

CURRICULUM VITAE OF SHERI L. GLOWINSKI MATAMOROS

Born: September, 1971, IL
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EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

The University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, MS

Major/Degree: Presently enrolled in doctoral program in Biological Sciences

Thesis Topic: Stopover biology of migratory passerines in the neotropics and an investigation of the transition between phases of the annual cycle

Major Advisor: Dr. Frank R. Moore

Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL

Major/Degree: Received B.A. in Environmental Studies with a minor in Biology, December, 2000

Graduated with Honors: 4.0/4.0 GPA

University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, IL

Major/Degree: Pursued B.S. in Life Sciences with an emphasis in Ecology, Ethology and Evolution

Dates of Attendance: August, 1992 – May, 1994

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Fieldwork, La Tigra National Park, Honduras

February - April, 2006

- ◆ *Conducted mini-study examining resident and migratory avifauna use in cloud forest habitat*
- ◆ *Managed mist-netting process*

PhD Fieldwork, Utila, Bay Islands, Honduras

August - November, 2005

- ◆ *Year one of passerine stopover study*
- ◆ *Established study sites in tropical dry forest, pasture and mangrove habitats*
- ◆ *Managed mist-netting and surveying processes*

Contractor, U.S. Forest Service, MS

May, 2005

- ◆ *Conducted point counts at Holly Springs National Forest*

Participant in PhD Course in Animal Migration offered by Lund University, Sweden

April, 2004

- ◆ *Participated in two-week long intensive course*
- ◆ *Conducted mini-study and presented results to course participants*

Water Quality Technician, South Florida Water Management District, FL

December, 2002 – July, 2003

- ◆ *Conducted water quality testing*
- ◆ *Obtained samples via manual and auto-sampler methods*
- ◆ *Measured various water quality attributes via HydroLab*
- ◆ *Conducted fish, egg, feather and water sampling for measurement of mercury*

Fish and Wildlife Technician, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, FL
June, 2002 – September, 2002

- ◆ *Assisted in translocation project for the federally endangered Florida Grasshopper Sparrow*
- ◆ *Trapped juvenile sparrows via mist-nets and color-banded*
- ◆ *Attached radio transmitters to and radio-tracked trans-located individuals*
- ◆ *Developed Access database to maintain burn records*

Field Technician, Ecostudies Institute, FL
February, 2002 – June, 2002

- ◆ *Conducted nest searching for and monitoring of Eastern Bluebirds and Brown-headed Nuthatches in Everglades National Park and Big Cypress National Preserve for reintroduction project*
- ◆ *Conducted target mist-netting, extraction and color-banding*
- ◆ *Conducted color-band resighting*

Restoration Intern, McHenry County Conservation District, IL
May, 2001 – August, 2001

- ◆ *Conducted breeding bird point counts*
- ◆ *Participated in fish, turtle, butterfly, mussel and vegetation surveys*
- ◆ *Conducted restoration of native ecosystems*
- ◆ *Set erosion control matting to maintain stream bank integrity*

Researcher, McHenry County Conservation District, IL
May, 2001 – August, 2001

- ◆ *Conducted vegetation sampling within various grassland management regimes to examine the effects of land management on Midwestern breeding grassland bird abundances at Glacial Park, McHenry County, IL*
- ◆ *Conducted grassland bird nest searching*
- ◆ *Completed technical research paper*

Volunteer Bander, Chicagoland Bird Observatory, IL
May, 2000 – September, 2001

- ◆ *Extracted and banded birds for MAPS and migration banding station*
- ◆ *Entered MAPS banding data into MAPSPROG database and resolved data discrepancies*
- ◆ *Edited Observatory newsletter*

Project Technician, University of Illinois, IL
September, 1992 – December, 1992

- ◆ *Monitored small mammal traps and identified species for professor's long-term small mammal population study*

Volunteer Educator, DuPage Forest Preserve District, IL
April, 1990 – April, 2001

- ◆ *Participated in various events including the annual Earth Day and Halloween Spook Walk celebrations*
- ◆ *Educated public on local ecology and fauna including introduction of public to captive Fox Snake*

