#### Curriculum Vitae Updated 8/2023 Todd Jared Brinkman, Ph.D. Associate Professor, Wildlife Ecology University of Alaska Fairbanks (UAF)

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#### **EDUCATION**

2009	Ph.D. Wildlife Ecology. University of Alaska Fairbanks
2003	M.S. Wildlife Science. South Dakota State University
2000	B.S. Biology & Environmental Science. Minnesota State University

#### **PROFESSIONAL GOALS & RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Through interdisciplinary research and education, my fundamental goal is to advance knowledge on how to enhance positive and mitigate negative human-wildlife interactions. My primary research interests include: 1) human dimensions of wildlife management, 2) large mammal ecology, and 3) modeling interactions among humans, wildlife, and rapidly changing social, economic, and ecological conditions.

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2022 pres Chair, Wildlife Program of Department Biology & Wildlife Department
- 2019 pres Associate Professor, Wildlife Ecology
- 2014 19 Assistant Professor, Wildlife Ecology
- 2013 18 Associate Director, Resilience and Adaptation Program, UAF
- 2011 14 Research Assistant Professor, UAF
- 2009 11 Post Doctoral Research Fellow, UAF
- 2003 09 PhD Research Assistant, UAF
- 2000 03 MS Research Assistant, South Dakota State University, Brookings
- 1997 00 Wildlife Research Technician, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

# TEACHING

#### Course Instructor

- 2019 pres Human Dimensions of Wildlife Management (WLF470/670)
- 2014 pres Principles & Techniques of Wildlife Management (WLF322)
- 2015 17 Survey of Wildlife Science (WLF101)
- 2012 13 Integrated Assessment & Adaptive Management (NRM649)
- 2011 12 Ecological Background in Resilience and Adaptation (NRM616)
- 2010 Mammalogy (WLF425)

#### Workshop Instructor

- 2019 Soundscapes and viewscapes. K-12 Harold Kaveolook School, Kaktovik, Alaska.
- 2018 Adaptation Workshop: Community Research Partnerships, Fairbanks, AK
- 2014 Integrating Social and Ecological Data to Inform Moose Management. 48<sup>th</sup> North American Moose Conference, Girdwood, AK

- 2013 Estimating Deer Abundance Using Non-Invasive DNA. Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, Corvallis, OR
- 2012 Tongass National Forest Vulnerability Assessment. USDA Forest Service, Juneau, AK *Course Guest Lectures (last 5 years only)*
- 2018-23 Wildlife Management (6AE216), Wildlife Management (NATF330), Human Dimensions of Wildlife (6EV322), Resilience Seminar II (BIO668), Ecology and Management of Large Mammals (WLF421), Climate Journal Club (ATM620), Decision Analysis for Conservation (WLF694), Anthropocene (NRM692), INDS Research Seminar (INDS698), Mammalogy (BIO425), Climate Change Seminar Series (F692), Ecosystem Ecology (BIO672), Research Seminar (INDS698), Human Dimensions of Environmental Systems (F411/611), Resilience Seminar I (BIO667), Community-Based Research Methods (RD640), Landscape Ecology (WLF469), Ornithology (WLF426), Intro to Wildlife Survey (WLF101)

# **MENTORING & SUPERVISING**

## Early Career Faculty

2021 – 23 Toby Schwoerer, Research Asst. Prof, IARC, UAF

## Post Doctoral Research

- 2023 pres Scott Leorna, PhD. Camera-based methods for caribou movement
- 2022 23 Taylor Stinchcomb, PhD. Interior resident environmental value orientations
- 2020 pres Heather Greaves, PhD. Snow impacts on human-environment interactions
- 2016 22 Dana Brown, PhD. Climate-driven disturbances affecting access to wild resources
- 2018 19 Casey Brown, PhD. Evaluating community research partnerships

