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Survey Methods for Monitoring Bat Populations

Bats provide crucial ecosystem services such as insect pest control, pollination, and seed dispersal. However, many bat species are suffering population declines from threats such as white-nose syndrome, fatalities at wind turbines, and habitat loss. Meanwhile, other species have unknown conservation status because of a lack of information on population trends. Therefore, there is a pressing need to advance methodology for surveying bat populations and monitoring how populations change over time and across their geographic range. This special issue is dedicated to describing and illustrating the application of innovative methods for counting bats and monitoring the populations of these elusive aerial creatures.

Please direct all questions and submission inquiries to special issue editor Aaron Corcoran (acorcora@uccs.edu). The submission deadline is April 1st, 2024.

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