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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

WORK EXPERIENCE

Executive Director, Montana Bird Advocacy, 2017–present
Editor, Handbook of the Birds of the World Alive, 2014–2019
Principal Investigator, Northern Saw-whet Owl Nesting Ecology Study, 2012–2017
Senior Author and Editor, *Birds of Montana* Project, Montana Audubon, 2007–2014
Director of Bird Conservation, Montana Audubon, 2002–2007
Adjunct Professor, Wildlife Biology, University of Montana, 1995–2007
Managing Editor and Editor-in-Chief of *The Auk*, 1995–2000
Wildlife Biologist, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, 1994–1995
Research Associate, Montana Cooperative Wildlife Research Unit, 1988–1994
Wildlife Research Biologist, Boise District Bureau of Land Management, 1983–1988

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Zoology, University of Montana, 1995 (nonbreeding ecology of Bristle-thighed Curlews)
M.S., Wildlife Biology, University of Montana, 1984 (breeding ecology of Long-eared Owls)
B.S., Wildlife Biology, University of Montana, 1979 (with honors)
A.A.S., Forestry, Paul Smith's College, 1975 (with honors)

REFEREED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

Marks, J. S., & S. Flood. Vocal mimicry by a House Finch and a Green-tailed Towhee. **Northwestern Naturalist**: in preparation.

Marks, J. S., & J. D. Lloyd. Notes on the breeding biology of a Bewick's Wren (*Thryomanes bewickii*) pair, with emphasis on nestling provisioning. **Northwestern Naturalist**: in preparation.

Marks, J. S., & T. G. Vogan. Observations at an Anna's Hummingbird (*Calypte anna*) nest in northwestern Oregon. **Wilson Journal of Ornithology**: in preparation.

Marks, J. S., P. Hendricks, K. R. Stone, & S. Sherman. Polygyny and double brooding in the Gray Flycatcher *Empidonax wrightii*. **Wilson Journal of Ornithology**: in preparation.

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Marks, J. S., H. M. Garrod, & J. W. Covill. 2023. Secondary nectar robbing in Trochilidae, with a focus on the Volcano Hummingbird *Selasphorus flammula*. **Ornitología Neotropical** 34: 1-5.

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PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

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| American Ornithological Society (Fellow 2005) | Wilson Ornithological Society |
| Raptor Research Foundation | Western Field Ornithologists |
| African Bird Club | Neotropical Birding and Conservation |

SERVICES AND AWARDS

- Outstanding Achievement Award:** Montana Audubon (with P. Hendricks & D. Casey), 2016
- Presidential Citation Award:** American Ornithologists' Union, 2005 & 2006
- Publications Committee:** American Ornithologists' Union, 2003–2008 (Chair, 2005-2008)
- Elective Councilor:** American Ornithologists' Union, 2003–2005
- Nominations Committee:** American Ornithologists' Union, 2003–2004
- Honorary Membership Committee:** Cooper Ornithological Society, 2003–2004
- Montana Important Birds Areas Technical Committee:** 2002–2015 (Chair, 2002–2008)
- Research Awards Committee:** American Ornithologists' Union, 2000–2001
- Montana Bird Records Committee:** 1997–present (Secretary, 2003–present)
- Subregional Editor:** National Audubon Society Field Notes, 1997–2003
- Elective Member:** American Ornithologists' Union, 1995
- Book Review Editor:** Journal of Raptor Research, 1994–2005
- Bertha Morton Fellowship:** University of Montana, 1990
- Regional Nongame Advisory Council:** Idaho Department of Fish and Game, 1985–1988
- Recent Literature Contributor:** Journal of Field Ornithology, 1983–1999; Auk, 1983–1994
- Range Map Consultant:** Sibley & National Geographic Society field guides to North American birds
- Text Corrections:** Handbook of the Birds of the World, Vols. 5, 6, 7, & 8
- Manuscript Reviewer:** American Naturalist, Auk, Behavioral Ecology and Sociobiology, Biological Conservation, Bird Conservation International, Bulletin of the British Ornithologists' Club, Bulletin of the Southern California Academy of Sciences, Canadian Field-Naturalist, Canadian Journal of Zoology, Colonial Waterbirds, Condor, Conservation Biology, Cotinga, Ecography, 'Elepaio, Ibis, Journal of Avian Biology, Journal of Field Ornithology, Journal of the Idaho Academy of Science, Journal of Raptor Research, Journal of Wildlife Management, Maryland Birdlife, Murrelet, Northwest Science, Northwestern Naturalist, Ornithology Research, Ornitología Neotropical, Pacific Science, Prairie Naturalist, Southwestern Naturalist, Wader Study, Western Birds, Wildlife Monographs, Wilson Journal of Ornithology, AOU Check-list of North American Birds, Birds of North America, Birds of the World