# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

University of Idaho

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#### DATE: January 24, 2022

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### DATE OF FIRST EMPLOYMENT AT UI: August 14, 2017

DATE OF TENURE: Tenured

## DATE OF PRESENT RANK OR TITLE: August 14, 2017

# **EDUCATION BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL:**

#### **Degrees:**

Ph.D., Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, May 2009, Fisheries and Wildlife/Environmental Science and Public PolicyM.S., University of Idaho, Moscow, ID, May 1998, Environmental Science

B.S., University of Idaho, Moscow, ID, May 1996, Wildlife Resources

# **EXPERIENCE:**

#### **Teaching, Extension and Research Appointments:**

2017 – Present	Associate Professor, Department of Forest, Rangeland, and Fire Sciences, University of Idaho
2013 - 2017	Category I Research Ecologist, USDA Agricultural Research Service, Las Cruces, NM
2009 - 2013	Post-doctoral Research Ecologist, USDA Agricultural Research Service, Las Cruces, NM
2002 - 2009	Spatial Ecologist, The Nature Conservancy, Hailey, ID
1999 - 2001	Senior GIS Analyst, Pacific Biodiversity Institute, Winthrop, WA
1996 - 1999	Senior GIS Analyst, Idaho Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit, Moscow, ID

### **Consulting:**

2001 – 2022 Sound Science LLC, Senior Ecologist, GIS and statistical consulting

# TEACHING ACCOMPLISHMENTS: (Academic and Extension teaching)

#### Areas of Specialization:

Rangeland ecology, natural resource monitoring, data science, spatial analysis, remote sensing

#### **Courses Taught:**

FW 419: GIS for Natural Resources, FW 419 (Michigan State University), 2008 – 2009
FOR 546: Science Synthesis and Communications, 2020-2022
REM 252: Wildland Plant Identification, 2018 – 2019
REM 475: Remote Sensing Applications of Unmanned Aerial Systems, 2019 – 2021
REM 410: Principles of Vegetation Measurement and Assessment, 2017 – 2021
REM 476: Unmanned Aerial Systems Operations, 2022
REM 504/520: Advanced Vegetation Monitoring, 2018 – 2021
REM 504: Data Science for Natural Resources, 2018 – 2019

#### Students Advised:

#### **Undergraduate Students:**

Advise 5 students per semester in Rangeland Conservation Advisor, Range Club, University of Idaho, 2017-2021 Co-Advisor, College of Engineering Senior Design Projects Virtual Fencing, 2018-2019, 2019-2020 Drone Development, 2018-2019

# **Undergraduate Researchers (8):**

Kennedy Beech, 2019-2020 Dan Lauritzen, 2018-2020 Jared Parsons, 2019-2020 Kyle Ureta, 2020-2021 Sam Fulbright, 2020-2021 Luke Johnson, 2021-2022 JP Krog, 2022 Tyler Ernst, 2021-2022

#### **Graduate Students:**

Currently Advising as Major Professor or Committee Member (7): Sean DiStefano (Major Advisor), Ph.D. Natural Resources, 2018-present Leah Dreesmann (Major Advisor), Ph.D. Natural Resources, 2021-present Derek Tilley (Major Advisor), Ph.D. Natural Resources, 2021-present Jared Parsons (Major Advisor), MNR, Natural Resources, 2020-present JB Playfair (Committee Member), Ph.D., Natural Resources, 2021-present Dan Lauritzen (Committee Member), Ph.D., Natural Resources, 2021-present Justin Jensen (Committee Member), M.S. Animal and Veterinary Science, 2019-present

#### Advised to completion of degree as major professor (9) or committee member (8):

Sarah Burnett (Co-major Advisor), Animal and Range Science, New Mexico State University, M.S., 2014

Sarah McCord (Co-major Advisor), Geography, New Mexico State University, M.S., 2016

