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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Fisheries, University of Washington, 1989.
- M.S. Fisheries, University of Washington, 1981.
- B.S. Biological Sciences, University of California, Irvine, 1978.

EXPERIENCE

- 1993-present Vice-President, Fisheries Scientist, Natural Resources Consultants, Inc. Responsible for salmon investigations in the Pacific Northwest and Alaska.
- 1990-1993. Principal Fisheries Biologist. University of Washington, Fisheries Research Institute. Project Leader/ Co-PI, Alaska Salmon Program. Responsible for directing several research projects at FRI's Alaska field stations and supervision of graduate students.
- 1989-1990. Senior Fisheries Biologist. University of Washington, Fisheries Research Institute. Project Leader for the Alaska Salmon Program (see above responsibilities).
- 1984-1989. Predoctoral Research Associate. University of Washington, Fisheries Research Institute. Project Leader for the Chignik Lakes Salmon Research Program. Responsible for directing research projects and supervision of students.
- 1982-1984. Fisheries Biologist. Jones & Stokes Associates, Inc. Responsible for environmental studies related to fish and fisheries in Alaska, Washington and California.
- 1982. Consultant. BioSonics, Inc. Examined juvenile salmon migration at a Columbia River dam using hydroacoustic techniques.
- 1979-1981. Research Assistant. University of Washington, Fisheries Research Institute. Field research on salmon at the Wood River lakes, Alaska.
- 1978-1979. Biologist. California Department of Fish and Game. Assisted several marine fisheries projects, including the annual CALCOFI anchovy survey.

1978. Biologist. University of California, Irvine. Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology. Received Student-Originated-Studies grant from the National Science Foundation to examine the effects of groundwater removal on natural spring communities in the Owens Valley, CA.
- 1977-1978. Lab Technician. University of California, Irvine. Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology. Field biologist for rocky intertidal studies.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Committees

Science Technical Committee, Arctic-Yukon-Kuskokwim Sustainable Salmon Initiative
Chignik Regional Aquaculture Association, Scientific Advisor
Independent Scientific Advisory Board (ISAB), Columbia River
Expert Panel: Klamath River dam removal

Society Memberships

American Institute of Fishery Research Biologists, NW District Director (1993-1994),
Regional Director (1994-1995)
American Fisheries Society

Scientific Referee

Aquatic Living Resources
Arctic-Yukon-Kuskokwim Sustainable Salmon Initiative
American Fisheries Society
Canadian Journal of Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences
Environmental Biology of Fishes
First International Symposium on GIS in Fishery Science
Fisheries Oceanography
Fishery Bulletin
Fourth World Fisheries Congress, American Fisheries Society
Gulf of Alaska Ecosystem Monitoring Program (GEM)
Gut Shop 1993
Journal of Fish Biology
Marine Stewardship Council
National Science Foundation
Nature
North American Journal of Fisheries Management
North Pacific Research Board
North Pacific Anadromous Fish Commission
Ohio Sea Grant College Program
Pacific Salmon and Their Ecosystems: Status and Future Options
PICES
Reviews in Fish Biology and Fisheries
Transactions of the American Fisheries Society
West Coast National Undersea Research Center, NOAA

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

American Institute Fisheries Research Biologists, Research Award, 1992
John Cobb Memorial Scholarship, 1989
American Institute Fisheries Research Biologists, Research Award, 1988
Seattle Poggie Club (Fisheries) Scholarship, 1986
National Science Foundation Student-Originated-Studies Grant, 1978
University of California, Irvine President's Council Grant, 1977
Dean's Honor List: 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977

