## VCE Loudoun Master Gardeners Present Free Virtual Lecture Series



### Working the Night Shift: Pollination After Dark

Moths, flies, beetles, and other dusk and night-time pollinators can play important roles in pollinating wild and managed plants. Join Xerces pollinator conservation biologist Emily May to learn more about the pollinators that come out to work as others turn in for the evening. Emily will talk about the ecology, diversity, and importance of these hidden pollinators, and how we can best support them in our gardens and communities.

**Emily May** is a Pollinator Conservation Biologist and agricultural lead with the Xerces Society's Pesticide Program. She received a Master of Science in entomology from Michigan State University, and she has studied pollinator habitat restoration, bee nesting habits, and the effects of pest management practices on wild bee communities. Her work with Xerces since 2015 has focused on supporting crop pollinators with habitat creation and protecting bees and other beneficial insects from pesticides.

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#### **Emily May**

**Xerces Society** 



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