# Rebecca Bingham-Byrne CURRICULUM VITAE

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# **DEGREES**

| DEGREE               | DISCIPLINE               | INSTITUTION               | YEAR |
|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|------|
| Ph.D.                | Earth Sciences/Geography | The University of Memphis | 2022 |
| Graduate Certificate | Bioinformatics           | The University of Memphis | 2022 |
| Graduate Certificate | Data Science             | The University of Memphis | 2022 |
| Graduate Certificate | Health Analytics         | The University of Memphis | 2020 |
| Graduate Certificate | GIS                      | The University of Memphis | 2019 |
| M.S.                 | Biological Sciences      | The University of Memphis | 2018 |
| B.S.                 | Natural Science          | Oglala Lakota College     | 2012 |

# **EXPERIENCE**

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| DEPARTMENT/DIVISION           | INSTITUTION/COMPANY/ORGANIZATION   | PERIOD   |
| The Department of Earth       | The University of Memphis  | 2022-  |
| Sciences                      |  |  |
| The Department of Earth       | The University of Memphis  | 2022-  |
| Sciences                      | • •  |  |
| The Department of Earth       | The University of Memphis  | 2021-2022  |
| Sciences                      | · · ·  |  |
| The Department of Earth       | The University of Memphis  | 2018-2020  |
| Sciences                      |  |  |
| Division of Arts and Sciences | Dyersburg State Community College  | 2019   |
| Math and Science Department   | Oglala Lakota College  | 2015   |
| The Department of Biological  | The University of Memphis  | 2012-2015  |
| Sciences                      |  |  |
| Math and Science Department   | Oglala Lakota College  | 2012   |
| Math and Science Department   | Oglala Lakota College  | 2008-2012  |
|                               | The Department of Earth Sciences The Department of Earth Sciences The Department of Earth Sciences Division of Arts and Sciences Math and Science Department The Department of Biological Sciences Math and Science Department | The Department of Earth Sciences  The University of Memphis Sciences  Division of Arts and Sciences  Division of Arts and Sciences  Math and Science Department Oglala Lakota College  The University of Memphis Sciences  Oglala Lakota College |

# **HONORS/AWARDS**

| HONOR/AWARD  | INSTITUTION/COMPANY/ORGANIZATION                             | YEAR |
|--|--|------|
| Graduate Research Assistant                        | The University of Memphis/ ASPIRED NSF ADVANCE               | 2021 |
| Bruce Stewart Student Travel Award                 | Southwestern Association of Naturalists                      | 2019 |
| ESCI Student Travel and Research Support           | The University of Memphis/ Department of Earth Sciences      | 2019 |
| Graduate Teaching Assistantship                    | The University of Memphis/ Department of Earth Sciences      | 2018 |
| Travel Award                                       | The University of Memphis/ Department of Biological Sciences | 2014 |
| Presidents List                                    | Oglala Lakota College  | 2012 |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> place in Science Oral Presentation | American Indian Higher Education Consortium (AIHEC)          | 2011 |
| BOT Supplementary Scholarship                      | Oglala Lakota College  | 2011 |
| SMART Grant  | Oglala Lakota College  | 2010 |
| National Honor Society                             | North Central of Barnes                                      | 2004 |
| Math State Honor Roll                              | North Central of Barnes                                      | 2004 |

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

| SUBJECT  | INSTITUTION  |
|--|--|
| Earth Sciences 1020 M50 Landforms Lecture/Lab Hybrid, online | The University of Memphis, Department of Earth Sciences          |
| Earth Sciences 1020 Landforms Lecture                        | The University of Memphis, Department of Earth Sciences          |
| Biology 2010 Anatomy and Physiology I Lecture and Lab        | Dyersburg State Community College, Division of Arts and Sciences |
| Biology 2020 Anatomy and Physiology II Lecture and Lab       | Dyersburg State Community College, Division of Arts and Sciences |
| Earth Sciences 1020 Landforms Lab                            | The University of Memphis, Department of Earth Sciences          |
| Biology 303 Field Ecology Lecture, Field, and Lab            | Oglala Lakota College, Math and Science Department               |
| Biology 3051 General Ecology Lab                             | The University of Memphis, Department of Biological Sciences     |
| Biology 2011 Anatomy and Physiology I Lab                    | The University of Memphis, Department of Biological Sciences     |
| Biology 1121 General Biology II Lab                          | The University of Memphis, Department of Biological Sciences     |
| Biology 1021 Introduction to Bioloty II Lab                  | The University of Memphis, Department of Biological Sciences     |
| Biology 1011 Introduction to Biology I Lab                   | The University of Memphis, Department of Biological Sciences     |

