olmo (eds.). Journal of the International Otter Survival Fund 2:22pp.

Brooks, R. P., D. H. Wardrop, and C. A. Cole. 2006. Inventorying and monitoring wetland condition and restoration potential on a watershed basis with examples from the Spring Creek watershed, Pennsylvania, USA. Environmental Management 38:673-687.

Brooks, R. P., D. H. Wardrop, K. W. Thornton, D. Whigham, C. Hershner, M. M. Brinson, and J. S. Shortle (eds.). 2006. Ecological and socioeconomic indicators of condition for estuaries and watersheds of the Atlantic Slope. Final Report to U.S. Environmental Protection Agency STAR Program, Agreement R-82868401, Washington, DC. Prepared by the Atlantic Slope Consortium, University Park, PA. 96pp. + attachments (CD).

- Miller, S. J., D. H. Wardrop, W. M. Mahaney, and R. P. Brooks. 2006. A plant-based index of biological integrity (IBI) for headwater wetlands in central Pennsylvania. Ecological Indicators 6:290-312.
- **Brooks, R. P.**, C. Snyder, and M. M. Brinson. 2006. Structure and functioning of tributary watershed ecosystems in the Eastern Rivers and Mountains Network: Conceptual models and vital signs monitoring. Natural Resources Report NPS/NER/NRR-2006/009. National Park Service, Philadelphia, PA. 88pp.
- **Brooks, R. P.**, D. H. Wardrop, C. A. Cole, and D. A. Campbell. 2005. Are we purveyors of wetland homogeneity?: A model of degradation and restoration to improve wetland mitigation. Ecological Engineering 24(4):331-340.

CURRICULUM VITAE - MALCOLM L. HUNTER, JR.

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Education

1966 - 1970	Lincoln Academy, Newcastle, Maine
1970 - 1974	B.S. in Wildlife Science, University of Maine, Orono
1974 - 1978	D. Phil. in Zoology, Edward Grey Institute of Field Ornithology, Department of Zoology, Oxford
	University. Thesis title: "Environmental effects on the singing behaviour of Great Tits." Stipend
	from Rhodes Scholarship, Research funds from National Geographic Society

Employment

Employment	
1971	Research Technician, Maine Dept. of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife
1972-74	Self-employed as ecological consultant. Funding from: Center for Natural Areas, Central New Hampshire Planning Office, Maine Bureau of Public Lands, Maine State Planning Office, Massachusetts Audubon Society, Mid-coast Audubon Society, New England Regional Commission, Smithsonian Institution, Time/Life Books.
1976	Research Assistant, U.S. Forest Service and School of Forest Resources, University of Maine
1978	Zoology Instructor, Oxford University
1978 - pr.	Department of Wildlife Ecology, University of Maine, Current titles: Libra Professor of Conservation Biology and Professor of Wildlife Ecology

Scholarships and Academic Honors

1973	Rhodes Scholarship
1974	Graduated from University of Maine with Highest Distinctions
1974	P. F. English Award for outstanding wildlife student in northeastern U.S. and eastern Canada
1974	D. B. Demeritt Award for outstanding student in School of Forest Resources
1975	Senior Scholar, St. Catherine's College, Oxford University
1990	Libra Professor of Conservation Biology
1995	Pew Conservation Fellow
1996	University of Maine 1996 Distinguished Professor
1996	University of Maine Commencement Speaker
2003	Webber Award for Outstanding Forest Resource Research
2005	President Harris Award for contributions to the University of Maine
2007	Distinguished Service Award of the Society for Conservation Biology

Membership in Professional Societies

American Ornithologists Union (Elective member)
Association for the Study of Animal Behaviour
Ecological Society of America (Editorial board)
Natural Areas Association
Society for Conservation Biology (President; Board of Governors; Editorial Board)
The Wildlife Society

Membership and roles in other organizations

Doris Duke Charitable Foundation, Chair of Environmental Committee

Joseph Jones Ecological Research Center, Ichauway, Georgia, Scientific Advisory Comm.

