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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy, Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Texas A&M University. August 1990.
Dissertation Title: The influence of habitat interspersion on habitat selection of the northern bobwhite on the Rio Grande Plains of Texas. Major Professor: Nova J. Silvy

Master of Science, Wildlife Ecology, University of Wisconsin-Madison. May 1982. Thesis Title: Snowshoe hare demography in central Wisconsin. Major Professor: Lloyd B. Keith

Bachelor of Science-Cum Laude, Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Texas A&M University. May 1979.

EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Dean, College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, Texas A&M University-Kingsville, Kingsville, TX. July 2007 – present.

Interim Assistant Dean, College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, Texas A&M University-Kingsville, Kingsville, TX. July 2006 – July 2007.

Associate Professor, Caesar Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute/Department of Animal & Wildlife Sciences, Texas A&M University- Kingsville, Kingsville, TX. September 2003 – present.

Assistant Professor, Caesar Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute/Department of Animal & Wildlife Sciences, Texas A&M University- Kingsville, Kingsville, TX. October 1999 – September 2003.

Wildlife Biologist. Buenos Aires National Wildlife Refuge, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, Sasabe, Arizona. February 1993 - October 1999.

Wildlife Ecologist. U.S. Army Engineers, Waterways Research Station, Vicksburg, MS. January 1991 - February 1993.

Research Associate. Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas. August 1990 - December 1990.

Research Assistant. Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX. September 1986 - July 1990.

Summer Student Worker. Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. J. D. Murphree Wildlife Management Area. Port Arthur, TX. June 1986 - August 1986.

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Soil Conservationist. United States Department of Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service, Dalhart and Friona, TX. April 1983 - May 1986.

Research Technician. Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX. September 1982 - January 1983.

Research Assistant. Department of Wildlife Ecology, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI. September 1979 - May 1982.

Student Research Technician, Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX. August 1977 - August 1979.

Student Worker. Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX. January 1977 - July 1977.

COURSES TAUGHT

RWSC 4383: The Ecology of Arid and Semi-Arid Lands. Spring 2000, Spring 2002, Spring 2004, Spring 2006.. Texas A&M University-Kingsville.

WSCI 6374: Research Methods. Summer 2000, Fall 2001, Fall 2002, Fall 2003. Texas A&M University-Kingsville.

WSCI 6390: World Conservation Affairs - Ecotourism. Summer 2002. Texas A&M University-Kingsville.

RWSC 1301: Range and Wildlife Ecology. Fall 2004. Texas A&M University-Kingsville.

WFSC 408: Wildlife Habitat Management Laboratory. Fall 1989. Texas A&M University.

WFSC 407: Wildlife Management Techniques Laboratory. Texas A&M University.

RNR 205: Field Ecology Laboratory. Spring 1988. Texas A&M University.

COMPLETED GRADUATE STUDENT PROJECTS

Mr. Aron Flanders, M.S. The Impact of Invasive Exotic Grasses on South Texas Bird Communities. May 2003.

Mr. Ken Mix, M.S. The Impacts of Summer Fires on the Vegetation, Avian and Invertebrate Communities of the Welder Wildlife Refuge. May 2004.

Ms. Andrea Felton, M.S. White-winged Dove Population and Habitat Changes in the Lower Rio Grande. May 2005.

Mr. Mike Actkinson, M.S. Productivity and Habitat Use of White-tailed and Red-tailed Hawks in South Texas. May 2006.

Mr. Rafael Guarneros-Altamirano, M.S. Rio Grande Wild Turkey Poults Ecology in South Texas. August 2008. (Mr. Guarneros-Altamirano failed his Ph.D. prelims after a 2nd attempt and agreed to his Committee's offer to accept a MS degree instead).

Mr. Casey Phillips. M.S. Winter Roosting Ecology of Rio Grande Wild Turkeys on Three Divisions of the King Ranch. August 2008.

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Mr. Cody Lawson, M.S. Rio Grande Wild Turkey Habitat Preferences in South Texas. December 2009.

CURRENT GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH PROJECTS

Ms. Michele de Vertuil. M.S. Candidate, Department of Animal & Wildlife Sciences, Research Proposal: The effects of an intense wildfire on a south Texas bird community.

Mr. Dale Kane, Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Animal & Wildlife Sciences, Research Proposal: Resource Partitioning of a South Texas Raptor Community.