# RESEARCH/SCHOLARSHIP/CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

#### Peer Reviewed Refereed Publications (\*indicates mentored student author)

- 1. **Bingham-Byrne, RM,** and Ozdenerol E. The "who" in Lyme disease. *Health and Place*. Submitted.
- 2. **Bingham-Byrne, RM,** and Ozdenerol E. Lyme disease risk map and prioritizing areas for vaccine deployment. *Photogrammetric Engineering & Remote Sensing*. Submitted.
- 3. Ozdenerol E, and **Bingham-Byrne**, **RM**. Leadership during Covid-19: The effectiveness of diverse approaches towards mitigation management during a pandemic. *Photogrammetric Engineering & Remote Sensing*. Submitted.
- 4. **Bingham-Byrne**, **RM**, D George, and B Buttler. The impact of location, habitat, and climate on morphological variation in *Peromyscus sonoriensis* (Rodentia). *Journal of Mammalogy*. In Review.
- 5. Ozdenerol, E, **RM Bingham-Byrne**, CO Stewart, M Ivy, H Derr, A Rockinson-Szapkiw, S Ivey, C Kaldon, A Parrill-Baker, and F Sabri. Recruiting, Retaining, and Advancing Women in STEM at a MIS: A Model for Institutional Transformation. In Review.
- 6. Bingham-Byrne, RM, and Ozdenerol E. Multi-scale analysis of Lyme disease ecology. Rheumato 2024, 4(2), 88-130.
- 7. **Bingham-Byrne, RM**, ML Kennedy, E Ozdenerol, MH Ferkin, and RA Baldwin. Differential capture success and the interspecific association of Virginia opossum (*Didelphis virginiana*) and raccoon (*Procyon lotor*). *Southwestern Naturalist* 2024, 67(4): 274-282.
- 8. Ozdenerol, E, **RM Bingham-Byrne**, J Seboly. <u>Female Leadership during Covid-19: The effectiveness of diverse approaches towards mitigation management during a pandemic. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 2023, 20(21): 7023.</u>
- 9. Ozdenerol, E, **RM Bingham-Byrne**, and JD Seboly. The effects of lifestyle on the risk of Lyme disease in the United States: evaluation of market segmentation systems in prevention and control strategies. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 2021, 18(24): 12883.

#### **Non-refereed Publications**

- 1. Ozdenerol, E., Linske, M. A., **Bingham, R.** (2019). Vaccine Deployment Strategies and Control of Lyme Borreliosis using a Rodent-Targeted Vaccine in an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Framework. Final Report in conjunction with US Biologic, Inc., and the Northeast Regional Center for Excellence in Vector-Borne Diseases Research.
- 2. **Bingham, RM**. Lyme disease: risk prediction and vaccine deployment model development. PhD Dissertation. The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN 2022.
- 3. **Bingham, RM**. An ecological examination of the Virginia opossum (*Didelphis virginiana*) and raccoon (*Procyon lotor*). MS Thesis. The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN 2018.

STEM Women Stories: https://cpgis.maps.arcgis.com/home/item.html?id=9910306203fa4db396c4125d89884dc5