# Graduate Student Research (Advisor)

- 2023 pres Maeghan Connor (Co-Advisor), MS, Spotted seal monitoring
- 2023 pres Forrest Rosenbower, MS, Bull moose movement in Interior Alaska
- 2023 pres Max Plichta, MS, Soundscape ecology on the North Slope
- 2022 23 Elizabeth Ford, MS, Black brant nest predation
- 2022 23 Randall Friendly, MS, Effects of winter conditions on spectacled eider
- 2022 pres Bob Wiltzen, MS, Brook survival of rock ptarmigan
- 2022 pres Binta Wold, MS, Human-bear interaction
- 2022 pres Michelle Quillin (Co-Advisor), MS, Rural community vulnerability to wildfire
- 2019 23 Cade Kellam, MS. Effects of snow and timber slash on deer habitat quality
- 2019 23 Scott Leorna, PhD. Summer distribution of caribou in northern Alaska
- 2019 23 Luke Metherell (Co-advisor), MS, Dall's sheep forage characteristics
- 2019 22 Megan Perra, MS. Natural and anthropogenic soundscapes across northern Alaska
- 2019 22 Gwen Quigley, MS. Behavioral response of polar bear to tourism activities
- 2017 18 Qobiljon Shokirov, PhD. (visiting) Community-based conservation in Tajikistan
- 2017 18 Alice de Moraes. PhD. (visiting) Community-based ecosystem stewardship
- 2017 19 Scott Leorna. MS. Stakeholder communication within a caribou hunting system
- 2016 18 Tessa Hasbrouck. MS. Environmental effects on moose harvest
- 2016 18 Helen Cold. M.S. Effects of climate on access to ecosystem services in Alaska
- 2015 pres Jon Martin. Ph.D. Deer response to forest management strategies
- 2015 17 Taylor Stinchcomb. Social-ecological soundscapes and aircraft-hunter conflict
- 2014 19 Nils Pederson. Human-bear interactions in the North Slope Oil Fields of Alaska
- 2013 15 Ian Johnson. Movements of moose hunters and wolves in the Yukon Flats, Alaska

# Undergraduate Student Research (Supervisor)

- 2022 pres Sable Scotton, Caribou movement (BLAST)
- 2022 23 Gabriel Smith, Bear behavior at bear baiting stations
- 2022 23 Jackson Magie, *Diversity within the wildlife profession* (URSA)
- 2021 22 Aidan Hunter, Brian Zang, Reindeer hearing thresholds (URSA)
- 2019 21 Shelby McCahon. Characteristics of recreational use of Creamer's Wildlife Refuge.
- 2016 18 Luke Rollie Rogers. Social class effects on captive wood bison behavior
- 2017 18 Gwendolyn Quigley. Drone-based assessments of wildfire fuel breaks
- 2016 Ianjon Brower. Alaska Native Science and Engineering Program (ANSEP) Community-based monitoring of environmental change in Nuiqsut, Alaska
- 2016 Scott Leorna. Influence of weather conditions on Dall sheep harvest success

Graduate Student Research (Committee Member)

2012-pres 13 PhD & 4 MS students

Undergraduate Student Advising

2014-23 10-15 students

# **RESEARCH PARTNERSHIPS & COLLABORATIONS (current only)**

#### Academic

Inland Norway University of Applied Sciences; Norwegian Institute of Nature Research, Columbia University; Utah State University, University of Idaho; Brooklyn College, University of New York; University of Colorado; University of Washington; Colorado State University *Agency* 

US Fish and Wildlife Service; Parks Canada; US Bureau of Land Management; US Geological Survey; US National Park Service; Alaska Department of Fish and Game; USDA NRCS & Forest Service

#### Nonprofit Organizations & Conservation Groups

The Wilderness Society; Sustainable Southeast Partnership of Alaska; The Nature Conservancy; Wildlife Conservation Society

#### Alaska Tribal Organizations & Private Companies

Hydaburg Cooperative Association; Tanana Chiefs Conference; Center for Alaska Native Health Research; Huna Totem; Sealaska Corporation; ConocoPhillips Alaska; Hilcorp Inc; numerous Village Tribal Councils in Interior, Northern, and Western Alaska.

