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**EDUCATION:**

2000 Ph.D., University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Major: Ecology and Evolutionary Biology (minor in Environmental Policy)

*Dissertation:* Cape Sable seaside sparrow (*Ammodramus maritimus mirabilis*) habitat and the Everglades: Ecology and conservation.

1994 B.A., Pomona College, Claremont, California.

Major: Biology/Public Policy Analysis

*Theses:* Habitat selection of the California gnatcatcher (*Polioptila californica*); The Natural Communities Conservation Plan: A problematic solution to species conservation.

**POSITIONS HELD:**

2019-present Professor of Ecology and Environmental Policy, Michigan Technological University  
2018-present Assistant to the Provost for Academic Equity and Inclusion, Michigan Technological University  
2012-2019 Associate Professor of Ecology and Environmental Policy, Michigan Technological University  
2016-2017 Visiting lecturer (sabbatical leave), Pomona College  
2009-12 Assistant Professor of Ecology and Environmental Policy, Michigan Technological University  
2007 Docent (Adjunct Professor) in Environmental Policy, University of Helsinki  
2007-08 Researcher, University of Helsinki, Faculty of Biosciences  
2006 Researcher, University of Tampere, School of Economics and Business Administration  
2002-06 Ecologist, US Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Research and Development  
2002-06 Adjunct Assistant Professor, University of Cincinnati, Department of Biological Sciences  
2001-02 Post-doctoral Research Associate, USEPA, ORD, NRMRL, STD, SEB  
2000-01 Post-doctoral Research Associate, University of Cincinnati, Department of Biological Sciences  
1994-95 Research Assistant, Pomona College, Department of Biology

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

*Michigan Technological University*

(*ENG=Engineering, FW=Forestry and Wildlife, SS=Social Sciences, UN=University-wide*)

ENG5540: Sustainable Biofuel Pathways (Fall 2014)

FW4380: Landscape Ecology and Planning (Spring 2010, 2012, then every spring 2014-2016, 2018)

FW5760: Graduate Tropical Forestry (Fall 2013, Spring 2015)

FW5780: Agroforestry (Spring 2016, 2017)

FW4810: Integrated Resource Assessment (Senior Capstone) (Fall 2011, 2012)

FW3110: Natural Resource Policy (Spring 2020)

SS3930: Environmental Issues (Fall 2009)

SS/FW3313: Sustainability Science (Spring 2011, 2013, 2015, Fall 2018, 2019)

SS3300: Environmental Problems (Every Spring 2009-2014, then every Fall 2014-2015, 2017)

SS5310: Ecological Economics (Fall 2013, 2015, 2017)

UN1001: Developing a Sustainability Mindset (Fall 2009, 2010)

*Pomona College*

(*BIOL=Biology, EA=Environmental Analysis*)

BIOL51: General Biology (Instructor, Spring 1995)

EA10: Introduction to Environmental Analysis (Visiting Lecturer, Fall 2016)

BIOL104: Conservation Biology (Visiting Lecturer, Spring 2017)

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*University of Helsinki*

“Natural scientific literature on environmental protection”, University of Helsinki (Spring 2007)

*University of Cincinnati (BS=Biological Sciences)*

BS604: Ornithology (Fall 2003)

“Foundations of Ecology” graduate seminar (Fall 2002)

“All about birds”, University of Cincinnati – Communiversity (Fall 2001 and 2002)

*University of Tennessee, Knoxville (Graduate Teaching Assistant, Fall 1995 through Fall 1999)*

“General Ecology”, “Conservation Biology”, “Field Ornithology”, “Biodiversity”, “General Biology”

Tutor: biology, ecology, genetics and animal sciences, Women’s Athletic Department (Fall 1996 through Spring 1998)