Maine Council on Sustainable Forest Management (Gubernatorial appointment)

Maine Forest Biodiversity Project

Maine Bureau of Public Lands (Silvicultural Advisory Committee)

Maine Dept. Inland Fisheries and Wildlife (Nongame Advisory Council)

Maine Governor's Task Force on Management of Public Land (Gubernatorial appointment)

Maine Natural Areas Program, Advisory Board

Maine Ecological Reserves Scientific Advisory Committee (Gubernatorial appointment)

Maine Ecosystems Working Group

Nature Conservancy, Maine Chapter (Trustee; Chair, Conservation Priorities and International Comms)

Nature Conservancy, International (Science Review Panel; Smith Fellowship Review)

Natural Resources Council of Maine (Board of Directors; Forestry Committee)

Northeastern Naturalist, Editorial Board

President's Commission on Environmental Quality: Biodiversity Task Force

White House Task Force on Spotted Owls (Consultant)

World Conservation Union (IUCN); Species Survival Commission (Mustelid'Viverrid/Procyonid Specialist Group)

International Experience

Research, education, and conservation work in Australia, Belize, Botswana, Brazil, Canada, Dominica, D.R. Congo, Finland, Germany, Great Britain, Greece, India, Iran, Kenya, Mexico, Morocco, Nepal, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Seychelles, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Zambia, Zimbabwe. Travel to 36 other countries.

Consultant and reviewer for the U.S. Agency for International Development, Smithsonian Institution, World Wildlife Fund, World Conservation Union, United Nations Environment Program, and a member of the IUCN Species Survival Commission.

Graduate advisor to students from Argentina, Canada, Chile, India, Nepal, United Kingdom, Romania, and Zaire.

International funding from: British Overseas Development Administration, Fauna and Flora Preservation Society, National Geographic Society, Rockefeller Foundation, Royal Geographic Society, Toronto Zoo, U.S. Agency for International Development, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Serviæ, Van Tienhoven Foundation, Volkart Foundation, Wildlife Conservation Society, World Pheasant Association, World Wildlife Fund (International and U.S.)

Rudimentary knowledge of Farsi, French, German, and Spanish

Books and Monographs

Hunter, M.L. Jr. and F. Schmiegelow. 2011. Wildlife, forests, and forestry: Principles of managing forests for biological diversity. 2nd edition. Prentice-Hall, Upper Saddle River, NJ. 259 pp.

Gibbs, J., M.L. Hunter, Jr. and E. Sterling. 2008. Problem-solving in conservation biology and wildlife management: Exercises for class, field, and laboratory, 2nd edition. Blackwell Publishing, Oxford, United Kingdom. 328 pp.

Hunter, M.L. D. Lindenmayer, and A. J.K. Calhoun. 2007. Saving the earth as a career: Advice on becoming a conservation professional. Blackwell Publishing, Oxford, United Kingdom. 200pp.

Hunter, M.L. Jr. and J.P. Gibbs. 2007. Fundamentals of conservation biology, 3rd edition. Blackwell Publishing, Oxford, United Kingdom, 497pp.

Hunter, M.L. Jr. 2002. Fundamentals of conservation biology, 2nd edition. Blackwell Science, Malden, Massachusetts, 547pp.

Hunter, M.L. Jr. (editor). 1999. Maintaining biodiversity in forest ecosystems. Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, England. 698pp.

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Hunter, M.L. Jr. 1996. Fundamentals of conservation biology. Blackwell Science, Cambridge, Massachusetts, 482pp.

Witham, J., E. Moore, M. Hunter, A. Kimball, and A. White. 1993. Long-term study of an oak-pine forest ecosystem: Techniques manual for the Holt Research Forest. Maine Agricultural Experiment Station Technical Bulletin 153. 164 pp.

Hunter, M.L. Jr., J. Albright and J. Arbuckle 1992. The amphibians and reptiles of Maine. Maine Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin 838. 188 pp.