- Sean DiStefano (Co-major Advisor), Animal and Range Science, New Mexico State University, M.S., 2018
- Venkata Ramakanth (Committee Member), M.S. Computer Science, New Mexico State University, 2011
- Samuel Perry (Committee Member), M.S. Agricultural Economics, New Mexico State University, 2013
- Christine Laney (Committee Member), Ph.D. Bioinformatics, University of Texas at El Paso, 2014
- David Kimiti (Committee Member), Ph.D. Animal and Range Science, New Mexico State University, 2017
- Jeffrey Gillan (Committee Member), Ph.D. Natural Resources, University of Arizona, 2019
- Ian Smith (Committee Member), M.S. Natural Resource, 2019
- William Gentry (Major Advisor), M.S., Natural Resources, 2019

Ian Hellman (Committee Member), M.S. Water Resources, 2019

Emily Washburne (Major Advisor), MNR, Natural Resources, 2019

Alex Traynor (Major Advisor), MS Natural Resources, 2020

Nelson Stauffer (Major Advisor), M.S. Natural Resources, 2021

Charles Jones (Major Advisor), M.S. Natural Resources, 2021

Taylor Fletcher (Major Advisor), M.S. Natural Resources, 2021

Lindsey Rusch (Committee Member), M.S. Natural Resources, 2021

# **Postdocs Advised:**

Dr. Vincent Jansen, 2018-present

- Dr. Jonathan Maynard, 2013-2017, Currently Research Ecologist, USDA Agricultural Research Service, Corvalis, OR
- Dr. Kert Young, 2013-2016, Currently Assistant Professor, New Mexico State University

Agricultural Extension, Las Cruces, NM

# **Technicians:**

Jeffrey Gillan (ARS), 2010 - 2016 Sarah McCord (ARS), 2012 - 2017 Nelson Stauffer (ARS), 2014 - 2017 Cynthia Hart (ARS), 2011 - 2014 Ruben Baca (ARS), 2016 - 2017 Sean Perry (ARS), 2014 - 2017 Dan Lauritzen, 2018 - 2020 Matthew Shryock, 2018 - present Jared Parsons, 2019 - present

# **Courses Developed:**

REM 475: Remote Sensing Applications of Unmanned Aerial Systems

REM 476: Unmanned Aerial Systems Operations

REM 504: Data Science for Natural Resources

REM 520: Advanced Vegetation Measurement & Monitoring

# Non-credit Classes, Workshops, Seminars, Invited Lectures, etc.:

2022	
2022	Idaho Weed Control Association: Workshop presentation on using drones for
	invasive species management. Boise, ID
2021	UI Extension Workshop: Designing, Interpreting, and Applying Rangeland
	Monitoring to Management. Co-instructor. Murphy, ID
2021	UI Extension Forestry LEAP Update program presentation: Opportunities for
	Drones in Logging.
2020	UI Extension Workshop: Designing, Interpreting, and Applying Rangeland
	Monitoring to Management. Co-instructor. Murphy, ID
2019	Idaho Cattle Association Panel Discussion on Engaging with Rangeland Science,
	Invited Panelist. Sun Valley, ID
2019	Utah BLM Range Program Annual Meeting, Monitoring Methods and Sampling
	Design, Instructor. Provo, UT
2019	Annual Zumwalt Prairie Partners Meeting, Oregon Chapter of The Nature
	Conservancy. Invited speaker. Enterprise, OR
2018	UI Extension Rangeland Monitoring Workshop, Co-instructor. Rinker Rock Creek
	Ranch, Hailey, ID.
2018	Bureau of Land Management AIM Core Methods Training, Co-instructor. Twin
	Falls, ID
2018	UI CALS Drone Demo Day, Co-instructor. Craigmont, ID
2017	Bureau of Land Management AIM Core Methods Training, Co-instructor. Las
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#### **Guest Lectures in UI Courses:**

ASM 305 – *GPS and Precision Agriculture*, Fall 2018 ECE 491 – *Senior Seminar*, Spring 2018, Fall 2018 FOR/NRS 375 – *Introduction to Spatial Analysis for Natural Resource Management*, Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Spring 2020 FOR/NRS 472 – *Remote Sensing of the Environment*, Spring 2020 REM 151 – *Rangeland Principles*, Fall 2018

REM 429 – Landscape Ecology, Spring 2019, Spring 2020

### **Materials Developed:**

Landscape Toolbox Learning Portal (<u>http://learn.landscapetoolbox.org</u>) – learning resources and reviews for vegetation monitoring methods and rangeland plant identification.