Mr. Ron Milgalter, M.S. Candidate, Department of Animal & Wildlife Sciences, Research Proposal: The factors influencing the productivity, habitat use and foraging behavior of sympatric raptor species in coastal south Texas.

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles

Actkinson, M.A., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, C. W. Boal, L. A. Brennan and F. Hernandez. 2009. Comparison of the breeding biology of sympatric red-tailed hawks, white-tailed hawks and crested caracaras in south Texas. *Journal of Raptor Research*. 43:50-56.

Sands, J. P., L.A. Brennan, F. Hernandez, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, J. E. Gallegher, D. C. Ruthven, III, and J. E. Pittman, III. 2009. Impacts of buffleggrass (*Pennisetum ciliare*) on a forb community in south Texas. *Invasive plant science and management*. 2: 130-140.

Actkinson, M. A., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, C. W. Boal, L. A. Brennan and F. Hernandez. 2007. Nesting habitat relationships of sympatric Crested Caracaras, Red-tailed Hawks and White-tailed Hawks in South Texas. *Wilson Journal of Ornithology*. 119: 570-578.

Collier, B. A., K. B. Melton, J. Z. Dreibelbis, **W. P. Kuvlesky**, G. A. Proudfoot, R. Aguirre, D. G. Hewitt, T. W. Schwertner, S. J. DeMaso, N. J. Silvy, and M. J. Peterson. 2007. Sex ratio variation in Texas Rio Grande wild turkeys. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 71: 1793-1799.

Kuvlesky, W. P. Jr., L. A. Brennan, M. L. Morrison, Kathy K. Boydston, B. M. Ballard and F. C. Bryant. 2007. Wind energy development and wildlife conservation: challenges and opportunities. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 71: 2487-2498. (Invited Paper).

Flanders, A. A., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, D. C. Ruthven III, R. E. Zaiglan, R. L. Bingham, T. E. Fulbright, F. Hernandez and L. A. Brennan. 2006. Effects of invasive exotic grasses on south Texas rangeland breeding birds. *Auk*. 123(1): 171-182.

Hernandez, F., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, R. W. DeYoung, L. A. Brennan and S. A. Gall. 2006. Recovery of rare species: case study of the masked bobwhite. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 70(3):617-631. (Invited Paper).

Sepulveda, M., F. Hernandez, D. G. Hewitt, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, G. Waggerman and R. L. Bingham. 2006. Evaluation of auditory counts for estimating breeding populations of white-winged doves. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 70(5); 1393-1402

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Brennan, L. A. and **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** 2005. North American grassland birds: an unfolding conservation crisis. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 69(1): 1-13. (Invited Paper).

Hardin, J., L. A. Brennan, F. Hernandez, E. Redeker and **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** 2005. Empirical Tests of Hunter-Covey Interface Models. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 69(2):498-514.

Hernandez, F., F. S. Guthery and **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** 2002. The legacy of bobwhite research in south Texas. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 66(1): 1 -18. (Invited Paper).

Guthery, F. S., N. M. King, K. R. Nolte, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, S. A. DeStefano, S. A. Gall and Nova J. Silvy. 2001. Multivariate perspectives on patch use by masked bobwhites. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 65(1):118-124.

Guthery, F. S., N. M. King, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, S. DeStefano, S. A. Gall and N. J. Silvy. 2001. Comparative habitat use by three quails in desert grassland. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 65: 850-860.

Guthery, F. S., N. M. King, K. R. Nolte, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, S. A. DeStefano, S. A. Gall, and N. J. Silvy. 2000. Comparative habitat ecology of Texas and masked bobwhites. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 64(2):407-420.

Guthery, F. S. and **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** 1998. The effect of multiple brooding on age ratios of quail. *Journal of Wildlife Management*. 62(2): 540-549.

Kuvlesky, W. P. Jr. and L. B. Keith. 1983. Demography of snowshoe hare populations in Wisconsin. *Journal of Mammalogy*. 64(2): 233-244.

Nonrefereed Articles

Kuvlesky, W. P. Jr., F. Hernandez, R. W. DeYoung, L. A. Brennan and M. Hunnicut. 2007. Natural history, range and recovery of masked bobwhite. Pages 27 – 30 *In* Buenos Aires National Wildlife Refuge, Arizona. J. Bezy, C. F. Hutchinson and C. J. Bahre (eds.), *Desert Plants* 23(2), The University of Arizona for the Boyce Thompson Southwestern Arboretum. Tucson, Arizona (Invited Article).

Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr., Roseberry, J. L., B. D. Leopold, P. D. Curtis, and T. Hutton. 1992. Population dynamics and effects of hunting. *Proceedings 3rd National Quail Symposium*, Kansas City, MO. 03:180-183.

Kuvlesky, W. P. Jr., 1992. Wildlife habitat interspersions: concepts, measurement and management. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Technical Bulletin. 42pp.

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Kuvlesky, W. P. Jr., 1991. Shelterbelts: establishment and management for wildlife. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Technical Bulletin. 70pp.

Refereed Abstracts

William P. Kuvlesky, Jr.

Caveny, R. J. M. J. Peterson, B. A. Collier, **W. Kuvlesky** and T. W. Schwertner. 2009. Occupancy and abundance of Rio Grande wild turkeys in south Texas. 2009. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Lubbock, Texas. 24-28 February, 2009.

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Currie, C. R., J. A. Ortega-Santos, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, L. A. Brennan and S. J. DeMaso. 2009. Development of a habitat appraisal guide for Rio Grande wild turkeys in southern Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Lubbock, Texas. 24-28 February, 2009.

Gonzalez, C. E., F. Ayala-Alvarez, J. A. Ortega-Santos and **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** 2009. Herbicide application to control wolfweed (*Aster spinosus*) in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Lubbock, Texas. 24-28 February, 2009.

Lopez-Morales, C. A., R. W. DeYoung, S. J. DeMaso, A. Ortega-Santos, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, D. G. Hewitt, J. A. Summers and J. B. Hardin. 2009. Genetic structure of wild turkey populations in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Lubbock, Texas. 24-28 February, 2009.

Lozano-Cavazos, A., L. A. Brennan, **W. P. Kuvlesky**, F. Hernandez, W. Harrell, T. Anderson, S. J. DeMaso and S. Reinke. 2009. Three year post-treatment effects of habitat management on a wintering grassland bird community in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Lubbock, Texas. 24-28 February, 2009.

Milgalter, R. A., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, C. A. Boal, L. A. Brennan, D. G. Hewitt and E. J. Redeker. 2009. The nesting ecology of three sympatric raptors in south Texas. The 16th Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Monterey, California, 20-24 September, 2009.

Tri, A. N, L. A. Brennan, D. G. Hewitt, F. Hernandez and **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** 2009. Supplemental protein and northern bobwhite reproduction. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Lubbock, Texas. 24-28 February, 2009.

Dominquez-Brazil, M., D. G. Hewitt, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, S. J. DeMaso and D. N. Phalen. 2008. Impact of over-winter nutrition on Rio Grande wild turkey in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, San Antonio, Texas. 14-16 February, 2008.

Caveny, R. J. M. J. Peterson, B. A. Collier, **W. Kuvlesky** and T. W. Schwertner. 2008. Occupancy and abundance of Rio Grande wild turkeys in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, San Antonio, Texas. 14-16 February, 2008.

Caveny, R. J. M. J. Peterson, B. A. Collier, **W. Kuvlesky** and T. W. Schwertner. 2008. Occupancy and abundance of Rio Grande wild turkeys in south Texas, United States. 15th Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Miami, Florida. 8-12 November, 2008.

Contreras, S., B. M. Ballard, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, L. A. Brennan, M. L. Morrison and K. K. Boydston. 2008. Dynamics of bird migration along the Lower Texas Coast. Fourth International Partners in Flight Conference, McAllen, Texas. 13-16 February, 2008.

Dong, L. M., J. A. Ortega-S., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, S. J. DeMaso and E. J. Redeker. 2008.

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Detectability of Rio Grande wild turkeys in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, San Antonio, Texas. 14-16 February, 2008.

Fulbright, T. E., A. D. Tjeimeland, J. P. Sands, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** and L. A. Brennan. 2008. Exotic grasses and quail on southwestern rangelands. 15th Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Miami, Florida. 8-12 November, 2008.

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Lozano-Cavazos, E. A., L. A. Brennan, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, F. Hernandez, W. Harrell, T. Anderson, S. J. DeMaso and S. Reinke. 2008. Post-treatment effects of habitat management on a breeding grassland bird community in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, San Antonio, Texas. 14-16 February, 2008.

Phillips, C. E., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, S. J. DeMaso, L. A. Brennan and D. G. Hewitt. 2008. Landscape characteristics of winter Rio Grande wild turkey roosts in south Texas. 15th Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Miami, Florida. 8-12 November, 2008.