SUPERVISION OF GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH

- Griffiths, J. 2012. Assessing the implications of changing geomorphology and climate on the habitat characteristics of Black Lake, Alaska. Ph.D. University of Washington, Seattle.
- Westley, P. 2007. Biocomplexity and rapid natural habitat change in the Chignik Lake system, Alaska. M.S. Thesis. University of Washington, Seattle.
- Chasco, B. 2004. Inseason run size forecasting of Chignik sockeye salmon. M.S. Thesis. University of Washington, Seattle.
- Harvey, C.J. 1994. Upstream migration of fishes in Black River, Chignik Lakes, Alaska. M.S. Thesis. University of Washington, Seattle. 154 p.
- Bumgarner, J.D. 1993. Long-term trends in the growth of sockeye salmon from the Chignik Lakes, Alaska. M.S. Thesis. University of Washington, Seattle. 86 p.
- Hanson, R. 1992. Brown bear (*Ursus arctos*) predation on sockeye salmon spawners in two tributaries of the Wood River Lake system, Bristol Bay, Alaska. M.S. Thesis. University of Washington, Seattle. 124 p.
- Berejikian, Barry A.. 1992. Feeding Ecology of Rainbow Trout with Comparisons to Arctic Char in Iliamna Lake, Alaska. M.S. Thesis. University of Washington, Seattle. 72 p.
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- Cordell, J.R., J.D. Toft, A. Gray, G.T. Ruggeroni, and M. Cooksey. 2011. Functions of restored wetlands for juvenile salmon in an industrialized estuary. *Ecological Engineering* 37:343-353.
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- Beamish, R.J., B.E. Riddell, K.L. Lange, E. Farley Jr., S. Kang, T. Nagasawa and 30 other co-authors w/ G. Ruggeroni. 2009. A long-term research and monitoring plan (LRMP) for Pacific salmon (*Oncorhynchus* Spp.) in the North Pacific Ocean. NPAFC Special Publication No. 1.
- Nielsen, J.L. and G.T. Ruggeroni. 2009. Climate change and a dynamic ocean carrying capacity: growth and survival of Pacific salmon at sea. *American Fisheries Society Symposium* 71.
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- Van Veldhuizen, H. and G.T. Ruggerone. 1983. Analysis of Ocean Discharge Criteria Evaluation limitations for Navarin Basin (Lease Sale 83, Bering Sea). Prepared for the Environmental Protection Agency with Jones & Stokes Associates, Bellevue, WA. 37 p.
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- Van Veldhuizen, H., R. Denman, G.T. Ruggerone and A. Godbey. 1984. Environmental assessment of alternative seafood waste disposal methods at Akutan Harbor, Alaska. Prepared for the Environmental Protection Agency with Jones & Stokes Associates, Bellevue, WA. 97 p.
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- Van Veldhuizen, H., G.T. Ruggerone and others. 1988. A best professional judgment on Quartz Hill mine tailings disposal in Boca de Quadra, Alaska with reference to Ocean Discharge Criteria. Final Report. Prepared for the Environmental Protection Agency with Jones & Stokes Associates, Bellevue, WA. 125 pp. + appendices.
- Ruggerone, G.T., and D.E. Rogers. 1988. Chignik Sockeye Studies: gastric evacuation rates and daily ration of juvenile coho salmon. FRI-UW-8810. University of Washington, Seattle. 27 p.
- Ruggerone, G.T., and D.E. Rogers. 1989. Chignik Sockeye Studies: consumption of sockeye salmon fry by juvenile coho salmon in the Chignik Lakes, Alaska: implications for salmon management.. Ann. Rept. to Nat. Mar. Fish. Serv. FRI-UW-8914. University of Washington, Seattle. 31 p.
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Evidence for competition between salmon at sea. Ecological Interactions between Wild & Hatchery salmon. State of Salmon 2010 Conference. May 4-7, 2010. Portland, OR

Climate, growth, and population dynamics of western Alaska Chinook and coho salmon. Climate Change Effects on Fish and Fisheries: Forecasting impacts, Assessing Ecosystem Responses, and Evaluating Management Strategies. April 2010, Sendai, Japan.

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Growth, Climate, and population dynamics of AYK salmon. Arctic, Yukon and Kuskokwim Sustainable Salmon Workshops. March 2010. Nome, Fairbanks, Anchorage, AK.

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EXPERT WITNESS TESTIMONY

Dam effects on salmon	Reconstructed salmon harvests by Tulalip Tribe had Sultan Diversion Dam not been built in 1916. Estimated fish passage through high gradient cascades. (case mediated & settled, 2005).
<i>Exxon Valdez</i> Oil Spill	Effects of oil spill on salmon tenders in Alaska (deposition, case settled) 2003.
Skokomish Tribe v. Tacoma Power	Tribal harvests had the dams not been built, 1926-1998. Ability of salmon to pass Big Falls prior to inundation by reservoir. (report, deposition, case removed in summary judgment) 2001.
Salmon Forecast Accuracy	Preseason and inseason run size forecast accuracy; insurance claim for 1998 Bristol Bay run failure (report, case settled) 2000.
Calkins v. Burger King	Probability of biotoxin accumulation in pollock from the Bering Sea (report, case settled) 2000-2001.
Proposed Cross Cascade Pipeline	Effects of refined oil pipeline on salmon and habitat (report, deposition, pipeline explosion ended proposed pipeline) 1999.
Dam Effects on Salmon	Chinook and steelhead runs reconstructed to estimate historical (85 yr) runs and harvests had dams not been built. (report, mediation settlement) 1998.
<i>Exxon Valdez</i> Oil Spill	Effects of oil spill on salmon harvests in Alaska (reports, deposition, trial testimony) 1994.
<i>Glacier Bay</i> Oil Spill	Effects of oil spill on salmon harvests in Cook Inlet, Alaska (report, deposition) 1989.
Touchet River Chemical Spill:	Effects of ammonia spill on salmonids in Touchet River, WA (deposition) 1983.