Landscape Toolbox (<u>http://www.landscapetoolbox.org</u>) – resources for rangeland monitoring and assessment via field and remote sensing methods.

# SCHOLARSHIP ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

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### Publications, Exhibitions, Performances, Recitals:

(\* denotes student, post-doctoral associate or technician)

Refereed/Adjudicated: (i.e. books, book chaps., journals, proc., abstr., etc)

- Karl, J.W., Herrick, J.E., and D.A. Pyke. 2017. Monitoring protocols: options, approaches, implementation, and benefits. In *Rangeland Systems: Processes, Management and Challenges*, D.D. Briske (ed.), pp 527–67. Springer Series on Environmental Management. Springer Verlag.
- 2. Unnasch, R.S. and Karl, J.W. 2012. Scale and conservation planning. *In*: Craighead, L. (ed). Conservation Planning. ESRI Press. Redlands, CA.
- 3. Karl, J.W., and Porter, M. 2006. Digital aerial sketch-mapping for early detection and mapping of invasive species. *In:* Invasive Plant Inventory Methods. Center for Invasive Plant Management, Montana State University, Bozeman, MT.
- Karl, J.W., Svancara, L.K., Heglund, P.J., Wright, N.M., and Scott, J.M. 2002. Species commonness and the accuracy of habitat-relationship models. In Scott, J.M., P.J. Heglund, and M.L. Morrison (eds). Predicting Species Occurrences. Island Press. Washington, D.C.
- Morrison, P., and Karl, J.W. 2001. Pacific Biodiversity Institute. Pp 76-79 in Convis, C.L. Jr. (ed.). Conservation geography: case studies in GIS, computer mapping, and activism. ESRI Press. Redlands, CA.

**Peer Reviewed/Evaluated:** (i.e. journals, articles, proceedings, abstracts, etc.)

- Stéfano, Sean Di, Jason W. Karl, Michael C. Duniway, Robert Heinse, April Hulet, and J.D. Wulfhorst. "Oil and Gas Reclamation on US Public Lands: How It Works and Improving the Process with Land Potential Concepts." Rangelands 43, no. 6 (December 2021): 211–21. https://doi.org/10/gnvpzz.
- Smith, Ian T., Sonya J. Knetter, Leona K. Svancara, Jason W. Karl, Timothy R. Johnson, and Janet L. Rachlow. "Overlap Between Sagebrush Habitat Specialists Differs Among Seasons: Implications for Umbrella Species Conservation." Rangeland Ecology & Management 78 (September 2021): 142–54. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.rama.2021.06.007.
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- Allred, B., Bestelmeyer, B., Boyd, C., Brown, C., Davies, K., Ellsworth, L., Erickson, T., Fuhlendorf, S., Griffiths, T., Jansen, V., Jones, M., Karl, J., Maestas, J., Maynard, J., McCord, S., Naugle, D., Starns, H., Twidwell, D., Uden, D. 2021. Improving Landsat predictions of rangeland fractional cover with multitask learning and uncertainty. Methods in Ecology and Evolution 2041-210X.13564. <u>https://doi.org/10.1111/2041-210X.13564</u>
- Jansen, Vincent, Alexander C.E. Traynor, Jason W. Karl, Nika Lepak, and James Sprinkle. "Monitoring Grazing Use: Strategies for Leveraging Technology and Adapting to Variability." *Rangelands*, August 2021, S0190052821000687. <u>https://doi.org/10/gnvpzs</u>.
- 11. Wardropper, Chloe B., Jay P. Angerer, Morey Burnham, Maria E. Fernández-Giménez, Vincent S. Jansen, Jason W. Karl, Katherine Lee, and Katherine Wollstein. "Improving Rangeland Climate

Services for Ranchers and Pastoralists with Social Science." Current Opinion in Environmental Sustainability 52 (2021): 82–91. <u>https://doi.org/10/gmjbss</u>.