Phillips, C. E., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, S. J. DeMaso, L. A. Brennan and D. G. Hewitt. 2008. Winter roosting ecology of Rio Grande wild turkeys in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, San Antonio, Texas. 14-16 February, 2008.

Phillips, C. E., S. J. DeMaso, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, L. M. Dong and A. Ortega. 2008. Artificial roosting structures used by Rio Grande wild turkeys in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, San Antonio, Texas. 14-16 February, 2008.

Sanders, D., J.P. Sands, T. W. Teinert, L. A. Brennan, F. Hernandez, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, J. F. Gallagher and D. C. Ruthven III. 2008. Impacts of buffelgrass on an arthropod community in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, San Antonio, Texas. 14-16 February, 2008.

DeYoung, R. D., F. Hernandez, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** and R. A. Van Der Bussche. 2007. Conservation genetics and analysis of population restoration for the endangered masked bobwhite. Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Tucson, Arizona. 22-26, September, 2007.

Dominquez, M. K., D. G. Hewitt, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, S. J. DeMaso and D. A. Phalen. 2007. Impact of overwinter nutrition on Rio Grande wild turkey nesting in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Beaumont, Texas. 22-24 February, 2007.

Garcia-Soloazo, D., R. W. DeYoung, F. Hernandez, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, L. A. Brennan, S. A. Gall, F. S. Guthery and R. A. Van Der Bussche. 2007. An analysis of population restoration efforts for quail. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Beaumont, Texas. 22-24 February, 2007.

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Guarneros-Altamirano, R., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, D. G. Hewitt, J. A. Ortega-Santos, and S. J. DeMaso. 2007. Invertebrate abundance in Rio Grande wild turkey poult habitat in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Beaumont, Texas. 22-24 February, 2007.

Guarneros-Altamirano, R., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, D. G. Hewitt, J. A. Ortega-Santos, and S. J. DeMaso. 2007. Habitat use by wild turkey poults in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Beaumont, Texas. 22-24 February, 2007.

Kane, D. F., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, C. W. Boal, and L. A. Brennan. 2007. Breeding responses of a south Texas community to variable precipitation. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Beaumont, Texas. 22-24 February, 2007.

Lawson, C., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, D. G. Hewitt, and S. J. DeMaso. 2007. Seasonal habitat use by female Rio Grande wild turkeys in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Beaumont, Texas. 22-24 February, 2007.

Lozano-Cavasoz, L. A. Brennan, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, F. Hernandez, W. Harrell, T. Anderson, S. J. DeMaso and S. Reinke. 2007. Effects of habitat management on Coastal Plain grassland birds and bobwhite quail. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, Beaumont, Texas. 22-24 February, 2007.

Lozano-Cavasoz, L. A. Brennan, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, F. Hernandez, W. Harrell, T. Anderson, S. J. DeMaso and S. Reinke. 2007. Effects of habitat management on grassland bird community in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Tucson, Arizona. 22-26, September, 2007.

Pittman, J. E., J. P. Sands, L. A. Brennan, F. Hernandez., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, J. F. Gallagher and D. C. Ruthven III. 2007. Impacts of buffelgrass on the abundance and diversity of herbaceous vegetation on a south Texas rangeland. Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Tucson, Arizona. 22-26 September, 2007.

Sands, J. P., L. A. Brennan, F. Hernandez., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, J. F. Gallagher and D. C. Ruthven III. 2007. Multiscale impacts of invasive exotic grasses on northern bobwhite in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of the Wildlife Society, Beaumont, Texas. 22-24 February, 2007.

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Brennan, L. A., F. Hernandez, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** and F. S. Guthery. 2006. Game bird management: Linking theory with practice in south Texas. *Frontiers in wildlife science: linking ecological theory and management applications*. Caesar Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute 25th Anniversary Symposium, Corpus Christi, Texas. 3 –6 April, 2006.

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Impact of over-winter nutrition on Rio Grande wild turkey productivity in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, South Padre Island, Texas. 16-18 February, 2006.

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Guarneros-Altamirano, R., **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, D. G. Hewitt, J. A. Ortega-Santos, B. M. Ballard and S. J. DeMaso. 2006. Preliminary study of insect abundance in habitat being used by wild turkey poults in south Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, South Padre Island, Texas. 16-18 February, 2006.

