

Dear GEAA members,

We are forwarding a request for help from our bird watching members. Can you take a couple of minutes to help out with a research study being conducted this semester at Muhlenberg College in Allentown, Pennsylvania?

The call for participants states that, "Many birds are killed each year by various forms of human technology and activity. Some of these human-made hazards attract much more attention than do others. We are interested in how various factors that have been shown to influence people's perceptions of the risks posed by nuclear power or sources of water pollution (e.g., is it a 'new' hazard, how 'natural' does the hazard seem) may also contribute to peoples' perceptions of various hazards to birds. This information will be useful in helping us strategize in campaigns to raise awareness with regards to different kinds of threats to birds and other natural systems.

You can fill out the survey at the following
link: <http://www.zoomerang.com/Survey/WEB22BDFEUJWXT>

Your participation will remain anonymous and confidential. The survey takes about 25 minutes to complete.

If you have any questions about the project, please do not hesitate to contact Dr. Jeffrey Rudski at rudski@muhlenberg.edu "

At the end of the survey, you will be re-directed to a separate page upon which you can request a summary of the results of this study. We will also be posting the results on the GEAA web page, so stay tuned for more.

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