- Stauffer, Nelson G., Michael C. Duniway, Jason W. Karl, and Travis W. Nauman. "Sampling Design Workflows and Tools to Support Adaptive Monitoring and Management." Rangelands, September 2021, S0190052821000870. <u>https://doi.org/10/gnvpzv</u>.
- McCord, Sarah E., Justin L. Welty, Jennifer Courtwright, Catherine Dillon, Alex Traynor, Sarah H. Burnett, Ericha M. Courtright, et al. "Ten Practical Questions to Improve Data Quality." Rangelands, August 2021, S0190052821000699. <u>https://doi.org/10/gnvpzt</u>.
- McCord, Sarah E, Nicholas P Webb, Justin W Van Zee, Sarah H Burnett, Erica M Christensen, Ericha M Courtright, Christine M Laney, et al. "Provoking a Cultural Shift in Data Quality." BioScience, March 31, 2021, biab020. <u>https://doi.org/10.1093/biosci/biab020</u>.
- Jansen, V.S., C.A. Kolden, H.J. Schmalz, J.W. Karl, and R.V. Taylor. "Using Satellite-Based Vegetation Data for Short-Term Grazing Monitoring to Inform Adaptive Management." Rangeland Ecology & Management 76 (May 2021): 30–42. <u>https://doi.org/10.1016/j.rama.2021.01.006</u>.
- 16. Cunliffe, A.M., Anderson, K., Boschetti, F., Brazier, R.E., Graham, H.A., Myers-Smith, I.H., Astor, T., Boer, M.M., Calvo, L., Clark, P.E., Cramer, M.D., Encinas-Lara, M.S., Escarzaga, S.M., Fernández-Guisuraga, J.M., Fisher, A.G., Gdulová, K., Gillespie, B., Griebel, A., Hanan, N.P., Hanggito, M.S., Haselberger, S., Havrilla, C.A., Heilman, P., Ji, W., Karl, J.W., Kirchhoff, M., Kraushaar, S., Lyons, M.B., Marzolff, I., Mauritz, M.E., McIntire, C.D., Metzen, D., Méndez-Barroso, L.A., Power, S.C., Prošek, J., Sanz-Ablanedo, E., Sauer, K.J., Schulze-Brüninghoff, D., Šímová, P., Sitch, S., Smit, J., Steele, C.M., Suárez-Seoane, S., Tweedie, C.E., Vargas, S.A., Villarreal, M.L., Visser, F., Wachendorf, M., Wirnsberger, H., Wojcikiewicz, R. 2021. Drone-derived canopy height predicts biomass across non-forest ecosystems globally. Remote Sensing in Ecology and Conservation, July 7, 2021, rse2.228. <u>https://doi.org/10.1002/rse2.228</u>.
- Hellman, Ian, Robert Heinse, Jason W. Karl, and Mark Corrao. "Detection of Terracettes in Semi-Arid Rangelands Using Fourier-Based Image Analysis of Very High-Resolution Satellite Imagery: Detection of Terracettes Using Fourier-Based Image Analysis." *Earth Surface Processes and Landforms*, August 4, 2020. <u>https://doi.org/10.1002/esp.4971</u>.
- Whiting, M., Salley, S., James, D., Karl, J.W., and C. Brungard. 2020. Rapid bulk density measurement using mobile device photogrammetry. Journal of the Soil Science Society of America. saj2.20063. doi:10.1002/saj2.20063
- DiStefano, S.\*, Karl, J.W., Bailey, D., and S. Hale. 2020. Evaluation of the automated reference toolset as a method to select reference sites for oil and gas reclamation on Colorado rangelands. Journal of Environmental Management. 265:110578. doi:10.1016/j.jenvman.2020.110578
