








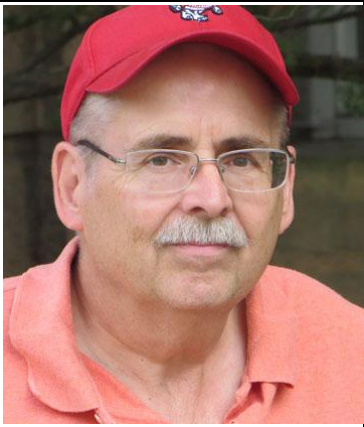







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2		<p>Jennifer Zaspel  jzaspel@purdue.edu</p> <p>Purdue University Entomology Department (Assistant Professor); Purdue Entomological Research Collection (Director)</p>	InvertNet	Participant
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4		<p>Jacob Higgins  Jacob.Higgins@nau.edu  Northern Arizona University</p> <p>Works in the Colorado Plateau Museum of Arthropod Biodiversity and is pursuing an M.S. in the Department of Biological Sciences. His research focuses on the arthropod response to fire regimes in Mesa Verde National Park.</p>	SCAN	Participant





5		<p>Una Farrell ufarrell@ku.edu</p> <p>I'm Una Farrell, Invertebrate Paleontology Collection Manager at the University of Kansas. I did my undergraduate in Geology at Trinity College, Dublin, and then I worked on exceptionally-preserved trilobites from Upstate New York for my PhD at Yale. Currently, I'm working on digitizing our Pennsylvanian fossils at KU.</p>	Paleoniches	Participant
6		<p>Nina Abdollahian mizninaa@gmail.com nina.abdollahian@gmail.com San Jose State University (SJSU)</p> <p>Graduate Student studying Paleontology</p>	Paleoniches	Participant
7		<p>Hanna Braeme HMRbrame@gmail.com</p> <p>My name is Hannah Brame and I am a graduate student in the Department of Geological Sciences at Ohio University, working under Dr. Alycia Stigall. My thesis focuses on modeling ecological niches for several invertebrate genera of the Late Ordovician. Currently, I am employed as a research assistant, georeferencing and digitizing specimens from our Cincinnati invertebrate collection as part of an NSF TCN digitization project.</p>	Paleoniches	Participant
8		<p>Shannon Asencio sasencio@nybg.org</p> <p>Shannon Asencio is the Project Coordinator for the Macrofungi Collections Consortium, and is based at The New York Botanical Garden (NYBG), Bronx, NY. Shannon has worked at NYBG for over seven years as a research assistant and project coordinator. She obtained her B.Sc. and M.Sc. from the University of Saskatchewan in Saskatoon, Canada, where she studied environmental biology and plant systematics.</p>	Macrofungi	Participant

9		<p>Benito Santos bsantos@nybg.org</p> <p>Benito Santos Lorenzo, New York Botanical Garden. I am a Plant Biologist with almost 10 years of experience cataloguing plants in the New York Botanical Garden Herbarium. I also have experience georeferencing localities and creating maps using GIS.</p>	Macrofungi	Participant
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12		<p>Kevin Cummings kscummin@illinois.edu</p> <p>Illinois Natural History Survey - University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign I am Curator of Mollusks at the Illinois Natural History Survey. My research interests include the conservation, systematics and ecology of freshwater mollusks and the protection of freshwater habitats; primarily streams. I have conducted fieldwork in the Amazon, Orinoco, Zambezi, Congo, and Mississippi river systems. I've served on various state, federal, and professional society committees on conservation of freshwater mollusks including: Illinois Endangered Species Technical Advisory Committee (ESTAC) on Invertebrates, American Fisheries Society, Endangered Species Committee, Endangered Freshwater Mussels Subcommittee, American Malacological Society, Conservation Committee, and the Upper Mississippi River Conservation Committee.</p>	LBCC	Participant





13		<p>Mark Allen Wetter mawetter@wisc.edu</p> <p>Collections Manager/Senior Academic Curator, Wisconsin State Herbarium at University of Wisconsin-Madison. Expertise in herbarium management and procedures, also serve as editor/database manager for the Wisconsin Botanical Information System (WBIS) vascular plant specimen records (370,000+ mostly Wisconsin) part of our WISFlora project [<a href="http://www.botany.wisc.edu/wisflora/">http://www.botany.wisc.edu/wisflora/</a>]. Little or no georeferencing skills as of yet.</p>	LBCC	Participant
14		<p>Clare Loughran cwloughran@ucdavis.edu</p> <p>I am Clare Loughran a recent graduate of UC Davis. I spent two years at the UC Davis Center for Plant Diversity. I am now working with the Jepson and University Herbaria to curate, image, and database their bryophyte, lichen and macro-fungi collections.</p>	LBCC	Participant
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20		<p>Margaret Landis paleocatstar@ou.edu</p> <p>Margaret Landis is the Paleobotany, Micropaleontology, &amp; Mineralogy Collection Manager at the Sam Noble Oklahoma Museum of Natural History (Sam Noble Museum or SNOMNH for short). Her background includes 16 years in museum experience and 10 years of GIS experience with a Masters based on using GIS/computer mapping to plot historical fossil localities based on geographical and geological locality information.</p>		Participant
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22		<p>Jennifer Thomas jct@ku.edu</p> <p>I'm the Assistant Collection Manager in the Entomology Division at the University of Kansas Natural History Museum &amp; Biodiversity Research Institute. I hold a Masters Degree in Entomology and a Bachelor of Science in Organismal Biology with an Entomology focus. I've been working in Entomology research collections since 2006. I have teaching and research experience in Insect Genetics and DNA sequencing as well as teaching experience in Human Anatomy (Observation and Dissection labs).</p>		Participant

23		<p>Angelika Nelson nelson.794@osu.edu Dept. Evolution, Ecology and Organismal Biology The Ohio State University Columbus OH 43210</p> <p>I am a behavioral ecologist, my main research focuses on bird song and sexual selection. I am the curator of the animal sound lab (Borror laboratory of Bioacoustics) and curator of the tetrapod collection at The Ohio State University.</p>		Participant
24		<p>Emily Aker eaker@fas.harvard.edu</p> <p>Emily Aker has worked as a Curatorial Assistant in MCZ's Ornithology and Collections Operations departments since 2009. Her current role focuses on data development, management, and enhancement as 10 distinct research collections migrate to an integrated relational database. Emily also facilitates staff database trainings and coordinates digitization and data cleaning projects for the collections as well as manages the MCZbase wiki.</p>		Participant
25		<p>Terri Hildebrand hildebrand@suu.edu Assistant Professor, Southern Utah University</p> <p>Evolution &amp; Population Genetics of Plants; Curator, SUU Herbarium; Field Work: Flora and TES Inventories; Molecular Tools as well as field studies; Collaborations with federal agencies</p>		Participant
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