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CURRENT RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

1. Neotoma Paleocology Database <http://www.neotomadb.org/>. Ashworth is one of the five original co-PI's. The database is a fully-searchable multiproxy database. Ashworth is responsible for the fossil insect data. The North American data is currently being uploaded and discussion with colleagues from around the world is ongoing for enlarging the scope of the insect database. Future research will focus on the development of tools for paleoclimatic and paleoecological analyses.
2. The full-glacial insect fauna from the Chilean Lake Region. Coleoptera taxa from 6 sites are being analyzed for changes in faunal composition during the interval from 28,000 to 12,000 cal yr B.P. The fauna has no analogue and is a combination of taxa from higher elevations and those with broad ecological amplitudes. The fauna is especially sensitive to major climate change.
3. The paleoecology of the Six-Mile Creek site, mid-Wisconsinan age, from the Finger Lakes Region, New York State. The project is in cooperation with Sangita Sthrestha (M.S. thesis), Dan Karig, Cornell University, and Dorothy Peteet, Lamont Doherty Earth Observatory (Student).
4. The paleoecology of Miocene-aged sites from Antarctica. The sites, in the Transantarctic Mountains from 77° and 85° lat. S, have striking parallels with Quaternary-aged sites in the northern hemisphere. Many taxa, now cosmopolitan, probably evolved their adaptations to cold temperatures in Antarctica millions of years before the climate cooled during the Quaternary in the northern hemisphere.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Geology, 1969, University of Birmingham, England

B.Sc. in Geology, 1966, University of Birmingham, England

POSITIONS HELD

University Distinguished Professor Emeritus, NDSU, 2014-

Chair, Department of Geosciences, NDSU, 1982-2004

Director, Population Change and Genetic Diversity Focus Group, NDSU/UND, 1992-1995

Dean, College of Science and Mathematics, NDSU, 1990-91 (interim)

Distinguished Visiting Professor, Quaternary Research Center, University of Washington, 1991

Visiting Research Scientist, Ohio State University, Byrd Polar Research Center, 1989

Visiting Fellow, Clare Hall, Cambridge University, England, 1988

Professor, Department of Geosciences, NDSU, 1979 to 2014

Assistant-Associate Professor, Department of Geosciences, NDSU, 1972-1979

Assistant Professor, University of Waterloo, Ontario, 1971-1972

Assistant Professor, University of Guelph, Ontario, 1972
Visiting Assistant Professor, NDSU, 1969-1971.

PANEL/BOARD MEMBERSHIP

Past-President, International Union for Quaternary Research (INQUA) 2019-
<http://www.inqua.org>
President, International Union for Quaternary Research (INQUA) 2015-2019
Member, Board on International Scientific Organizations (BISO), National Academies of Sciences
<http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/biso/index.htm>
Ex Officio Member, United States National Committee for INQUA (USNC INQUA)
<http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/biso/INQUA/index.htm>
Member, Leadership Council, Neotoma, <https://www.neotomadb.org/about/category/governance>
Vice-Chair, International Council of Science GeoUnions (ICSU GeoUnions) 2017-2019
<http://www.icsu-geounions.org>
Vice-President, International Union for Quaternary Research, 2007-2011
<<http://www.inqua.tcd.ie/>>
Chair, U. S. National Committee for the International Union of Quaternary Research
(USNC INQUA), 2003-2007, member since 1997
< <http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/biso/INQUA/index.htm>
Member, Mid Miocene – Pliocene sub-committee, SCAR Antarctic Climatic Evolution, 2005
Board President, F-M River Keepers, 2004-2006
Member, INQUA Commission for Palaeoecology and Human Evolution, 2003 - 2007
International Editorial Advisory Board, *Journal of Quaternary Science*, Wiley. 1989-2008
NDSU Coordinator, NSF Graduate Research Fellowships, 1995 - 2004
Globenet member, Global network for monitoring landscape change