## **SERVICE** (last 5 years)

#### University of Alaska

- 2022 pres Chair, Wildlife Program of Dept. of Biology and Wildlife
- 2023 Western US High School Counselor presentation & discuss
- 2023 pres Chancellor's R1 Steering Committee
- 2022 23 Chancellor's IAB/B&W Dept. Task Force
- 2019 2021 Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) Member
- 2018 pres Alaska EPSCoR Boreal Team Co-Lead
- 2017 pres Institute of Arctic Biology Director's Council
- 2017 pres Faculty Hiring Committees (n=5)
- 2015 pres Steering Committee Member, Alaska Observatory and Knowledge Hub
- 2015 pres Faculty Advisor to the <u>Student Chapter</u> of Alaska Chapter of The Wildlife Society
- 2014 2019 Steering Committee, <u>Community Partnerships for Self-Reliance</u> (CPS)

# Professional

- 2022 23 Advisor to Wildlife Professional Diversity Project, The Wildlife Society
- 2020 23 Deer Summit Organizing Committee, The Nature Conservancy
- 2019 2021 Chair: NASA Ecosystem Services and Co-Production Working Group
- 2018 pres Chair: Research Oversight Committee, Genomics Canada
- 2002 pres Manuscript Reviewer ~30 different journals including *Behaviour; Climate Change; Conservation Genetics; Ecological Applications; Ecology, Ecology and Society; Environmental Research Letters; Human Dimensions of Wildlife Management; Journal of Applied Ecology; Journal of Mammalogy; Journal of Wildlife Management; Weather, Climate, and Society; Wildlife Biology*
- 20002 pres Agency Report Reviewer: USFWS, ADFG, NPS

# **RESEARCH FUNDING (US dollars)**

## Principle Investigator (PI) or Institutional PI\*

- 2023 \$30,791. ADFG. Bull moose distribution and movement
- 2023 \$78,220. NSF. Fostering rural and Indigenous knowledge sharing on caribou
- 2022 \$279,868. ADFG. Human-bear conflict in Juneau, Alaska
- 2021 \$49,979. USFWS. Polar bear response to aircraft activity
- 2021 \$252,636. USGS. Addressing hunting concerns to facilitate climate adaptation
- 2019 \$65,657. USDA Forest Service. Integration of snow and timber slash into deer models
- 2019 \*\$214,568. NASA. Social-ecological consequences of changing snow- and ice-scapes
- 2019 \$180,491. USFWS. Monitoring polar bear behavior in relating to tourism viewing
- 2019 \$79,257. USDA NRCS. Sulzer portage deer project
- 2019 \$43,000. USDA Forest Service PNW Research Station. Improving deer habitat models
- 2018 \*\$699,237. NSF. Soundscape Ecology to Assess Wildlife Behavior
- 2018 \$25,000. USDA Forest Service. Effects of snow and timber slash on deer habitat
- 2016 \$93,941. Sealaska Corporation. Deer response to young growth forest
- 2016 \$15,652. Alaska Defenders of Wildlife. *Monitoring polar bear dens using UAVs*
- 2016 \$129,118. National Fish and Wildlife Foundation. Polar bear den detection
- 2015 \$794,010. NASA Climate-related access to ecosystem services in Boreal Alaska
- 2015 \$5,000. Alaska Songbird Institute. Songbird student internship
- 2015 \$1,525,275. NSF. Coupling of Human-environment systems to explore subsistence
- 2014 \$50,000. USDA Forest Service. Effects of wildfire on subsistence opportunities in Alaska
- 2014 \$55,000. Alaska Department of Fish & Game. Alaska sheep hunter survey
- 2012 \$27,000. Council of Athabascan Tribal Governments. Land use mapping project
- 2012 \$45,500. US Army Corp of Engineers. Tanana Flats Training Area moose study
- 2012 \$40,000. USDA Forest Service. Climate change and sustainable communities
- 2010 \$26,000. Alaska Department of Fish & Game. Deer monitoring on Chichagof Island

# Co-PI

- 2023 \$10m (\$81,050). NSF. Bonanza Creek LTER Changing disturbance regimes
- 2019 \$109,529. National Park Service. Changes in winter access to subsistence resources
- 2017 \$368,822. NSF. Nutritional landscapes of arctic caribou
- 2015 \$1,024,116. NASA Assessing environmental change on Dall sheep
- 2011 \$64,502. USFS Tongass climate change vulnerability assessment
- 2007 \$64,000. USFS Estimating deer abundance in Southeast Alaska
- 2007 \$15,000. Alaska Department of Fish and Game Designing genetic primers for deer

