

# THE NORTH CAROLINA HERPETOLOGICAL SOCIETY

Announces

## 45<sup>th</sup> annual Fall Conference and General Meeting

☆ ☆ Saturday, 4 November, 2023 ☆ ☆

**North Carolina State University**

Room 101, David Clark Labs  
Raleigh, NC



Theme: Herps and Wetlands



### AGENDA

8:00 – 9:15 a.m.	Registration and Refreshments
9:15 – 9:30 a.m.	Welcome and Announcements
9:30 – 10:00 a.m.	<b>Reticulated Flatwoods Salamander Conservation in a Changing World.</b> Houston Chandler, The Oriante Society
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	<b>A New Database for Facilitating Evaluation of Wetland and Aquatic Amphibian Communities in North Carolina.</b> Kristie Gianopoulos, North Carolina Division of Water Resources
10:30 – 10:45 a.m.	Break
10:45 – 11:15 a.m.	<b>Carolina Bays: Critical Habitats for Natural Diversity.</b> Alvin Braswell, North Carolina State Museum of Natural Sciences (retired)
11:15 – 11:45 a.m.	<b>Congruent Habitat Associations Among Crayfishes and Amphibians in Open Canopy Wetlands.</b> Elijah Thompson, Appalachian State University
11:45 a.m. - 12:00 noon	North Carolina Herpetology Hall of Fame
12:00 – 12:30 p.m.	Lunch and Group Photo
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	Business Session
1:30 – 3:00 p.m.	Live Auction
3:00 – 3:30 p.m.	<b>Splendid Isolation: The Importance of Isolated Wetlands to Herpetofauna in North Carolina.</b> Jeff Beane, North Carolina State Museum of Natural Sciences
3:30 – 4:00 p.m.	<b>Ornate Box Turtle (<i>Terrapene ornata</i>) Home Range and Movement During a Period of Exceptional Drought in East New Mexico.</b> Rachel Weaver, Duke University
4:00 – 4:30 p.m.	Photography and Creative Writing Contest!
4:30 – 4:45 p.m.	Raffle Drawing, Announcements, Closing Remarks, Cleanup
6:00 p.m. until . . .	Group Dinner and Social