- Karl, J.W., Yelich, J., Ellison, M.J., and D. Lauritzen\*. 2020. Estimates of willow (*Salix spp.*) canopy volume using unmanned aerial systems. Rangeland Ecology and Management. doi: 10.1016/j.rama.2020.03.001
- Gillan, J.K.\*, J.W. Karl, and W.J.D. van Leeuwen. 2020. Integrating Drone Imagery with Existing Rangeland Monitoring Programs. Environmental Monitoring and Assessment 192(5): 269. doi:10.1007/s10661-020-8216-3.
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- Karl, J.W., and J.E. Sprinkle. 2019. Low-Cost Livestock Global Positioning System Collar from Commercial Off-the-Shelf Parts. Rangeland Ecology & Management, October 2019, S1550742419300582. doi:10.1016/j.rama.2019.08.003.
- Salley, S.W., Herrick, J.E., Holmes, C.V., Karl, J.W., Levi, M.R., McCord. S.E., van der Waal, C., and J.W. Van Zee. 2018. A Comparison of Soil Texture-by-Feel Estimates: Implications for the Citizen Soil Scientist. Soil Science Society of America Journal 82, no. 6 (2018): 1526. doi:10.2136/sssaj2018.04.0137.
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- 29. Karl, J.W. 2018. Mining location information from life- and earth-science studies to facilitate knowledge discovery. Journal of Librarianship and Information Sciences 096100061875941.
- Salley, S.W., Herrick, J.E., Holmes, C., Karl, J.W., Levi, M.R., McCord\*, S.E., van der Wall, C., and J.W. Van Zee. 2018. Assessing and improving the quality of citizen scientists' soil hand texture estimates. Journal of Soil and Water Conservation 82(6):15-26.
- 31. SRM Assessment and Monitoring Committee. 2018. Utilization and residual measurements: tools for adaptive rangeland management. Rangelands 40(5)146-151.
- 32. Browning, D., J. Karl, D. Morin, A. Richardson, and C. Tweedie. 2017. Phenocams Bridge the Gap between Field and Satellite Observations in an Arid Grassland Ecosystem. Remote Sensing 9:1071.
- Browning, D. M., J. J. Maynard\*, J. W. Karl, and D. C. Peters. 2017. Breaks in MODIS time series portend vegetation change: verification using long-term data in an arid grassland ecosystem. Ecological Applications 27:1677–1693.
- \*Gillan, J., J. Karl, A. Elaksher, and M. Duniway. 2017. Fine-Resolution Repeat Topographic Surveying of Dryland Landscapes Using UAS-Based Structure-from-Motion Photogrammetry: Assessing Accuracy and Precision against Traditional Ground-Based Erosion Measurements. Remote Sensing 9:437.
- 35. \*Maynard, J. J., and J. W. Karl. 2017. A hyper-temporal remote sensing protocol for highresolution mapping of ecological sites. D. Rocchini, editor. PLOS ONE 12:e0175201.
- \*McCord, S. E., M. Buenemann, J. W. Karl, D. M. Browning, and B. C. Hadley. 2017. Integrating Remotely Sensed Imagery and Existing Multiscale Field Data to Derive Rangeland Indicators: Application of Bayesian Additive Regression Trees. Rangeland Ecology & Management 70:644– 655.
- 37. SRM Assessment and Monitoring Committee. 2017. Does Size Matter? Animal Units and Animal Unit Months. Rangelands 39:17–19.
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#### **Invited presentations:**