HONORS & AWARDS

2023 INQUA Honorary Life Fellow
2019 Geological Society of America Quaternary Geology and Geology Division 'Distinguished Career Award'
2007 NDSU University Distinguished Professor
2007 New Zealand Geographic Board names Ashworth Glacier
2004 James A. Meier Senior Professor 2004-2013
1997 North Dakota State University Faculty Lectureship Award
1997 NDSU Mortar Board, Preferred Professor
1989 Fargo Chamber of Commerce and North Dakota State University Distinguished Professor Award
1989 NDSU Sigma Xi Outstanding Research Award for 1989 (shared with D. P. Schwert)
1988 Visiting Fellowship, Clare Hall, Cambridge, England
1986 "Outstanding paper for 1985" *Coleopterists Bulletin*: Fossil evidence for late Holocene faunal stability in southern Minnesota (Coleoptera): co-authored with D. P. Schwert
1974 Mortar Board, NDSU, "Creative Educator of the Year".
1966 Panton Prize (Department of Geosciences, University of Birmingham, England).

OTHER HONORS

- Ashworth Glacier in the Supporter's Range, Antarctica (Google Earth)
- New species of Coleoptera (beetles) and Hemiptera (bugs) named after Allan Ashworth as a result of field studies in South and North America

[Andotypus ashworthi Spangler 1979 \(Coleoptera: Hydrophilidae\)](#) - Southern Chile

Spangler, P. J. 1979. A new genus of water beetle from austral South America (Coleoptera: Hydrophilidae). *Proc. Biol. Soc. Wash.*, 92(4): 697-718.

Valdivioides ashworthi Smetana 1981 (Coleoptera:Staphylinidae) - Southern Chile

Smetana A. A new genus and species of Quediini from Chile (Coleoptera: Staphylinidae). *Can. Entomol.* 113: 1981. 349–354

Orynypus ashworthi Gordon, 1994 (Coleoptera: Coccinellidae) - Southern Chile

Gordon, R.D., 1994, South American Coccinellidae (Coleoptera). Part IV: definition of Exoplectrinae Crotch, Azynae Mulsant, and Coccidulinae Crotch; a taxonomic revision of Coccidulini. *Rev Brasileira Ent* 38:681-775.

Agoliinus (Aphodius) ashworthi (Gordon 2006) (Coleoptera: Scarabaeidae) - Great Plains, U. S. A.

Gordon, R. D. and Skelley, P.E. 2007. A monograph of the Aphodiini inhabiting the United States and Canada (Coleoptera: Scarabaeidae:Aphodiinae). *Memoirs of the American Entomological Institute*, 79: p. 155-156. Gainesville, Florida

Nabis ashworthi Faúndez & Carvajal 2014 (Hemiptera:Nabidae) - Southern Chile

Faúndez, Eduardo I. & Carvajal, Máriom A., 2014, Contribucion al conocimiento de las especies del complejo de *Nabis punctipennis* Blanchard, 1852 (Hemiptera:Heteroptera: Nabidae) en Chile, *Anales del Instituto de la Patagonia* 42, No. 1, pp. 63-69.

Gomphocopris ashworthi Tello, Génier, Pino, Rossini & Verdú, 2024 (Fossil Coleoptera: Scarabaeidae) – Southern Chile

Tello, F., Génier, F., Pino, M., Rossini, M. & Verdú, J., 2024, *Gomphocopris ashworthi* gen. sp. nov. (Coleoptera, Scarabaeidae, Homocoprini): an additional new Chilean fossil genus and species extinct at the Pleistocene-Holocene boundary. *Palaeoentomology* 007 (3), pp. 386-394.