**GRANTS AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT:**

- 2018-19 Minerick AR (PI), (Co-PIs) S Goltz, AL Mayer, P Sotirin, A Storer. National Science Foundation, \$1,000,000: “ADVANCE Institutional Transformation – Continuous Improvement AMP-UP Processes to Transform Climate in STEM.”
- 2018-20 Mayer AL (PI), (Co-PI) Stacy Cotey. USDA Forest Service, McIntire-Stennis, \$24,000, “Role of riparian forests and surrounding matrix in functional connectivity of northern river otter (*Lontra canadensis*) populations.”
- 2014-16 Mayer AL. USDA Forest Service, McIntire-Stennis, \$4666, “Spatial patterns of forest values for bioenergy production in the Western Upper Peninsula of Michigan.”
- 2012-17 Shonnard DR (PI), (Co-PIs) E Bar Ziv, AL Mayer, J Naber, A Burton. National Science Foundation, \$1,800,000: “Sustainable Forest-Based Biofuel Pathways to Hydrocarbon Transportation Fuels: Biomass Production, Torrefaction, Pyrolysis, Catalytic Upgrading, and Combustion.”
- 2012-16 Angelstam P (PI), (Co-Is) T Beckley, G Chiasson, M Elbakidze, P Grahn, I Jönsson, A Khoroshev, AL Mayer, I Särilöv-Herrlin, E Skärbäck, H Sverdrup. FORMAS (Swedish Research Council for Environment, Agricultural Sciences and Spatial Planning), 25,000,000 SEK: “Green infrastructures for ecological sustainability and human well-being: A network of forest, rural and urban landscapes as laboratories for integrative research.”
- 2013-14 Rouleau MD (PI), (Co-PIs) AL Mayer and R Winkler. National Science Foundation, \$80,000: “Self-Regulated Forest Sustainability: A Simulation and Sociological Analysis of Voluntary Incentive Programs.”
- 2012-14 Shonnard DR (PI), (Co-PIs) KE Halvorsen, BD Solomon, SE Sweitz; (Senior Personnel) AL Mayer et al. National Science Foundation, \$749,996: “A Research Coordination Network on Pan American Biofuels and Bioenergy Sustainability.”
- 2011-12 Mayer AL (PI). Oak Ridge Associated Universities, Ralph E. Powe Award, \$5,000: “Regional-scale impacts of bioenergy and carbon sequestration policies for nonindustrial private forest owners in Michigan and Tennessee.”
- 2010-13 Mayer AL. USDA Forest Service, McIntire-Stennis, \$25,667, “Correlating change in landscape scale carbon storage through shifting forest ownership and management goals.”
- 2010-11 Mayer AL. Earth and Space Foundation, £500, “Identifying regional-scale self-organized patchiness in ecosystems using remote sensing imagery.”
- 2010-11 Mayer AL (PI), MD Rouleau (Co-PI). MTU Research Excellence Fund - Scholarly and Creative Grant, \$11,000, “Computer simulation of private forest owner behavior in a forested UP landscape.”
- 2010-11 Mayer AL (PI). Michigan Space Grant Consortium Research Seed Grant, \$5000, “Identifying regional-scale self-organized patchiness in ecosystems using remote sensing imagery.”
- 2009 Mayer AL (PI). MTU Research Excellence Fund Seed Grant, \$5450, “Using data from Second Life to develop and test sustainability indices.”
- 2009-11 Mayer AS (PI), Senior Personnel AL Mayer et al. US Agency for International Development, \$250,000, “Enhancing the Capacity for Sustainable Forest Management and Ecosystem Service Provisioning in Chiapas and Oaxaca.”
- 2007-08 Kauppi PE (PI), (Co-PIs) AL Mayer and PM Tikka. Nordic Forest Research Cooperation Committee, €12,000 for workshop support.
- 2006-07 Kauppi PE (PI), (Co-PIs) AL Mayer and PM Tikka. Nordic Forest Research Cooperation Committee, €12,000 for workshop support.
- 2006-08 Kauppi PE (PI), (Co-PIs) AL Mayer and PM Tikka. Academy of Finland, €302,680, “Bumerangi-hypoteesin” testaus: Luoteis-Venäjä metsien [Testing the “boomerang hypothesis”: focus on northwestern Russian forests].
- 2003-05 Mayer AL (Project Officer). USEPA, \$45,000 contract for international meeting to develop statistical approaches for the identification of dynamic regime shifts.

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- 2002-06 Mayer AL (Project Officer, PI), WD Shuster (PI), HW Thurston (PI). USEPA, Multidisciplinary approach to stormwater management at the watershed scale; biological identification contracts, \$115,000.
- 2002-06 Mayer AL (Project Officer, PI), M White, C Maurice and H Cabezas. USEPA's RARE grant program with USEPA Region 5 – Chicago, identifying critical ecosystems using GIS and theoretical approaches and developing rapid assessment protocols, \$230,000.
- 2002-06 Mayer AL (Project Officer). USEPA, \$60,000 contract for Dr. Roy Frieden (University of Arizona).
- 2001 Mayer AL (PI), L Peyton (Co-PI). Ohio Department of Natural Resources, \$2000, "Spring and fall migratory bird kills at communication towers in southwest Ohio."
- 1998 Mayer AL (PI). University of Tennessee's Scholarly Activities Research Incentive Fund, \$3000.

#### **AWARDS AND HONORS:**

##### *Research*

- 2011: Ralph E. Powe Junior Faculty Enhancement Award, Oak Ridge Associated Universities
- 2007: Scientific and Technological Achievement Award (with H Thurston, CW Pawlowski), USEPA
- 2005: Superior Accomplishment Recognition Award, USEPA
- 2005: Scientific and Technological Achievement Award (with H Cabezas, CW Pawlowski, NT Hoagland), USEPA
- 2004: Superior Accomplishment Recognition Award, USEPA
- 2003: Team Achievement Award, USEPA
- 2002: Superior Accomplishment Recognition Award, USEPA
- 1999: Science Alliance Graduate Student Award of Excellence, University of Tennessee
- 1996: National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship – Honorable Mention
- 1994: Vaile Prize in Biology, Pomona College

##### *Teaching*

- 2013: Top 10% of Michigan Tech instructors based on student evaluation forms (Spring 2013, Fall 2013)
- 1999: Graduate Teaching Assistant Merit Award, University of Tennessee

#### **PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES AND CERTIFICATIONS:**

American Association for the Advancement of Science, Ecological Society of America, International Association for Landscape Ecology (IALE), Society of the Sigma Xi, National Association for Diversity Officers in Higher Education.