- 2007 \$2,142,115. NSY International Polar Year Impacts of change on ecosystem services
- 2005 \$224,000. USFSe Estimating deer abundance in Southeast Alaska

# Co-I or Senior Scientist (my portion)

- 2023 \$1,075,962. NIH. Alaska Alliance for Community Engagement Climate and Health
- 2019 \$22m (\$606,000). NSF EPSCoR. Alaska Fire & Ice: Boreal and Coastal Ecosystems
- 2017 \$10m (\$173,106). NSF LTER: Responses of the Alaskan boreal forest to disturbance
- 2012 \$20,999,897 (\$200,000). NSF EPSCoR. Alaska Adapting to Changing Environments

# HONORS (last 5 years only)

- 2022 Nominee for Gilliam Fellowship, Howard Hughes Medical Institute
- 2020 Outstanding Teaching Award, College of Natural Science & Mathematics, UAF
- 2017 Wilburforce Fellowship in Conservation Science
- 2015 Dennis Demmert Award, Rural Student Services, Exemplary commitment and service to the students of University of Alaska Fairbanks

#### PUBLICATIONS (last 5 years only, full list available through <u>Google Scholar</u>) 60+ Peer-reviewed Journal Articles (\*supervised student or Post Doc)

- 2023 \*Dana R. N. Brown, Christopher D. Arp, Todd J. Brinkman, Barbara A. Cellarius, Melanie Engram, Mark E. Miller & Katie V. Spellman (2023) Long-term change and geospatial patterns of river ice cover and navigability in Southcentral Alaska detected with remote sensing, Arctic, Antarctic, and Alpine Research, 55:1, DOI: 10.1080/15230430.2023.2241279
- 2023 \*Greaves, H. E., Boelman, N. T., Brinkman, T. J., Liston, G. E., Prugh, L. R., & Reinking, A. K. (2023). Simulating future climate change impacts on snow-and icerelated driving hazards in Arctic-boreal regions. Environmental Research Letters, 18, 025006
- 2023 \*McCahon, S., Brinkman, T., & Klimstra, R. (2023). Estimating encounter probabilities among recreational trail user groups. Journal of Outdoor Recreation and Tourism, 42, 100614.
- 2022 \*Leorna, S., & Brinkman, T. (2022). Human vs. machine: Detecting wildlife in camera trap images. Ecological Informatics, 72, 101876.
- 2022 Cunningham, C. X., Liston, G. E., Reinking, A. K., Boelman, N. T., Brinkman, T. J., Joly, K., ... others. (2022). Human and animal movements combine with snow to increase moose-vehicle collisions in winter. Environmental Research Letters, 17, 125007.
- 2022 Brinkman T, Billy C, Stevens B, Wright B, Simeon J, Ervin B, Jorene J, Ninguelook G, Heeringa K, Nu J, Rasmus S. Changes in Sharing and Participation are Important Predictors of the Health of Traditional Harvest Practices in Indigenous Communities in Alaska. Human Ecology SOI: 10.1007/s10745-022-00342-4
- 2022 Reinking A, ...Brinkman TJ,... Collaborative wildlife-snow science: integrating wildlife and snow expertise to improve research and management. Ecosphere 13(6): e4094
- 2022 \*Leorna S, Brinkman TJ, Fullman T. 2022. Estimating animal size and distance in camera trap images: photogrammetry using the pinhole camera model. Methods in Ecology and Evolution DOI: 10.1111/2041-210X.13880
- 2022 \*Brown DR, Brinkman, TJ, Neufeld G, Naaktgeboren L, Brown C, Cold H. Geospatial patterns and models of subsistence land use in rural Interior Alaska. Ecology and Society 27:2.