Hunter, M.L. Jr. 1990. Wildlife, forests, and forestry: Principles of managing forests for biological diversity. Prentice-Hall, Englewood Cliffs, NJ. 370pp.

Gaston, A.J., M.L. Hunter, Jr, and P.J. Garson. 1981. The wildlife of Himachal Pradesh, Western Himalayas. School of Forest Resources Technical Note No. 82, Orono, ME. 159pp.

Hunter, M.L. Jr. 1976. Maine ecosystems. Center for Natural Areas. Washington, D.C. 224pp.

Seymour, R. M.L. Hunter, Jr., P. deMaynadier, and C. Foss Practicing ecological forestry: Maintaining biodiversity and wood production in the Northeast. In preparation for Island Press.

Refereed Journals

Politi, N., M.L. Hunter, Jr., and L Rivera. In press. Assessing the effects of selective logging on birds in Neotropical piedmont and cloud montane forest. Biodiversity and Conservation

Popescu, V.D., M.L. Hunter, and J. Zydlewski. In press. Use of olfactory cues by newly metamorphosed wood frogs (Lithobates sylvaticus) during emigration. Copeia

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Popescu, V.D., D.A. Patrick, M.L. Hunter, and A.J.K. Calhoun. 2012. The role of forest harvesting and subsequent vegetative regrowth in determining patterns of amphibian habitat use Forest Ecology and Management 270:163-174

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Lindenmayer, D.B., M.L. Hunter, Jr., P.J. Burton, and P. Gibbons. 2009. Effects of logging on fire regimes in moist forests. Conservation Letters 2:271-277.

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Funding (grants over \$10,000)

2009-pr	"Maine's Sustainability Science Initiative", National Science Foundation, \$20,000,000 (with many PIs).
1983-pr.	*A long-term forest ecosystem study. Holt Woodlands Research Foundation. Ca. \$100,000/year (with A. J. Kimball, A. S. White, and J. W. Witham).
2003-pr	ALand use practices and the persistence of amphibian populations.@ National Science Foundation Collaborative project with U Missouri, U Georgia, and SUNY-ESF; U.Maine=s portion of budget: \$415,000.
2000	Role of canopy gaps and down woody material in maintaining biodiversity in the Acadian Forest of Maine. USDA Competitive Grants. \$260,000. (With R. Wagner and S. Woods).
2003	ACalibration of Conservation Theory and Principles Applied at Various Geographic Scales@ National Commission on Science for Sustainable Forestry \$99,725 (with Robert Mitchell, Jerry Franklin, Lisa Schulte, Kevin Mcintyre, and Brian Palik).
2003	"Effects of Roads on Movements and Mortality of Blandings and Spotted Turtles in Southern Maine" Maine Department of Transportation, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Maine Dept Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, The Nature Conservancy \$189,000. (with Phillip deMaynadier),
2001	Alnquiry-based learning modules for conservation biology education National Science Foundation \$998,000 plus (with Eleanor Sterling and James Gibbs)
2002	Use of Natural Disturbances to Guide Restoration Silviculture. National Commission on Science for Sustainable Forestry \$199,438 (with Robert Mitchell, Jerry Franklin, and Brian Palik)
1998	Amphibian Populations of Acadia National Park: Patterns and Processes in Relation to Anthropogenic and Natural Changes in Wetland Ecosystems. U.S. Geological Survey. \$210,000. (With A. Calhoun and W. Glanz)
1995-98.	*Conserving forest biodiversity. Pew Charitable Trusts. \$150,000. (with R. Seymour).
1993-96.	The ecology of vernal pools. USDA Forest Service, US Fish and Wildlife Service; U.S. E.P.A, \$39,000 (with M. McCollough)