Certified Senior Ecologist (Ecological Society of America)

#### **LEADERSHIP, SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION:**

##### *Professional:*

- 2013-present: Policy Committee chair, IALE – North America
- 2011-present: Technical Advisor, Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE) STARS program
- 2016-2018: Program Co-Chair, US-IALE Annual Conference in Chicago, IL, April 2018
- 2015-2017: USEPA Science Advisory Board, STAA committee
- 2012-2014: Councilor-At-Large, US-IALE
- September 2010: Regional consultant, United Nations Environment Programme GEO+5 report
- 2005: Conference organizing committee, "Green Makeover: Retrofitting sites in urban areas to enrich city environments", 19-20 October 2005, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Hosted by the USEPA, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, and the University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee.
- 2003-2005: Steering committee member, Ohio Bird Conservation Initiative
- 1998-1999: Secretary, Southern Appalachian chapter of the Society for Conservation Biology
- 1994-1995: Technical advisor, Claremont Colleges land development committee

##### *Unit-level and University (Michigan Tech):*

- 2019-present: Director of Graduate Studies, College of Forest Resources and Environmental Science
- 2015-2019: Coordinator, Course facilitator (2012-2015), Diversity Literacy Workshop program

- 2014-2016: Co-Director, Women In Science and Engineering (WISE) faculty organization
- 2014-2015: Member of Provost search committee
- 2013-present: Associate Director, Sustainable Futures Institute
- 2013-2020: Coordinator, Peace Corps Master's International Program in Forestry
- 2013-2015: Committee on Academic Tenure, Promotion and Reappointment, chair (2015)

*Journals and Funding Programs:*

- Section Editor: *Land* – Landscape Ecology section (2019-present)
- Editorial Boards: *Landscape and Urban Planning* (2014-present), *Sustainability* (2015-present), *Land* (2016-2019), *Landscape Online* (2019-present)
- Special issues of journals:
  - Guest Editor, “Science-policy gaps and their impact on landscape-scale management of natural disasters”, *Land*.
  - Guest Editor, “Landscape Dynamics of Family Forest Owners”, *Landscape and Urban Planning* 188, 2019.
  - Guest Co-Editor (with WD Shuster and A Garmestani), “Sustaining the shrinking city: Concepts, dynamics and management” *Sustainability* 8(9), 2016.
  - Guest Editor, “Ecosystem function and land use change,” *Land* 4(1), 2015.
  - Guest Ad Hoc Co-Editor, “Learning for sustainable use of natural resources in Europe’s East and West: landscapes with different histories and governance systems as laboratories,” *Ambio* 42(2), 2013.
  - Guest Editor, “Remote Sensing in Support of Environmental Policy,” *Remote Sensing* 3(6), 2011.
- Grants reviewer: (US) National Science Foundation, US Environmental Protection Agency, US Department of Agriculture, National Academy of Sciences (with US Agency for International Development), Canada Foundation for Innovation, Israel Science Foundation, Natural Environment Research Council (NERC) – UK, Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research (NWO), National Science Centre (NCN) – Poland.

**ADVISING:**

- *Post-doctoral researchers — Advisor*  
Dr. Allison Roy (2004-2006), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- *Graduate students — Major Advisor (Total = 14 at Michigan Tech)*  
Ph.D.:  
Azad Henareh Khalyani (2012, Forest Science)  
SM Mizanur Rahman (2016, Environmental and Energy Policy)  
Ashma Vaidya (2016, Environmental and Energy Policy)  
Hongmei Lu (in progress, Environmental and Energy Policy)  
Stacy Cotey (in progress, Forest Science)  
Karen Colbert (in progress, Computational Science and Engineering)  
M.S.:  
Jillian Schubert (2011, Environmental and Energy Policy)  
Aino Virtanen (2012, co-advised with Anne Toppinen at University of Helsinki, Forest Ecology and Management)  
Jennifer Lind Riehl (2015, Environmental and Energy Policy)  
Xuna Yang (2015, Environmental and Energy Policy)  
Saska Lohi (2015, co-advised with Kari Heliövaara at University of Helsinki, Forest Ecology and Management)  
Aric Devens (2017, PCMI-Forestry)  
Rhiley Allbee (2019, PCMI-Forest Ecology and Management)  
Deanna Seil (in progress, PCMI-Forest Ecology and Management)
- *Graduate students — Committee Member (Total = 16 at Michigan Tech)*  
Environmental Policy/ Environmental and Energy Policy: Karl Makinen (2010, MS), Courtney Goss (2011, MS), Naima Khan (2015, MS), Amanda Kreuze (2015, MS), Robert Zupko (2019, Ph.D.; 2020, MS), Roland Ofori (in progress, Ph.D.)  
Forestry: Brian Barbre (2013, MS-PCMI), Samuel Clair (2016, MS-PCMI), Alexander Helman (2019, MS in Forestry), Robin Clark (in progress, PhD in Forest Science)  
Civil & Environmental Engineering: Lauren Fry (2010, Ph.D.), Bradley Weiss (2016, MS-PCMI), Chase West (2019, MS-PCMI)  
Chemical Engineering: Olumide Winjobi (2017, Ph.D.), LiLu Funkenbusch (2017, Ph.D.)  
Rhetoric & Technical Communication: Katie Snyder (2016, Ph.D.)
- *Visiting Ph.D. Scholar Advisor*

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Mu Bo (2014), Hu Yanfang (2014-2015), Bai Tian (2016-2017), Song Peihau (2017-2019), Zhang Shumei (2019-2020): Ph.D. in Landscape Architecture, Henan Agricultural University, China (advisor: Prof. Tian Guohang)

- *Master's students — Mentor (all 2006-2007)*

Annukka Luomi, Noora Nieminen, Leena Nukari, M.S. program in Environmental Science, University of Helsinki

#### PEER-REVIEWED PAPERS:

*(Students and postdoctoral researchers denoted by \*)*

65. Mu B\*, C Liu, G Tian, Y Xu, Y Zhang, AL Mayer, R Lv, R He, G Kim. *In review*. Conceptual planning of urban-rural green space from a multidimensional perspective: A case study of Zhengzhou, China. *Sustainability*.

