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PRESENT POSITION

Kansas Biological Survey, University of Kansas

<u>Senior Scientist</u> (0.50 FTE). Responsibilities include: plant community ecology research, field inventories and information processing for plant communities and rare species for the Kansas Natural Heritage Inventory, research program in prairie and wetland ecology and restoration, ethnobotany, and report and grant writing (Summer 1992–present).

Environmental Studies Program, University of Kansas

<u>Professor</u> (0.50 FTE). Responsibilities include: teaching Environmental Impact Assessment, Ethnobotany, and other courses, advising students, and other program responsibilities (Fall 1996–present).

<u>Courtesy Associate Professor</u>. Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Department, Department of Geography, and Global Indigenous Nations Studies, University of Kansas, and Department of Pharmacy Practice, School of Pharmacy, University of Kansas Medical Center.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Systematics and Ecology, University of Kansas. Dissertation title: "Prairie Plant Guilds: An Ordination of Prairie Plant Species Based on Ecological and Morphological Traits," 1991. M.S. in Systematics and Ecology, University of Kansas. Thesis title: "Medicinal Prairie Plants," 1988.

B.A. in Environmental Studies with Honors and Distinction, University of Kansas, 1979.

PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

<u>Kansas Land Trust, Lawrence, Kansas, Executive Director</u> (Spring 1991–Summer 1992). <u>Kansas Ecological Reserves Program, University of Kansas, Research Assistant</u> (Summer 1989–Spring 1991).

<u>Kansas Biological Survey, Lawrence, Kansas, Research Assistant</u> (Fall 1989–Summer1990; Summer 1986–Spring 1987).

Community Garden Coalition, Columbia, Missouri, Director (1984–Spring 1986).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (at the University of Kansas)

Environmental Studies 342/ANTH 542 Ethnobotany (2014, 25 students)

Environmental Studies 615 Capstone (2014, 53 students)

Environmental Studies 342/ANTH 542 Ethnobotany (2013, 25 students)

Environmental Studies 702 Energy Community and Ecology in KS (2013, 18 students)

Environmental Studies 342/ANTH 542 Ethnobotany (2012, 24 students)

Environmental Studies 615 Capstone (2012 69 students)

Environmental Studies 342/ANTH 542 Ethnobotany (2011, 25 students)

Environmental Studies 615 Capstone (Environmental Impact Assessment) (2010, 60 students)

Environmental Studies 702 Energy Community and Ecology in KS (2009, 12 students)

Environmental Studies 342/ANTH 542 Ethnobotany (2008, 28 students)

Environmental Studies 615 Environmental Impact Assessment (2007, 34 students)

Environmental Studies 342 Ethnobotany (2006, 28 students)

Environmental Studies 615 Environmental Impact Assessment (2005, 37 students)

Environmental Studies 342 Ethnobotany (2004, 19 students)

Environmental Studies 615 Environmental Impact Assessment (2003, 35 students)

Environmental Studies 342 Ethnobotany (2002, 20 students) Environmental Studies 342 Ethnobotany (2000, 25 students)

Environmental Studies 615 Environmental Impact Assessment (1999, 65 students) Environmental Studies 615 Environmental Impact Assessment (1997, 85 students)

Biology 701 Topics in Prairie and Wetland Restoration (1996, 16 students)

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"Restoration and Monitoring Work for the Santa Fe Wetland Mitigation Site—Part II." Douglas County, Kansas. December 1996–December 1998. \$9,600.

"Adding Value to Kansas-Grown Medicinal Plant Products." Kansas Department of Commerce and Housing. September 1996–December 1997. \$11,500.

"Vegetation Analysis of Playa Lake Wetlands—1996 Data Collection." USDA Natural Resource Conservation Service. June 1996–March 1997. \$4,000.

"Wetland Restoration Monitoring at Cheyenne Bottoms." Kansas Chapter of The Nature Conservancy. March 1996–December 1997. \$8,500.

