

Marr and Steinkamp Award Recipients 2002-2008

November-Dec. 2000 – July-August 2002 *Aquilegia*

Brian Elliott. "Floristic survey of South Central Colorado." [Marr Fund: Reports from recipients. *Aquilegia* \(Nov-Dec 2000\) 24\(5\):5.](#)

Shannon Kuchel. "Status of the Green Sedge in Colorado." [." Marr Fund: Reports from recipients. *Aquilegia* \(Nov-Dec 2000\) 24\(5\):5.](#)

Gwen Kittel. "Riparian Vegetation of the Plains or why are my arms scratched up?!" [Marr Fund: Reports from Recipients. *Aquilegia* \(Jan-Feb. 2001\) 25 \(1-2\):9.](#)

Melanie Arnett. "Floristic Inventory of the Southern Gunnison Basin." [Marr Fund: Reports from Recipients. *Aquilegia* \(Jan-Feb. 2001\) 25 \(1-2\):10.](#)

Lynn Moore. "Floristics of the Upper Los Pinos River Drainage: Weminuche Wilderness Area. [Marr Fund: Reports from Recipients in *Aquilegia* \(March-April 2001\) 25\(4\):4.](#)

Emily Holt, University of Wyoming. "Floristic survey of the upper Arkansas Valley and Lower Gore Range. [*Aquilegia* \(July-Aug. 2001\): 25\(5\):5. Marr Fund: Report.](#)

Thomas Grant. University of Colorado, Denver "Insect predation on *Lupinus crassus*, a Montrose County endemic." ["*Aquilegia* \(Sept.-Oct. 2002\) 26\(5\): 5. Marr Fund: report from recipients. "Insect predation on *Lupinus crassus*, a Montrose County endemic."](#)

Justen Whittall, University of California, Santa Barbara. "[Columbining Colorado" *Aquilegia* \(July-August 2002\) 26\(4\):4.](#)

2002

Cristina Rumbaitis del-Rio, University of Colorado, Boulder
Soil nutrient heterogeneity and vegetation community composition in wind-disturbed and salvage-logged subalpine forests in Routt County." *Marr \$350*

Kristy Duran, University of Colorado Boulder
"Population structure of the Colorado Piñon Pine, *Pinus edulis*". *Marr \$350*

Kerri Holland, University of Colorado at Boulder
"Does nitrogen deposition reduce the abundance of the nitrogen fixing plants in the Colorado alpine?" *Marr \$350*

2003

William A. Weber, 3455 Table Mesa Dr., B-114, Boulder, CO 80309
Bryophyte flora \$250 from Steinkamp and \$325 from Marr= \$575

Linda Courter, Dept. of Biology, CSU, Fort Collins, CO 80524
"The Real Deal? Seeking evidence of hybridization in the Colorado endemic *Physaria bellii* (Bell's Twinpod) using randomly amplified polymorphic DNA (RAPDs)"

\$400 from Myrna Steinkamp fund

Jeffrey Wayne Brasher, Dept of Biological Sciences, UNC, Greeley, CO 80639 \$325

“The Colorado Interactive Flora (CIF) \$325 *Marr fund. Aquilegia (March-April 2004) 28(2):3-4. “Progress on the southern Rocky Mountain Interactive Flora (SRMIF)Project.”*

Kevin Keefover-Ring, EPO Biology N122 Ramaley, University of Colorado, Boulder 80309 “Chemical ecology of *Monarda fistulosa* in Colorado. \$325 *from Marr fund*

2004

Donald Hazlett, P.O. Box 345, Pierce, CO 80650 CBCYDG@msn.com. “Useful Native Plants Sold in stores and Available in a Natural Area called *Botica* (herb store) in the San Luis Valley, Colorado” \$500 *from Marr fund (Aquilegia May-June 2005)29(3):p.4. “Useful Native Plants in the San Luis Valley.”Project funded by the CONPS research grant program). Aquilegia (November-December 2003) 27(5): 3. “Ethnobotany of five plants from boticas (herb stores)”*