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Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr., J. P. Sands, A. Tjemeland, L. A. Brennan, T. E. Fulbright, S. J. DeMaso and F. Hernandez. 2006. Invasive exotic grasses and quail on southwestern rangelands: What have we learned since QUAIL V? Gambird 2006 – A Joint Conference. University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia. 30 May – 4 June, 2006.

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Long, D. B., S. E. Henke, **W. Kuvlesky** and G. Herndon. 2006. Effects of exotic grasses on small mammals and invertebrates in southern Texas. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, South Padre Island, Texas. 16-18 February, 2006.

Martinez-Salazar, J., J. A. Ortega-Salazar, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, D. G. Hewitt, S. J. DeMaso and M. Hellickson. 2006. Rio Grande wild turkey habitat use as affected by cattle grazing on a Merrill grazing system. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, South Padre Island, Texas. 16-18 February, 2006.

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Sands, J. P., L. A. Brennan, F. Hernandez, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, J. F. Gallagher and D. C. Ruthven III. 2006. Impacts of invasive exotic grasses on northern bobwhite. Annual Meeting of The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, South Padre Island, Texas. 16-18 February, 2006.

Sands, J. P., L. A. Brennan, F. Hernandez, **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.**, J. F. Gallagher, D.C. Ruthven III and J. E. Pittman III. 2006. Native grasses versus invasive exotic grasses on northern bobwhite (*Colinus virginianus*) habitat in south Texas. Gamebird 2006 – A Joint Conference. 30 May – 4 June, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia.

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DeMaso, S. J., J. B. Hardin, L. A. Brennan, R. Perez and **W. P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** 2005. Conservation initiatives for stabilizing and increasing populations of grassland, shrubland and pastureland birds. Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, Madison, Wisconsin. 25-30 September, 2005.

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2005 – 25K.

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2002 - 25K

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2001 – 56K

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2000 – 50K

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2000 – 2003 - 75K

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2008 – 344.8K

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2007 - 219.9K

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2006 – 295.4K

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2004 – 284K

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2004 – 337K

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2004 – 25K

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2003 – 413K

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2003 – 37K

Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr. and N. J. Silvy. Estimating wild turkey populations in Texas. Texas Parks & Wildlife Department.

2002 - 273K

Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr. Improving wild turkey habitat with artificial roosts on the Rio Grande Plains of south Texas. American Electric Power.

2002 - 77K

Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr. Birds of prey in Texas: White-tailed hawks, Harris hawks and red-tailed hawks in the Coastal Sand Plains. Edward W. Rose III.

2002 - 167K

Kuvlesky, W. P. Jr. and C. W. Boal. A pioneering study of raptors in south Texas: White-tailed hawks, Harris hawks and red-tailed hawks. Harvey Weil Sportsman Conservationist Award Trust, Rotary Club of Corpus Christi.

2002 - 25K

Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr., B. Ballard, E. Redeker and M. J. Peterson. The Impact of Habitat Fragmentation on Grassland Bird Community Abundance and Habitat Use in the Eastern Rio Grande Plains of Texas.

2001 – 624K to Texas Parks & Wildlife Department

2001 - 137K to a private donor

William P. Kuvlesky, Jr.

Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr., M. J. Peterson and E. Redeker. Assessment of Landscape Alteration on Wild Turkey Population and Habitat Changes in Kleberg, Kenedy and Brooks Counties, TX. Texas Parks & Wildlife Department
2001 – 650K

Boal, C. W. and **William P. Kuvlesky, Jr.** Community Ecology and Resource Partitioning of a Raptor Guild in the Coastal Prairie of Texas. Advanced Research Program, State of Texas.
2001 – 150K

Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr. (1) The Influence of Habitat on Rio Grande Turkey Poult Survival in South Texas; (2) Winter Habitat Use of Endangered Piping Plovers on Undisturbed Areas of the Lower Laguna Madre of Texas. Subcontract in Cross Band Transponder System to Track and Monitor Small Birds and Bats submitted by Blake Henke, Director of the Center for Conservation and Research Technology at the University of Maryland-Baltimore County.
2001– 44K to The National Science Foundation.
2001 – 44K to EPA.

Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr. Restoring Wild Turkey Populations in Bandera County, Texas. The Kronkosky Foundation, Inc
2000 – 70K

Kuvlesky, W. P., Jr. The Impact of White-winged Doves on an Urban Dove Community. The Kronkosky Foundation, Inc.
2000– 90K

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH ACTIVITIES

Membership in Professional Societies

The Wildlife Society, 1975 – present
The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, 1978 – to present
Texas A&M Student Chapter of The Wildlife Society, 1975 – 1979
Arizona/New Mexico Chapter of The Wildlife Society, 1992-present
Southwest Section of The Wildlife Society, 1992-present
Society for Range Management, 1990-present
Texas Chapter of The Society for Range Management, 1990-present
Arizona Chapter of The Society for Range Management, 1992-present
Society of Conservation Biology, 1993-present
Wilson Ornithological Society, 1993-present
Association of Field Ornithologists, 2000 – present
American Ornithologist's Union, 2001 – present
Raptor Research Foundation, Inc., 2001-present

Leadership Roles in Professional Societies

The Wildlife Society, 1975 – present

Certification Committee (2008 to present)
Invasive Species Working Group (2006 to 2007)
Honorary Membership and Special Recognition Service Awards Committee (2002-2007)

William P. Kuvlesky, Jr.

Nominating Committee (2004-2005)
The Wildlife Society Bulletin, Associate Editor, term 2000-2004
Professional Development Committee, Member, 2001-2002
Publications Award Committee, Member 1999-2000
Support of Symposia and Conferences Committee, 1992-1993

The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, 1978 – to present

Certification Committee (Chairman), 2009 to present
Publication Awards Committee, 2004 – 2005
Publication Awards Committee (Chairman), 2003 – 2004
Annual Meeting Local Arrangements Committee (Chairman), 2001 –2002
Site Selection Committee, 1992-1993 & 1999-2002
Nominations and Election Committee, 2000-2001
Nominated for Board Member at Large, 2000
Support of Symposia and Conferences Committee, 1992-1993
Membership Committee, 1989-90

Texas A&M Student Chapter of The Wildlife Society, 1975 – 1979

Member 1975-1979
President, 1978-1979
Wildlife Quiz Bowl Team 1978, 1979

Texas Chapter of The Society for Range Management, 1990-present

Nominations Committee, 2000-2001

QUAIL IV. The 5th National Quail Symposium

Chairman Local Arrangements Committee, 5th National Quail Symposium, Corpus Christi, TX. February 2002

4th International Partners In Flight Conference, 2008

Co-Chairman of Session: “Wind Farm Developments and Bird Populations on the Lower Gulf Coast of Texas”

Attendance at Meetings of Professional Societies

Annual Meeting of The Wildlife Society, 1999 – 2007
The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society, 1999 – 2008
King Ranch Institute for Ranch Management Symposium, 2003-2008
Annual Meeting of The Society for Range Management, 2000
Texas Chapter of The Society for Range Management, 2005
The First Year Experience Conference, 2000
6th Neotropical Ornithology Conference, 1999
Partners in Flight Conference, 2005, 2008
The Fifth National Quail Symposium: QUAIL V, 2002

William P. Kuvlesky, Jr.

Gamebird 2006: Quail VI and Perdix XII, 2006
25th Anniversary Conference for the Caesar Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute, 2007

Professional Service Activities

The Wildlife Society, The Wildlife Society Bulletin.

1998 (3 manuscripts)
1999 (1 manuscript)
2000 – 2004 (Associate Editor; 54 manuscripts)

Quail IV. The 5th National Quail Symposium, Co-Editor of Proceedings. 2002

The Wildlife Society, Reviewer for The Journal of Wildlife Management

1996 (1 book)
1998 (2 manuscripts)
1999 (1 book)
2000 (1 manuscripts), (9 books; I was on the Publication Awards Committee)
2001 (1 book)
2002 (7 manuscripts)
2003 (1 manuscript)
2004 (1 manuscript)
2005 (2 manuscripts)
2006 (2 manuscripts)
2007 (2 manuscripts)
2008 (1 manuscript)
2009 (1 mnauscript)

The Society for Range Management, Reviewer for The Journal of Range Management

2002 (1 manuscript)
2003 (1 manuscript)
2006 (1 manuscript)

The Wilson Ornithological Society, Reviewer for The Wilson Journal of Ornithology

2007 (1 manuscript)

The Association of Field Ornithologists, Reviewer for The Journal of Field Ornithology

2007 (1 manuscript)

The Journal of Field Ornithology

2008 (1 manuscript)

Western North American Naturalist

2008 (1 manuscript)

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Bioscience

2008 (1 manuscript)

The Condor

2009 (1 manuscript)

Journal of Applied Ecology

2009 (2 manuscripts)

Journal of Environmental Management

2009 (1 manuscript)

International Arid Lands Consortium, Proposal Reviewer.