- "Management Plans for Enhancing Wildlife and Environmental Benefits—Part II." Western Resources. February 1996—December 1997. \$3,000.
- "Wetlands Conservation Plan for the Potawatomi Indian Reservation, Kansas." Potawatomi Indian Tribe and U. S. Environmental Protection Agency. 1995–1997. \$21,385.
- "Wildlife Conservation Plan for the Potawatomi Indian Reservation, Kansas" (with William Busby as co-P.I.). Potawatomi Indian Tribe and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. 1995–1997. \$20,772.
- "Wetland Mitigation Projects in Kansas and the Development of Cost-Effective Methods and Procedures for Future Projects" (co-P.I. with Ernest Pogge). Kansas Department of Transportation and U.S. Mid-American Transportation Council. 1995–1997. \$113,880.
- "Natural Products from Medicinal Plants of the Prairie as Leads to Anti-HIV and Anti-Cancer Compounds" (co-P.I. with Kirk Manfredi). Iowa Academy of Science. 1995. \$5,000.
- "A Study of Wetlands and Wildlife in Jackson County, Kansas." Western Resources. 1995–1996. \$6,000.
- "Wetland Survey of the Sunflower Army Ammunition Depot" (with Chris Lauver as co-P.I.). North American Realty Advisors Services, New York. 1995. \$5,000.
- "Management Plans for Enhancing Wildlife and Environmental Benefits." Western Resources. 1995. \$10,000.
- "Vegetation Analysis of Playa Lake Wetlands—1995 Data Collection and Final Report." USDA Natural Resource Conservation Service (SCS). 1995–1996. \$8,000.
- "Rangeland Biodiversity and Rotational Grazing." Kansas Rural Center. 1995–1998. \$4,837.
- "Prairie Restoration at the Blue River Site in Johnson County, Kansas." Kenneth Baum. 1995–1999. \$19,200.
- "Ethnobotanical Uses of Plants and Presettlement Vegetation of the Potawatomi Reservation." Potawatomi Indian Tribe. 1995. \$2,000.
- "Inventory and Vegetation Analysis of Playa Lakes in Southwest Kansas." USDA Soil Conservation Service. 1994–1995. \$12,000.
- "Water Quality of Playa Lake Wetlands and Regional Wetland Plant Species Lists for Kansas." USDA Soil Conservation Service. 1994–1995. \$2,000.
- "Restoration and Monitoring Work for the Santa Fe Wetland Mitigation Site." Douglas County Commission, Lawrence, Kansas. 1993–1996. \$29,600.

"Old-Growth Forest Definition of Western Hardwood Gallery Forest." USDA Forest Service. 1993–1994. \$6,500.

"Land Tenure in the Flint Hills." Kansas Chapter of the Sierra Club.1993–1994. \$2,000.

"Identification and Delineation of Loggerhead Shrike Habitat on the Fort Riley Military Reservation" (co-P.I. with Chris Lauver, William Busby, and Jerry Whistler). U.S. Army, Ft. Riley Military Reservation. 1993–1995. \$50,000.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

(I have made over 30 public presentations during the last five years; selected examples are listed below.)

"Ranking Tool for Medicinal Plants at Risk of Being Overharvested in the Wild." K. Kindscher, L. Castle, S. Leopold, and R. Craft. Society for Ethnbiology conference, May 16, 2013.

"Prairie Ethnobotany--honoring traditional knowledge for uses of native plants today." Botanical Research Institute of Texas, Ft. Worth, Texas, May 14, 2013.

"Wild Tomatillos (*Physalis* species) as Food and Medicine." International Congress on Natural Product Research (American Pharmacognosy Assn). New York, New York, July 31, 2012.

"The Sustainability of Harvest of Osha (*Ligusticum porteri*), an Important Medicinal Plant of the Southwest United States. Natural Areas Association conference, Norfolk, VA, October 12, 2012.

"Medicinal Plants of the Prairie—What we have learned, what we are learning, and why we should protect our prairies and their diversity". Missouri Prairie Foundation Annual Meeting, Kansas City, MO, June 18, 2011.

"Native Medicinal Plants" for the Minority Access to Research Careers Program, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, NM, February 16, 2010.

"The Flora of Lake Roberts (Gila National Forest)." Native Plant Society of New Mexico Annual Meeting, Silver City, NM, August 13, 2010.

"Medicinal Plants of the Gila Region, New Mexico." Third Natural History of the Gila Symposium." Silver City, NM, October 15, 2010.

"Should Wind Energy be Developed in the Kansas Flint Hills?" One of five panelists for the NSF IGERT Climate Change Program at the University of Kansas, November 5, 2010.

"A new Vision for Restoration: Developing a Culture of Harvest and Use of the Planted Wild." Keynote address: Prairie Plains Resource Institute annual meeting, Aurora, Nebraska, January

17, 2009."

"The History and Impacts of *Echinacea angustifolia* Harvest in Kansas." Kansas Native Plant Society, Hays, KS, October 3, 2008.

"Re-Sprouting of *Echinacea angustifolia* Augments Sustainability of Wild Medicinal Plant Populations." Society for Ethnobiology, Fayetteville, AR, April 17, 2008.

"Wetlands Along the Gila River in Southwest, New Mexico." Gila Natural History Symposium, Silver City, NM, October 17, 2008.

"Disturbance Regimes Alter Forb Colonization in Warm-Season Grass Plantings." Kelly Kindscher and Quinn Long. 2nd National Conference on Ecosystem Restoration Conference, Kansas City, Missouri, April 24, 2007.

"Winnebago Ethnobotany and Botanical Resources Project." K. Kindscher, R. Pitts, A. Martyn, and N. Crowe. Economic Botany Conference, Chicago, Illinois, June 5, 2007.

"From the Mountains to the Desert: Flora and Fauna of the Gila River Corridor in New Mexico." K. Kindscher, William Norris, Randy Jennings and Roland Shook (panel) Gila River Festival, Silco Theatre, Silver City, NM, September 14, 2006.

"Prairies Found and Prairies Lost: Inventory Work in Northeast Kansas." By K. Kindscher, Natural Areas Association Conference Flagstaff, Arizona, September 22, 2006.

"Vegetation of the Gila River." K. Kindscher, Natural History of the Gila: A Southwestern New Mexico Symposium. Western New Mexico University, Silver City, NM, October 7, 2006.