64. Lu H\*, AL Mayer, S Zhou, AM Wellstead. *In review*. Quasi-Public-Private Partnerships as a purposeful policy tool. *Journal of Environmental Policy and Planning*.

63. Goltz SM, AL Mayer, B Orr. *In press*. Applied behavior analysis as a development tool: Examples from agroforestry. *Journal of Sustainable Forestry*. doi:10.1080/10549811.2020.1730906

62. Song P, G Kim, A Mayer, R He, G Tian. 2020. Assessing the ecosystem services of various types of urban green spaces based on i-Tree Eco. *Sustainability* 12:1630. doi:103390/su12041630

61. Lu H\*, AL Mayer, AM Wellstead, S Zhou. 2020. Can the dual identity of policy entrepreneur and policy implementer promote successful policy adoption? Vertical greening policymaking in Shanghai, China. *Journal of Asian Public Policy* 13(1):113-128.

60. König É\*, H Cabezas, AL Mayer. 2019. Detecting regime boundaries with Fisher information. *Clean Technology & Environmental Policy* 21(7):1471-1483.

59. Mayer AL. 2019. Family forest owners and landscape-scale interactions: A review. *Landscape & Urban Planning* 188:4-18.

58. Tortini R, AL Mayer, T Hermosilla, NC Coops, MA Wulder. 2019. Using annual Landsat imagery to identify harvesting over a range of intensities for non-industrial family forests. *Landscape & Urban Planning* 188:143-150.

57. Bai T\*, AL Mayer, WD Shuster, G Tian. 2018. The hydrologic role of urban green space in mitigating flooding (Luohe, China). *Sustainability* 10(10):3584; DOI: 10.3390/su10103584

56. Mayer AL and AM Wellstead. 2018. Questionable survey methods generate a questionable list of recommended articles. *Nature Ecology & Evolution* [online]: DOI: 10.1038/s41559-018-0637-9

55. Rahman SMM\*, C Schelly, AL Mayer, ES Norman. 2018. Uncovering discursive framings of the Bangladesh shipbreaking industry. *Social Sciences* 7(1):14.

54. Mu B\*, HW Li, AL Mayer, RZ He, GH Tian. 2017. Dynamic changes of green-space connectivity based on remote sensing and graph theory: a case study in Zhengzhou, China. *Acta Ecologica Sinica* 37(14):13pp. [In Chinese]

53. Lind-Riehl J\*, AL Mayer, AM Wellstead, O Gailing. 2016. Hybridization, agency discretion, and the implementation of the Endangered Species Act. *Conservation Biology* 30(6):1288-1296.

52. Vaidya A\* and AL Mayer. 2016. Critical review of The Millennium Project in Nepal. *Sustainability* 8(10):1043; doi: 10.3390/su8101043.

51. Vaidya A\* and AL Mayer. 2016. Criteria and indicators for a bioenergy production industry via stakeholder participation. *International Journal of Sustainable Development and World Ecology* 23(6):526-540.

50. Vaidya A\* and AL Mayer. 2016. Use of a participatory approach to develop a regional assessment tool for bioenergy production. *Biomass and Bioenergy* 94:1-11.