Erin Foley, Dept. of Botany, University of Wyoming in Laramie, WY 82071

“Floristic inventory of the Arapaho National Forest and adjacent Bureau of Land Management lands in Grand County, Colorado.” \$450 *from Steinkamp and \$250 from Marr fund. Aquilegia(November-December 2005) 29(5):3-4. CONPS small grant fund report.*

Jeannette Flaig, Dept. of Botany, University of Wyoming in Laramie, WY 82071

“A general floristic, sensitive and invasive plant inventory of the eastern San Juan Mountains in Colorado”. \$450 *from the Steinkamp fund and \$250 from the Marr fund.*

2005

Michelle DePrenger-Levin. 730 S. Hudson St., Denver, CO 80246 deprengm@botanicgardens.org

“Phylogeny Reconstruction of *Carex* Section *Scirpinae*.” \$500 *from the Marr Fund*

Christina Alba. Dept. of Biology, Colorado State University Fort Collins, CO 80523

“Prairie dogs and harvester ants as disturbance agents on the shortgrass steppe: implications for habitat heterogeneity.” \$500 *from Marr*

Lynn Moore, Windom Floristics, 385 Lake Purgatory Drive, Durango, CO 81301 Lmflora@earthlink.net received grants from the for her surveys, “Demographic monitoring of *Astragalus deterior*, Cliff Palace Milkvetch, Mesa Verde National Park, Southwestern Colorado” \$435 *from Steinkamp Fund*

“Mapping and Census Survey of *Townsendia glabella* A. Gray, Mesa Verde National Park, Southwestern Colorado” \$265 *Steinkamp Fund*

2006

Dr. Catherine Kleier and Dr. Christy Carello of Metropolitan State College of Denver. “The effect of willow (*Salix* spp.) clipping on biodiversity in a subalpine forest.” \$534 *from the Marr fund*

Jennifer Kapp of Western State College. P.O. Box 323, Crested Butte, CO 81224
jenniferkapp@yahoo.com “The genetic differentiation among cheatgrass (*Bromus tectorum*) populations within the Gunnison Basin.” \$472 from the Marr fund

Dr. Koren Nydick, Director of the Mountain Studies Institute. Mountain Studies Institute
P.O. Box 426 Silverton, CO 81433 970-247-5161 koren@mountainstudies.org. “A Monitoring Program to Determine the Effect of Global Change on Alpine Plant Communities in the San Juan Mountains, SW Colorado.” \$500 from the Marr fund and \$400 from the Steinkamp fund

2007

Carol English University of Colorado at Denver and the Health Science Center. “Pollination biology and population genetics study of the rare Colorado endemic, *Penstemon degeneri*” Steinkamp \$1,000

Denise Wilson University of Colorado at Denver and the Health Science Center “*Epipactis gigantea* – a pollination study” Steinkamp \$500

Diana Jolles Ohio State University, Columbus, OH “The biogeography and phylogenetics of the *Pyrola picta* species complex” Marr \$800

Katie M. Becklin University of Missouri Columbia, MO 105 Tucker Hall, Division of Biological Sciences, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO 65211 “Do mycorrhizal associations affect the invasibility of alpine willow communities?” Marr \$1,000

2008

Steinkamp Awards

Dr. Lara Kueppers and Dr. Ramona Butz. University of California, Merced. *Global Observation Research Initiative in Alpine Environments (GLORIA) at the Rocky Mountain Biological Laboratory (RMBL)* \$1,000

Krissa A. Skogen (Doctoral student), University of Connecticut. *Primroses, pollinators and practicality: Identifying land use priorities by the effect of habitat fragmentation on pollinator declines and plant reproduction.* \$800

Marr Awards

Denise Wilson (MS student), University of Colorado, Denver. *Epipactis gigantea* - Pollination Syndromes at three Colorado elevations. \$600

Genevieve Walden (MS student), San Francisco State University. Phylogenetic analysis of sectional and species level relationships within *Phacelia* (Boraginaceae) inferred from chloroplast *ndhF* and nuclear rITS sequence data. \$500.

Ben R. Grady (Doctoral student), University of Wisconsin. Speciation and Edaphic Endemism in *Eriogonum* (Polygonaceae): A Molecular Systematic Approach. \$500.