"Preservation and Restoration of the Prairie." Earth Day Forum, Lawrence, KS, April 21, 2006.

"Wild Medicinal Plant Harvest in the United States: A case study of Echinacea species." Guru Nanak Khalsa College, Bombay India, October 15, 2005.

"At Risk Medicinal Plants." Southern Medicinal Plants Symposium, Atlanta Botanical Garden, Atlanta, Georgia, November 5, 2005.

"How the Poisonous Silverleaf Nightshade Berries Are Used in Making Asadero Cheese" (presented by Kelly Kindscher and Erika Noguera). Society for Ethnobiology Conference, Davis, California, March 25, 2004.

"The Conservation Status of Echinacea Species." Economic Botany Conference, Tucson, Arizona, June 3, 2003.

"Native Prairie Plants as Sources of New Pharmaceuticals." Presented by K. Manfredi and K.

Kindscher. 38th Midwest Regional Meeting of the American Chemical Society, Columbia, Missouri, Sept 22, 2003.

"Echinacea—A Case Study of Medicinal Plant Use, Exploitation, and Conservation. Department of Animal Ecology, Iowa State University." November 15, 2002.

"The Importance of Biodiversity for Land Trusts." Land Trust Rally, Austin, Texas, October 29, 2002.

"Preserving Prairies, Preserving Plants throughout the Midwest and Great Plains." Environmental Studies Program, Baylor University, January 22, 2001.

"Using GIS to Prioritize Tallgrass Prairie Conservation in the Kansas Flint Hills" (presented by Kelly Kindscher and Aimee Stewart). Land Conservation Summit 2000, University of Minnesota, July 28, 2000.

"Playa Lake Wetlands: Identification and Protection of Wetlands in the Dust Bowl Region." Nature and Culture Colloquium, Hall Center for the Humanities, University of Kansas, February 5, 1999.

"Prairie Field Trip and KU Herbarium Tour for the 1999 International Echinacea Symposium." Kansas City, Missouri, June 5, 1999.

"Comparisons of Five Kansas Department of Transportation Wetland Mitigation Sites in Eastern Kansas" (presented by Kelly Kindscher, Megan Mehaffey, and Alexandra Fraser). 19th Annual Meeting of the Society of Wetland Scientists, Anchorage, Alaska, June 9, 1998.

"Echinacea angustifolia—The Prime Crop of a Kansas Medicinal Plant Industry" (presented by Kelly Kindscher, Dana Hurlburt, and Trish Flaster). 21st Annual Society for Ethnobiology conference, University of Nevada, Reno, April, 16, 1998.

"Vegetation Differences in Remotely-Sensed Wetlands of Grand Teton National Park" (presented by Kelly Kindscher, Alexandra Fraser, Mark Jakubauskas, and Diane Debinski). Society for Wetland Scientists conference, Montana State University, Bozeman, Montana, June 2, 1997.

"Ethnobotanically-Useful Prairie Plants Collected for Anti-cancer and Anti-HIV Compound Testing." 19th Annual Conference of the Society for Ethnobiology, Santa Barbara, California, March 30, 1996.

ORGANIZATIONS

I am a member of the following professional organizations: Natural Areas Association Society for Ecological Restoration

Society for Economic Botany

Society for Ethnobiology

Society for Wetland Scientists (I also have been recognized by this organization as a Professional Wetland Scientist.)

Board member, Kansas Land Trust, Lawrence, Kansas a non-profit organization founded to protect natural areas and open space in Kansas (1992–present).

Board member, Prairie Plains Resource Institute, Aurora, Nebraska (2009-present).

Advisory Board Member, United Plant Savers (a medicinal plant conservation organization), East Barre, Vermont (2006--present).

Faculty Advisor, K.U. Environs, the student environmental organization (1998–present).

Faculty Advisor, K.U. Student Farm, the student community garden organization (2010–present).

Board Member, Ecumenical Campus Ministries, Lawrence, Kansas (2012-2013).

Board Member, United Plant Savers (a medicinal plant conservation organization), East Barre, Vermont (2000–2006).

Board of Directors, Tallgrass Legacy Alliance (a working group of ranchers, farmers, and agencies promoting tallgrass prairie conservation values and land protection). Eureka, Kansas (2000–2006).

Land Management Advisory Board, Kansas Chapter of the Nature Conservancy (1999–2003).

Tallgrass Prairie Preserve, National Park Service. Science Advisory Board (1998–2004).

Committee Member, ECO2, A Lawrence, Kansas Chamber of Commerce Study Group to Identify Future Industrial Park and Open Space Lands (2000–2003).

Co-founder and Member of the Kansas Area Watershed (KAW) Council, a grassroots bioregional organization representing the Kansas River watershed and the North American Prairie (1982–1998).

Board of Directors, Central Prairie Seed Exchange, Topeka, Kansas, an organization whose members, primarily gardeners and farmers, conserve old varieties of seeds and other genetic stock (1987–95).

Board of Directors, American Community Garden Association, development committee chair

(1985–1988).

Board of Directors, The Grassland Heritage Foundation, Shawnee Mission, Kansas (1986–1988).