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49. Rahman SMM\* and AL Mayer. 2016. Policy compliance recommendations for international shipbreaking treaties for Bangladesh. *Marine Policy* 73:122-129.
48. Rahman SMM\*, R Handler, AL Mayer. 2016. Life Cycle Assessment of steel in the ship recycling industry in Bangladesh. *Journal of Cleaner Production* 135:963-971.
47. Rouleau MD, JF Lind-Riehl\*, MN Smith\*, AL Mayer. 2016. Failure to communicate: Inefficiencies in voluntary incentive programs for private forest owners in Michigan. *Forests* 7(9):199; doi:10.3390/f7090199
46. Mu B\*, AL Mayer, R He, G Tian. 2016. Land use dynamics and policy implications in Central China: a case study of Zhengzhou. *Cities* 58:39-49.
45. Mayer AL, B Buma, A Davis, SA Gagné, EL Loudermilk, R Scheller, F Schmiegelow, Y Wiersma, J Franklin. 2016. How landscape ecology informs global land-change science and policy. *BioScience* 66(6):458-469.
44. Rahman SMM\* and AL Mayer. 2015. How social ties influence metal resource flows in the Bangladesh ship recycling industry. *Resources, Conservation and Recycling* 104(A):254-264.
43. Kline KL, FS Martinelli, AL Mayer, R Medeiros, COF Oliveira\*, G Sparovek, ACS Walter, and L Venier. 2015. Bioenergy and biodiversity: Key lessons from the Pan American region. *Environmental Management* 56(6):1377-1396.
42. Hu Y\*, G Tian, AL Mayer, R He. 2015. Risk assessment of soil erosion by application of remote sensing and GIS in Yanshan Reservoir catchment, China. *Natural Hazards* 79(1):277-289.
41. Tortini R\*, AL Mayer, and P Maianti. 2015. Using an OBCD approach and Landsat TM data to detect harvesting on nonindustrial private property in upper Michigan. *Remote Sensing* 7(6):7809-7825.
40. Toppinen A, A Virtanen\*, AL Mayer and A Tuppuru. 2015. Standardizing social responsibility via ISO 26000: empirical insights from the forest industry. *Sustainable Development* 23(3):153-166.
39. Lind-Riehl J\*, S Jeltema\*, M Morrison\*, G Shirkey\*, AL Mayer, MD Rouleau, and R Winkler. 2015. Family legacies and community networks shape private forest management in the western Upper Peninsula of Michigan (USA). *Land Use Policy* 45:95-102.
38. Mayer AL, RP Donovan and CW Pawlowski. 2014. Information and entropy theory for the sustainability of Coupled Human And Natural Systems (CHANS). *Ecology and Society* 19(3): 11. [online]
37. Vaidya A\* and AL Mayer. 2014. Use of the participatory approach to develop sustainability assessments for natural resource management. *International Journal of Sustainable Development and World Ecology* 21(4):369-379.
36. Henareh Khalyani A\*, AL Mayer, and ES Norman. 2014. Water flows towards power: Socioecological degradation of Lake Urmia, Iran. *Society and Natural Resources* 27(7):759-767.
35. Roy AH\*, LK Rhea, AL Mayer, WD Shuster, JJ Beaulieu, MA Hopton, MM Morrison, and A St. Amand. 2014. How much is enough? Minimal responses of water quality and stream biota to partial retrofit stormwater management in a suburban neighborhood. *PLoS ONE* 9(1):e85011.
34. Henareh Khalyani A\*, AL Mayer, MJ Falkowski, and D Muralidharan. 2013. Deforestation and landscape structure changes in relation to socioeconomic dynamics and climate change in Zagros forests. *Journal of Land Use Science* 8(3):321-340.
33. Mayer AL and MD Rouleau. 2013. ForestSim model of impacts of smallholder dynamics: forested landscapes of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. *International Journal of Forestry Research*, article ID 520207, 13pp.  
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1155/2013/520207>.

32. Henareh Khalyani A\* and AL Mayer. 2013. Spatial and temporal deforestation dynamics of Zagros forests (Iran) from 1972 to 2009. *Landscape and Urban Planning* 117:1-12.
31. Henareh Khalyani A\*, AL Mayer, CR Webster, and MJ Falkowski. 2013. Ecological indicators for protection impact assessment at two scales in the Bozin and Marakhil protected area, Iran. *Ecological Indicators* 25:99-107.
30. Schubert JR\* and AL Mayer. 2012. Peer influence of nonindustrial private forest owners in the Western Upper Peninsula of Michigan. *Open Journal of Forestry* 2(3):147-155.
29. Henareh Khalyani A\*, MJ Falkowski, and AL Mayer. 2012. Classification of Landsat images based on spectral and topographic variables for land-cover change detection in Zagros forests. *International Journal of Remote Sensing* 33(21):6956-6974.
28. Mayer AL, WD Shuster, JJ Beaulieu, ME Hopton, LK Rhea, AH Roy\*, HW Thurston. 2012. Building green infrastructure via citizen participation – a six-year study in the Shepherd Creek (Ohio, USA). *Environmental Practice* 14(1):57-67.
27. Mayer AL and RD Lopez. 2011. Use of remote sensing to support forest and wetlands policies in the USA. *Remote Sensing* 3(6):1211-1233.
26. Ståhls MH, AL Mayer, PM Tikka, PE Kauppi. 2010. Disparate geography of consumption, production, and environmental impacts: Forest products in Finland 1991-2007. *Journal of Industrial Ecology* 14(4):576-585.
25. Mayer AL, L Vihermaa, N Nieminen, A Luomi, M Posch. 2009. Epiphytic macrolichen community correlates with modeled air pollutants and forest conditions. *Ecological Indicators* 9:992-1000.
24. Mayer AL. 2008. Ecologically-based approaches to evaluate the sustainability of industrial systems. *International Journal of Sustainable Society* 1(2):117-133.
23. Mayer AL. 2008. Strengths and weaknesses of common sustainability indices for multidimensional systems. *Environment International* 34:277-291.
22. Mayer AL and PM Tikka. 2008. Family friendly policies and gender bias in academia. *Journal of Higher Education Policy and Management* 30(4):363-374.
21. Cabezas H, HW Whitmore, CW Pawlowski, and AL Mayer. 2007. On the sustainability of an integrated model system with industrial, ecological, and macroeconomic components. *Resources, Conservation and Recycling* 50:122-129.
20. Mayer AL, CW Pawlowski and H Cabezas. 2006. Fisher information and dynamic regime changes in ecological systems. *Ecological Modelling* 195(1-2):72-82.
19. Mayer AL and PM Tikka. 2006. Biodiversity conservation incentive programs for privately owned forests. *Environmental Science and Policy* 9:614-625.
18. Mayer AL, PE Kauppi, PM Tikka, and PK Angelstam. 2006. Conservation implications of exporting domestic wood harvest to neighboring countries. *Environmental Science and Policy* 9:228-236.
17. Hopton ME and AL Mayer. 2006. Using Self-Organizing Maps to explore patterns in species richness and protection. *Biodiversity and Conservation* 15:4477-4494.
16. Roy AH, AL Mayer, WD Shuster, HW Thurston, MP Clagett, PK Parikh, and MA Taylor. 2005. A multidisciplinary approach to stormwater management at the watershed scale. *10<sup>th</sup> International Conference for Urban Drainage, 21-26 August 2005, Copenhagen, Denmark*.
15. Cabezas H, CW Pawlowski, AL Mayer and NT Hoagland. 2005. Sustainable systems theory: ecological and other aspects. *Journal of Cleaner Production* 13(5):455-467.