1991	*Ecology and conservation of Blanding's and spotted turtles in Maine. Davis Conservation Foundation, Maine Dept. Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, \$16,000. (with M. McCollough)
1991	New England biodiversity project. Part 2. Environmental Protection Agency. \$100,000 (with R. O'Connor, R. Owen, and S. Sader).
1990	An ecological reserves system for Maine. Maine Research Fund. \$17,915. (with J. McMahon and G. Jacobson).
1988	Habitat selection by the African buffalo in Virunga National Park, Zaire. Rockefeller Foundation - \$25,400. (with E. Mugangu and J. R. Gilbert)
1985	Nepal-Himalayas red panda project. World Wildlife Fund, Metropolitan Toronto Zoo \$77,000 (with P. Yonzon).
1982	*The peatland wildlife of Maine. Maine Dept. Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Service - \$68,782.
1982	*Effects of acid precipitation on the aquatic habitat and ecology of waterfowl and fish. U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service - \$132,434. (with K. E. Gibbs and J. G. Stanley).
1982	*A long term environmental monitoring program for the spruce budworm suppression project. Maine Forest Service - \$45,998. (with K. E. Gibbs).
1971-81	*Monitoring the indirect effects of spruce budworm suppression, the effects of catastrophic food supply depression on the behavior of birds. Maine Forest Service. \$103,000

^{*}Senior or sole principal investigator.

Public Speaking

Hundreds of presentations in 15 countries, 27 states, and 8 Canadian provinces, mostly on forest biodiversity issues. Some notable talks 2007-2011:

Managing highly dynamic forests for biodiversity. Keynote address to IUFRO (International Union of Forestry Research Organizations) conference in Braganca Portugal.

Designing refuges that are resilient to climate change. National Conservation Leadership Forum, National Conservation Training Center, West Virginia.

Designing refuges to maintain biodiversity in the face of climate change. National Fish, Wildlife and Plants Climate Adaptation Strategy Team, Washington, D.C.

Managing forests for biodiversity. The Carlton Owen Distinguished Lecture, College of Forest Resources, Mississippi State University.

Managing forests for wildlife and people: an historical perspective. International Congress for Conservation Biology, Beijing China

"Biodiversity: buzzword or fundamental concept?" Distinguished Lecturer for Science Day. University of Maine at Presque Isle.

Amphibians and forestry: a 19-year retrospective from Maine. University of Connecticut

Maintaining forest biodiversity in a period of uncertain climate change. Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources, University of Georgia

Teaching

1979-pr	University of Maine Graduate School. Advisor for 21 Ph.D. and 16 Masters students in Wildlife Ecology. Served on 50 graduate committees in 8 departments.
1979-pr	University of Maine, Dept. Wildlife Ecology: Advanced Conservation Biology; Conservation Biology; Conservation planning, Forest Wildlife Management; International Conservation; Landscape Ecology and Conservation; Tropical Ecology field course; Introduction to Wildlife Conservation; Wildlife Management Planning; Behavioral Ecology; Photogrammetry (labs); Senior Seminar.
1978-79	University of Maine Honors Program: Sophomore seminar; Freshman seminar. Superviæd four honor's theses.
1986	Wildlife populations and habitat management workshop for Nepali biologists.
1978	Oxford University: Introduction to Ecology.
1972-73	Abenaki Experimental College: Maine Ecosystems; Maine Fauna.

Dennis J. Lowry

Mr. Lowry is a Senior Wetland Ecologist who brings to the firm a national reputation in wetland ecology developed from his graduate work on relationships between hydrology and ecology in forested wetland systems as well as over 25 years of experience in wetland restoration and creation. Mr. Lowry has managed over 100 major projects, and has participated in hundreds of smaller projects. Recently his efforts have been devoted to large, complex development, highway and ecological restoration projects. On such projects he deals with all aspects of the development process including site feasibility assessment, project design and strategic planning, project team coordination, environmental permitting, construction supervision, and post-construction monitoring. Much of this work has involved the management of large multi-disciplinary teams, often comprised of several firms to develop cost-effective solutions to our clients' environmental issues. A large part of Mr. Lowry's efforts is focused on strategic input, where he is able to apply his considerable knowledge of regulatory programs and policies to set a successful strategy for the project. Mr. Lowry is also a significant technical contributor to projects, providing his expertise in the area of wetland ecology and hydrogeology, impact assessment, mitigation and creation. Mr. Lowry is recognized nationally for his contributions to wetland science, has provided expert testimony, and has several publications on the subject of wetland mitigation including a chapter published in the EPA's 'Wetland Creation and Restoration: The Status of the Science' (EPA 600/3-89-038a). In 1996 he received the Massachusetts Wetlands Restoration Award from the Executive Office of Environmental Affairs "in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the science of wetland restoration."