1999 (2 proposals)

2001 (2 proposals)

2003 (2 Proposals)

2004 (1 proposal)

2007 (11 proposals)

2008 (13 proposals)

2009 (13 proposals)

Wildlife Habitat and Management Review for the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, Buenos Aires National Wildlife Refuge. 26-30 July 2004 (Invited to Participate).

Service Activities

Membership on University, College, and/or Department Committees

Committee Assignments

Department of Animal & Wildlife Sciences

Student Ambassador Committee, 2000 to 2003. Serve as Faculty Advisor to Wildlife Student Ambassadors. Facilitate development of presentations and travel to High Schools and Community Colleges.

RWSC/WSCI Curriculum Committee, 2001 to present. Review current RWSC/WSCI curriculum and recommend changes to curriculum.

Ph.D. Teaching Committee, 2003. Develop teaching policy for Ph.D. candidates.

Assessment Committee, 2001 – 2002. Assess the Department, develop specific goals and make recommendations to Department Chairman.

William P. Kuvlesky, Jr.

Dallas Ecological Foundation Scholarship Committee, 2000. Review applicants for scholarships and make recommendation for awards.

Caesar Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute

Quantitative Ecologist Search Committee, 2007-2008. Responsible for selecting candidates to interview for Quantitative Ecologist Position

Local Arrangements, CKWRI 25th Anniversary Symposium. 2005-2006. Responsible for making symposium arrangements with the Omni Hotel in Corpus Christi.

Research Aviary Technical Committee, Chairman. 2003 to 2007. Responsible for administration and daily operations of Research Aviary.

BioStatistician Search Committee, 2004. Participated in a national search for candidates, recommended potential candidates, reviewed C.V.s of applicants, recommended whom to interview, participated in interviews and made suggestion about whom to offer position.

Rangeland Ecologist Search Committee, Chairman. 2001. Organized the duties of the Committee. Point of contact for all applicants and made local arrangements for candidates interviewed for position.

Endowed Quail Chair Search Committee, 2000-2001. Participated in a national search for candidates, recommended potential candidates, reviewed C.V.s of applicants, recommended whom to interview, participated in interviews and made suggestion about whom to offer position.

College of Agriculture & Human Sciences

Scholarship Committee, Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, 2007 to present (1 meeting, 2 hours)

Coordinator, Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, College Annual Awards, 2007 to present. (2 meeting, 30 minutes).

Representative, International Arid Lands Consortium, Research & Advisory Committee, Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, 2006 to present.

Representative, Gulf Coast Cooperative Ecosystems Study Unit. Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, 2007 to present (2 meetings, 4 days).

Representative, Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, Texas State Technical College-Harlingen, Agriculture Division Advisory Committee, 2007 to present. (1 meeting, 3 hours).

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Representative, Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, Southwest Texas Junior College, Wildlife Program Advisory Committee, 2007 to present. (2 meetings, 5 hours).

Representative, Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, Agriculture Consortium of Texas, 2007 to present. (0 meetings).

College Director for the Hispanic Leaders in Agriculture Program administered by Texas A&M University, Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, 2009 to present (5 meetings, 30 hours of work).

Human Sciences Search Committee for Fashion & Interiors Merchandizing Position, 2008, (2 meetings, 3 interviews, 5 hours of work)

Department of Agronomy & Resource Sciences, Search Committee for Agriculture Economist (Chairman) 2008. (3 meetings, 3 Interviews 24 hours of work).

Department of Agronomy & Resource Sciences Search Committee for Natural Resource Agriculture Economist. 2008. (2 meetings, 1 Interviews 4 hours of work).

Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture & Human Sciences, Search Committee for Academic Advisor (Chairman) 2008. (3 meetings, 4 interviews, 36 hours of work)

Dick & Mary Lewis Kleberg College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Human Sciences, Scholarship Committee. 2008. (1 meeting, 8 days of work).

Annual Evaluation Revision Committee, 2007-2008. (3 meetings, 4 hours of work)

Human Sciences Search Committee for Department Chairman, 2007. (1 meeting, 8 hours of work)

Human Sciences Search Committee for Fashion & Interiors Merchandizing Position, 2007. (1 meeting, 1 hour of work)

Texas A&M University-Kingsville

Recruiting Committee 2009 to present (4 meetings, 80 hours of work)

Recruiting Committee: Joint Enrollment Agreement Subcommittee 2009 to present (3 meetings, 4 hours of work).