- 2022 \*Perra M, Brinkman TJ, Scheifele P, Barcalow S. Expanding auditory thresholds for reindeer, *Rangifer tarandus*. Journal of Veterinary Behavior 52-53:37-44.
- 2021 \*Rogers LR, Brinkman TJ, Seaton TC, Curl JA. Social hierarchy and its implications for feeding behavior in captive wood bison. Wildlife Society Bulletin (*In review*)
- 2021 \*Perra M, Brinkman TJ. Seeing science: using graphics to communicate research. Ecosphere 12(10), e03786
- 2021 \*Gibson, C, Brinkman T, Cold H, Brown D, Turetsky M. Identifying increasing risks of hazards for northern land-users caused by permafrost thaw: integrating scientific and community-based research approaches. Environmental Research Letters 16 064047
- 2021 Bahlai CA, Hart C, Kavanaugh MT, White JD, Ruess RW, Brinkman TJ, ... Cascading effects: insights from the US Long Term Ecological Research Network. Ecosphere 12(5), e03430
- 2021 Schmidt J, Byrd A, Curl J, Brinkman TJ, Heeringa K. Stoking the flame: Subsistence and wood energy in rural Alaska, United States. Energy Research & Social Science 71 101819
- 2020 \*Stinchcomb T, Brinkman TJ, Betchkal D. Extensive aircraft activity impacts subsistence areas: acoustic evidence from Arctic Alaska. Environmental Research Letters. 15(11), 115005
- 2020 \*Hasbrouck T, Brinkman, TJ, Stout, Kielland, K. Assessing moose hunter distribution to explore hunter competition. Alces 56:79-95
- 2020 Brown, DR, Brinkman, TJ, Bolton, W, Hollingsworth TN, Verbyla DL. Implications of climate variability and changing hydrology for subarctic riverbank erosion. Climatic Change https://doi.org/10.1007/s10584-020-02748
- 2020 \*Leorna S, Brinkman TJ, McIntyre J, Wendling B, Prugh L. Association between weather and Dall's sheep Ovis dalli dalli harvest success in Alaska. Wildlife Biology (2) https://doi.org/10.2981/wlb.00660
- \*Cold H, Brinkman TJ, Brown C, Hollingsworth T, Verbyal D, Brown D, Heeringa K.
   Assessing vulnerability of subsistence travel to effects of environmental change in Interior Alaska. Ecology & Society 25(1): 20
- 2020 \*Leorna S, Brinkman TJ, Kofinas G, Kielland K, Welker J. Exploring stakeholder communication within a caribou hunting system of Arctic Alaska. Human Dimensions of Wildlife Management 25(3):199-214.
- 2020 \*Hasbrouck, T, Brinkman, TJ, Stout, G, Trochim, E, Kielland, K. Quantifying effects of environmental factors on moose harvest in Interior Alaska. Wildlife Biology (2)
- 2020 \*Pedersen NJ, Brinkman TJ, Shideler RT, Perham CJ. Effects of environmental conditions on the use of forward-looking infrared for bear den detection. Conservation Science and Practice 2(7)
- 2019 Heeringa K, Huntington O, Woods B, Chapin T, Hum R, Brinkman T. A holistic definition of healthy traditional harvest practices for rural Indigenous communities in Interior Alaska. Journal of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Community Development. 9(B):1-15.
- 2019 \*Stinchcomb T, Brinkman TJ, Fritz S. A Review of Aircraft-Harvester Conflict in Arctic Alaska. Arctic 72(2):131-150
- 2018 Boelman, NT, Liston GE, Hebblewhite Prugh LR, Meddens AJH, Kimball JS, Mahoney P, Gurarie E, Nolin AW, Kirchner PB, Cosgrove C, Bohrer G, LaPoint S, Vierling LA,

Eitel JUH, Brinkman TJ, Pedersen SH. Integrating snow science and wildlife ecology in Arctic-boreal North America. Environmental Research Letters 14(1), 010401

