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Vanessa Hull is an assistant professor in the Wildlife Ecology and Conservation (WEC) department at UF (beginning January 2017). She received her MS and PhD in Fisheries and Wildlife from Michigan State University. Her interests include biodiversity conservation, wildlife ecology, and interdisciplinary approaches to natural resource management. Past research highlights include examination

of human-wildlife interactions between giant pandas and people in southwestern China and analysis of international trends in systems integration for sustainability. Vanessa is interested in expanding on her past international work by examining biocultural approaches to conservation across China, including among ethnic minority groups living in and around protected areas. She is interested in strengthening the ties between UF and Chinese institutions and hopes that her work informs ways that interdisciplinary research can aid in understanding and managing systems of biological and cultural importance in China and around the globe.

Global Research Interests

- Biodiversity conservation
- Wildlife ecology and management
- Biocultural approaches
- Human-wildlife interactions
- Coupled Human and Natural Systems
- Interdisciplinary studies

Country of Study

- China

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