

# EvaLynn Jundt

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## Education

Bemidji State University, Bemidji MN **May 2020**  
Bachelor of Science: **Aquatic Biology**  
Emphasis in Aquatic Systems  
Cumulative **GPA 3.77**

St Cloud Technical and Community College, St Cloud MN **May 2018**  
Associate of Arts  
Cumulative **GPA 3.90**

## Research

“Microplastics in the Mississippi from Headwaters to St. Cloud” **2019**  
Biology Department, Bemidji State University, Bemidji, MN  
Faculty Mentor: Dr. Richard Koch

This study sampled the Mississippi headwater area from Lake Itasca to Sauk Rapids, river miles 1,341-930. From the water and sediment samples taken at nine sites along this stretch of the river, microplastics were present at every site, in densities as high as 645 microplastics per m<sup>3</sup> in the water column and 1,341 per m<sup>3</sup> in sediments. These results indicate both that microplastics are present at source of the Mississippi and may be a cause for concern and future research on their sources and implications on the ecosystems in and along the river.

## Presentations

Florida International McNair Scholars Research Conference  
Florida International University, Miami, FL **Oct 2019**  
“Microplastics in the Mississippi Headwaters”

## Conferences

Student Scholarship and Creative Achievement Conference  
*Bemidji State University, Bemidji, MN* **April 2018**

## Academic Honors and Awards

Ronald E. McNair Post-Baccalaureate Program **2018-present**  
Presidents List **Spring 2017, Spring 2019**  
Dean’s List **Fall 2016-Fall 2018**

## Work Experience

**STEM Stars Mentor** **August 2019-present**

- Serve as a resource for first-year students interested in STEM programs
- Provide leadership and knowledge on STEM fields
- Retain first-year students in STEM programs

## Student Worker

Biology Department, Bemidji State University, Bemidji, MN **2019-present**

- Assist instructors with classroom prep
- Assist in grading papers
- Care for aquatic animals and insect housed in the biology department
- Organize materials used in classes

**Server**

Cornerstone, Sartell, MN

Perkins, Sartell, MN

Country Kitchen, Bemidji, MN

**2015-2019**