### Refereed Abstracts, Paper Presentations and Symposia

- Ozdenerol, E, RM Bingham-Byrne. UM-Intersect STEM Women Stories. 2023 ADVANCE Equity in STEM Community Convening, Durham, NC, June 2023.
- 2. Ozdenerol, E, C Kaldon, M Ivy, A Rockinsaw-Szapkiw, **RM Bingham-Byrne**. UM-ASPIRED: Adaptations for Sustainable Policies and Increased Recruitment Excellence in Diversity. 2023 ADVANCE Equity in STEM Community Convening, Durham, NC, June 2023.
- 3. **RM Bingham**, E Ozdenerol, MH Ferkin, RA Baldwin, and ML Kennedy. An assessment of differential capture success and the interspecific association of the Virginia opossum (*Didelphis virginiana*) and raccoon (*Procyon lotor*). The Southwest Association of Naturalists (SWAN), Chihuahua Mexico, April 2019
- 4. **RM Bingham**, E Ozdenerol, MH Ferkin, RA Baldwin, and ML Kennedy. Using ArcGIS to predict the co-occurrence of Virginia opossum (*Didelphis virginiana*) and raccoon (*Procyon lotor*). The American Society of Mammalogists, Kansas, June 2018.
- 5. **RM Bingham.** An ecological examination of the Virginia opossum (*Didelphis virginiana*) and raccoon (*Procyon lotor*). Thesis defense at The University of Memphs, April 2018.
- 6. **RM Bingham,** L Madeira, JR Hisey, DM Wolcott, EH Vecchio, and ML Kennedy. An ecological assessment of Virginia opossums (Didelphis virginiana) and raccoons (Procyon lotor). University of Memphis Student Research Forum, March 2015.
- 7. **RM Bingham.** An ecological examination of the Virginia opossum (*Didelphis virginiana*) and raccoon (*Procyon lotor*). Graduate student seminar at The University of Memphis, November 2014.
- 8. **RM Bingham**, LA Madeira, JR Hisey, DM Wolcott, EH Vecchio, and ML Kennedy. Interactions based on capture data for Virginia opossums (*Didelphis virginiana*) and raccoons (*Procyon lotor*) in western Tennessee. The Tennessee Academy of Science (TAS), November 2014.
- 9. **RM Bingham,** JR Hisey, DM Wolcott, EH Vecchio, and ML Kennedy. Comparisons of capture data for Virginia opossums (*Didelphis virginiana*) and raccoons (*Procyon lotor*) in western Tennessee. The Tennessee Academy of Science (TAS), November 2013.
- 10. **RM Bingham.** An ecological examination of the Virginia opossum (*Didelphis virginiana*) and raccoon (*Procyon lotor*). Graduate student seminar at The University of Memphis, April 2013.
- 11. **RM Bingham,** L Madeira, E Zahed, S Stephenson, and M Kennedy. An Assessment of Interspecific Associations of the Virginia Opossum and Raccoon in Western Tennessee. Tennessee Academy of Science (TAS), November 2012.
- 12. **RM Bingham**, A Rasor, D Peterson, and O Bluehorse. Morphological Characterization of the Cheyenne River south of Hot Springs, South Dakota, American Indian Higher Education Consortium (AIHEC), March 2012.
- 13. **RM Bingham** and A Higa. Home Range of the Ornate Box Turtle (*Terrapene ornata*) in South Dakota, The Wildlife Society Annual Conference, Hawaii, November 2011.
- 14. **RM Bingham** and A Higa. Home Range of the Ornate Box Turtle (*Terrapene ornata*) in South Dakota, American Indian Higher Education Consortium (AIHEC), Bismark, North Dakota, March 2011.
- 15. **RM Bingham** and A Higa. Determining the Habitat Preference of Reintroduced Swift Fox (*Vulpes velox*) on Pine Ridge Reservation, The American Society of Mammalogists, Wyoming, June 2010.

### **OUTREACH**

| PROJECT TITLE   | PARTICIPANTS   | SPONSORS<br>(if any)   | PERIOD    |
|---|--|--|-----------|
| Drone Workforce Training on Drone<br>Image Processing     | Professionals (GIS and Aviation) and Shelby<br>County Schools students and teachers and<br>UofM students | FIT, University of Memphis   | 2020-2022 |
| The Box Turtle Project                                    | Pine Ridge Reservation Community Schools   | Oglala Lakota College  | 2010-2012 |
| Little Shop of Physics                                    | Boulder Colorado Community Schools   | Colorado State University/<br>Oglala Lakota College                      | 2010-2012 |
| From the Field to the Fair                                | Rapid City and Pine Ridge Reservation<br>Community Schools   | South Dakota School of Mines<br>and Technology/ Oglala Lakota<br>College | 2012      |
| NASA\SEMAA Family Science<br>Nights and Ice Cream Socials | Rapid City and Pine Ridge<br>Reservation Community Schools   | Oglala Lakota College  | 2008-2012 |
| The Wamaska (Mammal) Project                              | Pine Ridge Reservation Community<br>Schools  | Oglala Lakota College  | 2009-2010 |

#### **Professional Association Committees**

2011 Secretary, American Indian Science and Engineering Society

#### **Professional Association Memberships**

2020- American Assication of Geographers
 2019- Southwestern Association of Naturalists
 2018- The American Society of Mammalogists

2012-2014 Tennessee Academy of Science

**2011-2012** The Wildlife Society

2009-2012 American Indian Science and Engineering Society

## Consulting/Research

Improving diversity in the STEM workforce via a Virtual STEM peer mentorship program for underrepresented minority women undergraduate students to help them develop STEM skills for their future success with a STEM degree and career.

2018- Lyme disease wildlife vaccine deployment: Using ArcGIS to prioritize areas for deployment of Lyme disease vaccine to

Peromyscus leucopus in the form of oral baits.

**2018-** Morphometric variations of *Peromyscus maniculatis* subspecies across North America.

2012- Virginia opossums and Raccoons: Using ArcGIS to predict the co-occurrence of the two species and determining their

interspecific association in the state of Tennessee.

2010-2012 The Box Turtle Project, Oglala Lakota College, Kyle, South Dakota: tracked and monitored ornate box turtles on the Pine

Ridge Reservation to observe habitat, home range, behavior, and reproductive traits because information on this species in the

area was not well known.

2009 The Wamaska (mammal) Project, Oglala Lakota College, Kyle, South Dakota: collected small mammal field specimens for a

museum collection that includes skin, skeleton, and tissue.

2009 The Swift Fox Project, Oglala Lakota College, Kyle, South Dakota: reintroduced swift fox on the Pine Ridge Reservation and

monitored their success

#### Languages

English, Full Professional proficiency

Spanish, Limited working proficiency

## **REFERENCES**

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