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14. Pawlowski CW, BD Fath, AL Mayer and H. Cabezas. 2005. Towards a sustainability index using information theory. *Energy* 30(8):1221-1231.
13. Cabezas H, CW Pawlowski, AL Mayer and NT Hoagland. 2005. Simulated experiments with complex sustainable systems: Ecology and technology. *Resources, Conservation and Recycling* 44:279-291.
12. Mayer AL, PE Kauppi, PK Angelstam, Y Zhang and PM Tikka. 2005. Importing timber, exporting ecological impact. *Science* 308(5720):359-360.
11. Meshaka, WE Jr. and AL Mayer. 2005. Diet of the southern toad from the southern Everglades. *Florida Scientist* 68(4):261-266.
10. Mayer AL and M Rietkerk. 2004. The dynamic regime concept for ecosystem management and restoration. *BioScience* 54(11):1013-1020.
9. Mayer AL, HW Thurston and CW Pawlowski. 2004. The multidisciplinary influence of common sustainability indices. *Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment* 2(8):419-426.
8. Mayer AL, CW Pawlowski and H Cabezas. 2003. Estimating sustainability of a simple human society and its associated ecosystem using resilience and Fisher Information. Proceedings of the International Congress on Modelling and Simulation, MODSIM 2003 conference, Townsville, Queensland, Australia, 14-17 July 2003, Volume 2:765-770.
7. Cabezas H, CW Pawlowski, AL Mayer and NT Hoagland. 2003. Sustainability: ecological, social, economic, technological, and systems perspectives. *Clean Technologies and Environmental Policy* 5(3-4):167-180. (Also pp. 37-64 In: Technological choices for sustainability (2004), SK Sikdar, P Glavic, and R Jain, eds., Springer)
6. Mayer AL and GN Cameron. 2003. Landscape characteristics, spatial extent, and breeding bird diversity in Ohio. *Diversity and Distributions* 9:297-311.
5. Mayer AL and GN Cameron. 2003. Consideration of grain and extent in landscape-scale studies of terrestrial vertebrate ecology. *Landscape and Urban Planning* 65(4):201-217.
4. Mayer AL, K Petren, A Shelton, MJ Cramer, B Keane, J Markert, B Heath, E Maurer, JA Roberts and B Tonnice. 2002. Scaling Natal Dispersal Distances: Confounding Factors. *Conservation Ecology* 6(1):R8.  
[Online] URL: [HTTP://WWW.CONSECOL.ORG/VOL6/ISS1/RESP8](http://www.consecol.org/vol6/ISS1/RESP8).
3. Mayer AL. 2001. The effects of limited options and policy interactions on water storage policy in south Florida. *Journal of Environmental Management* 63:87-102.
2. Curnutt JL, AL Mayer, TM Brooks, L Manne, OL Bass Jr, DM Fleming and SL Pimm. 1998. Population dynamics of the Endangered Cape Sable Seaside Sparrow. *Animal Conservation* 1:11-21.
1. Lockwood JL, KH Fenn, JL Curnutt, D Rosenthal, KL Balent and AL Mayer. 1997. Life history of the Endangered Cape Sable Seaside Sparrow (*Ammodramus maritimus mirabilis*). *Wilson Bulletin* 109(4):720-731.

**BOOKS:**

Mayer AL. 2021. *The Bird and the Bulldozer*. Yale University Press.

**BOOK CHAPTERS:**

6. Goltz S, P Sotirin, A Minerick, A Mayer, A Storer. 2019. Continuous improvement to achieve faculty career equity. Pp. 65-78 In Hassel H and Cole K (eds.), *Academic Labor Beyond the College Classroom: Working for our values*. Routledge Press.