GRANTS

- 2016 NSF EAR 1550717 – Collaborative Rresearch: Neotoma Paleoecology database community-led cyberinfrastructure for global change reseach 5/23/2016 – 5/1/2020, \$69, 832
- 2010 NSF ANT 0947821. Neogene paleoecology of the Beardmore Glacier Region, PI, 2 yr, \$100,197.00 (terminated 2016).
- 2010 NSF EAR 0948652. Geoinformatics: Collaborative Research: Neotoma Paleoecology Database, Pliocene-Quaternary, co-PI, 3 yr, \$1,606,051.00 (terminated 2016).
- 2010 NSF EAR 0963486. Renovation for Climate Change & Environmental Quality Laboratory at North Dakota State University, co-PI, 1 yr, \$659,103.00.
- 2008 NSF ANT-0739693. Collaborative Research: Integrating Geomorphological and Paleoeological Studies to Reconstruct Neogene Environments of the Transantarctic Mountains", (Ashworth, PI; 4 yrs, \$442,620.00 (terminated 2016)
- 2006 NSF EAR-0622349. Geoinformatics: Collaborative Research – Late Neogene Terrestrial Ecosystem Database, CO-pl, 3 yr, \$435,010.
- 2006 ND EPSCoR. Ph.D. Dissertation Improvement grant for Michael Newbrey, PI, 1 yr, \$15,000
- 2005 NSF ANT-0440761. Collaborative paleoenvironmental research in the Dry Valleys", PI, 2 yrs, \$46,373.
- 2003 NSF ANT-0230696. Terrestrial paleoecology and sedimentary environment of the Meyer Desert Formation, Beardmore Glacier, Transantarctic Mountains.", PI, 3 yrs, \$220,898
- 2003 NDEPSCoR. Faculty start-up grant for K. Lepper, PI, 1 yr, \$45,000

- 2000 NDEPSCoR. Faculty start-up grant for R. Arthur", 1yr, \$33,000
- 1997 NSF OPP. The Paleoenvironment of the Meyer Desert Formation, Transantarctic Mountains, PI, 3 yrs, \$103,471
- 1995 NAS Travel Grant to attend INQUA Congress in Berlin, Germany
- 1994 EPA EPSCoR, Monitoring global change through insect response, co-PI, 2yr, \$40,000.
- 1992 ND EPSCoR. Population change and genetic diversity focus group, PI, 3yrs, \$1,350,000,
- 1991 NAS Travel Grant to attend INQUA in China
- 1989 ASEND/EPSCoR REU, PI, 10,000
- 1987 NSF Climate Dynamics. Late-glacial and Holocene Climate of the Andes in the Mid-Latitudes of South America", PI.
- 1985 NSF Earth Sciences. PI. Collaborative research on late Quaternary environmental changes in the Chilean Channels of South America, PI
- 1985 NSF (U. of Kentucky). Monte Verde, Chile, fossil insect analysis, co-PI.
- 1983 South African Quaternary Association. Travel Award.
- 1983 NSF Earth Sciences (Supplement to 1982 award).
- 1982 NSF Earth Sciences, Co-PI.
- 1980 NSF Ecology Program, PI.
- 1979 NSF Climate Dynamics, PI.
- 1978 NSF Climate Dynamics, PI.
- 1977 NSF Climate Dynamics, co-PI.
- 1977 NSF International Conference Travel Award.
- 1977 MN Geol. Survey, Grant-In-Aid of Research.
- 1977 NSF Ecology Program, PI.
- 1974 NSF Systematics Program, PI.
- 1973 NSF Institutional (NDSU - research support).
- 1972 NRC, Canada, PI.
- 1971 University of Waterloo, Ontario, (research support).
- 1970 North Dakota Institute of Regional Studies (research support).
- 1966 NERC Graduate Scholarship, U.K.

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS: Journals, Proceedings, Book Chapters

- Ashworth, A.C., 2023., Late Pleistocene beetles of southern South America. In (Elias, S.A., Ed), *Encyclopedia of Quaternary Science*, Elsevier, Amsterdam. DOI:10.1016/B978-0-323-99931-1.000647
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- Ashworth, A.C., Thackray, G.D., Gavin, D.G., 2021, Climate of the Last Glacial Maximum on the western Olympic Peninsula based on insect paleoecology, palynology and glacial geology. In (Waitt, R.B., Thackray, G.D., Gillespie, A.R., eds.), *Untangling the Quaternary Period- the legacy of Stephen C. Porter*, GSA Special Papers **548**: 101-120.
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ND Soil and Water Conservation Society, Medora, ND, 2019

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University of Beijing, Beijing, China, 2018

Cankdeska Cicana Community College, Devils Lake, ND 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018

Discovery School, Fargo, ND

Protease Research Group, NDSU, 2016

Darwin's Birthday talk, Fargo Civic Center, ND, 2014, 2015

United Tribes Technical College, Bismarck, ND, 2013

GO 2030 – Fargo Comprehensive Plan, City of Fargo, 2011 Fargo (with K. McCaul)