Years Experience:

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Technical Specialties

- Wetland Science
- Wetland Mitigation and Ecological Restoration
- Environmental Impact Assessment
- Water Quality Assessment
- Wildlife Biology
- Environmental Permitting

Professional History

- AECOM
- ENSR
- Fugro East, Inc.
- IEP, Inc.
- Massachusetts Department of Environmental Management

Education

- MS (Plant and Soil Science) University of Rhode Island, Kingston
- BS (Biology) Tufts University

Representative Project Experience

Wetland Mitigation, Route 146/Massachusetts Turnpike Interchange. Designed over 7 acres of compensatory wetlands as mitigation for impacts due to the construction of this new interchange. Contributed to final permitting under state and federal requirements, and provided construction oversight.

Herring River Restoration Plan, Wellfleet, MA. The Herring River (Wellfleet, MA) with its associated salt and freshwater marshes, tributary streams, and vast floodplain is the largest riverine and estuarine system within the Cape Cod National Seashore (CCNS). The myriad of adverse environmental effects this system has suffered as a result of the construction of the tidal flow-restricting Chequessett Neck Road dike in 1908 is well documented and has been a major concern for resource managers for decades. Efforts to plan and implement the long-term restoration of more than 1,000 acres of habitat along the Herring River have been in development, and Mr. Lowry has managed AECOM's part in this restoration effort, the largest and most ambitious wetland restoration project undertaken in Massachusetts, alongside the Town of Wellfleet, the National Park Service, several State and Federal regulatory review agencies, and other restoration partners and sponsors. Mr. Lowry has directed AECOM's preparation of the Herring River Conceptual Restoration Plan, which explains the purpose and need for the restoration project, describes the affected environment and all potential impacts, presents restoration alternatives, and proposes the planned operation, adaptive management, and monitoring protocols. With the Herring River situated in the Wellfleet Harbor Area of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC), consideration of the ACEC requirements was warranted in the development of the Conceptual Restoration Plan.

Housatonic River Restoration Assessment—General Electric. Mr. Lowry has directed AECOM's role in the development and assessment of ecological restoration measures to mitigate the impacts from a range of riverine, riverbank, and floodplain wetland remedial alternatives that are being evaluated to attenuate PCB exposure levels in

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the Housatonic River system. Procedures were developed to inventory and assess the functions of riverine and floodplain wetland habitats, prepare conceptual restoration plans and procedures, and assess the reliability that remedial restoration measures would restore ecological functions. A significant effort was applied to the assessment of the potential impacts on roughly 30 state-listed species under the Massachusetts Endangered Species Act, including determinations of whether remedial work would result in a regulatory "take" of a significant portion of the local species population. With the remedial work proposed with the Upper Housatonic ACEC, consideration of the ACEC requirements was also incorporated into the assessment of remedial alternatives and restoration plans.

I-95/Route 128 Transportation Improvement Project, MassDOT. Mr. Lowry has managed AECOM's work for MassDOT in this project to improve this vital roadway between Route 24 in Randolph and Route 9 in Wellesley, Massachusetts, including the I-95/93 interchange. Work has included extensive wetland, stormwater, and rare species investigations and permitting, including numerous Notices of Intent under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and two Notices of Project Change to MEPA. AECOM is currently providing environmental permitting and engineering services in connection with the proposed reconstruction of a 5.4 kilometer section of the Route 128 (I-95) Add-A-Lane project, extending from Great Plain Avenue in Needham and ending at the Route 128 interchange crossing over Route 9 in Wellesley. Services include wetland delineation and confirmation of jurisdictional boundaries with state and local authorities, and final permitting of the project design, to include FEIR Notice of Project Change submittals, and Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act Variance permitting. With significant stretches of the highway work situated within state-listed species habitats as well as the Fowl Meadow/Ponkapoag Bog ACEC, these regulatory requirements of these resource areas were addressed through the project design and permitting processes.