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

MIS Trainer / Analyst, The Habitat Company, IL
October, 1999 – April, 2001

- ◆ *Designed, managed and implemented company-wide employee computer training program*
- ◆ *Designed training intranet website*
- ◆ *Analyst on multiple internal projects, including development of company intranet*
- ◆ *Supported users with software and hardware issues via role as help desk technician*

Business Analyst Consultant, Metamor Technologies, Inc., IL
August, 1999 – October, 1999

- ◆ *Interacted with client web team to determine requirements*
- ◆ *Wrote technical specification document integrating process flow charts for client web project*

- ◆ Created client and developer test case documents

Business Analyst (*last position held*), New Resources Corporation, IL
May, 1995 – August, 1999

- ◆ Conducted user training on project and financial management software
- ◆ Determined and documented departmental business processes and user procedures
- ◆ Conducted feasibility testing on financial and sales system upgrades
- ◆ Performed accounting including: A/R, A/P, G/L, month- and year-end accounting for property management LLC
- ◆ Developed and maintained various Lotus Notes databases

FUNDING

\$15,145. (2006) From USAID-Proyecto MIRA for “An Inventory Of The Avifauna Of La Tigra National Park, Honduras With An Emphasis On Results Of Banding Efforts.”

\$9855. (2005) From USAID-Proyecto MIRA-Honduras for “An Inventory Of The Avifauna Of Utila, Bay Islands, Honduras With An Emphasis On Migratory Birds And Their Stopover Biology.”

\$12,000. 2005-2006 Wildlife Conservation Society Research Fellow. For “Biology of Nearctic-Neotropical Songbird Migrants During Stopover on a Bay Island, Honduras.”

FELLOWSHIPS AND ACADEMIC AWARDS

2004-2005. Recipient of the NSF GK-12 Biology Teaching Fellowship. Paired with Biology I and Science Skills and Reasoning classes at Sumrall High School in Lamar County, MS.

PUBLICATIONS AND TECHNICAL REPORTS

F.L. Newell, **S.L. Glowinski Matamoros**, and M. E. Eastwood. A Description of Juvenile Plumage in the Green-Breasted Mountain-Gem (*Lampornis sybillae*) with Some Observations on Timing of Breeding and Molt. *Submitted to Wilson Journal of Ornithology*.

S.L. Glowinski. Rediscovery of the Utila Plain Chachalaca (*Ortalis vetula deschauenseei*). *Submitted to Bulletin of the Cracid Specialist Group*.

2006. **S.L. Glowinski Matamoros**. “An Inventory Of The Avifauna Of La Tigra National Park, Honduras With An Emphasis On Results Of Banding Efforts.” Final Technical Report submitted to USAID-MIRA and Fundación AMITIGRA.

2005. **S.L. Glowinski Matamoros**. “An Inventory Of The Avifauna Of Utila, Bay Islands, Honduras With An Emphasis On Migratory Birds And Their Stopover Biology.” Final Technical Report submitted to USAID-MIRA and Bay Islands Conservation Society (BICA).

2005. **S.L. Glowinski Matamoros.** "Biology Of Nearctic-Neotropical Songbird Migrants During Stopover On A Bay Island, Honduras." Final Technical Report Submitted to Wildlife Conservation Society.

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION AND PRESENTATIONS

2006. Invited Workshop Participant. "Taller de Especies Crítica y Globalmente Amenazadas en Mesoamérica Norte", Sponsored by Critical Ecosystem Partnership Fund and Escuela Agrícola Panamericana (Zamorano). May 31-June 2, 2006, Zamorano, Honduras.

2005. "Estudio De La Biología De Paradas De Descanso De Aves Migratorias En Utila, Honduras: Un Resumen Del Primer Año". Presented at the USAID-Proyecto MIRA Symposium at El Congreso de La Sociedad Mesoamericana Para La Biología y La Conservación. La Ceiba, Honduras.

2004. "Conservación De Aves Terrestres Migratorias: Introducción A Un Método Dependiente De La Escala Para Entender La Biología De Los Sitios De Descanso Durante La Migración". Presented at El Congreso de La Sociedad Mesoamericana Para La Biología y La Conservación. Managua, Nicaragua.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Student Member, American Ornithological Union

Student Member, Sociedad Mesoamericana Para la Biología y la Conservación

Student Member, Association for Tropical Biology