Science Café, 'Who believes in Global Warming .. and why?' (with K. McCaul, 2011)

NDSU Extension Service Annual Meeting, Fargo, Keynote 'Is The Earth Warming?' (with K. McCaul and A. Akyuz)

Department of Biological Sciences, NDSU, 2011

Crary Science Lecture, McMurdo, 2010

Dakota College, Bottineau, North Dakota, Earth Day Speaker, 2010

Phi Kappa Phi, NDSU, Banquet Speaker 2010

Darwin Birthday Panel, NDSU, 2010
 Mary College, Bismarck, North Dakota, 2009
 Scott Polar Research Institute, Cambridge, UK, 2009
 Geosciences, University of Arizona, Flagstaff, 2009
 NDSU Central Grasslands Research Center, Streeter, North Dakota, 2009
 Explorers Club, New York City, showing of 'Ice People', 2009
 Darwin Birthday Panel, NDSU, 2009
 Prairie Stewardship, Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Bismarck, North Dakota, 2009
 Fargo Film Festival, Ice People showing, 2009
 Independents Night, Lincoln Center, New York, Film Society of Lincoln Center, Ice People showing, 2008
 Focus The Nation, Fargo Theatre, with Will Steger, 2008
 Minnesota State University, Moorhead, Public Lecture, 2008
 PariScience International Science Film Festival, Natural History Museum, Paris, France, showing of Ice People, 2008
 Concordia College, Moorhead, Minnesota, 2008 – Lecture to incoming class
 San Francisco international Film Festival, Ice people showing, 2008
 Teaching Climate Change Workshop, PSU, State College, Pennsylvania (with Cathy Whitlock, Cathy Manduca, co-convenors), AMQUA, USNC INQUA, NAGT/DLESE.
 NDSU Central Grasslands Research Center, Streeter, North Dakota, 2008
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 'Focus The Nation', 2007
 Megaconference Junior, 2007
 Heritage Center, Bismarck, North Dakota, Earth Day speaker, 2007
 Science Lecture, Black Hills State University, Spearfish, South Dakota, 2007
 Environmental and Conservation Sciences Graduate Program, NDSU, 2007
 Dakota Resource Council, Public lecture, Townhouse Motel, Fargo
 Department of Entomology, NDSU, 2007
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 Teaching Climate Change Workshop, Bozeman, Montana, 2006 (with Sheri Fritz, David Mogk and Cathy Whitlock, co-convenors) AMQUA, USNC INQUA, NAGT/DLESE
 Department of Geological Sciences, University of Minnesota, Duluth, 2006
 Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, Purdue University, West LaFayette, Indiana 2005

FIELD STUDIES

Antarctica McMurdo Dry Valleys, 2010, 2008, 2006, 2005,
 Antarctica Beardmore and Shackleton Glaciers, 2010, 2003, 1995
 NW USA, 1998, 1999
 Baffin Island 1995
 Montana and Colorado Rocky Mountains 1994
 Appalachian Mountains 1993
 North Slope of Alaska 1992
 Changbai Mountain, Jilin Province and Jingbian, Shaanxi Province, China 1992
 Chile and Argentina (10 field seasons between 1977-2002); South Patagonian ice cap (2005).

TEACHING (pre-2014)

Courses

Geology 106 Earth Through Time; Geology 303 Paleo Field Course; Geology 304 North Dakota Field Course; Geology 350 Invertebrate Paleontology; Geology 410 Sedimentology/Stratigraphy; Geology

440/640 Quaternary Biology; Geology 450 Field Geology; University 498 Global Climate Change.

Graduate Advisor

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Graduate Committees

More than 30 NDSU Ph.D. and M.S. committees in the following disciplines: Biological Sciences, Botany, Chemistry, Civil Engineering, Community and Regional Planning, Drama, Entomology, Petroleum Engineering, Sociology/Anthropology, Soil Science, Zoology. Currently serving on committees of two Ph.D. students (Entomology), 1 M.S. student Environmental and Conservation Sciences.

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Ten to twenty Geosciences undergraduates annually

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Geophysical Union

American Quaternary Association

Coleopterists Society

Geological Society of America