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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Biology

Department of Biology, Temple University Philadelphia, PA

Thesis title: Mixotrophy in freshwater food webs

Advisor: Dr. Robert Sanders

B.S., Biology, cum laude, distinction in major 2010

Department of Biology, Temple University Philadelphia, PA

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Adjunct Lecturer 2017-present

Penn State Worthington-Scranton

Dunmore, PA

Director of Research and Education 2016-present

Lacawac Sanctuary Biological Field Station Lake Ariel, PA

Adjunct Assistant Professor 2016

Department of Biology, Temple University

Philadelphia, PA

Graduate Research Assistant 2010-2016

Department of Biology, Temple University Philadelphia, PA

Advisor: Robert Sanders

Graduate Teaching Assistant 2010-2016

Department of Biology, Temple University Philadelphia, PA

PUBLICATIONS

Papacostas KJ, Reilly EW, Georgian SE, Long D, **Princiotta SD**, Quattrini AM, Reuter KE and Freestone AL. *Biological Characteristics of Marine Invasions. In Press.* Marine Ecology Progress Series. DOI: 10.3354/meps12001

Princiotta SD and Sanders RW. Heterotrophic and mixotrophic nanoflagellates in a mesotrophic lake: abundance and grazing impacts across season and depth. In Press. Limnology and Oceanography. DOI: 10.1002/lno.10450

Princiotta SD, Smith BT and Sanders RW (2016) Temperature-dependent phagotrophy and phototrophy in a mixotrophic chrysophyte. Journal of Phycology 52: 432-440

Cooke SL, Fischer JM, Kessler K, Williamson CE, Sanders RW, Morris DP, Porter JA, Jeffrey WH, **Princiotta SD** and Pakulski D (2015) *Direct and indirect effects of additions of chromophoric dissolved organic matter on zooplankton during large-scale mesocosm experiments in an oligotrophic lake.* Freshwater Biology 60: 2362-2378

Heinze AW, Truesdale CL, **DeVaul (Princiotta) SB**, Swinden J and Sanders RW (2013) *The role of temperature in the vertical distribution, growth, and grazing rates of the mixotrophic chrysophyte Dinobryon.* Aquatic Microbial Ecology 71: 155-163

CONTRIBUTED PRESENTATIONS

DeVaul (Princiotta) SB and Sanders RW (2016) Vertical distribution of mixotrophic protists in a mesotrophic lake. Annual meeting of the Northeast Algal Society. Westfield, MA.

DeVaul (Princiotta) SB and Sanders RW (2016) Spatial and temporal dynamics of mixotrophic protists within a protected glacial lake. ASLO Ocean Sciences Meeting. New Orleans, LA.

DeVaul (Princiotta) SB and Sanders RW (2015) *Striking a balance between phototrophy and heterotrophy in the mixotrophic chrysophyte Dinobryon.* Annual meeting of Phycological Society of America. Philadelphia, PA. *Awarded Harold C. Bold Award for best oral presentation by a graduate student

DeVaul (Princiotta) SB and Sanders RW (2015) *Temperature-dependent phagotrophy and phototrophy in a mixotrophic chrysophyte.* Annual meeting of Northeast Algal Society. Syracuse, NY.

*Awarded Robert T. Wilce Award for best oral presentation by a graduate student

DeVaul (Princiotta) SB and Sanders RW (2014) Seasonal dynamics of phagotrophic and phototrophic nanoplankton in Lake Lacawac. Lacawac Ecology Conference. Lake Ariel, PA.

Sanders RW, **DeVaul (Princiotta) SB** and Heinze AW (2012) *Temperature-driven changes in growth and bacterivory in a common mixotrophic chrysophyte.* PROTIST 2012 (Joint Meeting of the International Society of Protistologists and International Society for Evolutionary Protistology). Oslo, Norway.

Fay SA, Gast RJ, **DeVaul (Princiotta) SB** and Sanders RW (2012) *Studying Trophic Compartments of Eukaryotic Food Webs Using a Thymidine Analog and Environmental DNA Sequencing.* ASLO Ocean Sciences Meeting. Salt Lake City, UT.

Fay SA, **DeVaul (Princiotta) SB**, Halliday E, Gast RJ, and Sanders RW (2011) *Separation of Eukaryotic Bacterivore DNA from Environmental Samples.* Joint Meeting of the Phycological Society of America and the International Society of Protistologists. Seattle, WA.

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Overlook Estate Foundation Grant	2016
Temple University Dissertation Completion Grant	2015
Phycological Society of America, Croasdale Fellowship	2015
NSF GK-12 Fellowship: Scientists as Teachers, Teachers as Scientists	2013-2015
National Science and Mathematics Access to Retain Talent Grant	2008-2010

HONORS, AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Student Travel Award, Northeast Algal Society

2015, 2016

Harold C. Bold Award for best oral presentation by a graduate student,	2015
Phycological society of America	
Robert T. Wilce Award for best oral presentation by a graduate student,	2015
Northeast Algal Society	
Thomas Punnett Memorial Scholarship	2014
College of Science and Technology, Temple University	
Outstanding Service to Students in Science, Pennsylvania Future Farmers of America	2014

TEACHING AND MENTORING

Primary Instructor

Penn State Worthington-Scranton, Science Program 2017: Biology, Molecules and Cells (BIOL 230W)

Temple University, Department of Biology 2016: Experimental Marine Biology (*BIOL 3244*)

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Temple University, Department of Biology Introduction to Biology (BIOL 1111) Marine Ecology (BIOL 3245) Principles of Ecology (BIOL 2227) Human Biology (BIOL 1001)

Undergraduate Mentorship

Temple University

Jan Angeles (2015-2016), Emmet Nealon (2015-2016), Tiffany Nguyen (2014-2016), Brian Smith (2014-2015), Jessica Wyatt (2014), Lydia Adnane (2014), Jessie Lepkowski (2012-2014)

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

2016: Invited speaker, Lacawac Sanctuary's Vision for Citizen Science in the Poconos, Coalition for the Delaware River Watershed

Public Outreach

2014: Liaison for Temple University Undergraduate Research Forum and Creative Works Symposium 2014: Program facilitator and mentor for Scholar Advancement Program, Temple University Office of Scholar Development and Fellowships Advising

2013: George Washington Carver Science Fair sponsor, W.B. Saul High School, Philadelphia PA 2013: Future Farmers of America Agriscience Fair sponsor, W.B. Saul High School, Philadelphia PA 2013: Mini-course instructor (*Human Impacts!*), Science Leadership Academy, Philadelphia PA 2012: Research Exhibitor (*Marine Invasive Species in NJ*), Philadelphia Science Festival, Independence Seaport Museum

Professional Membership

Association for the Society of Limnology and Oceanography, Global Lakes Ecological Observatory Network, National Lake Management Society, Northeast Algal Society (Executive committee member, 2015 –2016), Pennsylvania Lake Management Society, Phycological Society of America