"Transforming livestock grazing through virtual fencing." UI Renfrew Colloquium presentation given with K. Launchbaugh, M. Hefeida, and G. Murdock. Moscow, ID, Apr 2018.

"JournalMap." Invited presentation given at UI GIS Day, Moscow, ID, Nov 2017.

- "Challenges & opportunities with standardized monitoring for management decision-making." Invited presentation given at the AIM Monitoring Symposium at the 2018 Society for Range Management Annual Meeting, Reno, NV, Feb 2018.
- "The role of data and inference in the development and application of ecological site descriptions." Invited presentation given at the Ecological Site Symposium at the 2017 Society for Range Management Annual Meeting, St. George, UT, Feb 2017.
- "Implementing the Bureau of Land Management's Assessment, Inventory, and Monitoring Program: applications and data mining opportunities." Guest lecture to the School of Natural Resources and the Environment at University of Arizona. February 2016.
- "JournalMap." Invited presentation at the Allen Press 2015 Emerging Trends in Scholarly Publishing Seminar in Washington, D.C. April 2015.
- "Leveraging the 'where' in scholarly literature: enabling geographic-based knowledge discovery." Invited presentation at the 2014 Society for Scholarly Publishing annual conference in Boston, MD. May 2014.
- "Using spatial statistics and point-pattern simulations to assess the relationship between Greater Sagegrouse and man-made features." Guest lecture to the Department of Plant and Wildlife Sciences at Brigham Young University. February 2013.
- "JournalMap." Invited presentation at the International Association of Scientific, Technical, and Medical Publishers annual Innovations Seminar in London, UK. December 2013.
- Geo-semantic searching for ecological knowledge. Guest lecture to the University of Texas at El Paso CyberShare Group. October 2012.
- "Scaling properties of semi-arid ecosystems through image segmentation: multivariate correlations across scales and identifying appropriate scales." Invited presentation to the 2011 University of Texas at El Paso Bioinformatics Symposium. April 2011.

Grants and Contracts Awarded: (provide principal and co investigators, title, sponsor, funding dates, amount) Total to date at the University of Idaho as PI, Co-PI, or Senior Personnel: \$3,075,354

# Active:

- Measuring recreation use and its potential impacts on grazing cattle at Rinker Rock Creek Ranch. Little Endowment, **\$5,000.** J. Karl (PI), E. Winford, C. Packer, J. Sprinkle.
- Developing automated workflows for processing UAV imagery. Montana Chapter of The Nature Conservancy, **\$22,000**. J. Karl (PI), V. Jansen.
- Technology to Manage Livestock Location Within RANGE and REALITY. USDA-NIFA, **\$983,199**. K. Launchbaugh, G. Murdoch, T. Hudson, K. Lee, J. Karl (Co-PI), J. Sprinkle, D. Shrestha.
- Understanding sources of error in the BLM's Terrestrial AIM program. USDI Bureau of Land Management, **\$266,692**. J. Karl (PI)
- Developing vegetation metrics for oil and gas reclamation success. US Geological Survey. **\$39,708** (awarded). J. Karl (**PI**), S. Di Stéfano.
- Planning the Creation of a Multi-Purpose, Public Facing Academic Research Database Platform for
- Agricultural Data with Geolocation Data Correlation. Institute of Museum and Library Sciences **\$99,969** (awarded). J. Kenyon, L. Olsen, J. Karl.
- Assessing the effectiveness of beaver dam analogues (BDAs). NRCS Idaho Conservation Innovation Grant. **\$73,463** (awarded, funds pending). C. Goebel, M. Ellison, C. Jones, J.W. Karl, A. Morris. E. Winford.
- A National Grazingland Information System: Expanding GlobalRangelands.org Through A Grazingland Thesaurus and Mobile Content Access. NRCS Conservation Innovation Grant. **\$616,586**. J. Karl (**PI**), J. Kenyon, G. Ruyle, J. Pfander.
- Deploying CERT: Integrating satellite and field measures for improved grazingland management at ranch scales. NRCS Conservation Innovation Grant. **\$661,118** (**plus \$100,000** cash match from The Nature Conservancy). J. Karl (**PI**), K. Launchbaugh, C. Conway.
- Supporting outcome-based management on private and public rangelands: training agricultural professionals on monitoring techniques. NIFA Western SARE. \$72,519. J.W. Karl (PI), E. Winford, A. Hulet, A. Quandt, J.E. Herrick.
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# Past:

- Development and testing of low-cost GPS collar systems for livestock using commercial off-the-shelf parts. David Little Livestock Range Management Endowment. **\$4,059.** J.W. Karl (**PI**), C. Conway.
- USDA Foreign Agricultural Service. Expression of interest to host a Borlaug Fellow from Mongolia. **\$31,057** (A. Cibils, J.W. Karl, B. Bestelmeyer).
- USDI Bureau of Land Management. 2017-2022 Technical support for assessment and monitoring-related projects. interagency agreement. **\$2,859,000** (J.W. Karl, J.E. Herrick).
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- US Department of Defense Environmental Security Technology Certification Program. 2012. Automated Geospatial Watershed Assessment (AGWA) to aid in sustaining military mission and training. \$1,169,000 total (\$265,750 to USDA-ARS Jornada). (D.C. Goodrich, P. Heilman, D.P. Guertin, L. Levick, J.W. Karl)
- USDI Bureau of Land Management. 2010. Taking A.I.M. to the field interagency agreement. **\$185,000** (J. Herrick, J.W. Karl)
- USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service. 2009. Evaluating long-term carbon storage potential on private rangelands using dynamic landscape modeling. **\$69,334** (J.W. Karl, R. Unnasch)
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- Wilburforce Foundation. 2004. Multi-scale conservation planning for conservation of private, working forests in north-central Idaho. **\$25,000** (T. Klahr, J.W. Karl)

# **Honors and Awards:**

- 2020 Best Paper Award, Geoscience Information Society, for "Mining Location Information from Lifeand Earth-science Studies to Facilitate Knowledge Discovery"
- 2020 UI Excellence in Interdisciplinary and Collaborative Efforts Award
- 2020 CNR Outstanding Continuing Education & Service Award
- 2020 CNR Boot-in-the-Butt Award
- 2016 USDA-ARS Plains Area Early Career Scientist of the Year
- 2014 Federal Laboratory Consortium, Mid-Continent Region, Notable Technological Development for JournalMap
- 2007 Environmental Science and Policy Doctoral Fellowship, Michigan State University
- 2001 ESRI Special Achievement in GIS award for work with Pacific Biodiversity Institute
- 1994 Kurt Berklund Honorarium for Undergraduate Research

# **SERVICE:**

#### **University Committee and Service Assignments:**

2021 - present UI IRIC Facility Committee (Co-chair) 2019 - present UI Unmanned Aerial Systems Committee (Chair) CNR/CALS Search Committee, Rangeland Extension Specialist Faculty Search (Chair) 2021 - present 2021 CALS-SWS Search Committee, Precision Agriculture Faculty Search (Member) 2018 - 2020**CNR** Awards Committee 2019 Interim Director of the UI Rangeland Center 2019 - present Rinker Rock Creek Ranch Research and Monitoring Committee (Member) 2019 - 2020UI College of Natural Resources Dean Search Committee (Member) 2019 CNR-NRS Search Committee for LTAR Post-Docs (Member)

# **External Reviews:**

2016 USDA-ARS Research Evaluation Performance System Panelist (USDA-ARS promotion system)

**Professional and Scholarly Organizations** (including memberships, committee assignments, editorial services, offices held and dates)

# Leadership roles in scientific journals

2017 - present	Editor in Chief, Rangelands
2017 – present	Editorial Board Member, Fire
2010	Guest Editor, Rangelands

# Membership and roles in professional organizations

2005 - present	Society for Range Management
2013 - present	Committee Member Remote Sensing/GIS Committee
2015	Chair Remote Sensing/GIS Committee
2015 - 2017	USDA-ARS Representative to the Rangeland Assessment and Monitoring Committee
2017 – present	Committee Member Rangeland Assessment and Monitoring Committee
2007 - 2014	Ecological Society of America