- 2018 Brown C, Kielland K, Brinkman T, Euskirchen E, Gilbert S. Resource selection and movement of male moose in response to varying levels of off-road vehicle access. Ecosphere 9(9):e02405
- 2018 Brown, DR, Brinkman, TJ, Verbyla DL, Cold HS, Brown, CL, Hollingsworth TN. Changing river ice seasonality and impacts on interior Alaskan communities. Weather, Climate, & Society DOI.org/10.1175/WCAS-D-17-0101.1
- 2018 Mahoney P, Liston G, LaPoint S, Gurarie E, Mangipane B, Wells A, Brinkman, T, Eitel J, Hebblewhite M, Nolin A, Boelman N, Prugh L. Navigating snowscapes: scaledependent responses of mountain sheep to snowpack properties. Ecological Applications DOI.org/10.1175/WCAS-D-17-0101.1
- Brinkman, TJ. Hunter acceptance of antlerless moose harvest in Alaska: Importance of agency trust, proximity of hunter residence to hunting area, and hunting experience.
   2018. Human Dimensions of Wildlife 23(2):129-145.

## Book Chapters – Completed/Published

- 2017 Burnsilver SB, Boone RB, Kofinas GP, Brinkman TJ. 2017. Modeling Tradeoffs in a Rural Alaska Mixed Economy: Hunting, Working, and Sharing in the Face of Economic and Ecological Change. In: The Give and Take of Sustainability: Archaeological and Anthropological Perspectives. Cambridge University Press: Cambridge.
- 2017 Person DK, Brinkman TJ. Succession Debt and Roads: Short- and Long-Term Effects of Timber Harvest on a Large-Mammal Predator-Prey Community in Southeast Alaska. In: North Pacific Temperate Rainforests. University of Washington Press; 2013. p. Chapter 6.

# **PRESENTATIONS 100+** (*Sample from last 5 years only*)

- 2023 Brinkman, T. J. (2023, April). Interested in Supporting a Graduate Student? Alaska Chapter of The Wildlife Society
- 2023 Brinkman, T. J. (2023, March). Changing Relationships among Habitat, Deer Numbers, and Hunting Opportunities.
- Watershed Webinar: Forests for the Future. Southeast Alaska Watershed Council.
  2023 Leorna, S., & Brinkman, T. J. (2023, May). Using trail cameras to advance monitoring of

caribou in the Arctic. North American Caribou Workshop & Arctic Ungulate Conference.

- 2022 Perra, M., Gurarie, E., Brinkman, T. J., Crimmins, S., Coban, E., Mandel, M., & Schiefele, P. (2022, October). Methods and considerations in acoustic monitoring: Soundscapes, caribou hearing and data processing . Yellowknife Geosciences Forum. Yellowknife, Canada.
- 2019 Brinkman TJ. 2019. How might harvest management account for dynamic environmental conditions? Alaska Chapter of The Wildlife Society Meeting, Juneau, Alaska.
- 2018 Brinkman TJ. 2018. Impacts on subsistence, wildlife, and flora. Fossil Energy's Arctic Challenges panel. Alaska National Lab Day, Fairbanks, Alaska. (Invited Speaker)
- 2018 Brinkman TJ, Johnson I, Hasbouck T, Cold H, Chapin T, Heeringa K, Stevens B, Brown, C, Kelly J. 2018. University-Community Coproduction of Knowledge of Moose Hunting

Practices. Council of Athabascan Tribal Governments Yukon Flats Moose Management Planning Meeting. Fort Yukon, Alaska. (Invited Speaker)

#### LAB MEDIA COVERAGE OF RESEARCH (Sample from last 5 years only)

- 2023 Fairbanks Daily News Miner (Oct. 2022), MeatEater Website (Feb. 2023), Interview and filming on Drone Research and Opportunities for Native Elementary Students (May 2023), Financial Times (Summer 2022)
- 2021 KUAC Public Radio. https://fm.kuac.org/post/uavs-help-assess-environment
- 2020 National Public Radio. https://www.kuow.org/stories/the-wild-season-2-episode-5
- 2018 High North News. "Searching for Polar Bears on Alaska's North Slope."
- 2017 Arctic Deeply. "A shifting landscape means less food for Alaska's Hunters."
- 2016 NASA. "Living Off the Land in a Changing Arctic Climate"
- 2016 Fairbanks Daily News Miner. "<u>Study finds climate change limits access to resources for</u> subsistence hunters."
- 2015 Alaska Dispatch News. "<u>As Alaska Dall sheep populations shrink, guides and hunters vie</u> for bigger share of harvest"