# Congratulations to the 2021 award winners! Félicitations à tous les lauréats pour les prix 2021!

Alf Erling Porsild – Laurie Consaul Award for the best student paper in systematics and phytogeography

Andréanne Bouchard, Department of Biology, University of Ottawa, for her paper "Molecular and morphological data reveal hidden diversity in common North American Frustulia species (Amphipleuraceae)" by A. J. Bouchard, P. B. Hamilton, A. M. Savoie and J. R. Starr published in Diatom Research (2020) 34: 205-223.





María Esther Nieto-Blázquez, Department of Biology, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John's, for her paper "Historical biogeography of Caribbean Podocarpus does not support the progression rule" by M. E. Nieto-Blázquez, L. Peña-Castillo and J. Roncal published in the Journal of Biogeography (2021) 48: 690–702.

#### J. Stan Rowe Award for best student paper in ecology

Anna Crofts, Department of Biology, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John's, for her paper "The importance of biotic filtering on boreal conifer recruitment at alpine treeline" by A.L. Crofts and C.D. Brown published in Ecography (2020) 43: 1–16.

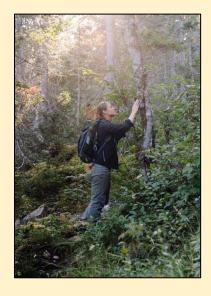


Honorable Mention: Laureen Echiverri, University of Alberta, Edmonton, for her paper "Disturbing to restore? Effects of mounding on understory communities on seismic lines in treed peatlands" by L.F.I. Echiverri, S.E. Macdonald and S.E. Nielsen published in the Canadian Journal of Forest Research (2020) 50: 1340–1351.



## Luella K. Weresub Memorial Award for best student paper in mycology

Tegan Padgett, Department of Biology, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John's, for her paper "Importance of boreal forested wetlands for epiphytic macrolichen communities" by T. Padgett and Y. F. Wiersma published in Canadian Journal of Forest Research (2020) 50: 1333–1339.



#### **Lionel Cinq-Mars Award** for best oral presentation

Juanita Carolina Rodríguez, Université du Québec, Abitibi-Témiscamingue (UQAT), Rouyn-Noranda, for her presentation "Tree-forest composition drives bacterial associations with feather-mosses"

Supervisors/collaborators: Nicole Fenton, Yves Bergeron (UQAT); Steven Kembel, Université du Québec à Montréal (UQAM)



Honorable Mention: Natalie Vuong, University of Waterloo, for her presentation\_"Investigating the relationship between tree ecophysiology and hosted communities of epiphytic bryophytes and lichens"

Supervisors/collaborators: Julie Messier, University of

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Honorable Mention: Kasia (Katarzyna) Zgurzynski, Brock University, St. Catharines, for her presentation "Native plants and beneficial insect communities along perimeter plantings and interiors of vineyards"

Supervisor: Dr. Liette Vasseur

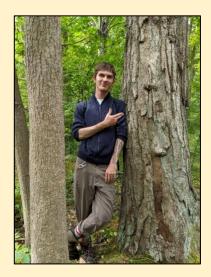




### lain and Sylvia Taylor Award for best poster

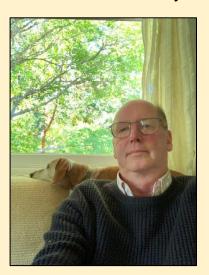
**Corey Burt**, Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, for his poster "Discerning friend from foe: systematic revision of Cuscuta L. section *Indecorae*: a combined ecological, morphometric and phylogenetic approach".

Supervisor: Mihai Costea



#### Lawson Medal in recognition of lifetime contributions to Canadian botany

**Dr. Patrick von Aderkas**, Department of Biology, University of Victoria, British Columbia



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