US Army Corps of Engineers Charles River Enhanced Shoreline Stabilization Project, MA. This project focused on evaluating the potential for ecological risks associated with sediment exposure in the Charles River, an urbanized, highly visible aquatic resource in the Greater Boston area. Mr. Lowry contributed to the bioengineering design of the riverbank to achieve protective stabilization of the riverfront area to ensure sediment exposure would not be an issue while also contributing to aesthetic and biological conditions.

Stream Relocation/Enhancement, Meriden Square Mall, Connecticut. Designed and permitted the relocation and enhancement of 1,000 linear feet of Cathole Brook and nearly one acre of adjacent wetland habitat for the redesign/expansion of the mall. Cold-water fish habitat measures were specifically targeted.

CIGNA, Master Plan of Redevelopment, Bloomfield, Connecticut. Conducted wetland and habitat studies and assisted in project design and permitting efforts for this multi-use project on the campus of CIGNA's operations headquarters. The plan included a championship golf course, 1.8 million square feet of office space, four residential communities, retail uses, and improvements to nearby roadways. Mr. Lowry provided the lead environmental services, including local wetlands permitting, rare species investigations, CTDEP Stream Channel Encroachment and Water Diversion permitting, and Federal Clean Water Act (Sections 404 and 401).

Riverfront Recapture and Commerce Center Corporation, Wetland delineation, inventory/assessment and mitigation, East Harford, Connecticutt. Mr. Lowry provided wetland, wildlife habitat, and design/permitting services for this riverfront park and adjacent office park and magnet school development. As part of this work, Mr. Lowry designed/permitted 2 acres of Connecticut River forested floodplain wetland. Mr. Lowry conducted long-term monitoring of the floodplain wetland forest to document its successful establishment.

Wetland Inventory, Permit Preparation, Wetland Mitigation Design and Monitoring for Business Park Developments, Southern New England. Managed demarcating and inventory of wetland areas according to local, state and federal wetland regulations at numerous sites in southern New England, including related environmental issues such as rare species and water quality. Permit applications were submitted to local, state and federal

regulatory agencies and permits were obtained from the local Conservation/Wetland Commissions/State Agencies for site development and wetland replacement to mitigate for wetland impacts. Performed construction oversight for wetland replacement excavation and planting. Conducted wetland monitoring to determine success of wetland vegetation. Examples include Westford Technology Park and Bedford Woods in Massachusetts (for The Gutierrez Company), ING, ADVO and CIGNA in Connecticut, and Crosby Office Park (for Equity Office) in Bedford, MA.

Retail Development Site Selection, Impact Assessment, Mitigation Design, and Permitting, Connecticut, Massachusetts and New Hampshire. Managed environmental site assessments and permitting on numerous proposed retail sites throughout Connecticut, Massachusetts and New Hampshire. Projects have included regional malls and strip centers, Wal-Mart, Target Stores, Home Depot, Lowes Home Center, Homegoods, Stop and Shop and other major retailers. Provided initial conceptual planning and design, constraints analysis, wetland delineation, rare species, and hydrogeologic investigations during the planning phases of the projects. Coordinated the preparation, presentation and processing of wetland permit applications through the public hearing processes. Provided analyses of stormwater management, buffer zones, habitat enhancement and aquifer protection aspects of the proposed developments. Presided over erosion control monitoring and NPDES monitoring for compliance with environmental permits issued by state, local and federal regulatory authorities.