### **Reviewing of scholarly work**

2010 – present	Various BLM and USFS manuals, technical reports, and monitoring plans.
2010 – present	External reviewer for USGS and USDA-ARS scientific manuscripts (required before submission for publication).
2005 – present	Reviewed manuscripts for:
	Rangeland Ecology & Management, Rangelands, EcoSphere, Restoration Ecology,
	Ecological Applications, International Journal of Remote Sensing, Ecological
	Informatics, Current Landscape Ecology Reports, Environmental Health and
	Sustainability, Journal of Arid Environments, Journal of Librarianship and Information
	Science, Environmental Monitoring and Assessment, Journal of Environmental
	Management, Invasive Plant Science and Management, Frontiers in Ecology and the
	Environment, Applied Vegetation Science, Journal of Vegetation Science, Evolutionary
	Ecology Reviews
2011 - 2017	Reviewer for the following books: Review of the NRCS National Resource Inventory
	Conservation Effects Assessment Program; EcoTrends; US Forest Service Rangeland
	Vegetation Assessment, Inventory, Monitoring, and Analysis Handbook.

# **Organization Roles at Conferences and Professional Meetings**

- 2020 Planning committee, program co-chair for the 2021 Society for Range Management Annual Meeting (to be held virtually, Feb 2021).
- 2020 "Open(source) Range", Co-organizer, Symposium at the 2020 Society for Range Management Annual Meeting, Denver, CO
- 2018 "2<sup>nd</sup> University of Idaho Drone Summit", Convener + Co-organizer, Moscow, ID, Nov 2018
- 2018 "1st University of Idaho Drone Summit", Convener + Co-organizer, Moscow, ID, Apr 2018
- 2015 "Monitoring for Adaptive Management: Implementing the BLM AIM Strategy", Co-organizer + Convener, Symposium at 2015 Society for Range Management annual meeting, Sacramento, CA.
- 2015 "Building Bridges Using Unmanned Aerial Systems (UASs) Imagery to Link Ecological Observations". Co-organizer. Organized Oral Session at 2015 Ecological Society of America meeting. Baltimore, MD.
- 2015 "Hacking ecology: the infiltration of coding in ecology for data integration, analysis, and visualization". Co-organizer. Ignite session at 2015 Ecological Society of America meeting. Baltimore, MD.

# **Outreach Service:**

2017 – present Member of the UI Rangeland Center

2018 – present	Member of the Rangelands Partnership, a collective of rangeland professionals and science librarians from 19 western states to improve the accessibility of information for sustainable land management.
2015 - present	Technical advisor to the USDA-ARS Land Potential Knowledge System (LandPKS) project
2013 - 2017	Member of the Bureau of Land Management's national Assessment, Inventory, and Monitoring Program core leadership team
2016 - 2017	Faculty mentor for a USDA Foreign Agricultural Service Borlaug Fellowship recipient from Mongolia
2013 – present	Lead PI on the JournalMap.org project to provide a geographic literature search engine for natural resource and agricultural literature. JournalMap currently has >30,000 articles and agreements with 7 publishers to index content.
2009 – present	Lead PI for the Landscape Toolbox project which organized and presents information on rangeland monitoring and assessment. The LandscapeToolbox.org domain of websites sees <b>monthly</b> web usage of over 10,000 unique sessions.
2009 - present	Monitoring program reviews, assistance with data analysis, and site visits with various BLM, FS, State, and private rangeland practitioners
2014	USFWS Wolverine Science Panel Workshop

# **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:**

#### Scholarship:

CITI Investigators Training Modules Introduction to Animal Care and Use (2018) Working with Cattle in Agricultural Research Settings (2018)

#### Administration/Management:

Title IX Training (2018) FERPA Training (annually) IT Security Training (annually) UI Defensive Driving (2017) P Card and Travel Training at the University of Idaho (2017) Diversity & Inclusion at the University of Idaho (2017) Safety & security Awareness at the University of Idaho (2017) Our Inclusive Workplace (2017) University of Idaho Mission and Goals (2017) University of Idaho Stewardship of Resources & Ethical Conduct (2017)

# Other:

Red Cross Basic First Aid/CPR (2013-2017) FAA Remote Pilot Certification (2018-Present) Youth Protection Trainings – BSA (2005-2019)