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5. Mayer AL. 2016. Biology in Environmental Management. Pp. 47-73 In Sarkar D, Mukherjee A, Datta R, and Hannigan R (eds.), *An Integrated Approach to Environmental Management*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc., Hoboken NJ.
4. Mayer AL. 2012. Principles of Sustainability from Ecology. Pp. 9-39 In Cabezas H and Diwekar U (eds.), *Sustainability: Multidisciplinary Perspectives*. Bantam.
3. Brida JG, AL Mayer, C McCord, and LF Punzo. 2011. A theoretical, multidisciplinary view of catastrophic regime change. Pp. 223-236 In Peixoto MM, AA Pinto and DAJ Rand (eds.), *Dynamics, Games and Science Vol. II, in honour of Mauricio Peixoto and David Rand*. Springer Proceedings in Mathematics.
2. Mayer AL, CW Pawlowski, BD Fath, and H Cabezas. 2007. Applications of Fisher Information to sustainable environmental management. Pp. 217-244 In Frieden BR and RA Gatenby (eds.), *Exploratory data analysis using Fisher Information*. Springer-Verlag.
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61. Mayer AL\*\* . 2019. Trans-Atlantic Research and Development Interchange on Sustainability, Estes Park, CO. "A species by any other name: Enforcing the US Endangered Species Act under scientific uncertainty."
60. König É\*, H Cabezas†, AL Mayer. 2019. AIChE Enterprise and Infrastructure Resilience Conference, Cincinnati OH. "Resilience by determining dynamic system regime boundaries with Fisher Information."
59. Lu H\*†, AL Mayer, A Wellstead, S Zhou. 2019. International Public Policy Association, Montreal, Canada. "Can the dual role of policy entrepreneur and policy implementer improve the success of vertical greening policy adoption? Case of Shanghai, China."
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57. Lu H\*†, AL Mayer. 2018. International Association for Landscape Ecology – US Region, Chicago IL. "How can green infrastructure better contribute to the Sponge City program in China?"
- \*\*56. Mayer AL. 2017. Symposium on Global Sustainability, Hungarian Academy Rome, Italy, September 19. "Ecology and Sustainability".
55. Rouleau MD, AL Mayer†, R Zupko\*. 2017. Agent-Based Modeling (ABM) 17: A symposium that advances the science of ABM, San Diego CA, April 20-22. "ForestSim: An ABM simulation of bioenergy sustainability."
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49. Mayer AL† and A Vaidya\*. 2016. International Association for Landscape Ecology – US Region, Asheville NC. “Family forest owners in Upper Michigan: priorities for bioenergy policies.”
48. Vaidya A\*† and AL Mayer. 2016. Society for Human Ecology, Santa Ana CA. “Use of multiple criteria analysis to develop a participatory regional assessment tool for bioenergy production.”
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46. Vaidya A\*† and AL Mayer. 2015. International Congress on Sustainability Science and Engineering (ICOSSE), Balatonfüred, Hungary. “Participatory approach used to develop a sustainability assessment tool for wood-based bioenergy industry in upper Michigan, USA.”
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44. Aho M\*†, AL Mayer and MD Rouleau. 2014. Michigan Political Science Association, Rochester MI. “Barriers to Voluntary Incentive Program enrollment from the perspectives of program managers versus landowners.”
43. Aho M\*, AL Mayer† and MD Rouleau. 2014. Annual Joint Conference of the Wisconsin Sociological Association and Wisconsin Political Science Association, Whitewater WI. “Barriers to Voluntary Incentive Program enrollment from the perspectives of program managers versus landowners.”
42. Mayer AL. 2014. AIChE RCN conference on Pan American Biofuel and Bioenergy Sustainability, Recife, Brazil. “Land sparing versus land sharing: How might biodiversity and bioenergy coexist?” (Session Chair for “Biodiversity and Bioenergy” session).
- \*\*41. Mayer AL† and A Vaidya\*. 2014. Trans-Atlantic Research & Development Interchange on Sustainability (TARDIS), Estes Park, CO. “Sustainable natural resource policies developed through the participatory approach.”
40. Mayer AL† (with US-IALE Policy Committee). 2014. International Association for Landscape Ecology – US Region, Anchorage AK. Symposium convener: “Prioritizing Landscape Ecology’s Contribution to Policy Development and Analysis.”
39. Tortini R\*†, AL Mayer, and P Maianti. 2014. International Association for Landscape Ecology – US Region, Anchorage AK. “Geographic Object-Based Image Analysis for detection and quantification of nonindustrial forest harvests in the Western Upper Peninsula of Michigan, USA.”
38. Vaidya A\*† and AL Mayer. 2014. International Association for Landscape Ecology – US Region, Anchorage AK. “Use of a participatory sustainability assessment for landscape management.”