Superfund Project Wetland Remediation, New Bedford, Holbrook and Woburn, Massachusetts and Woodstock, Connecticut. Project manager on Superfund projects evaluating remediation options for wetland and upland habitats in New Bedford, Holbrook, Pittsfield and Woburn, MA and Woodstock, CT.

Emerald Square Mall, New England Development, Construction of Wetlands for Stormwater Treatment, North Attleborough, Massachusetts. Directed and supervised the construction of wetlands for stormwater treatment, including excavation, dewatering, soil deposition, planting, and monitoring. Over ten years of detailed, monthly water quality investigations demonstrated the effectiveness of the design at treating runoff quality from nearly 100 acres of impervious area. The project received awards for excellence in design from both the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management (DEM), and served as a model for stormwater management systems and guidelines developed during the 1990's.

Environmental Permitting Oversight, New England Transmission Line Projects: Provided input and oversight of environmental permitting of transmission line projects in southern New England, including the New England East-West Solutions (NEEWS) project (Greater Springfield Reliability Project and Interstate Reliability Project).

ABB/Winstanley Master Plan of Redevelopment, Great Pond, Windsor, Connecticut. Conducted wetland and habitat studies and assisted in project design and permitting efforts for this multi-use project on ABB's Combustion Engineering site. The site was undergoing remediation and closure from over 50 years of research, development, engineering, production, and servicing of nuclear and fossil fuel systems, and a Master Plan of redevelopment was warranted. AECOM worked with project team members in the development of the Master Plan, and has been working on a phased approach for the site redevelopment which will include residential, commercial, and civic development space on roughly 300 acres, along with over 300 acres of preserved land. Mr. Lowry provided the lead environmental services, including local wetlands permitting, rare species investigations, CTDEEP permitting, and Federal Clean Water Act permitting (Sections 404 and 401).

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Professional Preparation

Ph.D. Microbial Ecology, University of Maine, 1996

M.S. Wetland Ecology, University of Rhode Island, 1989

M.A. Education, Rhode Island College, 1985

A.B. American Civilization, Brown University, 1981

Appointments

2011-present	Professor of Wetland Ecology (UMaine)
2011-present	Director, Ecology and Environmental Sciences Program (UMaine)
2004-2011	Associate Professor Wetland Ecology (UMaine)
1998-2004	Assistant Professor Wetland Ecology (UMaine)
1996-1997	Assistant Research Professor (UMaine)

<u>Peer-reviewed Journal Articles</u> (graduate students *):

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Special recognition/awards

- 2010 Outstanding Associate Editor Award, Wetlands
- 2008 College Outstanding Public Service Award
- 2005 Visiting Professor, Joseph Jones Ecological Research Center, GA
- 2004 College Outstanding Teacher Award
- 2004 Visiting Scholar Australian National University
- 1995 Switzer Fellow and leadership awards

Synergistic activities

I worked over a decade as a wetland scientist with Maine Audubon Society (1999-2011), a role in addition to my University job supported by a Switzer Leadership Fellowship. I continued to fund this position post-Switzer as a link between my research and outreach and policy work. I continue in this role through my work with 13 Maine towns in vernal pool conservation planning, by producing technical publications, creating and maintaining a vernal pool website (www.umaine.edu/vernalpools), and organizing and conducting vernal pool workshops directed toward citizens, and conservation, development, and forestry interests. I continue to be active in state and

federal wetland policy development. I served on a wetland task force including a Vernal Pools Working Group (resulted in passing 2 wetland bills that strengthened wetland regulations for vernal pools and other small wetlands), a Wetland Mitigation Working Group, and a member of both a scientific advisory board and steering committee for the Penobscot River Restoration Project. I am currently working with the US Army Corps of Engineers and multiple Maine state agencies to develop innovative vernal pool conservation policies with two Maine towns that will serve as model towns for pool conservation efforts in New England.

I serve as an informal advisor to a number states and provinces trying to launch vernal pool conservation programs (Virginia, Massachusetts, Wisconsin, New Brunswick) and as a formal advisor on wetland projects dealing with mercury contamination in vernal pool and salt marsh systems.

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