Search Committee for Director of Planning & Assessment 2009 (2 meetings, 4 hours of work).

Scholarship Committee, 2008 – present (1 meeting, 1 hour of work).

State Charitable Campaign, College of AG – Team Captain, 2008 & 2009.

William P. Kuvlesky, Jr.

Faculty Salary Task Force, 2007-2008 (1 meetings, 16 hours of work).

Space Utilization Task Force, 2007-2008 (3 meetings).

Ad Hoc Committee on Emeritus Rank, 2003 – 2004. Review applicants for appoint to Emeritus Rank and make recommendations for appointment.

Faculty Senate Handbook Committee, 2003 & 2004. The committee's charge includes implementing changes, additions, and deletions in appropriate sections of the Faculty Handbook.

Faculty Senate Finance Review Committee, 2004. Review appropriations by the legislature and review how monies are budgeted and actually spent within the university.

Bachelor of Arts and Applied Sciences (B.A.A.S.) Advisory Committee, 2004. Review requirements for B.A.A.S. degree and make recommendations for revisions.

Graduate Council, 2004 (1 meeting substituting for Bart Ballard). Attended monthly meeting as a substitute and participated in discussion on monthly agenda items.

SACS Review, Local Arrangements Committee, 2002 to 2003. Assisted in organizing the local arrangements for SACs Program Review members while they are in Kingsville.

Distance Learning Committee, 2001 – 2003. Responsible for making suggestions to facilitate Distance Learning Program.

Enrollment Management Committee, 2001 – 2003. Responsible for making recommendations on any revisions needed for Enrollment Management.

Benefits Committee, Faculty Senate Rep., 2001-2002. While this committee had historically been responsible for apprising TAMUK retired faculty of changes to their benefits in a timely manner and serving as a channel of communication between retired faculty and the University, its name and charge has been expanded. It now includes communication of changes in benefits to all faculty, both retired and active.

Graduate Council, Graduate Curriculum Committee, 2002. Review proposals for changes to graduate curriculum and then make recommendations regarding acceptance or denial of proposed changes.

Graduate Council, (substituted for Dave Hewitt, 1 meeting), 2001 & 2002. Attended monthly meeting as a substitute and participated in discussion on monthly agenda items.

State Charitable Campaign, CKWRI – Team Captain, 2000 & 2001. Encourage CKWRI Faculty and Staff to make contributions to campaign, collect contribution pledges and then deliver to TAMUK Team Captain.

Academic Advising Task Force, Faculty Senate Rep., 2000. Responsible for making recommendations regarding advising at TAMUK.

William P. Kuvlesky, Jr.

Texas A&M University System

Texas Cooperative Extension Service, La Copita Research Area – Wildlife Advisory Committee. 2001 to present. Responsible for reviewing wildlife management and research program and making recommendations to improve program if necessary.

Adjunct Member of the Graduate Faculty, Department of Wildlife & Fisheries Sciences, Texas A&M University. 2000 to present. Membership permits participation on Graduate Student Committees at TAMU. 2000 to present.

Texas Cooperative Extension Service, Texas Community Futures Forum, 2000. Make recommendations to improve the livelihood of primarily agricultural communities in Texas.

Texas Parks & Wildlife Department

Texas Parks & Wildlife Department, Wild Turkey State Advisory Committee. 2004 to 2006. Make recommendations regarding wild turkey research and management in Texas.

Service Activities Outside University

Member of Executive Board for The Kingsville Convention and Visitors Bureau, 2003 to present. (Vice President of the Executive Committee 2003 to 2006).

Member of the Navy League and Kingsville Chapter of The Navy League, 2002 & 2003.

Honors and Awards

The Wildlife Society

Certified Wildlife Biologist, (Certified January 2000)

The Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society

Recipient of Publication Award for Outstanding Scientific Review Article, 2009

Recipient of Publication Award for Outstanding Book (Co-Edited), 2004

Recipient of Publication Award for Outstanding Scientific Article (Co-Authored), 2002

Texas A&M University-Kingsville

Promoted to Associate Professor, 2003.

Appointment to Full Membership on the Graduate Faculty at Texas A&M University-Kingsville, March 22, 2000.

Texas A&M University

William P. Kuvlesky, Jr.

Adjunct Appointment to the Graduate Faculty in The Department of Wildlife & Fisheries Sciences at Texas A&M University, May 17, 2000