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Degree Sought: M.S. Wildlife, Aquatic, Wildlands, Science and Management

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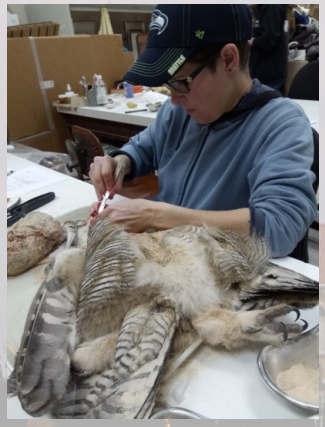
Research Interests or Projects:

Karen graduated from the University of California, Davis with a B.S. in Wildlife, Fisheries, & Conservation Biology. She has worked for multiple federal and state agencies, academic and private entities including CA State Parks, CA Dept. of Fish & Wildlife, UC Berkeley, Oklahoma State University, Texas Tech, Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency, and multiple private environmental consulting firms. Her work has provided her the opportunity to capture and work with many different species in a variety of habitats in CA, MT, NY, PA, NM, and TX, including Indiana bats, Chinook salmon, western bluebirds, western snowy plovers, scaled quail, and lesser prairie-chickens. Her current research is part of a collaborative project with multiple federal, state, university, and private stakeholders across several states. Karen's master's research is focused on evaluating the effects of various prescribed-burn and grazing management regimes on habitat selection of mottled duck and eastern black rail populations in upper Texas coastal-associated wetlands.



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