37. Mayer AL, R Tortini\*† and P Maianti. 2013. American Geophysical Union annual meeting, San Francisco CA. “Interoperability of Landsat and DMC imagery for continuous detection and quantification of nonindustrial forest harvests in the Western Upper Peninsula of Michigan, USA.”
36. Mayer AL†. 2013. Feminist Interdisciplinarity, Technology, and the Natural Environment; 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender, Houghton MI. “Sustainable forest management in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan from an ecofeminist perspective.”
35. Virtanen A\*, A Toppinen† and AL Mayer. 2013. Corporate Responsibility Research Conference (CRRC), Graz, Austria. “CSR and competitive advantage through an ISO26000 lens: comparison between forest industry in North America and Europe.”
34. Rahman SMM\*† and AL Mayer. 2013. International Congress on Sustainability Science and Engineering (AIChE), Cincinnati OH. “How social ties influence resource flow: a case study on the Bangladesh ship-breaking industry.”
33. Tortini R\* and AL Mayer†. 2013. International Association for Landscape Ecology – US Region, Austin TX. “Remote detection of harvesting of nonindustrial private forests in the Western Upper Peninsula of Michigan (USA) using Landsat annual series.”
32. Cotey SR\*† and AL Mayer. 2012. The Wildlife Society, Portland OR. “Connectivity of the Landscape for Northern River Otter in the western Upper Peninsula of Michigan.”
31. Henareh Khalyani A\*, AL Mayer†, CR Webster, and MJ Falkowski. 2012. Ecological Society of America, Portland OR. “Protection impact assessment at two scales in the Bozin and Marakhil protected area, Iran.”
- \*\*30. Mayer AL† and RP Donovan. 2012. Trans-Atlantic Research & Development Interchange on Sustainability (TARDIS), Leibnitz, Austria. “Information and entropy theory for sustainability.”
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28. Henareh Khalyani A\*†, AL Mayer, CR Webster, and MJ Falkowski. 2012. International Association for Landscape Ecology – US Region, Newport RI. “Protection impact assessment at two scales in Bozin and Marakhil protected area, Iran.”
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26. Henareh Khalyani A\* and AL Mayer†. 2011. Ecological Society of America, Austin TX. “Analyzing effective protection for roe deer (*Capreolus capreolus*) habitat in Iranian Zagros forests at two scales.”
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18. Mayer AL†. 2009. Ecological Society of America, Albuquerque NM. “Achieving sustainable urban watersheds through incentive-based decentralized stormwater mitigation.”
17. Mayer AL†. 2009. International Society for Technology in Education/Hewlett Packard Earth Week Celebration. “Sustainability science in Second Life.” 23 April 2009, ISTE Island [<http://slurl.com/secondlife/ISTE%20Island/61/178/23>]
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11. Mayer AL†, CW Pawlowski and H Cabezas. 2004. International symposium on dynamical systems theory and its application to biology and environmental sciences, Hamamatsu City, Japan. “An index to detect externally-forced dynamic regime shifts in ecosystems.”
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6. Mayer AL†, CW Pawlowski and H Cabezas. 2002. Third Conference for the International Society for Ecological Informatics, Rome, Italy. “Fisher information and dynamic regime changes in ecological systems.”
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**ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS (\*INVITED):**

\*2018. Henan Agricultural University, College of Forestry, Zhengzhou China. "Using remote sensing imagery to detect harvests on family forests in Michigan."

\*2017. Western Ontario University, Department of Biology and Department of Statistics and Actuarial Sciences, London Canada. "It's complicated: The relationship among data, information and sustainability at large scales".

\*2015. Henan Agricultural University, College of Forestry, Zhengzhou China. "Landscape Ecology's Contribution to Global Change Science and Policy"; "Sustaining the Shrinking City".

\*2014. Pomona College, Environmental Analysis Program. "Linear thinking in a nonlinear world".

\*2012. University of Missouri, Department of Forestry. "Landscapes of private forest owners: dynamics, management and policy" (with M Rouleau and R Tortini).

2011. Center for BioEnergy Sustainability forum, Oak Ridge National Lab, Tennessee. "Using agent-based models to understand the impact of NIPF owner preferences and bioenergy policies on forested landscapes."

\*2008. Michigan Technological University. "Indices for spatial and temporal sustainability."

\*2007. University of Illinois-Chicago, Landscape, Ecological & Anthropogenic Processes program. "International markets, ecological connectivity, and sustainability debt."

\*2004. University of Helsinki, Department of Biological and Environmental Sciences, Helsinki, Finland. "Economic auction system for environmental protection: a stormwater management case in Cincinnati, Ohio."

\*2004. Helsinki University of Technology, Laboratory of Information Technology, Helsinki, Finland. "The challenges of understanding dynamic ecosystems through large datasets."

\*2004. Illinois Natural History Survey, Urbana-Champaign, Illinois, USA. "Scale and bird diversity in Ohio".

\*2003. Pomona College, California, USA. "Sparrows versus Gators: Who wins in Everglades conservation?"

\*2002. University of Cincinnati, Ohio, USA. "Avian ecology and conservation policy in the Everglades."

\*2002. University of Dayton, Ohio, USA. "Avian ecology and conservation policy in the Everglades."

**PUBLIC OUTREACH:**

2016: Podcast with *BioScience* senior editor James Verdier (June 8): <https://www.aibs.org/publications/news/latest-biosciences-talks-podcast.html>

2016: Interview on Public Radio station KJZZ's The Show, Endangered Species Act (June 2): <http://kjzz.org/node/313434>

2011-2015: Creator and administrator for Michigan Tech's "Sustainability" blog (<http://blogs.mtu.edu/sustainability/>)

2011: Clearwater/Melbourne Water District public forum, "Improving urban streams through a stormwater retrofit approach", June 29<sup>th</sup> in Melbourne, Australia.

2004: Cincinnati Bird Club (migratory bird kills at communication towers)

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2002: Sierra Club, Miami Group-Cincinnati (migratory bird kills at communication towers)

2001: Audubon Society of Ohio, Cincinnati (bird ecology in the Everglades)

2001: Dayton Audubon Society (migratory bird kills at communication towers)

1999: Tennessee Ornithological Society, Knoxville Chapter (bird ecology in the Everglades)